



First Friends

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Join us for these special events...



**April 28-May 6, 2021 –
Springtime Tulip River Cruise**



**Shades of Ireland
July 21-30, 2021**

Memories...and future memory makers!

I usually have so much to tell you about what's going on with First Friends. We usually have been on a great trip or two, played cards, watched movies, etc. We are usually getting ready for our annual Christmas Luncheon, and I am sooooo disappointed that we won't get to see all of you in person and wish you a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! So, Dani and I and First National Bank would like to wish you a Very Merry Christmas and we hope you enjoy a Wonderful New Year in 2021!

We did see quite a few of you for our Halloween Trick or Treat give away in October. It was so good to see your smiling faces behind the masks – or some of the ghoulish faces we saw with Halloween masks on. It was fun!

I don't know what 2021 will hold for any of us. I pray that it will be a wonderful year for all, and that we finally get to come together. I also look forward to get to travel again. I truly am missing the travel. We continue to look for and put together trips that you will enjoy. Take a look at the newest trip we are promoting – National Parks of America.

Unfortunately, with things not progressing as quickly as we had hoped, we will postpone our Mystery Trip yet again. Now see what I said – POSTPONE – not cancel. Don't worry. When we are able to go on a mystery trip, I promise you will enjoy it. Things are just so uncertain at this point – things are not open – the experience might not be up to our standards - and, we want to have a safe experience.

Upcoming Events...

**February 11, 2021
National Parks
Travel Show - 11:00
a.m.**

Join us today (hopefully in person) to preview this fantastic trip. Our representative plans to be here to show us all about this trip. As of today, we plan to do an in person show in our second-floor training room (social distancing practiced). We will be monitoring conditions for this event to determine if we will need a Zoom presentation. Call Dani to make a reservation.

Upcoming Trips

**Springtime Tulip
River Cruise
Featuring Dutch and
Belgian Waterways
April 28 - May 6,
2021**

Highlights include: Amsterdam, 7-night River Cruise, Volendam, Arnhem, Middleburg, Ghent, Bruges, Antwerp, Kinderdijk, Windmills, Keukenhof Gardens. A brochure is available online and at our office. Call for availability.

**Shades of Ireland
July 21 - July 30,
2021**

Brochures are available at the bank or on our website, www.fnbgriffin.com under First Friends.

**Discover Switzerland,
Austria, Oberammergau
and the Passion Play
2022**

Our exact new dates have not been set yet. Our trip continues to be full and we are taking a waiting list. Please let us know if you would like a brochure on this trip.

Apple Crescent Dumplings

2 medium Granny Smith apples (about 2 cups)

Two 8 oz cans refrigerated crescent rolls

$\frac{3}{4}$ cup butter, melted

1 cup packed brown sugar

1 teaspoon ground cinnamon

$\frac{2}{3}$ cup lemon-lime soft drink

Heat oven to 350 degrees. Spray 13 X 9 inch pan with cooking spray. Peel and core apples; cut into 16 slices. Separate dough into 16 triangles. Place on apple slice on the shortest side of each dough triangle. Starting with the shortest side of the triangle, roll to opposite point, wrapping dough around apple slice. Arrange in pan. In a medium bowl, stir together melted butter, brown sugar and cinnamon. Pour mixture evenly over dumplings. Pour the soft drink in the center and along the edges of the pan. Bake 33 to 36 minutes or until golden brown. Let stand 15 minutes. Serve with ice cream.

Take a look at our upcoming trips for 2021 and start making your plans to travel with us. Details are available on request and will be in our future newsletters. If you are interested, please stop by the office or go online to view our brochure.

April 28-May 6, 2021 –
Springtime Tulip

River Cruise

(see the highlights in the New Trip section)

July 21 – July 30, 2021-
Shades of Ireland

August 31, 2021 –
Hamilton at the Fox

September 14-25, 2021 –
National Parks

October, 2021 –
Louisiana with New Orleans
(dates TBA)

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and the Passion Play
2022

New Trips...

National Parks of America September 14-25, 2021

Highlights include: Scottsdale, Lake Powell, Grand Canyon, Brice Canyon, Zion, Salt Lake City, Jackson Hole, Grand Teton & Yellowstone National Parks, Old Faithful, Sheridan, Big-horn Mountains, Crazy Horse Memorial, Mount Rushmore. **Travel Show February 11, 2021 at 11:00 a.m.**

In Memoriam...

Robert McIntyre
Eugene Pitts
Yvonne Morris
Kenneth Nolan
Marcia Raleigh
Phil Mouchet
Doug Cone

Remember when

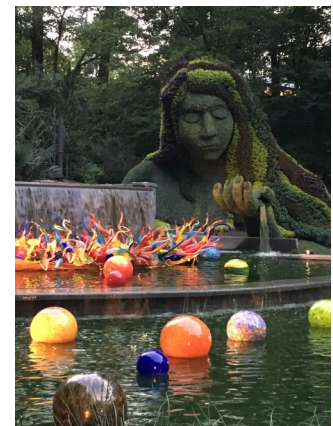
A few pictures of past trips - We can dream...



Church Hill Downs



Canada—Peyto Lake



**Atlanta Botanical
Gardens**



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