



Sunday, June 6, 2010

Various Times Check in at [Sheraton Springfield Monarch Place](#), Springfield, MA

Attendees many fly into Bradley International Airport (BDL) Hartford/Springfield. The airport is a 15 minute drive from the hotel. The Amtrak station is two blocks from the host hotel. For those traveling by Motorcoach, the Peter Pan bus terminal is three blocks from the host hotel. Roundtrip transportation from each location will be provided.

5:00 p.m.* Meet in hotel lobby for transportation to [Six Flags New England](#). Experience the number one coaster on the planet – Bizzaro as well as over 100 other rides, shows and attractions.

* For those arriving earlier in the day, transportation will be available to Six Flags New England so you can enjoy New England’s largest theme and water park for the day.

Monday, June 7, 2010

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast at the Sheraton Springfield Monarch Place Hotel

8:30 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. Committee Meetings and Refreshments

1:00 p.m. Meet in lobby to depart for the daily FAM events- box lunches “Taste of the Pioneer Valley” to be served onboard

1:45 p.m. Arrive at [Historic Deerfield](#), tour a living history museum set in a 330-year-old New England village.

2:45 p.m. Tour of [Magic Wings Butterfly Conservatory](#), an indoor Conservatory filled with live butterflies from all over the world.

- 3:45 p.m. [Yankee Candle Village](#)- one of New England's most popular Destinations! Experience unique shopping, entertainment and dining experience.
- 6:00 p.m. Sail down the Connecticut River on the [Lady Bea](#) while enjoying cocktails, entertainment and hors d'oeuvres.
- 8:00 p.m. Dinner at [Delaney House](#), a former private residence of the Kennedy family, now an elegant restaurant with a chic interior and an international menu that takes your dining experience to a new level.

Tuesday, June 8, 2010

- 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast at the Sheraton Springfield Monarch Place Hotel
- 8:30 a.m. -12:00 p.m. Committee Meetings and Refreshments
- 12:00 p.m. Meet in lobby to depart for lunch and daily FAM events – Driving tour of [Forest Park/Bright Nights](#). This ABA Top 100 winner is New England's single most popular holiday destination and largest holiday lighting display. Enjoy a little bit of holiday spirit while dining in the Carriage House within the park.
- 1:45 p.m. [Naismith Memorial Basketball Hall of Fame](#)- featuring countless exhibits, memorabilia and interactive areas. Guests can become sportscasters in the media wing, shoot hoops on the full-size regulation basketball court or play one-on-one in virtual hoop against some of today's best players.
- 2:45 p.m. Explore the [Springfield Museums](#) and the [Dr. Seuss National Memorial Sculpture Garden](#). A private tour of the new Museum of Springfield History and a chance to have your pictures taken with Horton!
- 4:15 p.m. [Springfield Armory National Historical Site](#)- Discover 174 years of history at our nation's first Armory, commissioned by George Washington. The site of Shays' Rebellion (1787), Springfield Armory houses the world's largest collection of historic American military weapons and fascinating exhibits on innovative firearms technology.
- 5:15 p.m. Enjoy a tasting at [Table and Vine](#), New England's premier fine wine, spirits, beer and specialty foods merchant.

- 6:15 p.m. Tour of [Eastern States Exposition, Home of the Big E](#) (an ABA Internationally Known Event), where guests from throughout the northeast flock each September to enjoy top-name entertainment, Big E Cream Puffs, The Big E Super Circus, the Avenue of States, Storowton Village Museum, a Mardi Gras Parade, animals, rides, shopping and foods from around the world.
- 7:00 p.m. Cocktails and dinner at the [Storowton Tavern](#), located on the grounds of the Eastern States Exposition.

Wednesday, June 9, 2010

- 8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m. Breakfast at the Sheraton Springfield Monarch Place Hotel
- 8:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m. Committee Meetings and Refreshments
- 12:00 p.m. -1:00 p.m. “Lunch with Character” at the Springfield Sheraton Monarch Place
- 1:00 p.m. Committee member departures

