

Iceland: Land of Fire & Ice

2017 Kalamazoo College Alumni & Friends Trip

May 8 – 16, 2017



Travel Host: Sass Havilar –

Director of Advancement Events Kalamazoo College

For more information contact

Roni Williams

Travel Leaders

269-925-0777

rwilliams@travellleaders.com



9 Days • 13 Meals: 7 Breakfasts, 6 Dinners

Per Person Rates^{*}:

Double \$3,124

Single \$3,824; Triple \$3,074

Not included in price: Airfare, Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$250 per person, Hotel Transfers

* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change

IMPORTANT CONDITIONS: Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Once deposited, you have 7 days to send us written consumer consent or withdraw consent and receive a full refund. (See registration form for consent.)



Must-See Inclusions

- Gain a local's perspective of Reykjavik on a walking tour.
- Travel to the Golden Circle, one of many of Iceland's natural wonders.
- Journey to the spectacular Gullfoss waterfall.

Culinary Inclusions

- Savor Icelandic cuisine at a popular restaurant.
- Try an Icelandic delicacy — cured "hakare."

Collette Experiences

- Choose between a lava cave adventure or walking the lava fields.
- Learn about the 400-year-old tradition of catching and preserving Greenland shark.
- Explore Skogar Folk Museum, covering all aspects of Icelandic life.

Highlights: Reykjavik, Golden Circle, Thingvellir National Park, Gullfoss Waterfall, Geysir, Snaefellsnes Peninsula, Cave Tour or Lava Field Walk, Breidafjörður Bay, Seljalandsfoss, Vík, Eyjafjallajökull Volcano Visitor Center, Skogar Museum, Skógafoss, Jökulsárlón Glacial Lagoon, Vatnajökull National Park & Glacier, Blue Lagoon or Whale Watching

Day 1: Monday, May 8, 2017 Travel Day Traveling you lose a full day.

Day 2: Tuesday, May 9, 2017 Reykjavik, Iceland - Tour Begins
Begin in the capital city of Reykjavik. Join a local expert for a walking tour of the city's old section featuring Hallgrímskirkja church, city hall, the harbor and Reykjavik's oldest building, home of the Kraum Icelandic design center. Tonight, get to know your fellow travelers during a sumptuous Icelandic dinner at a popular local restaurant. (D)

Day 3: Wednesday, May 10, 2017 Reykjavik - Golden Circle - Reykjavik
Travel the memorable Golden Circle, a route encompassing many of Iceland's most renowned natural wonders: waterfalls, glaciers, geysers, lava fields, and volcanos. Begin at Thingvellir National Park, where Icelanders gathered in A.D. 930 and established one of the world's first parliaments. Find yourself standing upon one of the globe's most geologically significant landscapes, Thingvellir's rugged rift valley. This UNESCO World Heritage site marks



the crest of the Mid-Atlantic Ridge, the point where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates meet. Next, marvel at the beauty of the Gullfoss (Golden Falls) waterfall, a stunning 100-foot double cascade.

Stop at the famous thermal area of Geysir to admire the hot spring Strokkur's explosive vertical spout that reaches a height of up to 90 feet. Your day concludes with a visit to Friðheimar greenhouse cultivation center to learn how the locals grow delicious, pesticide-free tomatoes and cucumbers with the aid of Iceland's geothermal energy. (B)

Day 4: Thursday, May 11, 2017
Snæfellsnes-Cave/Lava Field Tour-Breidafjörður Cruise-Stykkishólmur
Experience the otherworldliness of the Snæfellsnes Peninsula. Take in the dramatic landscapes of black and white sand beaches, stunning cliffs, mountains peaks, volcanic craters, soaring waterfalls, rocky coastlines, intimate fishing villages, and its remarkable Snæfellsjökull glacier.

This afternoon it's your choice! You may choose a guided Vatnshellir Cave tour* and descend 100 feet below ground to an 8,000-year-old lava tube

where you'll experience total darkness and see amazing rock pigments, lava formations, stalagmites, stalactites, and more. Or, perhaps you'd prefer to walk the lava field and put your camera to work snapping photos of nature's artwork of varying textures, colors and arrangements of this dramatic landscape. Next, we continue on and pause at Kirkjufell, acclaimed to be the most photographed mountain in Iceland. Your day concludes with a nature cruise in Breidafjörður Bay. Experience countless birds like puffins**, cormorants, kittiwakes and the majestic white tailed eagle soaring amongst basalt rock columns. While cruising, try delicious fresh scallops and sea urchin roe straight from the ocean. Seafood simply doesn't come fresher than this! (B, D)

