MONDAY, AUGUST 12TH PRE-MEET NIAGARA FALLS BUS TRIP



A special bus excursion to view Niagara Falls is offered the day before the Airflow Club National Meet: Monday, August 12.

If you would like to see the famous falls (and who wouldn't?) this outing is for you! We will leave the Four Points Hotel at 1150 Wellington Rd, London, ON, at 8:00 am sharp. We'll stop at the historic Laura Second house for a tour around 10:30.

Continuing on, we will visit the Niagara Floral Clock and then press on to the Falls. After viewing the Falls, we will have lunch at <u>Table Rock Restaurant</u> (cost not included). Following lunch, we are booked on the <u>Niagara Power Station</u> Tour. We plan to return to the hotel, arriving around dinner time.

SOME DETAILS

Historic Laura Secord Homestead

The historic Laura Secord Homestead stands in the charming village of Queenston, just off the scenic Niagara Parkway. This enchanting heritage site was the home of Canada's most famous heroine, Laura Secord, from 1803 to 1835. It was the starting point of her perilous 32-kilometre journey to warn the British of an imminent American surprise attack during the War of 1812. Despite being ransacked by invading American soldiers during the Battle of Queenston Heights, the beautifully restored home now welcomes visitors for tours highlighting stories of Secord's brave adventures interpreted by authentically costumed guides. Light refreshments, ice cream, Laura Secord chocolates and a selection of quality souvenirs are available for purchase at the museum.

Niagara Power Station Tour

The Niagara Falls generator tour offers an awe-inspiring journey into the heart of one of nature's most magnificent wonders. This immersive experience takes visitors behind the scenes of the Niagara Falls hydroelectric power plant, providing a unique perspective on the power and beauty of the falls.

Comparing Canadian and American Views of the Falls

Size and Shape: The Canadian Horseshoe Falls are larger in terms of width and volume than the American Falls. The Horseshoe Falls have a distinctive curved shape, which many find more visually striking.

Viewing Angles: The Canadian side offers various viewing points and attractions like the Skylon Tower, Journey behind the Falls, and the Hornblower boat tour, providing visitors with closer and more diverse vantage points to experience the falls.

Landscape: The Canadian side offers picturesque parks and gardens like Queen Victoria Park, which provide excellent opportunities for taking in the panoramic views of the falls.

The American Falls also have their own appeal, with attractions such as Prospect Point and the American side of the Niagara Falls State Park offering unique perspectives and experiences. The area is less developed than the Canadian side.

Lunch at Table Rock Restaurant

<u>Table Rock House Restaurant</u> is at the brink of the Horseshoe Falls. Overlooking the thundering falls, delight your senses in the stylish atmosphere, open-flame grilling and stunning views that make your dining experience come alive with all the elements of nature.

Featuring the freshest ingredients from local farms, our award-winning Chef expertly prepares Niagara inspired cuisine right before your eyes. Savour one of our specialty martinis, followed by char-grilled Beef Tenderloin or Canadian Atlantic Salmon along with a mouth-watering dessert. Table Rock House Restaurant also features a wide selection of world-class VQA wines from the vineyards of Niagara. At Table Rock House Restaurant, we pride ourselves on not just serving our guests, but serving your senses.



Price

The bus fare and tour charges total \$96 US per person.

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person: \$96.00. Restaurant charges are not included and will be collected by restaurant cashier. Payment for this trip must be received by cheque or bank draft no later than June 15th 2024.

To sign up for the trip, just fill in the number of tickets desired on the Meet Registration form and include the charge in your registration fee calculation and payment.

Be sure your hotel reservation allows for your excursion. Book an extra day? Arrive on Sunday? Guy and Joanne will join you on this trip, so please direct any inquiries and intentions to Guy at guyrioux@gmail.com or phone 519 878 1814. We will charter a larger bus if we have a larger group. There are 25 seats available on the bus currently chartered.

LOOKING FORWARD TO AN AMAZING TRIP!!