

## CORNING MUSEUM OF GLASS Make Your Own Ornament September 26, 2023

### Day 1 Tuesday, September 26, 2023

- 6:40 AM Our motor coach will arrive at New York State United Teachers (4983 Brittonfield Pkwy, East Syracuse, NY 13057) for boarding.
- 7:00 AM We will depart for Corning, N.Y. We will make a coffee stop in route (on your own). *I have allowed 1 hour for stopping and traffic.*
- 10:00 AM Arrive at **Corning Museum of Glass**. Meet your greeter from the museum, they will help you get checked-in, explain the museum tour map, live demonstration schedule, answer any questions you may have and go over the ornament glass making schedule for the day. *Group will be split depending on the number of guests.*
- 12:45 PM Enjoy **lunch** at **Sorge's Restaurant** – A family dining tradition since 1951. Providing the finest Italian/American cuisine. **Your entrée choices are: (please make your selection at the time of reservation)**
- A) Chicken Parmesan** – served with a side of spaghetti and side salad
- B) Eggplant Parmesan** – served with a side of spaghetti and side salad
- C) Grilled Chicken Salad** – fresh mixed greens, tomato, green and black olives, cucumber and grilled Italian marinated chicken breast
- D) Hot Ham & Turkey Sandwich with Minestrone Soup** – shaved turkey and ham with melted Swiss cheese, with Russian dressing on grilled bread.
- Lunches will include rolls and butter, chef's choice for dessert, coffee, or tea.
- Following lunch return to the museum for your workshop.
- 2:45 PM **Ornament Glassblowing** - This experience allows you to work with hot glass up close, while staying on the cool end of the glassblowing iron at all times. You will start by choosing the glass colors you want to use and the shape of your ornament, and then partner with our professional glassblowers to create your design. You will use a foot pedal to add compressed air into the blowpipe and watch as the ornament inflates and the glassblower guides and shapes the glass with special tools. After your ornament is shaped, it is removed from the blowpipe, a glass loop is added, and it is placed in an oven to begin an overnight slow cooling process. *If you are not in your ornament workshop you will enjoy the museum along with live demonstrations.* **Glass ornaments will be shipped to ONE ADDRESS.**
- 3:45 PM Group B (if a group B is needed) Ornament Glassblowing.
- 5:00 PM Depart for home with a stop in route. *I have allowed 45 minutes for stopping*
- 7:45 PM Estimated arrival time home.

**Itinerary, times, and menus are subject to change at any time.**

### **Package includes:**

- Round trip motor coach transportation equipped with DVD and lavatory
- Admission to Corning Museum of Glass
- Lunch at Sorge's Restaurant
- Ornament Glassblowing – Make your own ornament.
- All taxes and gratuities **INCLUDING** customary tips to motor coach driver and guides/escort.
- We are members of the American Bus Association (ABA). We carry a \$1,000,000 professional liability, errors and omissions insurance policy. We are certified as a NYS WBE (Woman-Owned Business Enterprise) firm.

**Cost Per Person: 25 PAID: \$184 30 PAID: \$167 35 PAID: \$155**

**Reservations and \$25.00 deposit** due by **July 24**. **Full payment due by August 15** – No refunds after this date. Make checks payable to Lasting Impression Tours. Mail to 407 Darrow Avenue, Syracuse, New York 13209.

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