

North Bellevue Community Center

Winter 2017 Trips & Tours

(January through April)



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Registration Procedures for Senior Trips

Payment: Please note that trip payment is now due at the time of registration. If you register for a trip and decide not to go before the Cancel By Date we will grant you a full refund. If you withdraw after the Cancel By Date a full refund may not be available. Please let us know so we can remove your name from the list and give someone else an opportunity to attend.

Refund/Credits: Please plan your trips carefully. *Should you need to withdraw after the Cancel By date, we are unable to give refunds or credits for trips unless we can replace you with someone from the waiting list.* Participants on scholarship who need to withdraw will have their scholarship allocation reduced by the amount of the trip fee. We understand that emergencies do occur, and we will determine refunds/credits in such situations on a case-by-case basis.

Waiting Lists: If the trip you wish to sign up for is full, please put your name on the waiting list as spots occasionally become available.

Home Pick-up/Transportation to North Bellevue: On certain trips we have home pick-up available for Bellevue residents. Please advise staff when called with your reminder call that you would like home pick-up. Please try to arrange alternative transportation such as ACCESS or carpooling whenever possible.

Accessibility: Wheelchairs and walkers are welcome, but please advise staff when registering. People using wheelchairs or walkers should be independent and/or bring along a companion/assistant.

Family/Friends Children: All trips are open to family and friends. We encourage multigenerational participation, so you are welcome to invite your family to come along. However, before inviting children, please check the suitability of the trip, as not all excursions are appropriate for children.

Printing schedules in advance of trips means some of the final details may change or be adjusted as we get closer to the date of the trip. We appreciate your patience and understanding should times or dates change after printing. A reminder call will be made three days prior to the trip to communicate any changes and to arrange for home pick-ups.

Mail registrations to:

North Bellevue Community Center

Attn: Darrion Spratley, Program Coordinator

PO Box 90012

Bellevue, WA 98009-9012

Home Pick-Up Information

For all trips round-trip transportation is provided from North Bellevue Community Center. If you can't provide your own transportation to meet the bus at the community center, round-trip home pick-up for excursions is available by request to Bellevue residents only.



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Out to Lunch at Blueacre Seafood, Seattle

Date: Tuesday, January 10th

Class No.: 114981

Time: 11 am – 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Jan 6th

Blueacre Seafood draws upon the vast array of wild seafood available from the United States coastal waters as well as carefully chosen, sustainably-farmed freshwater species, oysters, clams and mussels.

Unconstrained by genres—the food, music and atmosphere are designed to inspire emotion. In addition to all things aquatic, the menu includes farm-fresh meat, game, poultry, and vegetables. Classic handmade cocktails are shaken in a comfortable bar well stocked with American spirits, wine and craft beers on tap. (Please bring money for lunch.)



Angel of the Winds Casino

Date: Wednesday, January 18th

Class No. 114987

Time: 9 am – 5 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$20 Resident / \$23 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Jan 13th

The World's Friendliest Casino with over 1100 slots and 12 table games, Poker and Keno. Eat at Katie's Kitchen or The Watershed. Live Entertainment Wednesday through Saturday! (Trip fee includes transportation; please bring money for food and gambling.)

Corner Bakery Cafe & See's Candies Issaquah

Date: Friday, January 20th

Class No. 114988

Time: 11 am - 3 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Jan 16th

On Corner Bakery's opening day in 1991, the menu featured freshly baked breads, great coffee and espresso. As our guests requested more items, and as we delivered, our menu evolved to include the extraordinary variety of fresh, wholesome, irresistible foods you know today. The brand continued to grow as we incorporated exciting flavors from different parts of the country, and we became Corner Bakery Cafe. The See's Candies chocolate shop in Issaquah, WA sells our American-made delicious candies and chocolates. The best chocolate and candy in Issaquah can be found at See's Candies where you always get a free sample and friendly customer service. (Please bring money for lunch).



Museum of History & Industry

Dates: Tuesday, January 24th

Class No. 114876

Time: 9 am - 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$39 Resident / \$47 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Jan. 13th

MOHAI is the place to discover Seattle, to connect with our region and its rich history, and to explore your role in creating our future. The Seattle story is told through thousands of rare objects and historic images, and cutting edge hands-on interactive experiences for all ages that make history come alive with the unforgettable stories of the men and women who built Seattle from wilderness to world city. Whether a first time visitor, or a lifelong resident, MOHAI is the museum where you explore Seattle past and present. Come join us on the journey today! And don't forget (Please bring money for lunch at the café).

