

ALLIED Tour & Travel presents...

Fall Rendezvous!
Alpacas, Farm to Table Lunch, & Winetasting



Thursday, October 17, 2024 - \$229 per person

Get ready for a spectacular day exploring the beautiful Verde Valley countryside! We will begin with a visit to the Plum Creek Alpaca ranch in Prescott Valley. You will enjoy getting up close to these adorable and friendly creatures, each with their own unique personalities. Plum Creek is a nationally acclaimed breeder, so there is a great opportunity to see some cute baby alpacas, too. Then we are on to Cottonwood where we will be dining at Merkin Vineyards Hilltop Winery & Vineyards—a farm-to-table experience with stunning 270-degree views of the Verde Valley below. Their mission is to deliver a 100% Arizona-grown/bred dining experience to all their customers. Next, we will venture on to Javelina Leap Vineyards and Winery in the heart of the Verde Valley Wine Trail. They are a family-operated boutique winery with award-winning Arizona wines. **Bring your friends along for a day to savor in the Verde Valley!**

Tour Includes:

**Roundtrip Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation ~ Plum Creek Alpacas Ranch
Lunch at Merkin Vineyards Hilltop Winery & Vineyard (meal choice due at time of reservation)
Winetasting at Javelina Leap Vineyards ~ Professional Tour Guide
Snacks & Bottled Water ~ All Taxes and Gratuities**

For reservations, please call SCW Rec Center, Box Office at 623-544-6193

Full payment is due at the time of booking

Depart the SCW, RH Johnson Rec. Center parking lot, aisles 8 & 9 on Oct. 17 at 7:30 AM

Estimated return time is 6:30 PM

Cancellation Policy: If cancelled on or before September 17, 2024 - full refund. If cancelled after September 17, 2024 - no refund. We do offer cancellation protection for a fee of \$20 per person. This is optional but recommended as it protects your payment up to 24 hours prior to departure. You must purchase this protection at the time of booking. If you must cancel, your payment (minus protection fee) will be refunded, if cancelled up to 24 hours prior to departure.

For all precautions for safe travel, see our Safe & Secure travel policies on the back page.



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Main Course Options

Classic Caesar Salad ~ crisp romaine lettuce, grape tomatoes, shaved parmigiano Reggiano, house made croutons and house made Caesar dressing— **must specify with or without chicken**

Merkin Mac & Cheese ~ prickly pear infused pasta with pancetta mascarpone cream sauce, dusted with beet powder

Gnocchi ~ traditionally prepared potato dumpling with a sage and prosciutto di parma cream sauce

Margherita Pizza ~ tomato, mozzarella, Merkin smoked mozzarella, basil, pecorino

Pepperoni Pizza ~ mozzarella, parmesan Reggiano, pecorino, tomato, basil, gripper's pepperoni

Dessert

Cannoli ~ fresh daily, with seasonal flavors

Tiramisu ~ classic coffee-flavored favorite

House Made Gelati & Sorbeti ~ varied flavors

Drinks

Iced Tea ~ freshly brewed ~ green or black

Aqua Panna ~ natural spring water

San Pellegrino ~ assorted flavors

Lemonade ~ freshly squeezed

Fentimans Soda ~ cola, cherry cola, pink ginger, lemon shandy

Coffee ~ French press or cold brew





New “Safe and Secure” Healthy Travel Plan

To help provide a safe and secure travel experience, Allied Tour & Travel will apply the following:

1. Our motor coach company, Arrow Stage Lines, uses an EPA Registered CURIS Decontamination System that provides a No-Touch, Whole-Vehicle delivery system which kills 99.9999% of germs so you can be confident in your Allied tour.
2. Motor coaches are cleaned with soap, water, and disinfectants after each trip. Drivers clean surfaces with disinfectants at the end of the day on multi-day tours. Hand sanitizers are available on each bus.
3. All of our vendors (hotels, attractions, restaurants, etc) are taking extra steps to provide a cleaner, healthier travel experience.
4. All passengers are encouraged to purchase the cancellation protection offered for each tour in the event you need to cancel your tour before it departs. Should you desire travel protection for after your tour departs, ask about our Travelex insurance that provides trip interruption benefits. This will protect you in the event you need to interrupt your tour after it departs due to covered health reasons. Interruption insurance helps with medical expenses should you become ill or injured while on tour and you meet the insurance criteria.
5. **Please notify us of any special needs at the time of reservation.** We will make all reasonable efforts to assist with your travel arrangements. However, it is strongly recommended that a traveling companion come along to help with any special needs of anyone with a disability. Allied tour guides have responsibilities for the entire group and can't provide one-on-one care. This includes boarding motorcoaches, airplanes, cruise ships, etc., traversing hotels, restaurants, attractions, other personal needs, etc. Contact Allied if you have any questions.

Tours are fun and we want to make the experience as enjoyable as possible. These steps will help make traveling a safer one, but note that no travel is ever totally risk free. We will be flexible regarding this plan, adding or deleting depending on current circumstances.

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