



**NO. 4 SEPTEMBER 2023**

**A WARM HELLO FROM YOUR FRIENDS AT ARCADIA TRAVELERS!**

**Our Website:**  
[www.ArcadiaTravelers.org](http://www.ArcadiaTravelers.org)

### **The President's Corner:**

I am excited to be writing this Fall, 2023 Newsletter to the members of Arcadia Travelers. The year 2023 has been a wonderful and productive year for our organization. We have now been in existence in the City of Arcadia for 41 years providing traveling opportunities, both day and extended trips. We are proud to say we are an all volunteer organization.

We are looking forward to ending our year with continued success.

Our membership is growing with not only returning of former members, but new members that have heard about us through friends, family and various forms of media and have decided to travel with us.

Our website has expanded thanks to the expertise of our webmaster Andy Sae. Numerous information is now easily accessible to not only our members, but those wanting to learn more about Arcadia Travelers. This year, by expanding our technology availability, We have joined the 110% Club at the Arcadia Chamber of Commerce and the link to our website is available through the Chamber website. We invite you to browse our website. You will find colorful flyers representing more information about our trips as well as general information about Arcadia Travelers. We pride ourselves on creating trips to peak your interest.

Our general meetings have been well attended and we have had speakers of a variety of interests. We had trip information by Collette, Premier and Curt Tucker, who represent our travel agents. Of special interest, we had April Verlato speak on Living Trusts, Ryan Mulhall speak on SCAMS and Paul Cheng, current Mayor of Arcadia, gave an interesting presentation on what is happening in Arcadia.

**Programs yet to come:**

November 17, 2023	Afrodite Pastroumas from Premier
December 15, 2023	TCHS "Brighter Side Singers"

**Day trips yet to come:**

December 1, 2023	Holiday Dinner at Tam O'Shanter
December 4, 2023	A Very Merry Mathis Christmas
December 10, 2023	Christmas Is...at the Haugh Theatre
December 31, 2023	New Year's Eve Matinee with William Florian at Almansor

Thank you for your continuing interest and support of our trips. I hope you will decide to join us on a trip, at a general meeting or come visit us on our website. We look forward to having you be a part of our current exciting year as well as continuing with us into 2024.

Joyce Platt  
President

### **ARCADIA TRAVELERS**

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**2023**

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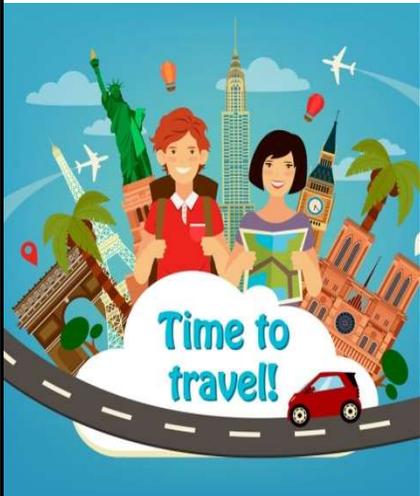
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**MEMBERSHIP NEWS**

Membership is required for all trip registrations and can be purchased for \$10 per calendar year at the travel office. Please pay with cash or by separate check.



**Arcadia Travelers Club  
Welcomes You**

**INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW**

Arcadia Travelers is a group of active 50+ adults who enjoy taking day trips, exploring the world through extended travel and forming friendships with like-minded people.

Did you know that this is the 41st year of Arcadia Travelers being an organization in the City of Arcadia for seniors 50+?

Did you know that the first meetings of Arcadia Travelers were held in the City Council Chambers?

**OFFICE HOURS**

9:00 AM to 12:30 PM...Monday through Friday (except holidays.)

Phone: (626) 821-4377.

Our holiday closure hours for our travel office will begin on December 18, 2023 and reopen on January 2, 2024.

**ARCADIA TRAVELERS GENERAL MEETINGS**

Coffee at 9:30 and meeting begins at 10:00

Meetings are the fourth Friday of the month EXCEPT for November and December, which are the third Friday of the month, due to the holidays.

**ARCADIA TRAVELERS WEBSITE**

By using our website, you will be able to research trips that are available, print information and colorful flyers, and find out what new things are happening.

[www.arcadiatravelers.org](http://www.arcadiatravelers.org)

**ARCADIA TRAVELERS SUNSHINE COMMITTEE**

When you know of someone who is an Arcadia Travelers Club member who needs a little sunshine and would appreciate receiving a get well, sympathy or thinking of you card, or just needs a little cheering up, please call our office at (626) 821-4377 or contact Chris Ohrmund. We would like to let our members know we care.

**Suggestions if you are signing up for a trip on a "GOES ON SALE" date.  
All of these details listed below, if completed before you enter the office,  
make the wait less for you and others.**

In order to more quickly process the waiting line of members on a "GOES ON SALE" date, we suggest the following:

Be sure you are given a number upon arrival for your turn in line to register.

Before you enter the office, have your check made out to "Arcadia Travelers" in the amount of the trip. In the memo line of the check at the bottom left, please put the name of the trip for which you are signing up.

If you are paying cash, please help out the office by having the exact amount.

Please have your membership card available.

If you or a friend, who is coming with you, is not a member of Arcadia Travelers, either sign up for membership in the office a few days before the "GOES ON SALE" date or have the new membership form already filled out and ready for the office volunteer. Be sure it is legible and printed. This helps to speed up the process in the office.

**Reminder:** If you're renewing a membership or signing up as a new member, your membership must be paid in either \$10 cash or a check made out to Arcadia Travelers for \$10. A trip cost and a membership fee may not be written on the same check.