



**Eastern Region
POST- SCOTTSDALE TOUR
The Grand Canyon *and* Sedona
April 15 – 17, 2010**

Dear NECA Eastern Region Members:

Here's your chance to see the Grand Canyon and the spectacular Arizona desert? Our tour follows the Eastern Region's '10 Scottsdale Meeting and offers the perfect opportunity to experience these areas along with your friends and family. Bring your children; these sites will interest them as well. The Grand Canyon is one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World with a million-year history.

Thursday morning we head north driving through Oak Creek Canyon enroute to Flagstaff whereupon the journey continues through a spectacular portion of the Painted Desert before arriving at the South Rim of the Grand Canyon. Many Native American reservations are in and around Grand Canyon National Park including Navajo, Hopi, Havasupai and Paiute. We'll see their influence and trade at their markets during our travels.

Friday we head back south to one of Arizona's most beautiful desert cities, Sedona. On arrival, we'll have time to shop and explore before our jeep ride through the surrounding canyons. We're staying at one of Arizona's premier properties, Enchantment Resort and Spa.

On Saturday morning our coach will drop everyone at Phoenix Sky Harbor Airport. We have allocated two hours for the drive and plan to arrive at the airport by 10:30am.

Please join us!

Sincerely,

Geoffrey W. Robertson
American Travel Association

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Itinerary

April 15, Thu. Scottsdale/South Rim Grand Canyon

- Early departure by motorcoach. Today's route to Grand Canyon National Park includes driving through the sheer rock walls and steep ravines of Oak Creek Canyon just before Flagstaff. From here we travel through another picture book portion of America, the Painted Desert. A stop at the former Indian trading post of Cameron, affords everyone time for a bit of local shopping. Continuing along route 64, we pass through the town of Desert View before arriving at the South Rim of the Grand Canyon. Overnight at Yavapai Lodge.
- Before check-in, we see the Grand Canyon IMAX movie. It's a spectacular movie that gives everyone a glimpse into the Canyon's million-year history.
- Casual dinner tonight at the Yavapai. www.grandcanyonlodges.com D

Air Note: Please make your air reservations into Phoenix for the meeting and home On April 17th. Early booking helps insuring low fares and using upgrade credits.

April 16, Fri. Grand Canyon/Sedona

- After enjoying the morning views (perhaps a sunrise), we descend down Route 80 to stop at the Railway Depot in Williams. Next is Sedona, one of the most beautiful areas in Arizona, particularly noted for its towering red rock formations and diverse culture. Sedona is an interesting and charming town full of good shopping, restaurants, and southwestern ambiance. Upon arrival there's open time for lunch and exploring before we embark on a 2-hour jeep ride into the heart of red rock country that has served as the backdrop for western movies and TV shows.
- Late afternoon check-in the Enchantment Resort; where we'll enjoy a welcome reception. www.enchantmentresort.com R

April 17, Sat. Sedona/Phoenix Sky Harbor Airport

- Early morning departure for Sky Harbor. We'll plan to arrive by 10:30am so you can book your flights home accordingly.

(R = reception, D = Dinner included in the tour)

Tour Inclusions:

- * Two nights hotel accommodations
 - one night Yavapai Lodge, Grand Canyon Village
 - one night Enchantment Resort and Miiamo Spa, Sedona
- * Hotel taxes and portorage
- * Dinner at Yavapai
- * Reception at the Enchantment Resort
- * Four-wheel jeep tour in Sedona
- * Transportation by deluxe motorcoach
- * Coach transfer to Sky Harbor Airport from Sedona
- * Entrance fee to Grand Canyon National Park
- * Entrance fee to IMAX Theater
- * Arizona map and travel information

Tour Price:

\$668 per person double occupancy

\$874 single occupancy

* Cost for accompanying children available on request.

Features Not Included: Items of a personal nature, such as laundry and phone calls; liquor and mini bar charges; meals not specifically included; tips to the coach driver; airfare; airport transfers aside from the one coach transfer Saturday from Sedona.

CONDITIONS

Reservations and Payment: Reservations will be confirmed by American Travel Association (ATA) upon receipt of the Reservation Coupon and \$100 per person deposit. Receipt of final payment is due in the office of ATA no later than February 19, 2010. All payments must be made by check payable to American Travel Association or by MasterCard, Visa or American Express card.

Cancellation: Cancellations must be made in writing to ATA. To avoid discrepancies, ATA will not act on information given over the phone until written notice has been received.

Land Package: A \$75 per person cancellation fee will be charged regardless of the reason. Penalty on cancellations received between February 19 and departure will be a maximum of 100% of the land cost per person, depending upon the amount recoverable from the suppliers to whom payment had been sent. Cancellation penalties are required to offset non-refundable hotel and supplier payments made by ATA in advance of the tour. There will be no refund for unused services once the tour has begun.

Insurance: Trip cancellation, baggage and medical insurance coverage is available for purchase through a form to be sent by ATA. We strongly recommend insurance coverage. When last minute illnesses occur, the insurance helps offset non-refundable air and land charges. You should check with your local insurance agent to see what is covered under your homeowner's policy.

Health: The Participant represents that neither he nor she nor anyone traveling with him or her has any physical or other condition or disability that could create a hazard to him- or - herself or other members of the tour. This program involves walking over uneven surfaces and climbing stairs at locations that are not handicap accessible. A letter of explanation of any physical or mental condition that may require medical attention or special equipment (wheelchair, for example) must be enclosed with the Reservation Form.

Prices: This price is subject to change due to cost increases, and in number of participants upon which the tour cost is based (26). ATA reserves the right to increase the price for such reasons. All prices are based on rates and tariffs in effect on December 31, 2009.

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