

JCHS
Gettysburg Bus trip
October 2 - 3, 2023
Limited Availability - Reserve Early

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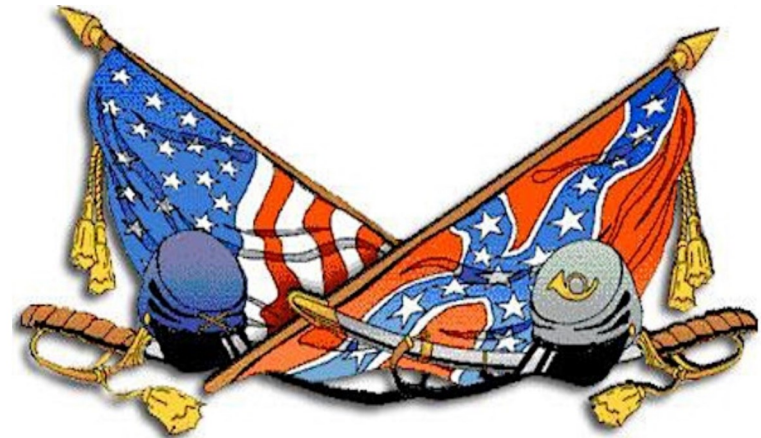
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Jefferson County Historical Society

GETTYSBURG

Bus Trip

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Package Includes

Round trip bus transportation
Special Guided Tours
All Admission Fees
Box lunch

\$150 per person (Open to everyone)

Complete Itinerary at jchconline.org
More information and registration at: (814) 849-0077
Email: jchc@windstream.net



Trip Overview

Day 1

Our first stop is at the National Park Service Museum and Visitor Center which is the best location for an overview of the battle of Gettysburg. This visit includes the **Gettysburg Museum of the Civil War**, with 22,000 square feet of exhibit space, features relics of the Battle of Gettysburg and personalities who served in the Civil War, inter-active exhibits, and multi-media presentations that cover the conflict from beginning to end as well as describe the Battle of Gettysburg and its terrible aftermath. We will also view the film, *"A New Birth of Freedom"*, narrated by award winning actor Morgan Freeman and visit the restored **Gettysburg Cyclorama**, which depicts the final fury of Gettysburg- "Pickett's Charge".

After a boxed lunch at the Visitor Center we will board the bus for a guided **2 hour tour of the Battlefield** with Gary Cross who is a licensed battlefield guide. We will visit the key locations of the three day battle and receive a great overview of how the events unfolded.

After the tour we will check in at the **Americas Best Value Inn** which is located on Steinweher Avenue near the battlefield. Dinner and the evening will be on your own with many local attractions and restaurants within easy walking distance of the hotel.

Day 2

Day 2 begins with a continental breakfast provided by the hotel and then boarding the bus with our guide for a **3 hour tour of the battlefield locations** of the regiments from Jefferson County. Included will be an in depth on-the ground overview of how the, 62nd, 63rd, 105th, 148th Pennsylvania Infantry and the 11th Pennsylvania Reserves, 11th Cavalry and the 2nd United States Sharpshooters participated in the conflict.

After the tour we will have a lunch of Civil War period fare served by period dressed servers at the Historic **Farnsworth house** which is a historic inn with over 100 bullet holes in exterior south wall and also known as of the most haunted inns in America. Our buffet menu will consist of salad bar, charbroiled chicken w/herbs, baked Lancaster ham, breaded New England cod, chicken pot pie, zucchini & tomatoes, sweet corn, green beans & ham, mashed potatoes and macaroni and cheese, with double chocolate cake and fresh apple pie for desert and choice of iced tea, lemonade & water.

After lunch we will have a couple of hours of free time in **downtown Gettysburg** in order for you to take in the specialty and antique shops before boarding the bus at 4:00 pm for return to Brookville. There will be an on your own dinner stop during the return trip in State College

Gettysburg Trip Itinerary

Day 1

- 6 am** Depart Brookville
- 10 am** Arrive National Military Park & Visitor Center. Tour Includes Museum, film "A New Birth of Freedom and the Cyclorama
- 1:30 pm** Box Lunch at Visitor Center
- 2:30 pm** Guided Battlefield Overview Bus Tour
- 4:30 pm** Arrive Hotel / Dinner On Your Own (Free Time)

Day 2

- 8:00 am** Breakfast at Hotel
- 9:30 am** Guided Battlefield Tour - Jefferson County Regiments
- 1:00 pm** Lunch at the Historic Farnsworth House
- 2:00 pm** Downtown Gettysburg (Free Time)
- 4:00 pm** Return to Brookville
- 6:00 pm** Cracker Barrel State College (Dinner On Your Own)
- 8:30 pm** Arrive Brookville