



First National Bank of Waterloo Classic 55 Club Newsletter November-December 2020

Big WELCOME to our Effingham and Stewardson Customers! This newsletter is the first time we are including ALL of our markets together and we are SUPER EXCITED about the future of the Classic 55 Club. 2020 can probably be described best as the "Year of Change". Classic 55 Club Travel is no stranger to that statement. We haven't traveled since March 5, 2020 out of safety to our customers. As much as we would like to have traveled in these last two months – *we just care about you all too much!* So, we are giving "virtual touring" a try! All details about this fun, interactive Milwaukee Holiday tour are detailed later in this newsletter – **Check it Out!** Do you want to learn about online banking or do you need a refresher? Look below for details on the start of our virtual training series.

From Darcy's desk -

Hey all! I just finished celebrating my ONE year 'workiversary' with FNB as the Classic 55 Club Coordinator. Wow! What a crazy year 2020 has been! I just know 2021 is going to be our year! Marcie & I are working with our vendors to travel to some great places starting in March 2021. Keep reading to find out what we have planned for you to get you through the winter months.

FROM MARCIE'S DESK:

Hello to all of our Classic 55 Members! It's been a very long time since we've been together. I have missed seeing you and pray you are all safe & healthy! Darcy, the Classic 55 Coordinator in Waterloo, & I have come together for this newsletter & some of the upcoming trips. Check out our latest news and be ready to travel with us! In the spring we are planning a great trip to the newly remodeled Union Station in St. Louis to visit the St. Louis Aquarium, & ride on the Ferris Wheel with "climate-controlled" cars. We also plan to visit the Quilt Museum & Patti's Settlement in Kentucky, a show at Beef and Boards and finally Chicago at Christmas time. Please check our future newsletters for more information!

Club News

- ◇ All scheduled Classic 55 Club trips have been cancelled through 2020. along with the Gallagher's Dinner usually held in February. Our current launch date for traveling is mid-March 2021.
- ◇ Please join our Classic 55 [Facebook Group](#) and think about receiving the newsletter electronically. In 2021 we anticipate announcements & updates will be made on shorter notice. Watch your email and our [Facebook Group](#) for updates, as it is the fastest way to disburse updates and new trips. You can also view updates on our [Classic 55 page](#) at www.fnbwaterloo.bank/fnb-classic-55-club/.
- ◇ Please review the updated Travel Protocols on Page 3. There have been some necessary changes to payments, safety protocols and trip updates. Please keep this sheet for future reference.

CLASSIC 55 HAPPENINGS – *We have some fun activities planned for the fall!*

The Great Pumpkin Pick Up – OCTOBER 16-30th

Let us help you get into the fall spirit.

- *Stop by any branch and pick up a locally sourced pumpkin to decorate your home!*
- *Random pumpkins will be marked to win prizes from Classic 55!*

Limited supplies available and 1 per Classic 55 account please.

Online Banking Basics—November 5th

Join us by ZOOM on November 5th @ 9:30 am when Lacey and Brittany help us learn about FNB's online banking. They will guide us through the enrollment process, viewing transaction history & statements and transferring funds between your accounts. **You will need an email address on file & your account numbers during the call.** Please contact Darcy or Marcie with any questions or to add your email address to your account.

Bakery Bus In a Box Virtual Tour— December 9th

We are partnering with Heartland Travel and Milwaukee Food Tours to offer a fun virtual Christmas Around Milwaukee Bakery Tour. You will be able to tune in for an interactive 1.5 hour discussion about Milwaukee's immigrant past and a chance to meet the makers behind the treats in the Bakery Bus in a Box. See details on page 2.

New Travel Vendor – Don't worry - we are still working with Connie Vogt of **Heartland Travel**, Dea Hoover with **Are We There Yet?, LLC** And Linda Koenig of **Gateway Tours** – but we have added **Premier World Discovery & I** believe you will really like what they have to offer!

Check out our April 2021 trip with Premier World Discovery to Dallas and Waco, Texas!



VIRTUAL TOUR	COST
<p align="center">Milwaukee Christmas Bakery Bus In a Box <u>Virtual</u> Tour 12/09/2020 1:00 PM – 2:30 PM</p> <p><i>If there is one thing that you can count on Milwaukee Food & City Tours for, it is our love for sweet treats from ethnic bakeries from across the city. In this unique time of social distancing, let us bring the sweet treats to you via our Bakery Bus in a Box.</i></p> <p>INCLUDES:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A half-pound box of treats from Peter Sciortino's Bakery • A mini Three King's Cake from woman-owned La Flor de Trigo • A dozen of National Bakery's German pecan fingers. • 6 madeleines as a French delight from Greige Patisserie <p>Enjoy chocolate dipped treats from Ultimate Confections—a staple of the Milwaukee community.</p> <p>Virtual Tour Experience – This purchase includes access to our virtual Holiday Bakery Bus Tour where you'll be led through an interactive tour of Milwaukee Bakeries.</p> <p>Box will be shipped directly to your home.</p>	<p>Cost: \$50.00*, which includes items listed, shipping, the educational seminar & gratuity to your tour guide.</p> <p>Bakery Box contains enough treats for 2-3 people. We encourage you to share with a friend or family.</p> <p>* Discounted price for this introductory tour</p> <hr/> <p align="center">PAYMENT & SHIPPING INFO DUE DATE</p> <p align="center">November 30, 2020</p> <hr/> <p align="center">ZOOM INFORMATION</p> <p>ZOOM is a virtual meeting application that allows you to interact with others while staying safe in your home. A meeting ID number will be provided.</p> <p>Please call Darcy if you need help setting up ZOOM on your laptop, tablet or phone. Please have your device available and connected to the internet when you call.</p> <p align="center"><i>Get up to the minute updates & save a tree! Get your newsletter and other updates by email! Just send an email to dfausz@fnbwaterloo.bank</i></p>