Day 5: Friday, May 12, 2017
Stykkishólmur - Vík Embark on a true Icelandic cultural adventure as you spend time with a family that keeps alive a 400-year-old tradition of catching and preserving Greenland shark. See the fishing boat utilized by their grandfather; the tiny farmer's church; and explore the museum to learn more about Iceland's deep



relationship with this trade. Before leaving, taste “hakare,” cured shark meat. Continue the adventure traveling Iceland’s south coast. Learn about geothermal renewable energy with a visit to Hellisheiði, the largest power station in Iceland and the second largest geothermal power station in the world. Make a picture stop at Waterfall Seljalandsfoss, one of few waterfalls providing you with a walkway for views from the inside out. Arrive in Vík, Iceland's most southerly village and one of the most visited sites in Iceland. (B, D)

Day 6: Saturday, May 13, 2017 Vík - Eyjafjallajökull Volcano Visitor Center - Skogar Museum - Vík Drive along the scenic south shore to Eyjafjallajökull Volcano Visitor Center. Learn about a family’s struggle to adapt during and following the dramatic 2010 explosion of the infamous Eyjafjallajökull Volcano that brought European flights to a halt. **Visit Skogar Museum** which contains an outstanding collection covering all aspects of Icelandic life including farm and domestic artifacts, as well as turf-built houses. Nearby is the impressive Skógafoss waterfall,

one of the largest in Iceland. Then, view Reynisfjara, a black volcanic sand beach surrounded by basalt columns and cliffs scattered with caves and rich bird life including the fulmar, black guillemot, razorbill, gannet and various types of seagulls. Later, see the unique natural rock formations at Dyrhólaey. (B, D)

Day 7: Sunday, May 14, 2017 Vík - Jökulsárlón Glacial Lagoon - Skaftafell - Vík Set sail**** among the huge icebergs in the picturesque scenery of Jökulsárlón Glacial Lagoon. Get to taste the 1,000-year-old ice and possibly see some seals. Later, stop at Skaftafell, gateway to Vatnajökull National Park, the largest national park in Europe. Marvel at the Alpine environment of Iceland’s highest mountains and the Vatnajökull glacier, Europe’s largest glacier. (B, D)

Day 8: Monday, May 15, 2017 Vík - Blue Lagoon or Whale Watching - Reykjavik Choose how to enjoy your last day in Iceland! Perhaps you’ll embark on a drive to the Reykjanes Peninsula, known for its rugged landscape, lava fields, numerous hot springs, and home to the Blue Lagoon;

take a dip in the pleasantly warm, mineral-rich waters of the geothermal pool, located in the middle of a dramatic lava field. Or maybe you'd prefer to further explore the wonders of Iceland's waters during an informative whale watching adventure in the bay of Faxaflói; have your camera ready for minke and humpback whale sightings, along with white-beaked dolphins and harbor porpoises in their natural habitat. Later, gather with your fellow travelers for a local dining experience and share stories of your days in Iceland. (B, D)

Day 9: Tuesday, May 16, 2017
Reykjavik - Tour Ends Depart for

home with many incredible Icelandic memories. (B)

Itinerary at a glance	
Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2, 3	Centerhotel Plaza, Reykjavik
Day 4	Hotel Stykkisholmur, Grundarfjörður
Days 5 – 7	Hotel Katla Hofdabrekka, Vík
Day 8	Centerhotel Plaza, Reykjavik
<i>On some dates alternate hotels may be used.</i>	

Experience It! Geothermal Greenhouses

Growing food in Iceland has historically been a challenge for residents due to the cold climate, unproductive land, and at times, a lack of natural light. Discover how modern technology defies these natural challenges with geothermal greenhouses. At a family-run greenhouse, learn how they are able to harness the natural warmth from the ground's geothermic waters and use it to create a year-round Mediterranean climate. Join a horticultural expert for an insider's look at innovative growing methods used to produce a large variety of tomatoes that are able thrive in this otherwise challenging environment.

Please Note:

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

Hotel check-in on your day of arrival is 3:00 p.m. Rooms may not be available prior to that time.

Museum visits and shopping may be affected with observance of religious or local holidays.

The days and order of sightseeing may change to best utilize your time on tour.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you

the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at prescheduled times.

On occasion, some activities may not be available due to inclement weather.

****Puffin** can usually be viewed mid-May through mid-August.

*******During the months of April & October, the Jökulsárlón Glacial Lagoon cruise may not operate due to seasonality. This is reflected in the land price for these time periods.