Governor's Mansion Tour Olympia & Budd Bay Café”

Date: Wednesday, January 25th

Class No. 114991

Time: 9 am – 5 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$22 Resident / \$26 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Jan 4th

The Governor's Mansion Foundation is a non-profit and non-political organization founded in 1972 to furnish and maintain the public areas of the Washington State Executive Mansion. With dedicated volunteers and generous donations, the Foundation is able to maintain the elegant furnishings, artwork and historic heirlooms in the Mansion. •The walk to the mansion includes a 200 yard incline. The tour is 60 minutes of walking and standing. The mansion is accessible to walkers and wheel chairs. •Cameras, backpacks, strollers, umbrellas, gum, food and beverages ARE NOT permitted on the tour. Bins will be provided for storage of personal items. Purses are OK. Souvenirs will be sold at the end of the tour for those who wish to purchase mansion memorabilia. CASH OR CHECKS ONLY PLEASE! We will have a late lunch at Budd Bay Café” in Olympia. (Please bring money

Ray's Boathouse and Cafe, Seattle

Dates: Thursday, February 16th

Class No. 114974

Time: 11 am - 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Feb. 13th

The Cafe features the same legendary quality and spectacular view as Ray's Boathouse in a more casual atmosphere. The menu is a bit more adventurous and a bit more affordable - perfect for kicking back and relaxing for lunch or dinner. Ray's Cafe features 20 microbrews on tap, a full bar, specialty drinks and a variety of hard-to-get classic European-style beers. The outdoor deck is the place to be for sunny day dining (please call ahead to confirm deck opening. We do close the deck seasonally and during inclement weather). Our two stone fireplaces take the chill off those typical Seattle rainy days. Lunch and dinner served every day. (Please bring money for lunch).

Northwest Flower & Garden Show, Seattle

Date: Wednesday, February 22nd

Class No: 114992

Time: 9am - 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$36 Resident / \$42 Non-Resident **Cancel By:** Feb. 17th

The Northwest Flower & Garden Show has been heralding the start of spring since 1989. Gardening enthusiasts from around the Northwest flock to this annual celebration, held in the beautiful Washington State Convention Center. Your gardening desires will blossom when you gaze at the spectacular gardens created by the most respected garden designers and landscapers of the region. Six acres of show gardens are brimming with ideas that will get your garden projects blossoming. (Please bring money for lunch at the show.)



The Museum of Flight

Dates: Friday, February 24th

Class No: 114836

Time: 9:30 am - 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$39 Resident / \$47 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Feb. 17th

Enjoy the wonder of flight in one of Seattle's most spectacular settings. This 15-acre campus includes over 160 air and spacecraft, the original Boeing Aircraft factory, flight simulators, and dozens of fun, interactive exhibits and family activities. From the world's oldest fighter plane to the supersonic Concorde, the only full-scale NASA Space Shuttle Trainer and the beautiful Boeing 787 Dreamliner, you'll see the machines and experience the stories of those who flew them. The unique, 3-acre Aviation Pavilion offers the dramatic development of large aircraft in an open-air gallery with a cafe and children's playground. (Please bring money for lunch at the Café")

Tulalip Casino

Date: Tuesday, February 28th

Class No. 114833

Time: 9 am – 4 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$20 Resident / \$23 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Feb. 19th

Tulalip Casino is an astounding 170,000 spacious square feet graced with beautiful woodwork, opulent polished granite, and 60-foot high ceilings with exposed beams. There are 1,700 slot machines, an eight-table poker room, and 50 tables offering Blackjack, Roulette, Baccarat, Craps, and Fortune Pai. (Trip fee includes transportation; please bring money for food and gambling.)