2021 TRIP ANNOUNCEMENT

The Magnolia Trail & Heart of Texas		
<p>April 24 -28, 2021</p> <p><i>Ask about the \$200/person Booking Discount</i></p>	<p align="center"><i>Featuring: Magnolia Market at the Silos & HGTV Fixer Upper Tour</i></p> <p align="center">Dallas & Waco, Texas</p> <p align="center">Activity Level—2 Sneakers</p>	<p align="center">COST PERSON</p> <p align="center">\$2,729 - TRIPLE \$2,759 – DOUBLE \$3,334 – SINGLE</p> <p align="center">\$585.00 Deposit due with Reservation Final Payment due 2/1/2021</p>
<p>5 day trip includes R/T Airfare, 4 nights of First Class Hotels, many special tours in Dallas & Waco, Travel Protection Plan, airport transfers, baggage handling and gratuities.</p> <p align="center"><i>Want more details?</i></p> <p align="center">Join in on a ZOOM call on either November 18, 2020 or December 14, 2020. (3:00 pm OR 6:00 PM) Call for the Meeting ID # or request a brochure.</p>		

Brochure—www.fnbwaterloo.bank/fnb-classic-55-club

REBOOKING 2020 DAY TRIPS

We are not ready to take new reservations for our rebooked 2020 day trips, but wanted to give you a heads up on what we are working on. Previous travelers on the original 2020 trips will be contacted first. We will then open the remaining slots to new travelers, adding an additional trip if there is interest.

PREDATOR VS PREY
FISHES & FERRIS WHEEL



Classic 55 Travel Protocols – Updated October 2020

TRIP ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Because of the changes in procedures, the number of trips being added in 2021 and how quickly trip information can change , we encourage you to sign up to receive the newsletter and updates by email. It will be the fastest way to receive up-to -date information.** I realize not all of our members have access to electronic communication, so I encourage you to find a friend who can pass along the information.
- Trip information and updates will be released in our newsletter, by email and through our social media accounts. Watch your email and our [Facebook Group](#) for updates—it is the fastest way to disburse updates and new trips.
- We are adding an additional date to most trips to accommodate reduction in bus capacity and new travelers. Some of the trips will have a starting point of our Maryville location. If there is enough interest in a trip a third date may be added.

TRIP RESERVATIONS

- We have rebooked some of the cancelled trips from 2020 starting in March 2021. Our itineraries may slightly change with the venue statuses; review the details for changes.
- Original travelers will be given priority for all rescheduled trips.
- Classic 55 Club members are allowed to invite one friend along on a trip , but please realize there may be instances when an exclusive event or trip may necessitate members only. We encourage non-members to join the Classic 55 Club so they can receive all the benefits of membership (including receiving the newsletter and updates).

PAYMENTS AND REFUNDS

- Payment must be made at the reservation. Your seat will not be reserved until payment is made. The easiest payment option is to give the Classic 55 Coordinator permission to debit your Classic 55 account. Other payment options are mail or hand deliver payment to any banking center.
- Most reservations are transferable, meaning you can find someone to take your place or we will try to find a replacement from the standby list.
- Full payments can be refunded if cancellation is done before the posted cancellation date or a replacement traveler can be found.
- Sometimes there are non-recoverable costs that cannot be refunded, such as prepaid tickets, meal guarantees, final fees paid for motorcoach rentals or other trip fees that the vendors will not refund.
- Once you register, place all information on your personal calendar. Refunds cannot be issued for no-shows.
- Call or email the coordinator ASAP if you need to cancel your reservation.
- Once reservations are at capacity, a standby list is started.

NEW SAFETY PROTOCOLS

- Motorcoaches will be limited to 24 – 30 travelers. You can choose to sit with a friend or by yourself. Masks must be worn on the bus and there will be assigned seating. Please let us know if you need to sit towards the front of the bus and we will try to accommodate you the best we can.
- We do not REQUIRE you to complete a health/emergency contact form but encourage you to complete one for our file in the case of an emergency. We also suggest our travelers keep a list of current medications with them. This is purely for your safety. Please talk with the coordinator if you have any questions or concerns.
- We realize that the new protocols can be confusing but know that we are first concerned with the safety of our Classic 55 members. Please realize that these guidelines may need to be adjusted as we start to travel. We will keep you posted through the newsletter, our website and our Classic 55 Facebook Page and Group.

OTHER DETAILS

- Trips are casual and comfortable walking shoes are required for most trips. (See Sneaker Rating)
- All tips, meals, transportation and admission fees are included in price unless stated differently.

SNEAKER RATING

1 Sneaker = Easy, pace, mostly ramps, few or no stairs

2 Sneakers = Moderate pace, 1 slight of stairs, few inclines

3 Sneakers = Steady pace, 1-2 flights of stairs, some inclines

4 Sneakers = Periods of intense pace, uneven terrain

5 Sneakers = Periods of strenuous pace, rough terrain conditions

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