



Village Center Upcoming Trips

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A Trip to the Dutch Amish Market in Germantown

Thursday, November 19

If you have visited the market before you are well aware of the wonderful fresh products and tempting selections that await you. If you've never been, please join us for a fun-filled afternoon. There is a restaurant located on site so when you want to take a break, you can enjoy a leisurely lunch (not included). We'll leave the Center at 11 a.m. and should return by 3 p.m. The price for the trip is \$28 for transportation—lunch is on your own. Sign ups begin immediately.

A Holiday Tour of Historic Houses in Philly

Wednesday, December 9

Join us as we discover the charms of Philadelphia's Fairmount park when we tour two historic houses decorated for the holidays. Especially for 2015, the historic houses will delight visitors with festive adornments and stunning interiors inspired by the whimsical Christmas carol "The Twelve Days of Christmas," decorated by local interior designers and garden clubs. Upon arrival in Philadelphia, we'll meet our guide at the Philadelphia Museum of Art and tour historic Cedar Grove. This house was constructed in the mid-18th century, and is furnished with exceptional examples of early Pennsylvania furniture. Following lunch on the balcony level of the Philadelphia Museum of Art, we'll tour beautiful Strawberry Mansion. The featured stories of this house span over three centuries and incorporate the life of the acclaimed colonial Judge William Lewis (1752-1819) to the national celebration of the Sesquicentennial of 1926 (celebrating America's 150th anniversary.) We'll depart from the Village Center at 7:30 a.m. and should return by 7:30 p.m. The cost of the trip, which includes round-trip transportation, admission to houses, lunch and all taxes and gratuities, is \$124. Residents and one guest may sign up immediately at the Village Center. Nonresidents may sign up beginning Oct. 7. The deadline to sign up is Nov. 30. There are 30 spaces available.