#### **Boomers Express Pass**

Some characteristics of the "Boomers" include traveling in smaller groups, with friends and being able to pick and choose what may interest them and how active they want to be.

We encourage you to *research the communities* on our website: NDTourism.com. Each city or community has hidden gems, outdoor activities, festivals, restaurants, shops and offers that unique quality of small town charm. *Search the events* category for powwows, rodeos, craft fairs, art and wine walks, and community celebrations. *Search the activity* category for horseback riding, birding, boating, canoeing, wildlife viewing, marathons, hiking and biking trails.

The possibilities are endless for your group's legendary experience in North Dakota.

#### Fargo

The largest city in North Dakota has West Acres Shopping Center, Scheels All Sports Store, many unique boutiques, one-of-a kind AAA 4-Diamond rated restaurant, golf courses, art galleries and top-notch night-life entertainment.

## Hotel Donaldson, downtown Fargo,

17 suites designed around the work of regional artists. HODO restaurant is rated AAA 4-Diamond with fine dining experience and downtown fun.

## Plains Art Museum, downtown Fargo

Accredited fine art museum in the heart of historic downtown.

## Fargo-Moorhead RedHawks, Fargo

Professional minor league baseball in the American Association.

## **Carol Widman's Candy Company**

4<sup>th</sup> generation candy maker, original chocolate chipper potato chip.

## **Grand Forks**

This community has blossomed with the Grand Forks Town Square and Greenway. Outdoor activities include golf courses, disc golf and 20 miles of trails. Within walking distances, you can experience diverse boutiques, a wide variety of restaurants and Cabela's Sporting Goods store.

## **Cabela's, East Grand Forks**

A sporting goods store that any man or woman can enjoy. Get mesmerized by the 10,000-gallon fish tank filled with native fish from our area.

## King's Walk Golf Course, Grand Forks

This 18-hole Arnold Palmer signature golf course is beautifully sculpted. This prairie links style course may prove to be a bit of a challenge.

# **Grand Forks Town Square, Grand Forks**

The heart of downtown is filled with summer farmer markets selling farm fresh foods, baked goodies and crafts. Art and wine walks, large craft fairs and musical entertainment fill this downtown plaza.

#### Bismarck-Mandan

This capital city according to the Guinness World Records holds the record for the most snow angels created in one event with 8,962. Bismarck-Mandan is celebrating growth with new shopping centers, hotels and restaurants with unique flavors such as Brazilian Grill, Pirogue and Peacock Alley.

## The State Museum at the North Dakota Heritage Center, Bismarck

This \$52 million dollar project is complete with its very interactive extensive galleries, theater, cafe and coffee house, outdoor performances in the amphitheater and activities on the capitol grounds.

#### **Hawktree Golf Club, Bismarck**

Is nationally recognized by Golf Digest and offers 18 holes and 6,424 yards par 72.

## Five Nations Gallery and Gifts, Mandan

This unique restored Great Northern Railroad depot features authentic Native American artwork, beadwork, jewelry, music, flutes, buffalo robes and baskets.

# Talking Trails - Old Red/Old Ten Scenic Byway

Take your mobile device and enjoy a phone tour in each community. Historic and cultural points of interest right at your fingertips and phone. Start with railroads to pottery and antiques to Abbey Wine and the Enchanted Highway.

#### Minot

Thriving with new accommodations, new restaurants and unique boutiques and shopping centers and is home to the North Dakota State Fair, held annually in July and creates a family fun filled atmosphere with fast moving carnival rides and games with nationally known concerts. The largest Scandinavian Festival in North America, the Norsk Hostfest, held in October, brings in acclaimed chefs, artisans, musical talent, bands and variety acts from five Nordic countries, U.S. and Canada.

## Scandinavian Heritage Park, Minot

Outdoor museum featuring all five Nordic countries of Denmark, Finland, Iceland, Norway and Sweden. The Stave Church is beautifully carved and sculpted and provides a unique photo opportunity.

## Magic City International Dragway and Nodak Speedway, Minot

If fast cars such as drag racing and dirt track racing such as Bombers, Stocks and Modified racing are one of your interests, then Minot has it.

## Medora

Nestled in the Badlands and home to North Dakota's #1 attraction the Theodore Roosevelt National Park, south unit, this western adventure offers you a variety of fun, rustic elegance and a taste of the old west. Many attractions including the Chateau de Mores State Historic Site, ND Cowboy Hall of Fame and Dakota Cyclery along with western shopping opportunities with names like trading posts, general stores and mercantile, add to the brilliance of this cowboy community.

#### **Theodore Roosevelt National Park, Medora**

Ranger-led activities begin Memorial Day weekend and continue through September. Ranger talks, walks and guided tours of the Maltese Cross Cabin are offered daily. This 36-mile paved loop through the Badlands include interpretive signs and extensive backcountry trails to encourage wildlife viewing, horseback riding and petrified wood formation discoveries.

## Theodore's Dining Room, Rough Riders Hotel

A true culinary experience to enjoy, with a superb menu selection, paired with fabulous wines and elegantly displayed with white table linens.

#### Medora Musical, Medora

Get ready to enjoy this high energy, patriot and fun-filled musical production. It's amazing talent and on-stage band perform nightly in the beautiful Badlands amphitheater. Get the inside scoop and include the "Behind the Scene's" tour with your musical ticket.

## Pitchfork Steak Fondue, Medora

This western steak is cooked up right ... that is right on pitchforks and deliciously added to your plate of fixins.

# **Bully Pulpit Golf Course, Medora**

This remarkable golf course follows the landscape of Badlands, Little Missouri River, meadow and woodlands. It will test your golf skills and give you an appreciation for the breathtaking beauty of it all.

#### Williston

This community is expanding with a "Bakken Oil" boomtown flare. Williston has increased with new hotel accommodations, restaurants, and shopping centers. Its summer activities include its annual band day celebration, Rendezvous Days at Fort Union and Chokecherry Festival.

# Missouri-Yellowstone Confluence Interpretive Center, Williston

Share in the story of Lewis and Clark and the importance of confluence and view the exhibits. Step outside and check out the Interpretive walking trail, birding sites and picnic area.

# Fort Buford State Historic Site, Williston

This army fort is most known for its 1881 surrender of Sitting Bull and was perilous for U.S. expansion. Buffalo Soldiers were also stationed for a brief period of time at this army fort.

## Fort Union Trading Post National Historic Site, Williston

This trading post served many on the upper Missouri River including the Hidatsa, Assiniboine, Crow, Cree and Blackfeet tribes. Summer activities include history alive productions and rendezvous fun.