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Pioneer Adventures of the Old West 2010 8 day tour from US\$1525*

Tour Type: **Family**

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Summary of Pioneer Adventures of the Old West 2010



Howdy Partner! This tour is great for families - that's why we call it a family experience! Montezuma's Castle, the Grand canyon railway, Lake Powell - the kids will love it all while you enjoy the fact that Trafalgar takes care of everything for you! National Parks include Zion, Bryce Canyon and Grand Canyon.

Highlights:

- **Scottsdale**
- **Grand Canyon National Park**
- **Lake Powell**
- **Bryce Canyon National Park**
- **Las Vegas**

Pioneer Adventures of the Old West 2010

Day 1 - Arrive Phoenix – Scottsdale

Howdy partners! After landing at Phoenix International Airport, you'll hitch a ride to your all-suite hotel in Scottsdale where you'll meet your Tour Director this afternoon. Enjoy a refreshing dip in the hotel's pool before the 6:00pm Kick-off Party.

Hotel: Embassy Suites Phoenix - Scottsdale

Day 2 - Scottsdale – Sedona – Flagstaff

Today your Tour Director reveals a Hidden Treasure. A drive through the Sonoran Desert brings you to Montezuma Castle National Monument, one of the best-preserved cliff dwellings in North America. After, head to Sedona and go off-roading through spectacular "Red Rock Country" in 4WD Jeeps. At the old Van Deren Cabin, learn what it was really like to be a cowboy in the Old West. Arrive in Flagstaff, a former Route 66 outpost. After dinner, go stargazing at the Lowell Observatory, a National Historic Landmark. (Full breakfast / Dinner)

Hotel: Radisson Woodlands Hotel

Day 3 - Flagstaff – Grand Canyon Railway – Grand Canyon

Relive a Wild West shootout before climbing aboard the historic Grand Canyon Railway. As you pass through the Kaibab National Forest, keep your eye out for wildlife. Nothing can prepare you for the wonder of the Grand Canyon. Hike Bright Angel Trail and visit Grand Canyon Village. If you're truly adventurous, take an optional helicopter or fixed-wing flight over the canyon for once-in-a-lifetime, eagle-eye views. As the sun sets, join your Tour Director for an unforgettable walk along the rim. (Full breakfast)

Hotel: National Park Lodges

Day 4 - Grand Canyon – Monument Valley – Lake Powell (2 nights)

Try to rise early to catch the beautiful sunrise over the Canyon. Then journey along Desert View Drive before entering Navajo Country. Here you can poke around the Historic Cameron Trading Post for a piece of Native American art. Next stop: the Code Talkers Exhibit in Kayenta. Learn how the Navajos were one of America's greatest secret weapons in WWII. You'll also see why Monument Valley is a favorite location for movie directors as you bounce along in an open-air vehicle. Now c'mon, partner, pull off your boots and have yourself some fun at a poolside pizza party! (Full breakfast / Highlight dinner)

Hotel: Lake Powell Resort (2 nights)

Day 5 - Lake Powell at leisure

Enjoy a free day to roam the range. Optional activities include a fun float down one of the most beautiful stretches of the Colorado River, a cruise on spectacular Lake Powell to Antelope Canyon with views of Glen Canyon Dam, or to Rainbow Bridge, one of the most photographed geological wonders in the American West. Or maybe you'll dive into some of the many aquatic activities at Lake Powell Marina – the choice is yours! (Full breakfast)

Day 6 - Lake Powell – Zion National Park – Bryce Canyon National Park (2 nights)

Riding in the park's shuttle, we reckon you'll be awestruck by the towering cliffs and massive walls of Zion Canyon. Enjoy hiking? There's an easy trek to the Emerald Pools, with splendid views and beautiful waterfalls. There's also a more strenuous, but rewarding hike to Angel's Landing. After, drive along the Mount Carmel Highway for spectacular views of Zion Canyon, the Great Arch and Checkerboard Mesa. Soon you'll arrive at historic Ruby's Inn at Bryce Canyon. (Full breakfast)

