



FROM NEWARK TO NASHVILLE
The Sights and Sounds of “Music City, USA”
NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

Tuesday through Friday - April 25 through 28, 2017

\$2,300.00 per person INCLUDING AIR
\$400.00 additional - SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

(Itinerary subject to change)

Join us for an **ALL INCLUSIVE** getaway to **MUSIC CITY, USA!** The “Athens of the South,” **Nashville** is the riverfront capital of the Volunteer State, home not only to the *Grand Ole Opry* and the historic *Ryman Auditorium*, but also a replica of the Parthenon and the Frist Center for the Visual Arts—a premier exhibition venue that will be hosting *Secrets of Buddhist Art: Tibet, Japan and Korea* commissioned from our very own Newark Museum collections.

Surrounded by thickly forested mountains and spectacular waterfalls, Nashville is booming with vibrancy—from arts and entertainment to centers of higher education circled by historic homes and gardens. The Hermitage (home to our 7th president, Andrew Jackson), Belle Meade Plantation (with its Greek Revival Main House), Belmont Mansion (and 1850s Italianate Villa) and Cheekwood (a roaring ‘20s American Country Home) are among the sights we will visit in addition to savoring the sounds of the Grand Old Opry. **Dr. Katherine Anne Paul**, *Curator of the Arts of Asia* and **Merle Lomrantz**, Director Member Travel, will lead this exciting tour.

TRIP HIGHLIGHTS AND TOUR ITINERARY

Tuesday, April 25, Day 1

- **United # Flight 3421** departs at **9:00am** from **Newark Liberty** and arrives at **Nashville International Airport** at **10:10am**
- **Lunch and Walking and Riding Tours**
- Our guided tours of Nashville, both walking and riding, will include:
 - The historic **honky-tonks** along Broadway, the place where Nashville music was born;
 - **5th Avenue of the Arts** where in the 1960s, this commercial area became the center of Nashville’s Civil Rights Movement;
 - **The Ryman Auditorium** built in 1892 and called “The Mother Church of Country Music” and home to the Grand Ole Opry from the 1940’s to the 1970’s;
 - **The Parthenon**, the world’s only exact replica of the ancient Greek temple built in 1897 as part of the Tennessee Centennial Exposition. Inside the temple is the goddess of Wisdom, Athena which at 42 feet tall is the western Hemisphere’s largest indoor statue.
 - **Nashville Walls**, where what were once blank walls have become pieces of art designed by muralists from around the globe including Herakut (Germany), Rone

(Australia), Niels Muelman (Amsterdam), Hush (England), Mike Shine (USA) and Curiot (Mexico)

- **The Cumberland River Pedestrian Bridge** linking Shelby Bottoms Park and its greenway with Two Rivers Park and the Stones River greenway. It's a photogenic stop for a tree-lined view of the river.
- And lots more.....

- **Welcome Dinner**

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Wednesday, April 26, Day 2

- **The Frist Center for the Visual Arts**

The Frist Center for the Visual Arts is a non-profit art-exhibition center dedicated to presenting the finest world art in a repurposed 1933-1934 post office. This spring, the Frist is featuring an exhibit on loan from the Newark Museum *Secrets of Buddhist Art: Tibet, Japan and Korea*. Also on view at the Frist will be the works of fashion photographer *Irving Penn: Beyond Beauty* as well as contemporary sculptor *Clare Morgan: Stop Me Feeling*.

- **The Grand Ole Opry House**

There's nothing like a backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry House. It's a must for everyone in Music City! Walk in the footsteps of country music's superstars and get an inside look at what happens behind the scenes of the show that made country music famous.

- **Hatch Show Print**, one of America's oldest working letter press poster shops. Since 1879, Hatch has created original art for Elvis, Grand Ole Opry Stars and more. Listen to the presses crank as you learn more about the history of Hatch Show Print and see the brilliantly colored posters that put the shop on the map

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Thursday, April 27, Day 3

- **Cheekwood Botanical Garden and Museum of Art**

Once the residence of Nashville's Cheek family, the 30,000-square-foot Georgian-style mansion houses an art collection from the former Nashville Museum of Art. The mansion is surrounded by a Botanical Garden that includes a Japanese garden, herb, perennial and wildflower gardens, as well as a woodland sculpture trail and a nature sanctuary.

- **Belle Meade House**

Belle Mead plantation includes a 150 year old antebellum home which tells the history of the Old South from slavery to prosperity to the Civil War. Tours are led by costumed guides through the beautiful Greek-Revival mansion commissioned by John Harding in the 1820's.

- **Belmont Mansion**, the beautiful 19th century antebellum Italianate home of Adelia Acklen, the richest woman in the South at the time of the Civil War.

- **Thursday Night Classics** concert at the **Grand Ole Opry**

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Friday, April 28, Day 4

- **The Carl Van Vechten Gallery at Fisk University**: Founded in 1866, shortly after the end of the Civil War, Fisk University is a historically black university, and is the oldest institution of higher learning in Nashville, Tennessee. The Van Vechten Gallery was established in 1949, when the acclaimed American painter Georgia O'Keeffe donated to Fisk the extraordinary group of works that form The Alfred Stieglitz Collection. On view will be *Origins of Influence: The Alfred Stieglitz Collection of Modern Art*

- **The Hermitage** is a historical plantation and museum located in Davidson County, Tennessee, United States, 10 miles (16 km) east of downtown Nashville. The plantation was owned by **Andrew Jackson**, the seventh President of the United States, from 1804 until his death at the Hermitage in 1845. Jackson only lived at the property occasionally until he retired from public life in 1837. It is a National Historic Landmark. The Hermitage is built in a secluded meadow that was chosen as a house site by Rachel Jackson, wife of Andrew Jackson. We will have lunch at the Hermitage before heading to the airport.
- **United 337 departs Nashville International at 6:25pm and arrives Newark Liberty at 9:43pm**
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This itinerary is still a work-in-progress...it's going to be a fabulous trip!

