



## PRE-CONVENTION EXCURSIONS

ALL EXCURSIONS ARE ESCORTED MOTOR COACH TRIPS

### TOURS FOR THE PITTSBURGH CONVENTION

were designed to give you a flavor of Pennsylvania history and a unique element not available when visiting on your own.

## EXCURSION NO. 1

### Fallingwater Tour

**Monday, July 20, 8am-4pm**

*Lunch included*

1491 Mill Run Road • Mill Run, Pennsylvania  
866-672-5025

WE WILL TRAVEL to the Laurel Highlands where we visit Fallingwater. Fallingwater is a house designed in 1935 by renowned American architect Frank Lloyd Wright. The house was designed as a private residence and weekend home for the family of Pittsburgh department store owner, Edgar J. Kaufmann, Sr. Fallingwater is one of Wright's most widely acclaimed works and best exemplifies his philosophy of organic architecture: the harmonious union of art and nature. On July 7, 2019, Fallingwater became a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Includes a guided tour along with lunch.

Fallingwater is the only major Wright work to come into the public domain with its setting, original furnishings and artwork intact.

[FallingWater.org](http://FallingWater.org)

This tour has limited handicap accessibility. See this link for complete details:

[FallingWater.org/visit/special-needs](http://FallingWater.org/visit/special-needs)



“Unquestionably the most famous private residence ever built.”

Bruce Pfeiffer, Director of Frank Lloyd Wright Archives



Fallingwater Visitor Center Photo courtesy Karen Mallonee

## EXCURSION NO. 2

### Flight 93 Memorial Tour

**Tuesday, July 21, 8am—5pm**

*Wine tasting and lunch included*

#### National Park Service, Flight 93 National Memorial Pennsylvania

6424 Lincoln Highway • Stoystown, Pennsylvania  
814-893-6322

JOIN US FOR a visit to the Flight 93 memorial where on Tuesday morning, September 11, 2001, the U.S. came under attack when four commercial airliners were hijacked and used to strike targets on the ground. Nearly 3,000 people tragically lost their lives. Because of the actions of the 40 passengers and crew aboard one of the planes, Flight 93, the attack on the U.S. Capitol was thwarted. Flight 93 Memorial is a place to walk beside their final resting place and honor the extraordinary courage of those who fought back.

Things to do at Flight 93 Memorial: Explore the exhibits in the Visitor Center; Walk the Memorial Plaza along the Crash Site/Debris Field to the Wall of Names; Follow over 2 miles of walking trails through the park; Visit the newly dedicated Bell Tower.

[nps.gov/flni/index.htm](https://www.nps.gov/flni/index.htm)

#### Rockwood Mill Shoppes & Opera House

450 Main Street • Rockwood, Pennsylvania  
814-926-4546

AFTER LEAVING the memorial we will visit the Rockwood Opera house where we will enjoy wine tasting then a buffet lunch followed by a patriotic show in an original 1904 opera house. The term “opera house” refers to the type of vaudeville entertainment that would travel by train to the towns on the railroad lines. They would entertain the townsfolk, and then board the train for the next town. The owners of this old Mill Shoppe have been restoring it for many years and there is a lot of history associated with this town.

There is also a small ice cream shop, pizza (which has been voted the best in the Laurel Highlands!), and a small area of crafts and antiques.

[RockwoodMillShoppes.com](http://RockwoodMillShoppes.com)





# EXCURSION NOS. 3 & 4

## Pittsburgh City Tour

*Lunch availabilities but you are on your own*

**OFFERED TWO DAYS!**

**EXCURSION 3**

**Monday, July 20, 11am-3pm**



**EXCURSION 4**

**Tuesday, July 21, 11am-3pm**

### Molly's Trolleys

412-281-2085

STEP ABOARD a vintage 1920s-style trolley and experience Pittsburgh with a fully guided 90-minute historical tour. The Molly's Trolleys Sightseeing Tour departs from our hotel and travels to popular areas of the city including **Downtown**, the **North Shore**, **Oakland**, and **Mount Washington**. It also includes a behind-the-scenes tour and ride on the historic cable railway, the **Duquesne Incline**. The historically-oriented tour informs riders of the rich history of these Pittsburgh neighborhoods with detailed information on people, places, and things all around the 'Burgh. Our tour will end at **Primanti Bros.** in the **Strip District** where you can get off and shop or have lunch. The trolley will then take anyone not wishing to shop back to the Wyndham. Two hours later the trolley makes one last pickup at Primanti's and then returns to the Wyndham.

