



## Upcoming Events and Tours

February 2024

**To Register for Plus 60 Events:** Visit the **EVENTS** tab at [qctplus60.com](http://qctplus60.com) if indicated within an event below. Or if available, use the registration form on the Plus 60 page of the Sunday edition of the *Quad-City Times* or *Dispatch/Argus*. To apply for Plus 60 Club membership, visit the **MEMBERSHIP** tab at [qctplus60.com](http://qctplus60.com). Have a question? Email us at [qctimesplus60@gmail.com](mailto:qctimesplus60@gmail.com)

**Feb 27 – Collette Travel presentation** by Lora Carlson, who will provide brochures and present details on the September 12-20, 2024 guided tour to Western Canada, as well as the May 14-23, 2025 guided tour to Ireland, which features additional passenger options of a pre-tour 3-night visit to London, England and/or a 3-night post-tour visit to Edinburgh, Scotland. This event will be held 5:00 PM – 6:30 PM with light refreshments and ample time for questions in the Adler Health Education Center on the lower level of the Genesis Heart Institute building located at 1236 East Rusholme Street in Davenport. Free parking is available in the adjacent parking ramp. Registration to attend this free event opens on February 4 and continues through February 24. Text or leave a voice message with John at 309-738-6826 to provide the first & last name, Club membership number, and daytime phone number of each attendee.

**Feb 28 – Bowling** Big River Bowling, 2902 E. Kimberly Rd., Davenport. 11am; \$5 for two games; includes shoes. No advance registration. Come and enjoy the fun!

**March 2 – Hike at Sylvan Island 2:30 PM** Join us at Sylvan Island in Moline with Black Hawk Hiking Club at an abandoned industrial site on this Island of approximately 37 acres. A fairly flat crushed limestone walking path circles the island. Hiking sticks are recommended in muddy or wintery conditions. Directions: From I-74 bridge on Illinois side, drive 1.5 miles west on River Drive. Turn right onto 1st St. At the end of that road turn right and then left into the parking lot. Public restrooms are available. Contact Connie Mangler by phone or text with questions or to let her know you will be attending - 563-528-2355.

**April 14 -** Gather your friends and join us on this day trip to the Chicagoland area starting out at the Drake Oak Brook Hotel Champagne Sunday Brunch with decadent offerings including made-to-order omelets, waffles, and raw bar among carving stations and an impressive selection of culinary delicacies. After this sumptuous meal, we will make the short hop over to the elegant Drury Lane Theatre. Step into the dazzling lights of 1950s New York City with the performance of 'Guys and Dolls' which will take you into the golden age of Broadway with wit, charm, and plenty of heart with vibrant characters and unforgettable songs like "Luck Be a Lady" and "Sit Down, You're Rockin' the Boat." \$220 per person Registration details coming soon.



Call 1-800-581-8942 for information/reservations.

### 2024 Multi-Day Tours

**June 23-30 – Pacific Northwest and California. Reservations closed – trip is fully booked!**

**Sep 6-15 – Memorials of WWII. Reservations closed – trip is fully booked!**

**Sep 12-20 – Western Canada's Rockies, Lakes & Wine Country;** \$4,899pp double or \$6,599 single. Includes round-trip airfare from Chicago O'Hare; airfare to Calgary, return airfare from Vancouver, and tour inclusions. Highlights: Calgary, Alberta, Canadian Rockies tour; Banff and Bow Falls, Alberta (optional helicopter tour); Beautiful Lake Louise-Revelstoke, BC, featuring the Revelstoke RR Museum; Okanagan Valley wine region for

wine tasting and Kelowna vineyard tour, wine tasting and dinner. Choice on tour: Indigenous Traditions and Ancestral Lands or Hidden History of Downtown Kelowna. Then head west to Vancouver, (optional Chinatown tour), Stanley Park, Gastown and Granville Island. **A deposit of \$698 plus \$349 per person for optional but highly recommended Travel Protection is due at initial booking on or before March 5, 2024.** Balance due by July 14, 2024. A current passport with an expiration date not before 03/21/2025 is required on the tour.

## **2025 Multi-Day Tours**

**May 14-23 – Shades of Ireland.** Learn the details about this fabulous trip at the February 27, 2024 travel presentation event in Davenport listed on the front-page side of this February 2024 Events List. Can't make it to the presentation? Text or call John at 309-738-6826 and provide your name and mailing address to receive a tour brochure during the week following February 27.

TRI-STATE TRAVEL

Visit [tristatetravel.com](http://tristatetravel.com) and click on QC Plus 60 Club

for full itineraries. For reservations or questions, call Cindy at 1-800-779-4869, ext. 105; 8am-5pm, M-F.

**Remember to provide your QC Plus 60 membership number when registering.**

## **One-day Trips**

Join us on these fun spring day trips with passenger boarding in Davenport and Moline to Starved Rock State Park Lodge for a delicious lunch and matinee live music program:

**Apr 1** No fooling! See the "Kenny and Dolly in Harmony" matinee performance when Karl & Wendy T join together to recreate the incredible songs and the onstage playfulness of Kenny Rogers and Dolly Parton's "Real Love" tour. This tribute act has it all . . . the songs, vocals and of course the charm, the magic, and the interactions of Kenny and Dolly. \$175/person

**May 21** Starved Rock Lodge presents "Branson on the Road." What do you get when you put together mandolins, banjos, guitars, bass, rhinestone costumes, comedy, country, bluegrass, rockabilly and gospel music performed by the best pickers and singers from Branson and Nashville . . . Branson on the Road! The show delivers the Branson traditions of good, clean, family fun wherever they go. \$175/person

**May 2** It's Pella Tulip Festival Time! Travel back in time to a European Village to enjoy thousands of tulips, parades, great food, Dutch costumes and a fun atmosphere. Thousands of residents wear Dutch attire to celebrate their Dutch heritage. Enjoy the parade in comfort with grandstand seating to view the street scrubbers, Dutch Dancers, and much more. \$125/person

## **Multi-Day Tours 2024**

**Mar 14-17 Nashville...Then and Now. Reservations closed**

**Jun 16-21 Apostle Islands of Lake Superior.** The Apostle Islands are located off the northern tip of Wisconsin and are known for lighthouses, sandstone sea caves, old-growth remnant forests and natural habitats. It is said they were named by the Jesuits, who enjoyed giving Holy Names to new places. Come explore the North Shore Region of Lake Superior with island visits, museums, ferry ride to Madeline Island, unique attractions and a scenic North Shore Railroad excursion. \$2,329pp double; \$2,069pp triple; \$1,939pp quad; \$3,125 single. \$150pp deposit due with reservation. **Final payment is due April 15, 2024.**