

# **OGLEBAY'S FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS – DICKENS-CAMBRIDGE, OH & A TOUCH OF PITTSBURGH**

**December 6-8, 2021**

**Price Per Person: \$663**

## **Dear Way To Go Traveler,**

The Oglebay/Wheeling Festival of Lights has been listed on the American Bus Association's TOP 100 events in the United States for years. It is considered one of the largest display of Christmas lights in the USA! The Wheeling Visitor's Bureau has developed quite a few attractions in & around Oglebay Park. We will take a stroll down the streets of historic Cambridge, OH to see the Dickens characters on the street corners! Plus a few Christmas activities in Pittsburgh. Join us please!

## **Tour Features Include:**

1. Two nights accommodations, Comfort Inn, St. Clairsville, OH (The Inn was just named No. 1 out 500 Inns in the Midwest Hotel Division.)
2. Meals: Two extended continental breakfasts at our inn; one lunch; Dinner at the Cambridge Country Club; Dinner at the Wilson Lodge
3. Deluxe Motor Coach Transportation
4. Professional Tour Guide: Jerry Waldkoetter

## **Things we'll see and do:**

Oglebay Festival of Lights

Dickens Victorian Vignettes

Shopping the streets of Cambridge, OH

National Museum of Cambridge Glass

Holiday Music & Light Show/Courthouse Lawn

Carriage House Glass Museum

Oglebay Mansion – Home of Colonel Oglebay

## **Monday, December 6, 2021**

6:30am – Bus report time

6:45am – Depart McDonalds, 315 Meadow Dr., North Tonawanda

7:15am – Pickup at Tops, Main St., & Union Rd., Williamsville

Noon – Cracker Barrel, North Canton, Ohio

1:30pm – Pick up guide at McDonalds, Cambridge, OH

2pm – Dickens Victorian Village Welcome Center  
Tour downtown – Detailed Dickens-era vignettes are stationed at each antique lamp post between Sixth & 11 Streets. Among the displays are engaging Victorian scenes and familiar figures – Tiny Tim, etc. If weather is AOK shopping downtown Cambridge, if not, move on to the National Museum of Glass – features over 10,000 pieces of glassware, with an interpretive area demonstrating how glass was made from gathering, shaping, etching, and engraving.

5pm – Cambridge Country Club buffet dinner.

7pm – Holiday Music & Light Show on the Courthouse Lawn

7:45pm – Depart Cambridge, OH

8:30-8:45pm – Comfort Inn, Saint Clairsville, OH

## **Tuesday, December 7, 2021.**

(80th Anniversary of Pearl Harbor)

7am – Breakfast at our Hotel

8:15am – Depart Comfort Inn. When we cross the Ohio River on your right will be Wheeling's famous 150 year old suspension bridge.

9:15am – Kruger street Toy and Train Museum – toys and trains from each generation will bring back childhood memories and a smile to your face.

10:30am – Tour of Capitol Theater in the historical district of downtown Wheeling – it completed a \$10 million restoration in 2020 and is home of the West Virginia Jamboree.

Noon – Terrace Room Buffet Lunch

1:15pm or so – Carriage House Glass Museum. Be sure to see the Sweeney Punch Bowl. Standing 5 feet tall and weighing 225 pounds, this crystal treasure is world famous – a remarkable piece of Victorian artistry.

2:15pm – Hilltop Shops and Gardens

3:15pm – Oglebay Mansion – Once the home of Colonel Oglebay

Late afternoon – Good Zoo Festival of Lights Winter Fantasy Laser Show is a compilation of upbeat holiday songs accompanied by a holiday themed laser display in the Benedum Theater.

5:30pm – Wilson Lodge Dinner

6:45pm – Meet our local guide for the Winter Festival of Lights a 6 mile ride through Oglebay Park. Top Christmas Light Show in the United States!

8:15pm – Return to our Hotel

## **Wednesday, December 8, 2021**

7am – Breakfast & Checkout at the Hotel

8am – Depart our Comfort Inn

9am – Sarris Candies, Cannonville, PA (18 miles southwest of Pittsburgh) hometown of Perry Como and Bobby Vinton

10:30am – PPG Place & Market Square – Christmas displays and holiday shopping

Noon – Lunch on own at Market Square

2:15pm – TBA

3:30pm – Depart for Western New York

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Dinner on own at Eat N' Park Restaurant in Erie, PA

9:30pm – Tops Main Street, Williamsville

10pm – McDonalds, Meadow Dr., North Tonawanda

\$663 Per Person based on dbl.occup. \$125 per person is due with your reservation. Balance of \$538 is due one month before departure. Save \$25 if you pay in full per person \$638 by Oct. 15th. Single supplement is \$118.

**Send check to:** Way To Go Tours  
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**Questions:** Call Jerry or Kathy at 693-0793.  
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All tours require a vaccination card and face mask.



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