

# Welkom

**Holland, MI**

**Day : May 7, 2010 - Thursday**

Make a morning departure with your new friends as you travel to the other side of our state. This is the 80th anniversary of the Holland Tulip Festival. There is a self guided walking tour of downtown that features highlights that have helped celebrate the 80 years.



Tulips serve as the highlight of the festival with over 6 million bulbs planted. The Dutch Dance is a vibrant part of the festival with over 1,100 costumed Dutch Dancers. Celebrities have been drawn to the festival year after year to celebrate Holland's heritage and her impact on the rest of the world. Parades travel through downtown three times during the festival. And, volunteers are how the festival has continued for 80 years.

Begin your day in Holland at the Senior Center where lunch will be served along with a special musical presentation. This year the title of the show is "Gotta Sing, Gotta Dance." Bet you will know all the songs as members of the Evergreen Chorale, Festival Dancers, Live Pit Band, and a wealth of Tulip Time Pageantry present their program. Early afternoon make a stop at the Veldheer Tulip Farm and the Delft Factory, the only place you can buy tulips while in Holland. Time permitting take a stroll along Lake Michigan. See some of the "Pure Michigan" sights our state taunts to other states. Check into our downtown hotel and in the evening enjoy the dinner show with the **New Odyssey**.

What is this **New Odyssey**? It is three guys and thirty instruments with over 30 years experience.



The secret of their success is their ability to amaze and entertain audiences in a unique and dynamic way. With the latest technology, they generate a continual stream of innovations and timeless musical compositions. This outstanding performance features some classical rock, country, novelty and specialty arrangements. It promises to be a really, really, fun evening.

Begin day 2 with breakfast at the hotel and then take a tour of Holland with a costumed local guide. Stop by where the Klompeen Dancers are performing and Centennial Park for pictures of beautiful beds of tulips. Also pass by some of the Tulip Lanes where approximately six miles of tulips in brilliant array line Holland's streets. There are more than 550,000 tulips in City parks, public areas, and along City streets.

Lunch will be served at one of the local downtown churches and you will have some free time in Holland. As the bus departs town, stop at the famous Windmill Island to explore the beauty of the island as well as walk up into the Windmill.

You are in for a really special treat at Noel's restaurant in Jamestown, MI.

Board the motorcoach and return home having spent 2 wonderful days on the west side of the state, seeing and doing all kinds of exciting and interesting things.

*Bulbs planted on Tulip Lanes are replaced yearly, while others are replaced as needed, approximately every 2 or 3 years. All bulbs are from the Netherlands, and are delivered to Holland by mid-September. The city Parks Department maintains all public tulip beds. This investment in the community's continuing beautification project costs nearly \$30,000 each year.*

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# Holland Tulip Festival

--Featuring New Odyssey--

--Evergreen Commons--

--much, much more--



Thursday and Friday  
May 6-7, 2010

**\$279** pp double  
\$250 pp Triple  
\$235 pp quad  
\$365 private room

**You don't need a passport  
for this trip to Holland.**



Deposit of \$25 due now. Final Payment due March 29. Should you cancel prior to March 29 the penalty is \$25. Cancel between March 30 and April 22 and the penalty is \$90. No refund if you cancel April 23 or after. Cancellation protection is recommended. You can get a substitute at any time and incur no penalty.

### Day 1

Morning departure  
Senior Play and Luncheon  
Veldheers and Delft Factory  
Stroll along Lake Michigan  
Check into Holiday Inn, Holland  
Dinner and the New Odyssey

### Day 2

Expanded Continental Breakfast  
Tour of Holland with local guide  
Lunch at local church  
Free time in Downtown  
Visit Windmill Island  
Dinner at Noel's  
Arrive home late



New Odyssey without their instruments

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**Circle: Single Double Triple Quad**

Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