Trip includes

- Round trip non-stop airfare and air taxes on **United Airlines** from **Newark Liberty Airport to Nashville International Airport**
- 3 night's accommodations at the **Hyatt Palace Hotel Opryland**
- **MEALS: Daily Breakfasts, 4 Lunches, 3 Dinners**
- **Grand Ole Opry Performance**
- All gratuities except chambermaids
- All room and meal taxes
- All transfers to and from airport in Nashville
- Private motorcoach as required throughout tour plus driver gratuity
- All admissions, receptions and fees as per itinerary

FLIGHT INFORMATION

(Subject to change by the airline)

			<u>DEPARTS</u>		<u>ARRIVES</u>	
Tue	Apr 25	UNITED #3421	Newark	9:00AM	Nashville	10:10AM
Fri	Apr 28	UNITED #337	Nashville	6:25PM	Newark	9:43PM

Note: There is a 1 hour time difference between Newark and Nashville.

Please Note: As of now, United Airlines charges \$25 for your first checked bag. A carry-on is recommended.

All cancellations must be made in writing via letter or email to:
Merle Lomrantz, Director Member Travel Services
Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07102
mlomrantz@newarkmuseum.org.

PLEASE READ TERMS AND CONDITIONS AND RETURN SIGNED COPY

TRAVEL INSURANCE IS STRONGLY ADVISED!!

Information on Travel Insurance will be sent upon receipt of deposit.

**For more information call Merle Lomrantz at (973) 596-6643
FAX: (973) 643-6849; email: mlomrantz@newarkmuseum.org**



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ENCLOSED PLEASE FIND NON-REFUNDABLE DEPOSIT OF \$500.00 PER PERSON
A CURRENT NEWARK MUSEUM MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED FOR ALL TRAVELERS.

Last Name :	First:	Middle:
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Information above as it appears on valid ID for travel (TSA REQUIREMENT)

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Mailing Address:	
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Please check appropriate choices:

<input type="checkbox"/>	I prefer a SINGLE ROOM at a supplement of \$400.00	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	I am taking travel insurance	<input type="checkbox"/> I am not taking travel insurance

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METHOD OF DEPOSIT

_____ Check payable to **CAREW TRAVEL** _____ Visa _____ MasterCard

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____ Sec. Code: _____

I/WE HAVE READ THE CANCELLATION POLICY AND TERMS & CONDITIONS ON THE BACK OF THIS PAGE AND HAVE AGREED TO THEM.

Signature: _____

MAIL THIS FORM WITH DEPOSIT TO:

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TERMS AND CONDITIONS

This trip involves full days of sightseeing with **significant amounts of walking**. Travelers must **be in good physical condition** and be able to walk long distances, climb up and down stairs without handrails, handle uneven pavement/cobblestones and climb on and off a motorcoach without assistance or must be accompanied by a person fit and able to assist them who will be totally responsible for providing all required assistance. To enjoy this trip to the fullest, make sure you review the itinerary carefully and understand the level of physical activity/walking that the tour involves before booking. Consult with your physician if you have any concerns at all regarding your ability to participate and enjoy this trip.

RESPONSIBILITY: The Newark Museum/Carew Travel Consultants Inc. act only as agents for the passenger with respect to transportation and hotels, and exercise every care possible. However, we can assume no liability for injury, damage, loss, accident, delay, or irregularity in connection with the services of any airplane, train, auto motorcoach or other conveyance used in carrying out these tours, or for acts of default of any company or person engaged in conveying the passengers or in carrying out the arrangements of the tour. We cannot accept responsibility for losses of additional expenses due to delay or changes in air or other causes beyond our control. All such losses or expenses will be borne by the passenger as tour rates provide for arrangements only for the time stated. We reserve the right to make alterations to the itinerary as may be deemed necessary for carrying out the tour. The right is reserved to cancel any tour prior to departure in which case the entire payment will be refunded without further obligation on our parts. It is understood that the air ticket when issued shall constitute the sole contract between the passenger and the air company concerned. Carew Travel reserves the right to increase the tour price in the event of cost increases due to changes in airfares, or fuel surcharges and all such increases are to be paid to Carew Travel upon notice to the tour participant of such increases.

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PAYMENT TERMS: A **non-refundable deposit** is required to secure your reservation. Payment by credit card or by check made out to **Carew Travel**. Your completed reservation form with payment should be mailed to the Newark Museum. The balance is due February 20, 2017. Invoices for the balance of the payment will be mailed in early February. Cancellations made after February 20 will forfeit the entire cost of the trip.

CANCELLATIONS: All cancellations must be made in writing via letter or email to Merle Lomrantz, Director Member Travel, Newark Museum, 49 Washington Street, Newark, NJ 07102 or mlomrantz@newarkmuseum.org.

TRAVEL INSURANCE: The Newark Museum strongly advises all tour participants to purchase travel insurance. Information on travel insurance will be sent with your confirmation/receipt of deposit.

UNUSED SERVICES & REFUNDS: No refund or adjustment can be made for any portion of the services including voluntary non-use of hotel accommodations, scheduled meals or any planned activity described in your itinerary.

The undersigned has read carefully the schedule of activities for this tour. The undersigned accepts any risks thereof and the conditions set forth therein. The undersigned agrees to release and hold harmless Carew Travel / Newark Museum and any of their officers or representatives from any and all liability for delays, injuries or death, or for the loss of or damage to, his/her property however occurring during any portion of the program.

Signature of Participant

Date