The Capital Grille Seattle

Date: Tuesday, March 7th

Class No: 114986

Time: 11am - 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Feb. 19th

From the moment you step into The Capital Grille, the experience is one of comfortable elegance. African mahogany paneling and Art Deco chandeliers provide a warm, stately setting for our nationally renowned dry-aged steaks, fresh seafood, and acclaimed world-class wines. With service as gracious as it is attentive, we look forward to impressing you. It is our sole desire that everything, and we mean everything that arrives at your table at The Capital Grille delights you. To that end, we use only the finest, freshest ingredients, masterfully prepared in recipes designed to engage all of your senses. What Makes Our Steaks Extraordinary

Long before our steaks meet the grill, they are meticulously dry aged on premises for more than 18 days to achieve incomparable flavor and texture. Then, each is hand-carved by our in-house butchers to exacting standards. An intensive process, but we're confident you'll agree it is most certainly worth it. (Please bring money for lunch).

Afternoon Tea at the Fairmont Hotel Seattle

Date: Thursday, March 9th

Class No.: 114977

Time: 11 am – 3 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$61 Resident / \$73 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Feb 24th

The Fairmont Olympic Hotel is one of the best hotels for Afternoon Tea. Enjoy traditional afternoon tea in elegant surroundings. The Georgian sets the mood with high ceilings, large Palladian windows and spectacular chandeliers.



Bellevue Youth Symphony Orchestra

Date: Sunday, March 12th

Class No. 114989

Time: 6:45 pm – 9 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$10 Resident /\$12 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Mar. 3rd

Our Masterworks concert series features the Youth Symphony, our most advanced ensemble. Showcase, Highlight, and Overture series feature our other talented groups. Each ensemble also performs in a holiday concert and may give one or two additional performances throughout the season. (Please come out and help us support the Youth Symphony!)

T.S. McHugh's Irish Pub & Restaurant

Date: Thursday, March 16th

Class No. 114979

Time: 11 am - 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: March. 11th

Our menu features traditional Irish fare like pot pies and corned beef. We make our own Irish soda bread for our Ploughman's Platter, which includes banger sausage and wedges of Irish and English cheeses. We also offer local favorites including Northwest king salmon, and New England clam chowder, a house specialty. (Please bring money for lunch).



Emerald Queen Casino in Tacoma

Date: Tuesday, March 21st

Class No: 114990

Time: 9 am - 4 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$21 Resident / \$23 Non-Resident

Cancel By: March. 13th

With over 2,000 gaming machines, and 56 table games including Let it Ride, Blackjack, Spanish 21, Fortune Pai Gow, Craps and Roulette you're sure to find your favorite game at Emerald Queen. You can also stop by the Keno lounge for more fun. This casino has it all - you will not want to miss all the excitement! (Trip fee includes transportation; please bring money for food and gambling.)

Rusty Pelican Mill Creek

Date: Friday, March 24th

Class No. 114976

Time: 11 am - 3 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Mar.17th

We are a family owned restaurant, originally from Chicago where we had a restaurant for 25 years. We moved to the Seattle area in 2000, opened the Rusty Pelican Cafe in Seattle in 2002, Edmonds in 2012 and Mill Creek in 2013. Breakfast is served all day, along with a full bar and great lunch options too! We also have homemade cakes & pies for pick-up. (Please bring money for lunch).

CIRQUE DU SOLEIL



Cirque Du Soleil Luzia A Waking Dream of Mexico

Date: Tuesday, April 4th

Class No. 114869

Time: 7 pm - 11 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$70 Resident / \$84 Non-Resident

Cancel By: Mar.17th

Cirque du Soleil's latest mind-bending creation is Luzia – A Waking Dream of Mexico, currently being performed in the Grand Chapiteau tent behind AT&T Park. The world tour of Luzia kicked off in Montreal in April of this year. The tent is new, elaborate and specially designed for the unique performances associated with Cirque du Soleil. And the show is completely new as well, not only to please the company's many loyal fans but also to maintain the interest of an international cast of gifted young athletes, acrobats, trapeze artists, trained clowns, dancers, musicians and singers. They are passionate about what they do. Harnessing the creative energy of these bright talents is the task of Patricia Ruel, director of creation and Simon Carpentier, composer, among others. Inspired by the cultural richness of Mexico, the Luzia production features original music by Canadian composer Carpentier which is filtered through electro-pop and infused with Latin brass.

