



# TRAILS OF THE SMOKIES

APRIL 22-29, 2024

The Great Smoky Mountains burst with color and wildflower blooms in the Springtime! Join us for a lively day in Nashville, two nights in beautiful Pigeon Forge, spectacular views and even more unique excursions along the way.

**Departs:** Wichita, OKC, Tulsa

## Included Meals:

- 7 Breakfasts
- 5 Lunches
- 2 Dinners

**Activity Level**

**\$2249 Double**    **\$2079 Triple**  
**\$1959 Quad**    **\$2839 Single**

\$100 Non-Refundable Deposit Per Person  
Optional Travel Protection Available  
Final Payment Due 60 days before departure

## Cancellation Policy B

**1 // Sikeston, MO** Today we'll start our journey toward the **Great Smoky Mountains**, which are filled with a stunning variety of wildflowers in the springtime. Travel as far as Missouri before stopping for the night.

**2 // Nashville, TN** Welcome to Music City, USA. Step back in time, to the 1120-acre property and home of the 7th President. Experience the unique preservation of **Andrew Jackson's Hermitage**, from the Greek Revival-style mansion to Rachel's lush garden. We'll enjoy **lunch** on the property, followed by a **tour of the expansive grounds**. Of course no trip to Nashville would be complete without a visit to the **Grand Ole Opry**.

**3 // Pigeon Forge, TN** All aboard! **Lunch** is served during our **Sightseeing Cruise** today, with a side of spectacular views. This time of year, Dogwoods are in bloom along the river. Soak in the scenery as we explore **Knoxville** from the water. This evening, take your seat for a hilarious performance family-style! Singing, dancing, impressive-stunts, and side-splitting comedy are all part of the **Hatfield & McCoy Dinner Feud**.

**4 // Pigeon Forge, TN** Start the day with a relaxing, panoramic **Jeep tour in the Great Smoky Mountains**. Traverse through Wears Valley, along Little River Road, and up the Foothills Parkway. A hearty, home-cooked southern **lunch** is next. Then, learn about the "unsinkable ship" that captivated the world's attention during its voyage and demise. The **Titanic Museum** holds 400 pre-discovery artifacts in 20 galleries with interactive displays that allow you to imagine yourself aboard the 1912 luxury steamship. Step even further back in time at Old Mill, nestled upon the banks of the Little Pigeon River. This historic structure has been turning since 1830. **The Old Mill** is home to restaurants and shops where visitors stop in for tasty treats, but its rich history gives an unforgettable ambiance to our Smoky Mountain city.

**5 // Chattanooga, TN** Travel the gorgeous 11-mile loop in one of the most scenic parts of the Great Smoky Mountains. **Cade's Cove** is home to abundant wildlife, and this will be our chance to spot animals as well as view the lovely valley. Enjoy a laid-back **lunch** before we head out to our next stop!

**6 // Nashville, TN** This morning, stand in awe of the nation's tallest and deepest underground waterfall open to the public, **Ruby Falls**. We'll take an elevator into the depths of historic **Lookout Mountain** to explore the underground cavern and see the falls. Then, up-up-up we go! Board the **Incline Railway** up Lookout Mountain for a spectacular view and plenty of history. The original coal-burning steam engines were replaced by two 100-horsepower motors in 1911, but other than that, the railway hasn't changed much in its more than 100 years of operation. This afternoon, visit **Stones River Battlefield**, where the first day of battle began on the last day of 1862 and the site of a much needed victory for the Union Army.

**7 // Little Rock, AR** After **lunch** on the grounds, explore 100+ acres dedicated to the King of Rock 'n' Roll. Walk in Elvis' footsteps as we explore his life and legacy. Get a glimpse of his life off the stage as we walk through **Graceland Mansion**, where his family spent their time together. Then, get up close and personal with his collection of custom jets. **Dinner** will be included this evening.

**8 // Home** Though we've left our hearts in the Great Smoky Mountains, we return home today refreshed with many new memories to tide us over until our next adventure.

