



DAYTON'S CREATIVITY AND INVENTION

In the early 1900s, Dayton became the invention capital of the United States, with the most patents per capita. From the end of the 19th century through the 20th century, the city's influential inventions included the airplane, the cash register, the self-starting ignition for automobiles, and the pop top beverage can. The long list of inventions also includes the electric wheelchair, the stepladder and the parking meter.

*Join the Hi-Fliers
Available Monday, June 19, 2017*

8:30 am Motorcoach arrival to Duke Energy Center. Arrive to the end near Hall C and the rear of the building to allow for bus drop/pick up zone.

9:00 am Departure

9:45 am A visit to **Carillon Park Heritage Center of Dayton**. There are 30 buildings on this 65 acre site. See the original 1905 Wright Flyer III, the world's first practical airplane, and a National Historic Landmark; Dayton-made cash registers, train cars, automobiles and bicycles, the largest carillon in Ohio, and ride the Carousel of Dayton Innovation



11:30 am Departure

11:45 am **Lunch** at the **Engineers Club**, overlooking the Great Miami River, in downtown Dayton. Colonel Edward A. Deeds (built the first electric generating station), Charles F. Kettering (creator of the first cash register) and Orville Wright (inventor of the world's first successful airplane) founded The Engineers Club of Dayton in 1914. At the time, both men realized that Dayton was among the leading industrial cities in the United States, due to the various highly-skilled engineers and technicians working in the city. The present building dates back to 1918.



Italian Buffet consist of Italian Wedding soup, Romaine Salad with Ranch and Italian dressing, Meat Lasagna, Pasta Primavera, Italian Chicken Breast, garlic bread and assorted desserts. Includes Coffee, Iced Tea and chef's choice of dessert.

1:00 pm Depart

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1:15 pm A guided tour of the **America's Packard Museum**, housed in an authentic restored dealership and is the only restored Packard dealership operating as a museum. The museum features over 50 automobiles on display in the restored Art Deco showroom, service department and pavilion. In addition, significant artifacts from the Packard Motorcar Company are on display. Gift shop available.



2:45 pm Depart

3:15 pm A visit to the **Mound Science and Energy Museum**. At the end of WW II, the Federal Government brought together all of its Dayton area Atomic scientists into a new centralized facility in nearby Miamisburg, to work on Cold War projects. Over the next 50 years this facility produced Initiators and Detonators for Nuclear Bombs, and later Heat Exchangers for the Moon Walk and other Space programs, before it was closed, with the remaining work moved to Idaho after 9/11. Some steps. Guided tour.



4:30 pm Depart for Cincinnati, OH

5:30 pm ETA return to Duke Energy Center.

This tour needs a minimum of 25 guest, per date, to operate. Maximum per date is 53.

Due to multiple dates, in the event one date is cancelled guests registered on the cancelled date will be asked if they would like to change to the available date.

Please wear comfortable shoes and clothing as there will be lots of walking. It is also recommended that you bring appropriate weather related items, such as umbrellas and sun screen. Normal temperature this time of year is mid-high 80s.

SMOKING: We make regular stops for restrooms and for the convenience of smokers; however, we have a NO SMOKING policy aboard all coaches. This policy also applies to e-cigarettes.

\$115.00 price per person includes:

Round trip motorcoach transportation

Driver gratuity

Tour guide (gratuity not included, but always appreciated)

Admissions: Carillon Park, Packard Museum, Mound Science and Energy Museum, Full lunch at private club with dessert

Advanced reservations are preferred and are your best advantage to guaranteeing a seat. Reservations are open until tour sells out, but beginning on May 13, 2017 66NSDC holds the right to close registration or cancel the tour if reservation counts are low. **Cancellation by guest, after May 15, 2017, are non-refundable unless a waiting list substitution can be made.** In that case money will be 100% refunded. There will be no refund, for any reason, for a "no-show" on the day of the tour.

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