Hotel: Ruby's Inn

Day 7 - Bryce Canyon National Park sightseeing & at leisure

Exploring Bryce Canyon is like entering a weird and eerie world, with sandstone spires called hoodoos creating a mysterious landscape carved by Mother Nature. This afternoon you're free to blaze your own trail. You might try horseback riding or hiking. Then put on your Stetsons for a Farewell Cowboy Dinner with good food and fun. Afterward, mosey to the Bryce Canyon Country Rodeo to watch cowboys test their skills at the wildest competition in the West (Memorial Day to Labor Day). (Full breakfast / Farewell dinner)

Day 8 - Bryce – Depart Las Vegas

Traveling down through the scenic Virgin River Gorge, make your way to fabulous Las Vegas, where your adventures in the Great West come to an end. A complimentary transfer takes you to Las Vegas International Airport, or if you're extending your stay, to the tour hotel in Las Vegas. (Full breakfast)

Please do not schedule any flights before 4:00pm

Pioneer Adventures of the Old West 2010 What's Included

Sightseeing Highlights

- **Montezuma Castle** Visit the site of an ancient Sinagua Indian cliff-dwelling.
- **Sedona** Explore Dry Creek Basin on an exciting 4WD Jeep adventure.
- **Flagstaff** Visit the Lowell Observatory for an evening of stargazing.
- **Grand Canyon Railway** Railway Travel to the Grand Canyon on the historic Grand Canyon Railway.
- **Grand Canyon National Park** Stay inside the park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- **Historic Cameron Trading Post** Browse for Native American arts and crafts.
- **Kayenta** Learn about the Navajo Code Talkers and their role during WWII.
- **Monument Valley** Join a local guide for an informative excursion by openair vehicles through this spectacular region.
- **Zion National Park** Explore the towering canyon walls and massive rock formations aboard the park shuttle.
- **Bryce Canyon National Park** Discover this whimsical landscape; enjoy a Wild West evening, complete with a cowboy dinner and rodeo entertainment.
- **Lake Powell** Enjoy the lakefront resort's facilities at your leisure.

Dining Highlights

- 7 full breakfasts
- 1 three-course dinner
- Special poolside pizza party dinner at Lake Powell
- Farewell Dinner with drinks and rodeo entertainment in Bryce

10 included meals in total (see day by day itinerary)

First Class Travel Highlights

- First Class hotel accommodation includes two-bedded rooms with private facilities, all hotel service charges and tips, baggage handling fees and local taxes.
- Touring by luxury air-conditioned motorcoach with reclining seats and onboard restroom.
- The services of one of Trafalgar's top professional Tour Directors.
- Train journey aboard the historic Grand Canyon Railway from Williams to Grand Canyon National Park.
- A stylish wallet, travel documents and Welcome on Tour book with map.
- Complimentary airport transfers are provided on Day 1 and Day 8.

Dates & Rates

- Definite departures have already been confirmed as departing and only limited space is available.
- Any departures with a 'LMD' icon are Last Minute Deals which are discounted for a limited time only.

Departs On	Returns On	Land Price
Sun, May 09, 2010	Sun, May 16, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, May 30, 2010	Sun, Jun 06, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, Jun 27, 2010	Sun, Jul 04, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, Jul 11, 2010	Sun, Jul 18, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, Jul 25, 2010	Sun, Aug 01, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, Aug 01, 2010	Sun, Aug 08, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, Aug 15, 2010	Sun, Aug 22, 2010	US\$1525.00
Sun, Sep 05, 2010	Sun, Sep 12, 2010	US\$1525.00

* For earlier departures than listed below please contact your travel agent.

** For single travelers purchasing the twin-share option, please note that there is a no smoking policy in all shared rooms.

*** All prices are per person, twin share

For details on discounts that apply to this tour please contact your travel agent.

The displayed prices are based on twin-share accommodation. A single supplement price is available on request.

- These prices are correct at the time of the website going live, however are subject to confirmation at the time of booking.

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