

## **Travel Defining Statements for OLLI at UNL Travelers**

OLLI at UNL is committed to developing fully guided travel experiences for its members. To enhance the travel experience, OLLI at UNL has a Travel Committee which endeavors to coordinate all travel opportunities with its travel vendor and has created defining statements to help ensure consistency.

1. OLLI will provide a professional travel escort to any destination tour operators and/or step-on tour guides as needed to give members the best experience possible.
2. Many activities and meals are included; others are optional to give members choices of their time.
3. Travel/Trip dates are subject to change, including cancellation, in the event of unforeseen circumstances.
4. Taxes and gratuities are included for everything listed in each trip brochure.
5. UNL/OLLI recommends all travelers purchase an optional Travel Protection Plan for all trips which include overnight stays. It can be purchased any time before or with final payment to the OLLI travel vendor, or travelers can also choose to purchase it through their own insurance carrier. (\*This does not apply to in-state trips).
6. As OLLI is a part of the University of Nebraska all UNL rules and regulations will be observed.
7. OLLI has a written Covid travel policy that will be kept current to reflect any changes in regulations.
8. All trips are non-smoking.
9. All travelers are required to sign a release of liability. (\*see document in catalogs)
10. OLLI believes "Curiosity Never Retires." To that end OLLI will provide opportunities for travelers to learn about the destinations through free pre-trip meetings, free travel courses prior to each trip, and learning opportunities provided during the trip.
11. Mobility/activity levels are clearly defined for each trip so travelers will be able to determine if a trip is appropriate for them.

12. There may be optional pre-trip or post-trip opportunities advertised in addition to the regular trip dates in the event OLLI thinks a number of travelers might wish to explore an additional area before or after the planned trip. If so, those optional opportunities will be advertised along with the trip's regular description but will be priced separately.
13. The Travel Committee and OLLI Director will determine the number of travelers required on each trip to make the trip feasible.
14. All visits are subject to availability upon booking of attractions. Bookings will occur after OLLI has received the travel vendor's signed contract. Pricing and the itinerary are subject to change if unforeseen circumstances require any revision in the attractions offered.
15. Pricing may be increased at any time due to requirements for social distancing, health, safety, or scheduling that have not yet been determined by transportation companies, hotels, restaurants, attractions, etc.

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