Holocaust Center for Humanity & Shaker & Spear

Date: Wednesday, April 12th

Class No: 114860

Time: 9am - 3 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$26 Resident / \$31 Non-Resident

Cancel By: April. 7th

Through stories and artifacts of local Washington State Holocaust survivors and witnesses to the Holocaust, the museum's exhibit engages visitors in the history of the Holocaust and challenges them to consider how each person's actions make a difference. Set inside a historic 1910 building between Seattle's lively Bell town and West Edge neighborhoods, Shaker + Spear's design reflects its vibrant setting. Located adjacent to the Palladian hotel, the 65-seat restaurant's edgy yet welcoming atmosphere features cast glass and weathered wood designed by renowned Seattle architects Graham Baba. Our breakfast, lunch, dinner and weekend brunch menus are a culinary playground of seasonal Pacific Northwest favorites, from the market-fresh produce to our locally sourced meats, cheeses, and sustainable seafood. (Please bring money for lunch)

Chuckanut Manor Seafood & Grill & The Outlets at Burlington

Date: Friday, April 14th

Class No. 114984

Time: 9 am – 4 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$15 Resident / \$17 Non-Resident

Cancel By: April 12th

Located on scenic Chuckanut Drive (HWY 11) overlooking Samish Bay and the San Juan Islands. We are a casual dining destination restaurant offering great food and exceptional service - all in a beautiful setting. Housed in a manor originally built in 1934, Chuckanut Manor has served Skagit Valley, Bellingham and surrounding areas for over 50 years. With a classic roadhouse supper club feel, we embrace history while constantly striving to bring you new and inventive flavors from the kitchen and bar. Whenever the weather allows, our outdoor patio offers some of the best al fresco dining in the entire Pacific Northwest. The Outlet Shoppes at Burlington. Visitors can save 25-60% on well-known designer outlets. (Please bring money for lunch and shopping).

Muckleshoot Casino Auburn

Date: Tuesday, April 18th

Class No. 114985

Time: 9am – 4 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$21 Resident / \$23 Non-Resident

Cancel By: April. 15th

Muckleshoot Casino offers more than 3,100 video gaming machines, the largest selection under one roof! We also feature the largest smoke-free gaming facility in Washington State so all non-smokers can breathe easy. Experience all that Muckleshoot Casino has to offer by joining our free Players Club, a membership rewards program that accumulates points each time you play! (Trip fee includes transportation; please bring money for food and gambling.)



Palisade Restaurant Seattle

Date: Thursday, April 20th

Class No. 114980

Times: 11 am – 2 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident

Cancel By: April 6th

A “spectacular” “180-degree view” of Elliott Bay and the marina is the backdrop for fish “so fresh, it tastes like they just caught it” at this Pacific NW seafood in Magnolia, where a “saltwater pond” stocked with starfish wends through the “elegant” dining room; the “attentive, professional” servers “seem pleased to be there”, and though tabs are predictably “expensive”, to most the “wonderful experience” is “well worth it”, especially for an “important date night.” (Please bring money for lunch)

McMenamins Mill Creek

Date: Tuesday, April 25th

Class No:115006

Times: 11am - 3pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$13 Resident / \$15 Non-Resident **Cancel By:** April 20th

Welcome to our northernmost location, way up north of Seattle in Mill Creek, Wash. A beautiful copper bar anchors the pub and outdoor patio seating beckons during the summer. An onsite brewery services the pub with about a dozen handcrafted ales from fermenting tanks in a brewery visible through a glass window. As the pub regulars will tell you, the Mill Creek brewery makes a mean IPA, not to be missed. (Please bring money for lunch).



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Skagit Valley Gardens Tulip Festival

Date: Thursday, April 27th

Class No.: 115003

Times: 9:30 am – 3 pm

Payment Due at Registration

Cost: \$23 Resident / \$27 Non-Resident **Cancel By:** April 15th

The farmers in the valley raise tulips as an agricultural crop and the 100s of acres of blooming flowers are scattered throughout the Skagit Valley. In addition to the flowers, festival visitors enjoy taking in one of the many events and activities that happen only during April. These also are scattered throughout the Skagit Valley. This is always a fun day, so sign up early! Remember, we will go rain or shine. (Trip fee includes transportation and entrance to special displays. Please bring money for lunch.) **(Date is subject to change depending on the tulips blooming)**



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