This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking

**For important reservation information visit <https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/758233>.
You can also find this information on your tour documents.**

ours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs or on uneven walking surfaces should be expected.

*The Vatnshellir Cave tour is not recommended for guests who are claustrophobic or have back or knee problems. Guests should be in good physical condition.

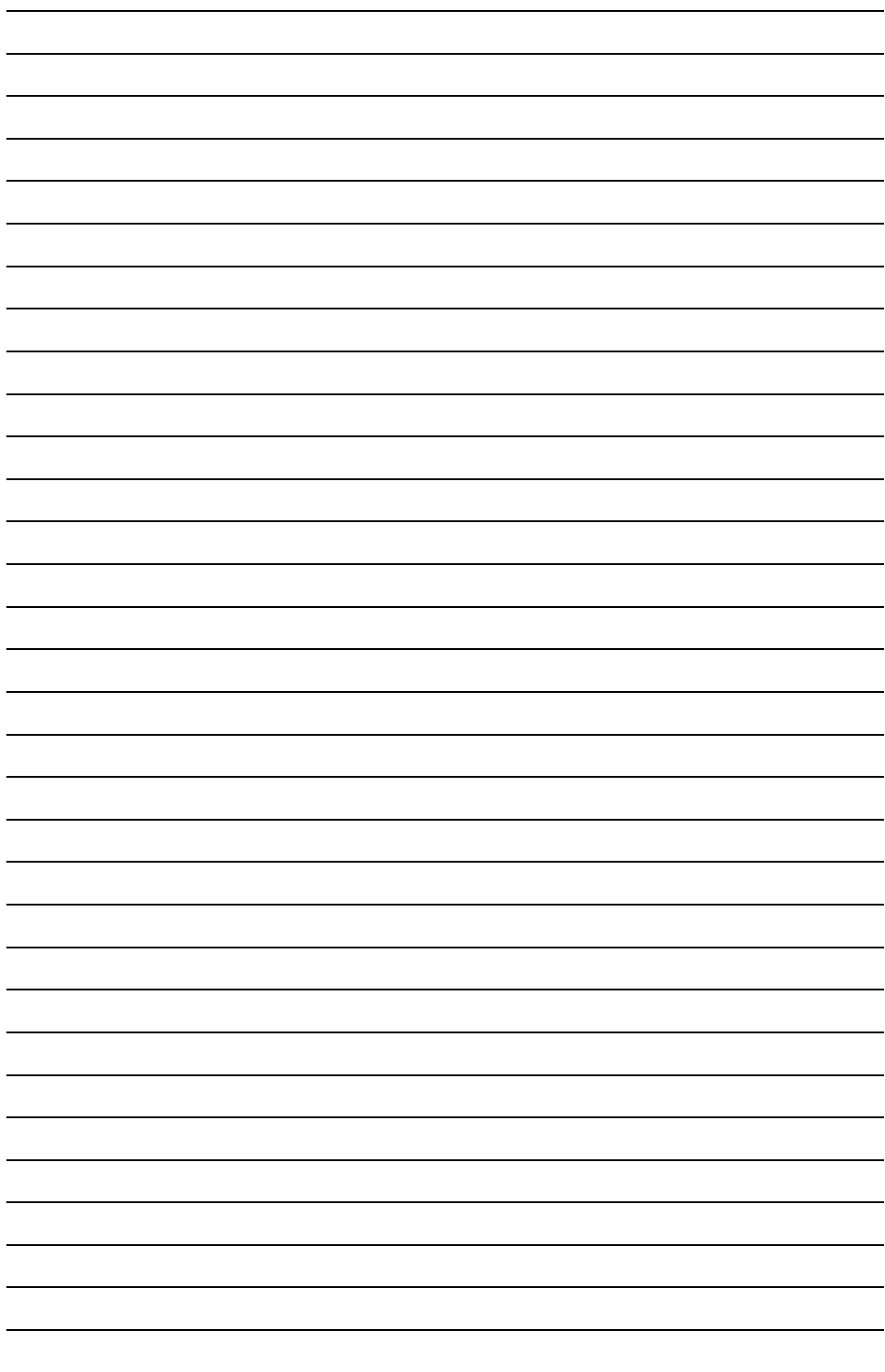
Due to flight schedules, a post night may be required in some Iceland Air gateway cities (at an additional cost). Please inquire at time of reservation.

