



**ALPHARETTA ADULT ACTIVITY CENTER AT NORTH PARK
ROSWELL RAMBLERS PRESENT:**

CHRISTMAS IN HISTORIC SAVANNAH

Featuring “A Christmas Boat Parade – Savannah Style”

November 30-December 2, 2019

Double: \$575.00 Single: \$725.00 \$100 deposit due upon registration. Checks made out to the City of Alpharetta or credit cards accepted at the Alpharetta Adult Activity Center. Final payment is due no later than **Fri. Oct. 18, 2019.**

LODGING: Holiday Inn in the Historic District of Savannah.

TRANSPORTATION: Deluxe Motor Coach (with 30) Center Bus (below 30)

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Sat. Nov. 30

Day 1 (Dinner Included)

- Meet & Greet at the Hotel
- Board the River Boat for the Boat Parade of Lights, Buffet Dinner, and Dancing.
- A Christmas Parade – Savannah Style! Join us as a fleet of local boats alight the Savannah River in an annual celebration of the season and you will be in the lead boat. The event officially marks the beginning of the holidays with a tree lighting ceremony and presentation of a proclamation by General James Oglethorpe, Founder of Savannah.

Sun. Dec. 1

Day 2 (Breakfast & Lunch included)

- Buffet Breakfast in the Hotel dining room
- Begin the tour of the Savannah Lowcountry by winding your way through the Victorian District and then on the Ardsley Park. Continue on through the charming fishing village of

Thunderbolt hearing the tales of the area. As you drive through the Lowcountry you will see Fort Pulaski, For Screven, and Tybee Lighthouse.

- The group will prepare their own lunch with the freshest, local ingredients available. Chef Darin is a well-known Savannah chef who has taught class at The Mansion in Savannah and Disney School of Learning in Orlando prior to starting his own school. Chef Darin has created a wonderful environment for this type of class. The facility is state of the art with amazing equipment, wonderful atmosphere and his passion for teaching really shines through. He takes the time to teach standard skills (like knife skills) and also teaches new techniques talks about why you do some of the things you do. He even teaches you how to measure flour. The lunch that is prepared with audience participation is a real low-country treat, Shrimp & Grits, Fried Green Tomatoes, homemade biscuits and some other specialties. For those who can't eat shellfish there is a chicken alternative.
- Dinner this evening will be on own in the hotel dining room or in the City Market with its numerous restaurants.
- Board a trolley with one of the Conductor "elves" that will delight in entertaining and amusing guests with tales of favorite Holiday Traditions as you pass by festively decorated Historic Homes. Includes stops at the Historic Isaiah Davenport House and Savannah's Candy Kitchen. Enjoy the Gingerbread House display at the Weston.

Mon. Dec. 2

Day 3 (Breakfast, Lunch included)

- Buffet Breakfast in the Hotel dining room.
- Tour Savannah Historic District. Experienced travelers are drawn to Savannah because of its natural beauty rich history and good old-fashioned Southern hospitality. Here you will get an overview of the City of Savannah, The Hostess City of the South. The tour will take you through 2.2 square mile National Historic District of one of the most beautiful cities in America. (The tour will include seeing some of Savannah's famous monuments which are dedicated to our leading citizens.)
- Entrance to the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist.
- Lunch Buffet at the Pirates' House. Since 1753, the Pirate's House has been welcoming visitors to Savannah with a bounty of delicious food and drink and rousing good times.
- Depart for home.

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