JUNE info sheet:

P.A. YOUTH TRAVEL CLUB INFORMATION FOR VIETNAM 2024 TOUR

DESTINATION: VIETNAM-17 DAYS

Register at www.eftours.ca our EF Tour Number is 2634167BW

PARENT /TRAVELER INFO MEETING – Monday, June 12 2023 5:15 pm for new families and 6:00 for all other families at the JM Cuelenaere Library 125 – 12th St. E.

This is our 29th anniversary for students of PA to travel so to celebrate this accomplishment EF is giving us 4 \$1500 draws (1st draw when 20 have registered, 2nd draw when 30 have registered, 3rd draw when 40 have registered, 4th draw when 50 have registered:

 Plus - Register by June 15th and get \$250 off the price of the trip!!! EF Tour Number 2634167BW

Register at <u>www.eftours.ca</u>

Instagram pa_travel_club Web page www.paytc.ca
Facebook (PAYTC) Twitter: @pa_youth

DATES of the trip: MARCH 23 - APRIL 8, 2024(dates subject to change)

COST: After the initial \$199 EF payment your automatic bi-weekly payments are \$ 340 or 9 monthly payments are \$680

Approximately \$5995.00 for this 17-day trip!

For more info go tour web site www.paytc.ca

Both traveller and parents must register with "Remind 101" to receive texts from the travel club too!

Price includes:

- 1. Round-trip airfare internal flight and airport taxes to Thailand and Vietnam
- 2. Accommodations
- 3. All meals breakfasts, and all but 4 suppers
- 4. Full-time services of a tour director- all transfers and inter-city transportation
- 5. Highlights In **Hanoi** visit Hoa Lo Prison, the Ho Chi Minh Mausoleum, his wooden stilt house and the One Pillar Pagoda. Travel to **Ha Long Bay** to the UNESCO World Heritage site, go on the Halong Cruise then fly to Phong Nha. In **Phong Nha** go on a Boat Cave Tour before travelling to **Hue** where you visit the Da Nang Marble Temple. Continue onto **Hoi An** where we'll be busy on a bike ride, learning to make Lanterns, taking a Bamboo Basket Boat Ride, as well as take a cooking class and visit the Am Phu Caves. Fly to **Ho Chi Minh City** to see the Reunification Palace and the War Remnants Museum and see the tunnel system of the Viet Cong in the Chu Chi Tunnels and the battlefields of the Vietnam War; visit Ben Thanh Market and go on the Mekong Delta cruise. Travel to **Mui Ne** to visit the Fairy Stream Park and then put your feet up to have 2 relaxing days on the beach.

Non Included:

\$199 all inclusive insurance, \$230 tipping plus \$50 club fee

6. General Info:

• we only do repeat trips when they are a huge success so knowing this, you'll like to know this is the 2nd time the travel club is going to Vietnam so that tells you what a huge value for the dollar we

- think you are getting
- this is my absolute top Asian trip
- we've travelled with teens from all over Saskatchewan, Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Calgary and Grand Prairie so if you have a cousin who wants to travel with you, have them give us a call and we can make it work
- every day is "THE BEST DAY" as this trip "marries "adventure and culture
- A) Participation in the Travel Club is a privilege. This privilege status requires all students to represent our City in a positive manner by following the guidelines laid out by the Travel Club advisors. Advisors have the right to ask that a travel student be excluded from the trip if the advisory panel feels this student's behaviour/attitude is not conducive to a positive, amiable, travel atmosphere, or if the advisors feel the student is not physically able to handle the rigorous pace of the trip. Any student discontinuing would lose their \$199 deposit and the\$199 all inclusive insurance plus your \$400 EF payment as well as any fundraising money that has been earned for the trip. If this decision is made after the EF Cancellation deadline, then the student will lose all their trip money.
- B) Each family will be responsible for working 4 BBQ shifts. You will be paid approx. \$80 a shift. When you register, the travel club spreadsheet will show a \$300 fee for you to pay. Once you have worked all 4 shifts this fee will be removed. Now, many Travel Club families want to work more than 4 shifts so you can give your shifts to them(there will be a list of families on the web site www.paytc.ca who want more shifts). It is YOUR responsibility to contact any of these families if you wish to give them your 4 BBQ's, you then must call Barb Henson 961-0418 (c) or Carol Darbyshire 960-2855(c) to tell her who is working your shifts for you. When you give your shifts away the family who works for you will make additional working points/money and you will have your \$300 fee taken off OR you can find any relative or friend to work for you. But, the bottom line is we need more workers for this BBQ so either your family works the shifts, you find a friend of the family to work your shifts, give your shifts up to another travel club family or on October 15 we leave this fee on your account that must be paid prior to departure.
- **C)** We need more set up families -contact Carol Darbyshire 960-2855

If for any reason your son/daughter must withdraw from this club, all fundraising money will stay in the Travel Club account, as the money was raised for the purpose of travelling.

D)The PA Youth Travel Club is fortunate enough to be able to use *JM Cuelenaere Library* – 125 – 12th St. East, Prince Albert to hold our large group meetings. -check our website www.paytc.ca prior to each meeting to see the agenda and check dates as dates may change due to circumstances going on in the library. Once small groups have been selected the advisor in charge of your traveler's small group will hold their small group meetings within the library.

E) All fundraising money will be deposited into the PAYTC account. We will deposit this fund raising money into your individual EF accounts in November, after our BBQ season in completed. Any money fundraised over and above the cost of the trip will be paid in full to the traveler prior to the trip.

- **F)** Chaperones will be chosen by myself -Donna Dalziel. Each chaperone will have experience dealing with teenagers
- **G) BE SURE TO** Sign up for the "Remind 1to1 texts" to keep up to date with the latest info on the travel club! Many fundraising events are notified this way! See the picture below for how to be Tell people to text @vietnam24 to the number (778) 402-6346

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They'll receive a welcome text from Remind.



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