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**2018 ANCA
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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21ST AT 7:30PM
QUINTA MAZATLAN
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SPECIAL LIBATIONS STANDOFF!



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FOR THIS EXCITING
BIDDING WAR!

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KEY WEST



VACATION

Nights: 7

Number of Participants Included: 6

About: Your villa overlooks the Atlantic and colorful tropical gardens. Old Town's famous galleries and restaurants are just a short distance away. So is the fun and activity on Smathers Beach, Key West's premier white-sand beach.

Accommodations: Luxurious 2-bedroom residence with private balcony, king-sized bed and spa tub in master suite, queen sized bed in guest bedroom and full bathroom, Wi-Fi and premium electronics throughout, fully equipped kitchen and dining area, sleeper sofa, pool, fitness center, concierge, and snack bar/bar onsite.

Available: April 20-27, 2019.

Value: \$3,500

Donated by: Pamela Musk.

CAPE COD & NANTUCKET



VACATION

Nights: Two 7 night stays available! One each to the top two bidders!

Number of Participants Included: Up to 6 for each stay.

About: Relax out on the large deck of this secluded Cape home. 1.5 miles from Cornhill Beach on the Bayside, a nice walk, and 2 miles from Ballston Beach on the Atlantic, about 15 miles from Provincetown, 1 mile from Jams, the local bakery, and Macs Seafood, the local fish store.

Visit the Linda Loring Nature Foundation with Executive Director, Kitty Pochman, and her staff. Explore the 108 acres of protected land on Eel Point Road then Kitty will take you to grab lunch at Something Natural, a favorite sandwich shop on island, and return to her garden oasis to eat. After lunch, Kitty will give you a tour of the island before dropping you off in town to shop, get an ice cream cone, and catch the ferry back to the Cape. Two high-speed ferry tickets across Nantucket Sound from Hyannis to Nantucket and lunch for two included.

Accommodations: Includes 1 King with full bath, 1 Queen with full bath, 1 Queen pull-out in living room, outdoor shower, full kitchen, TV, Internet/Wi-Fi, grill, and large outdoor deck.

No pets, bring your own sheets and towels.

Available: June 1st-8th, August 31st- September 7th, or September 7th- September 14th, 2019.

Value: \$1,450 per stay.

Donated by: Laurie Brown, Paul Fader, and Kitty Pochman.

CHAUTAUQUA EXTRAVAGANZA

Nights: 4

Number of Participants

Included: 4

About: Experience the wilds of Chautauqua County, NY - hosted by your fellow ANCA members! Stay at the Executive Director of Cincinnati Nature Center, Bill Hopple's, cottage on Lake Chautauqua. Optional activities:



1. Chautauqua Backroad Adventures, with Jim Berry, retired President of the Roger Tory Peterson Institute. Includes a free 1/2 day tour of either 1) The Birds of the Allegheny Plateau; or, 2) Old Order Amish Culture Tour of the Conewango Valley Settlement. Both tours include pre-trip materials, transportation, and expert guide.
2. Behind the scenes tour of Roger Tory Peterson Institute with President, Twan Leenders.
3. Led hike and tour at Audubon Community Nature Center with Director Emeritus, Ruth Lundin.
4. Wine tasting and vineyard walk at Johnson Estate Winery, with third generation proprietors Fred & Jennifer Johnson.
5. Fishing on Lake Chautauqua by arrangement and depending on time of year.

Breakfasts and one dinner on the deck overlooking the lake are included.

Accommodations: 4 rooms: 2 downstairs (1 with queen bed, 1 with double bed and full bath), 2 upstairs (1 with double bed, 1 with bunk bed and half bath).

All sheets/towels provided - bring your own swimsuits and sporting gear per your pleasure depending on season!

Available: Based on arrangement with the Hopple's, not: Memorial Day Weekend, July 4th week, or Labor Day weekend.

Value: \$1,500

Donated by: Bill Hopple, Jim Berry, Twan Leenders, Ruth Lundin, Fred Johnson, and Jennifer Johnson .

VACATION

TASTE OF CINCINNATI



Nights: 3

Number of Participants Included: 4

About: Experience the wildlife of the urban core and surrounding natural areas of Cincinnati! From the vibrant nightlife of the reinvigorated Over the Rhine area to the relic prairies of The Edge of Appalachia! Four people will spend three nights at Cincinnati Nature Center's Guesthouse immersed in the forest of the 1,000 acre Rowe Woods property. In addition to a behind the scenes tour of CNC, you will have access to 15 miles of trails. Choose from the following activities: day trip to Edge of Appalachia, canoeing on Little Miami River followed by dinner at 50 West Brewing, Over the Rhine, Findlay Outdoor Market, Underground Cincinnati historic brewery tour, dinner in OTR, Cincinnati Reds game (if in town), Ohio River dinner cruise, or behind the scenes tour of Cincinnati Natural History & Science Museum in newly renovated Union Terminal. Your hosts will be Cincinnati Nature Center Executive Director, Bill Hopple, and Cincinnati Nature Center Director of Visitor Services, Kristi Masterson.

Continental Breakfast provided each morning, lunches paid for by participants, two dinners included in package.

Accommodations: One room with a double bed and two rooms with single beds. Each room has a sink – bathrooms are in the hall. Common area with TV and WiFi.

Available: August 24-27, 2019... attend the 2019 ANCA Evolve Summit at Cincinnati Nature Center, August 20th-24th, and stay after for a vacation (registration not included)!

Value: \$1,000

Donated by: Cincinnati Nature Center.

