

# Abrams Hebrew Academy "Relive the Dream" Tour of Israel

Arrival: December 26, 2013 Departure: January 2, 2013

# OFFICE INFO TOURICO HOLIDAYS 220 East Central Parkway #4000, Altamonte Spring FL Office Phone: 407-215-9883

Emergency Phone Numbers: Group Operations Emergency Cell Number ONLY: Jennifer Dahan, 050-699-8963

#### Day 1 -Wednesday December 25, 2013

Group will meet at the airport for the flight- Airport/Flight TBA

## Day 2 - Thursday December 26, 2013

- 07:00 Welcome to Israel! Arrive in Israel at Ben Gurion Airport
- Upon arrival meet our **Live Israel Tours** Tour guide, Jennifer from the Israel office; the bus driver & the medic/guard. Transfer from the airport to the North
- 10:00 Visit Ramat David Air Force Base, Megiddo
- 13:00 Lunch
- 14:00 Visit Technion
- 17:00 Drive to Tiberias and check in at the hotel
- 19:00 **Galilee Sailing**: Boat Cruise along the Kinneret
- 20:00 Dinner at Laguna- Restaurant 300m from the port of the boat with traditional Israeli meal of salads and meat
- Overnight: The Royal Plaza Tiberias

# Day 3 - Friday December 27, 2013

- 07:00 Tefila and Breakfast at the hotel
- 08:00 Departure to **Ma'arat Hamachpela** in Hebron
- 13:00 Tour Abraham Avinu neighborhood & Lunch
- 14:30 Drive to Bethlehem and visit Rachel's Tomb
- 15:30 Drive to Jerusalem & check in at the hotel
- 16:30 Kabbalat Shabbat at the Kotel
- Overnight at Lev Yerushalayim Hotel

#### Day 4 – Saturday December 28, 2013

- 07:30 Tefila at the Big Synagogue of Jerusalem
- 09:00 Tour the Israel Museum
- 11:30 Return to the hotel for lunch
- 13:00 Rest & Free time for visitors
- 17:00 Havdalah service & Shabbat closing
- 18:00 Free time at the Mamilla Mall + Dinner
- 20:00 Tower of David Light Show Spectacular
- 22:00 Back to the hotel
- Overnight at Lev Yerushalayim hotel

## Day 5 – Sunday December 29, 2013

- 08:00 Tefila and Breakfast at the hotel
- 09:00 Depart for the **Old city**, Free time at the **Kotel**
- 11:00 Kotel Tunnels
- 12:30 Lunch at the Old City
- 14:00 Givat Hatachmoshet, Ammunition Hill
- 16:00 Drive to **Emek Harazim**
- 16:30 **Monument for the twin Towers disaster victims** the only other country in the world to have a monument commemorating the loss of 9/11
- 18:00 Back to the hotel for dinner
- 19:00 Free time on Ben Yehudah Street for shopping
- Overnight at Lev Yerushalayim hotel

#### Day 6 – Monday December 30, 2013

- 07:30 Breakfast at hotel
- 09:00 Yad Vashem-Holocaust Memorial Museum
- 12:30 Lunch at Mount Herzl
- 13:30 Visit in the Knesset & speak with politicians about Israel situation
- 15:30 Visit the **Supreme court of Israel**
- 17:30 Menachem Begin Museum
- 19:00 Return to the Hotel for dinner
- 20:00 Free evening at the Mamilla Mall
- Overnight at Lev Yerushalayim hotel

#### Day 7 – Tuesday December 31, 2013

- 05:30 Boker Tov! Wake up! Early morning and Check out
- 06:00 **Departure to Masada** with Box Breakfast
- 07:30 Breakfast then Tour of the Masada complex Judean Desert, Herod's Palace & taking the snake path.
- 09:30 Transfer to the **Dead sea**

- 10:00 Dead Sea- Visit the warm waters with the salt content 28 times stronger than
  any ocean; this lowest point on the earth is said to offer medicinal remedies so take the
  time to float
- 12:00 Lunch at the Dead Sea
- 13:00 Transfer to Ein Gedi
- 14:00 Ein Gedi

  Visit the National Park with its unique wildlife, and perhaps take a
  quick swim near the King David Waterfalls
- 16:00 Transfer to Tel Aviv
- 18:00 Dinner at the hotel
- Overnight at Gilgal Hotel

### Day 8 - Wednesday January 1, 2014

- 08:00 Tefila and Breakfast at the hotel
- 09:00 Palmach museum- Experiential museum covering Palmach legacy thru the stories of individuals and groups from its recruiting period until the end of the Independence Day War.
- 12:00 Independence Hall Museum
- 13:30 Lunch
- 14:30 Yitzhak Rabin Center
- 16:00 Tour of Neve Tzedek & Jaffa
- 19:00 Back to the hotel for Dinner
- 20:00 Free time in Tel Aviv
- Overnight at Gilgal Hotel

## Day 9 - Thursday January 2, 2013

- 08:30 Tefila and breakfast at the hotel
- 09:30 Shook Acarmel & King George Street Free time for shopping
- 12:00 Lunch
- 13:00 **Segway Tour** in Jaffa- Sightseeing tours along the Tayelet of Tel Aviv: Stop as much as you want, take as many pictures as you can and enjoy the sights without taking a SINGLE STEP!
- 16:00 Tanach Museum
- 18:00 Back to the hotel to pick up luggage
- 19:00 Grill 443 for a nice Basari Dinner
- Transfer to the Airport for late night flight back home

## Day 14- Friday January 3, 2013

05:50 AM - Arrive back to North America in the morning

## **End of Tour**