

Appalachian Express

Chattanooga to Cumberland

Itinerary

Day 1 - Welcome to Southwest Virginia

Your Appalachian adventure begins in the mountains of Southwest Virginia with an overnight stay in Wytheville. This evening, enjoy a delicious four-course dinner and live entertainment at the beloved Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theatre.

Day 2 - Chattanooga & River Cruising

Travel to vibrant Chattanooga, Tennessee, with a stop at the fascinating Coker Museum filled with vintage cars and transportation history. Tonight, relax aboard the Southern Belle Riverboat for a scenic sunset cruise on the Tennessee River.

Day 3 - Lookout Mountain Adventures

Ride the famous Incline Railway to the top of Lookout Mountain for breathtaking views before exploring the natural beauty of Rock City Gardens. Later, enjoy free time at the Chattanooga Choo Choo and a Guided City Tour before dinner in downtown Chattanooga.

Day 4 - Historic Rails & Roanoke

Climb aboard the Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum with a narrated train excursion and restoration shop tour. After lunch, continue north to historic Roanoke for an overnight stay and delicious dinner.

Day 5 - Rail History & The Greenbrier

Visit the O. Winston Link Museum celebrating the golden age of steam railroading before arriving at the famous Greenbrier Resort for lunch and the fascinating Cold War-era Bunker Tour. Tonight, enjoy dinner in the scenic mountains of West Virginia before arriving in Elkins.

Day 6 - Mountain Rail Excursion

Begin the day with lively Appalachian music and storytelling before boarding the New Tygart Flyer for a spectacular rail journey through West Virginia's mountain wilderness. This evening features dinner and entertainment at the beautifully restored Railyard Event Center.

Day 7 - Cass Scenic Railroad

Explore West Virginia railroad history before boarding the legendary Cass Scenic Railroad for an unforgettable ride through the mountains to Whittaker Station. Tonight, dine at the historic Graceland Inn overlooking stunning Appalachian scenery.

Day 8 - Frank Lloyd Wright Country


Tour two of Frank Lloyd Wright's architectural masterpieces, Kentuck Knob and the world-famous Fallingwater, beautifully nestled within Pennsylvania's Laurel Highlands.

Day 9 - Scenic Steam Rail Adventure

Enjoy a memorable scenic train excursion featuring gourmet lunch, mountain views, and one of the largest operating steam locomotives in the country. Enjoy an evening at your leisure.

Day 10 - Journey Home

After breakfast, depart for home.



Climb aboard for an unforgettable rail and river adventure through the heart of Appalachia!

From the scenic Tennessee River and the historic rails of Chattanooga to the mountain steam trains of West Virginia, this journey combines breathtaking scenery and charming mountain towns.

Highlights

- Wohlfahrt Haus Dinner Theatre
- Coker Museum
- Southern Belle River Cruise
- Lookout Mountain Incline Railway
- Rock City Gardens
- Chattanooga Choo Choo
- Guided Chattanooga City Tour
- Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum & Train Ride Excursion
- O. Winston Link & Roanoke History Museum
- Greenbrier Bunker Tour
- Railyard Event & Conference Center Show
- Mountain Rail West Virginia
- Western Virginia Railroad Museum
- Cass Whitaker Station Train Ride
- Frank Lloyd Wright's Kentuck Knob
- Fallingwater
- Steam Locomotive Excursion & Luncheon

Inclusions

- 9 nights' accommodations
- 9 Breakfasts, 7 Lunches, 6 Dinners
- Admissions and Guide Services
- Taxes & Hotel Fees