[MollysTrolleysPgh.com](http://MollysTrolleysPgh.com)

### Shop the Strip for an authentic 'Burg experience

**Pittsburgh's Strip District** is the most authentic and affordable shopping experience around town. The focus is on food and drink, and ethnic options abound. There is Italian food, Greek, and Middle Eastern goods. Produce stands and specialty stores crowd the block. Small bakeries send enticing aromas into the streets, as do local coffee roasters and craft distilleries. Slightly gritty buildings, sidewalk vendors, and street performers provide a one-of-a-kind atmosphere and all the flavors of Pittsburgh. Plus, you'll hear Pittsburghese in all its glory (and have the chance to buy a Pittsburghese shirt)!





## EXCURSION NO. 5

### Brewery Tour

**Wednesday, July 22, 1–4pm**

*Beer tastings with some sample food pairings*

#### Church Brew Works

3525 Liberty Avenue • 412-688-8200

CHURCH BREW WORKS offers a unique take on a former Roman Catholic Church. St. John the Baptist Church was built in 1902. After closing its doors in 2013 it was reutilized and opened its doors as a brewery in 1996. It now offers beers reminiscent of its past with names like Pious Monk Dunkel, Pipe Organ Pale Ale, Celestial Gold, and many others. To start the tour you will enjoy a flight of beer while taking in the architecture. [ChurchBrew.com](http://ChurchBrew.com)

#### Hofbrauhaus

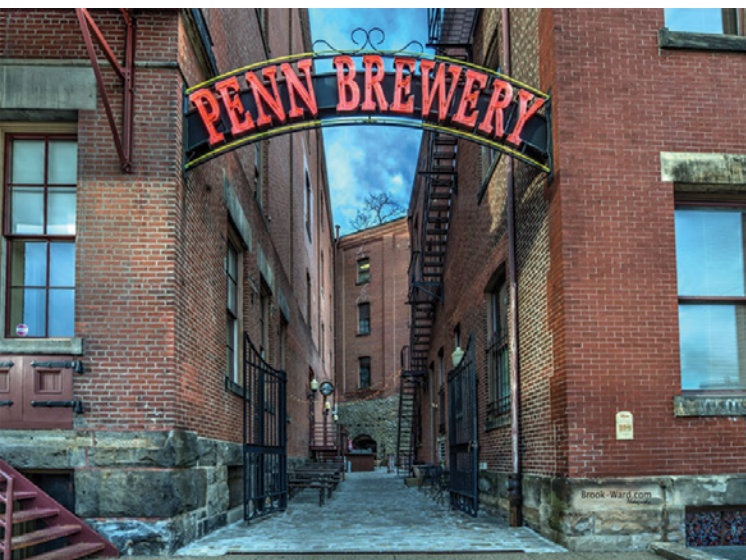
2705 South Water Street • 412-224-2328

HEADQUARTERED IN Munich, Germany, the Hofbrauhaus Brewery opened a Pittsburgh location in 2009. Bringing an authentic German brewery experience, it truly feels like you've stepped right into Oktoberfest! Here you will tour the brewery with the Head Brewmaster learning the fine art of German brewing. Along with the tour will be a flight of 5 different beers and a food pairing. [HofbrauhausPittsburgh.com](http://HofbrauhausPittsburgh.com)

#### Penn Brewery

800 Vinial Street • 412-237-9400

LOCATED IN the Troy Hill neighborhood of Pittsburgh, Penn Brewery occupies the former home of the Eberhardt and Ober breweries. The historic building was home to 3 breweries originally and reopened its doors in 1986 as one of the nation's first craft brewers dawning the "craft brewing before craft was cool." Here you will enjoy a flight of beer while experiencing Pittsburgh's oldest brewery. [PennBrew.com](http://PennBrew.com)



*\*Must be 21 with a valid state or federal ID to attend.*