

DO NOT MISS SEEING ONE OF THE MOST FAMOUS LOCATIONS IN THE STATE OF ARIZONA!!

SEDONA, ARIZONA

LOCATED AT 4,500 FT OF ELEVATION, SEDONA IS SITUATED ON THE MOUTH OF THE GORGEOUS OAK CREEK CANYON

SURROUNDED BY BREATHTAKING RED ROCK SCENERY!

COME JOIN THE POST CONFERENCE TOUR SPONSORED BY THE SEDONA AREA GARDEN CLUB, ON THURSDAY, MAY 1, 2025

Full Package includes transportation, lunch, snacks and walking tours \$125

Base Package includes lunch, snacks, walking tours - you provide your own transportation \$35

Schedule and Itinerary

7:15 AM	Gather in the hotel lobby to check in
7:30 AM	Depart from the lobby of the Wyndham Phoenix Airport Hotel. Travel by van through the ever-changing landscapes and environments of Arizona.
	Rest stop, approximately half way, at Sunset Point, restrooms, vending machines, and amazing views.
10:00 AM	Arrive at Karon's home, a Sedona Area Garden Club member.
10:15 AM	Karon and Rick's home resides along the beautiful Oak Creek in Sedona which is part of the historical Hart-Straude Irrigation Ditch. This Irrigation Ditch has supplied Oak Creek water to the residents of the Copper Cliffs area since 1878 allowing for the planting, growth, and harvesting of fruits and produce.
	Karon and Rick will be providing walking tours and information about the history of this area, the Ditch, and their own property renovation and garden planning.
11:00 AM	Enjoy lunch either in the house or on their back patio area.
12:30 PM - 4:00 PM	Afternoon Tour Options Three distinct Tours will be available for your choice
4:30 PM	Return trip to Tempe by van, includes some snacks to go!.

Sedona Uptown and Arts District Tour \$35

12:30 PM	Your Tour begins in the bustling area of Sedona Uptown. This is where the town began in 1902. It was the homestead area for the early settlers and later became the center of town. Now known as Uptown, Sedona's major shopping district is located here. Uptown is filled with art galleries, gift shops, boutiques and much, much more! Outdoor murals, art objects, and beautiful sculptures add to the ambience of the Uptown area. Don't miss seeing the Sedona Arts Center, started in 1956 by Egyptian sculptor Nissan Gibran. Uptown also offers some of the best views of the Sedona Red Rocks.
2:00 PM	Sedona Trolley Tour of South Sedona and Chapel of the Holy Cross, be at the Trolley stop 10 minutes before the departure time.
	This is a fully narrated one hour tour of Sedona's uptown and South Side Arts District. Views of the famous Sedona Red Rock formations can be seen throughout the Tour. A Highlight of this Tour is a stop to see the globally known Chapel of the Holy Cross. There you will see the beautiful Chapel constructed among the Red Rocks in original collaboration with Lloyd Wright, son of Frank Llyod Wright. Arizonians voted the Chapel on of the Seven Man-Made Wonders of American and it is on the National Register of Historic Places. Here you will also experience epic vistas of the area. This is a very historic and entertaining way to experience the sights of Sedona.
3:00 PM	With the Trolley Tour finishing in uptown Sedona, you will have time to continue your walk around uptown Sedona, shopping and seeing the beautiful Red Rock formations in that area including Snoopy Rock.
4:00 PM	Van pick up will bring you back to Karon's house before the trip back to Tempe.

Rock the Canyons and History Tour \$45

12:30 PM	Begin your Adventure with a Sedona Trolley Tour of uptown, West Sedona, and Fay Canyon. This is a fully narrated one hour tour that will allow you to experience views of the most popular Red Rock formations such as Thunder Mountain and Chimney Rock. A highlight of this Tour is experiencing a drive into Fay Canyon to take in the stunning scenery. This is a very entertaining opportunity to experience the grand pageantry of the formations and red coloring of the Sedona area.
1:30 PM	Next up the van will take you to the Sedona Heritage Museum. The Museum is located in uptown Sedona in the Jordan Historical Park. The Museum exhibits highlight Sedona's early settlers, Ranching and Cowboys in the area, the Orchard Industry, Movies made in Sedona, and a lovely introduction to Sedona Schneble, the town's namesake. Enjoy walking through the Memorial Orchard and garden paths.
2:30 PM	Lastly, the van will take you to the Internationally renowned Tlaquepaque (pronounced T-la-keh-pah-keh) Village. Located on the banks of the beautiful Oak Creek, Tlaquepaque is one of the most distinctive Sedona shopping experiences for all who visit Sedona. Authentically fashioned after a traditional Mexican Village, the area offers tasteful galleries and unique shops (many owned by local well-known Sedona Artists). All offering spectacular "one of a kind" art expressions in every medium. Add in the distinctive sycamores and beautiful garden areas this is a shopping experience like no other. It is an enchanted place to look, shop, and wander!
4:15 PM	Van pick up will bring you back to Karon's house before the trip back to Tempe.

Wild Side Tour \$140

12:30 PM	Experience the thrill of one of Sedona's most popular activities, Off-Roading in an ATV! We will be departing directly from Karon's home. This Tour will drive you up into the Red Rocks of Sedona where you will experience cliffs and canyons and exhilarating red rocks! Once at the top of Chicken Point you will observe majestic vistas of the Munds Wilderness.
2:30 PM	A wild visit to Sedona would not be complete without a hike on one of the amazing hiking trails of Sedona. Take a one-hour (a bit steep at the beginning) hike towards Marg's Draw. Participants will gain a feel for the wilderness of the area and an understanding of the Sedona/Arizona vegetation and landscapes. Nothing like feeling away from it all for a brief time!
	Alternatively, if you have had enough fresh air and would rather do some shopping for the rest of the afternoon, the ATV will drop you off at Tlaquepaque. See the description above for more information.
4:15 PM	Van pick up will bring you back to Karon's house before the trip back to Tempe.

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BEAUTIFUL AREA OF ARIZONA AND THE WORLD!**