VACATION

LAKE ERIE GETAWAY



Nights: 2

Number of Participants Included: 4

About: Getaway Retreat on the North Coast! Spend up to 2 nights at Nature Center at Shaker Lakes Executive Director, Kay Carlson's, summer cottage on the shores of Lake Erie in Mentor Headlands, Ohio. Just 30 minutes from downtown Cleveland, you will feel like you're a world away! Activities may include a guided tour of the Nature Center at Shaker Lakes from Kay, sailing, kayaking, swimming, hiking, birding, eating fresh perch or walleye, exploring downtown Cleveland, nearby Mentor Headlands Beach State Park, or simply relaxing by the shore in a hammock!

Kay will be staying at the cottage at the same time and can serve as guide or allow guests to explore on their own, as desired.

Accommodations: Includes 1 King with half bath and 1 Queen with full bath (shared), indoor & outdoor showers, full kitchen, TV, Internet/Wi-Fi, and private beach.

Available: Mid-June through Mid-September 2019 on mutually agreeable dates (weekends preferred).

Value: \$500

Donated by: Kay Carlson.

VACATION

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND STAY



VACATION

Nights: 2

Number of Participants Included: 2

About: Get away for the weekend and enjoy a two-night stay at the Hilton Garden Inn South Padre Island, a Dolphin Watch Tour, and dinner at Sea Ranch! The Hilton is on the beach and features complimentary WI-Fi and a 24-hour Business Center, complimentary fitness center and a full-service restaurant on the property providing everything you need. During the Dolphin Watch Tour, cruise onboard the Double Sunshine following the dolphin pods along the Devil's Elbow. Follow it all up with dinner at the best restaurant on the island: Sea Ranch (\$100 gift certificate included)!

Accommodations: The King or Double Queen traditional Guest Room is warm and inviting, yet equipped with the latest in technology and ergonomic comfort for maximum convenience. Complimentary high-speed internet access (wired and wireless). Rooms are equipped with a microwave, mini refrigerator, coffee/tea maker, 32-inch TVs, iron/ironing board.

Available: No restrictions.

Value: \$800

Donated by: Barry Patel, The Original Dolphin Watch, and Sea Ranch. Special thanks to Cristin Howard for coordinating.

BASE CAMP AT NORTH CASCADES INSTITUTE



VACATION

Number of Participants Included: 2

About: Gift certificate for two people to spend two nights at Base Camp. Flexible, affordable, enriching and fun, Base Camp offers you the opportunity to explore and learn about "the American Alps" while enjoying the comforts of our award-winning campus in the heart of North Cascades National Park. It's a unique way to visit the Diablo Lake area for the first time, stop over as you travel across the Cascades on a road trip and launch or conclude your national park camping, hiking, biking, paddling or climbing adventure. Each night of Base Camp includes an inspiring outdoor learning adventure offering a hands-on exploration of the natural and cultural history of North Cascades National Park.

Includes three delicious meals made with locally-sourced, organic ingredients.

Accommodations: Comfortable lodges.

Value: \$460

Donated by: Saul Weisberg and North Cascades Institute.

HOG ISLAND AUDUBON RAPTOR RAPTURE CAMP

VACATION



Nights: 5

Number of Participants Included: 1

About: Join ANCA Board President, Iain MacLeod, for a spectacular 5 days on the coast of Maine for Raptor Rapture. Iain is one of the Instructors along with Dr. Rob Bierregaard and Tim Gallagher. The course includes banding Osprey chicks, a day-long boat trip to Eastern Egg Rock and Harbor Island to see terns and Puffins, workshops on raptor anatomy, biology, pellet dissection, and daily birding.

Accommodations: Shared double room. Upgrades available for purchase.

Available: July 7-12, 2019.

Value: \$1,145

Donated by: Hog Island Audubon Camp. Coordinated by Iain MacLeod.

NATURE PRESCHOOL CONFERENCE

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Number of Participants Included: 1

About: Nature-based preschools are re-focusing the lens on early childhood education. Join us for Irvine Nature Center's award-winning conference to address the unique benefits and challenges of nature-based curriculum in early childhood programs. Typically held in April of each year.

Network with participants from across the country to share and grow the EECE movement! See where professional development intersects with teacher retreat during an inspiring weekend.

Trip includes meals, snacks, and beverages.

Accommodations: On-site camping (optional).

Value: \$250

Donated by: Brooks Paternotte and Irvine Nature Center.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR INTERPRETATION TRAINING



Number of Participants Included: 1

About: This item includes a Certified Interpretive Guide Trainer course and a one-year professional membership (if not already a member) for one individual. The 5-day course and certification allows a person to train and certify staff (and others in the public) to become NAI Certified Interpretive Guides. Courses available all over the country.

The National Association for Interpretation (NAI) is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit professional organization dedicated to advancing the profession of heritage interpretation, currently serving about 7,000 members in the United States, Canada, and over thirty other nations. Individual members include those who work at parks, museums, nature centers, zoos, botanical gardens, aquariums, historical and cultural sites, commercial tour companies, and theme parks.

Value: \$700

Donated by: Margo Carlock and the National Association for Interpretation.

RESIDENTIAL ENVIRONMENTAL LEARNING CENTER GATHERING

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Number of Registrations:1

About: Join us for the ANCA Residential Environmental Learning Center gathering, January 18-22, 2019. The 2019 conference is located in Finland, MN at Wolf Ridge Environmental Learning Center. Join environmental learning center leaders from all over the country to share ideas in an open space format AND explore Minnesota winter in its glory!

Accommodations: Includes 1 registration and lodging in a shared room.

Value: \$354

Donated by: Wolf Ridge Environmental Learning Center.

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