

# THE GRAND CANYON OF PENNSYLVANIA

## 3 Days - 2 Nights

*The sample itinerary described below is approximately like the itinerary your group will be following during your stay with WHITE STAR TOURS. However, the exact times, days, and destinations may vary for your group.*

- Day 1 A morning departure has you heading into the **Williamsport, PA**. Upon arrival, you will have time for lunch on your own before visiting the **Thomas T. Taber Museum**. This unique attraction allows you to explore galleries including A Journey Through Time, Lumbering Heritage, American Indian and the **Shempp Model Train Collection**. Later, you will stop at **Susquehanna State Park** where you will board the *Hiawatha* for a **1-hour sightseeing cruise** on the Susquehanna River. After the cruise, depart for your hotel in the area where you will check in and have a chance to freshen up. Tonight, enjoy a fantastic dinner at the **historic Peter Herdic House**, a Victorian mansion located on Millionaires Row.
- Day 2 Enjoy breakfast at your hotel, then depart north into **Wellsboro, PA** for your day of touring in the **Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania** region. Upon arrival, there will be time for lunch on your own and browsing in quaint downtown **Wellsboro**, then continue to Ansonia to board your **horse-drawn covered wagon** – similar to those used in the 1800's, and travel down the Pine Creek Rail trail on a **tour of the Upper Gorge**. Your tour guide relays the history of the Canyon going back to the 19th century as you enjoy the scenic views. Not much has changed in the area since the late 1700s, and a wide variety of wildlife can be seen including bobcats, whitetail deer, otters, mink, eagles, woodchucks and more. A stop will be made at **Leonard Harrison State Park** where you will have a chance to observe 800-foot deep, glacially-carved canyon from the **Overlook**. After your visit, return to Williamsport for dinner. This evening, enjoy a **family-style dinner in the quaint and historic Carriage House**.
- Day 3 Following breakfast at the hotel, it is time to check out and return to Williamsport. Upon arrival, you will meet your **costumed guide for a tour of Millionaires Row**. The district includes gardens and parks which have been brought back to their original splendor., and you will learn about the lumber barons of the Victorian Era who built their homes here and many have been preserved including the **Rowley House**. Built in 1888 for E.A. Rowley, one of the wealthiest men in Pennsylvania, it is one of the most architecturally significant houses in the Commonwealth. The residence had the finest plaster moldings and ceiling medallions in the city as well as expensive English Minton Tiles in each fireplace and the vestibule. An even more significant feature of the house is the breathtaking Tiffany-quality stained glass windows. The most amazing thing about this mansion is that it still exists, more than 115 years later. After the tour, depart for home with fond memories of the **Grand Canyon of Pennsylvania**.

**THANK YOU FOR ALLOWING WHITE STAR TOURS TO BE A PART OF YOUR TRAVEL PLANS!**

### ***TRIP CANCELLATION PROTECTION***

*Cancellation protection is encouraged for medical emergencies that may occur. The **Enhanced option must be paid within 14 days** from the day the first deposit for the trip is paid to the organization and/or group leader. There is an additional Enhanced upgrade - **Cancel for Any Reason**. Cancellation must be made no later than 48 hours prior to your scheduled departure, conditions, limitations, and exclusions do apply. These plans are only valid for trips booked through White Star Tours. To purchase the protection, please contact NTA/AON Insurance via their website at <https://nta.aontravelprotect.com> and provide the **Tour Operator Location #386097**.*