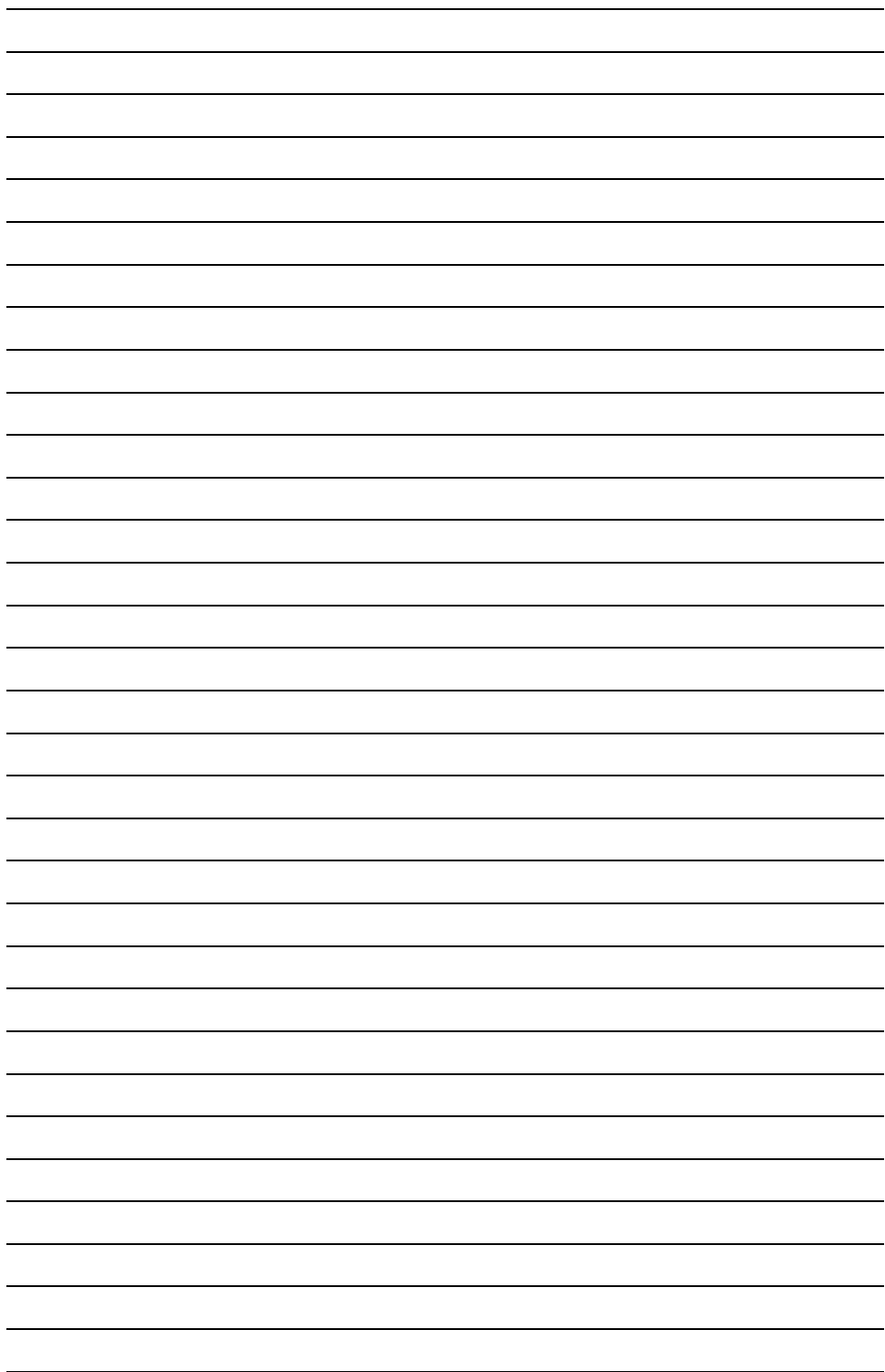
A deposit of \$300per person due upon reservation, \$50 is non-refundable after 14 days. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of November 01, 2016 are based upon availability. Final payment due by March 07, 2017. Please note: deposits are fully refundable up until November 08, 2016, after that date certain charges apply.

CST#2006766-20 UBN#601220855 Nevada
Sellers of Travel Registration No. 2003-0279

NOTES:

This image shows a single sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.





This image shows a blank sheet of white paper with horizontal ruling lines. The lines are evenly spaced and run across the width of the page. There are no margins, text, or other markings on the paper.

For more information visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/758233>

Rewards

Join Travel Loyalty by Collette (TLC) through a simple online process after booking a trip. Once you depart, receive a \$150 credit per person towards your next trip! It's our way of rewarding our loyal travelers.[†] Learn more at www.gocollette.com/guided-travel#loyalty_program

You Are Protected

Travel the world, worry-free with Collette's Travel Protection Plan. If you need to cancel for any reason right up until the day prior to departure, you'll get a full refund (less the cost of the plan). Plus, you are covered on tour. If you have to stop your trip or return home early, need medical assistance or evacuation, suffer a baggage loss or delay, or are delayed on tour for 12 hours or more, you're covered. It's the kind of peace of mind you cannot put a price tag on. Learn more at www.gocollette.com/guided-travel#no_worries_waiver

The Collette Gateway

After you make your reservation, we will email you an invitation to the Collette Gateway. This online hub allows you to track your travel experience. On your personal profile page, tell us where you've been; enjoy a countdown to your tour, see information about the destinations you'll visit, connect with fellow travelers, check out popular travel tips and sign up for Travel Loyalty by Collette (TLC). The Gateway makes your travel experience easy and fun. Learn more at gateway.gocollette.com

[†] Full credit is valid for travel within 12 months of the original trip. \$100 of the credit remains valid for travel within 13-24 months and the entire credit expires after 24 months.

Travel Leaders
1958 Mall Pl
Benton Harbor, Michigan, 49022-2332





162 Middle Street
Pawtucket, RI • 02860
Phone: 1-800-752-2655 Fax: 1-401-727-9014

If paying by credit card, please complete this form and return to Travel Leaders. We can only charge your credit card for the amount noted if the signature, address and phone number are listed below.
Thank you!

CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

BOOKING NUMBER: 758233
DEPARTURE DATE: May 8, 2017

TOUR: Iceland: Land of Fire & Ice
GROUP NAME: Travel Leaders

Name of Passenger:

Salutation: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____ Suffix: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

Cardholder Name: _____
(Please print as it appears on your Credit Card)

Cardholder Address: _____
(as it appears on your credit card statement)

Cardholder Phone: _____

Credit Card Type: ____ American Express ____ Discover ____ MasterCard ____ Visa

Credit Card Number: _____

Expiration Date: _____ Amount to be charged: \$ _____

Cardholder's Signature: _____ Date: _____

I agree to pay according to the card issuer agreement. I understand and accept Collette cancellation policy, terms and conditions.

Participating credit card companies are now requiring a billing address and phone number for **FRAUD PREVENTION**. All information **MUST** be provided. Thank you for your cooperation!
If using your credit card for payment, please return this Authorization Form by mail to:

Travel Leaders
Attn: Roni Williams
1958 Mall Pl
Benton Harbor, MI 49022-2332

Or by Fax to: (269) 925-0170

☐ Above credit card information has been called in to Collette.



TRAVEL DATE: 5/08/2017 TERRITORY: MB
RES#: 758233

Iceland: Land of Fire & Ice

For Reservations Contact: Roni Williams 269-925-0777

Travel Leaders, 1958 Mall Pl, Benton Harbor, MI 49022-2332

A deposit of \$300per person due upon reservation, \$50 is non-refundable after 14 days. . Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of November 01, 2016 are based upon availability. Final payment due by March 07, 2017. Please note: deposits are fully refundable up until November 08, 2016, after that date certain charges apply.

YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) **as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.**

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: () Male () Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiration Date: (month/day/year) _____ Date of Issuance: (month/day/year) _____

City, State, Country of Issuance: _____ Citizenship: _____

Should you become ill or injured, whom should we contact (not traveling with you): _____ Phone: () _____

ROOMING WITH: ☐ Check if address is the same as Passenger #1

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

TRAVEL PROTECTION: () Yes, I wish to purchase travel protection \$250 () No, I decline

If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

ON TOUR ACTIVITIES: Please choose one of the following on tour activities

Please Choose One:

() Blue Lagoon Ltd

() Whale Watching

Please Choose One:

() Peninsula Lava Field Walk

() Peninsula Lava Cave Tour

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Travel Leaders () Check () Credit Card

Waiver/Insurance Amount: \$ _____ Deposit Amount: \$ _____ Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

Cardholder Name (if paying by Credit Card): _____

Cardholder Billing Address: ☐ Check if address is the same as above _____

Cardholder Phone: _____ Amount: \$ _____

Credit Card Number: _ Expiration Date: _ _ M M Y Y

SIGNATURE REQUIRED for acceptance of the below conditions and agreement to credit card use:

Date: _____

I agree to pay according to the card issuer agreement. I understand and accept the cancellation policy, terms and conditions. See <http://www.gocollette.com/about-collette/terms-and-conditions> for full terms and conditions of your purchase.

Important Conditions: Your price is subject to increase prior to the time you make full payment. Your price is not subject to increase after you make full payment, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees.