



**Premier Club**  
**Hells Canyon Jet Boat Adventure**  
**August 24-26, 2022**

**Day One: August 24<sup>th</sup> – Wednesday, Idaho Falls to Baker City Oregon**

Depart Idaho Falls today for our three-day two nights Hells Canyon Jet Boat Adventure! We will travel west through southern Idaho and into Oregon. Stops will be made in Pocatello, Burley, Twin Falls and Boise to pick up fellow club members. Lunch on our own will be in Boise. Leave Boise at 2:30 pm heading to Baker City, Oregon for an overnight stay before our Hells Canyon Jet Boat Adventure! We will check into the beautiful Geiser Grand Hotel for an overnight stay in the heart of historic Baker City, Oregon, and the gateway to the Hells Canyon Scenic Byway!

*Established in 1874, Baker City, known early on as the “Queen City of the Mines”, sits along the Powder River between the dramatic Elkhorn Ridge of the Blue Mountains and the Wallowa Mountains. Turn-of-the-century Victorian architecture dominates the commercial and residential buildings of the city’s downtown, earning it distinction as a national Historic District. Many buildings have been carefully restored, including the famous Geiser Grand Hotel. Originally the Warshauer House, the Geiser Grand Hotel was built in 1889 by local merchants Harry and Jake Washauer for the then magnificent sum of \$65,000.00. The hotel was the gathering place for business travelers from across the nation, and even Europe, many of whom had interests in area gold mines. Local mine owner Al Geiser purchased the hotel and extensively remodeled it at the turn of the century. The hotel was closed for almost thirty years before being restored and reopened in 1997. The Geiser Grand provides luxury turn of the century elegance with modern conveniences.*



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We will arrive early afternoon in Baker City with time to shop, visit historical sites (on your own) or relax in the luxury accommodations offered by the Geiser Grand. **An optional “Step Back in Time” tour of the Geiser Grand will be offered from 5-6 pm; learn about the history of Baker City and the colorful past of the Geiser Grand on this private tour!** Dinner will be on your own to the variety of eateries close to the Geiser Grand (*Latitude 45 Grille, AJ’s Corner Brick Bar & Grill, Dolizioso Mexican Restaurant, 1889 Café, Palm Court, Main Event Sports, Barley Brown’s Brew Pub, Mulan Garden, Charley’s Deli & Ice Cream, etc.*) before we get a good night’s sleep in our luxury accommodations.

**Day 2: August 25<sup>th</sup> - Thursday, Hells Canyon**

Following breakfast at the Geiser Grand Hotel, we will board the motor coach for a scenic drive through the breathtaking Hells Canyon Byway to the **Hells Canyon Dam Visitor Center for our Day Kirkwood Jet Boat Adventure!** (Be sure and bring your own camera, jackets, sunscreen, and a good pair of shoes (*we do not swim for flip flops*), and anything else you may need for a day on the river).

**ADVENTURE in HELLS CANYON - Day Kirkwood Jet Boat Adventure**

This adventure through the Wild River Section features the biggest rapids on the river, the deepest depths of the canyon, and the most jaw-dropping scenery transitions throughout — you can expect to see rock walls, desert grasslands, ranches, and alpine forests on the same trip.



Listen to our captains as they regale you with stories about the early Native Americans who inhabited this area and the ranching families that called Hells Canyon home. Keep your eyes open for wildlife such as bald eagles, black bears, and bighorn sheep. **Lunch, water/lemonade included.** Our spacious boats will navigate through extravagant scenery and the biggest white-water rapids in Idaho, in the Wild Section of the Snake River, and you will be served the BEST lunch in Hells Canyon at the Sheep Creek Historical Ranch. Great trip for all ages. (YES, you might get WET!)

*The mighty Snake River, as it approached the southern end of Hells Canyon, is the deepest river-carved gorge in*



*North America. According to Nez Perce folklore, the Coyote dug Hells Canyon with a big stick to protect ancestors in Oregon's Blue Mountains from the Seven Devils Mountain range across the gorge in what is now Idaho. Geologists believe that Hells Canyon was formed by normal stream erosion as the Snake River cut its way through rocks of a rising mountain range, beginning 6 million years ago. It is still being cut and is probably deeper and more rugged today than any other time in its history. The 652,488-acre Hells Canyon National Recreation Area encompasses a 71 mile stretch of the Snake River and contains some of our country's most unique scenery, plants, wildlife, and geology. Relatively mild winters and*

*abundant deer, elk and bighorn sheep drew native people to the canyon; signs of human habitation date back over 11,000 years. Pictographs and petroglyphs, as well as winter pit house villages, are scattered along the river documenting the presence of those early inhabitant.*

**Return: approximately 4:00-5:00 pm Pacific Time** to the Hells Canyon Dam Visitor's Center, we will load the motor coach and make our way back to Baker City for a hot delicious dinner at the Geiser Grand's beautiful dining room and our overnight stay at the Geiser Grand Hotel.

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### **Day 3: August 26<sup>th</sup> - Friday, Hells Canyon to Idaho Falls**

Following a hearty breakfast at the Geiser Grand, at 11:00 am, we will motor coach to **Weiser Candy Company** in Weiser, Idaho for tour and lunch (*Soup, Salad, Sandwiches*) in their **Deli**.

### **Best Homemade Candy**

*"Love this quaint candy store. They make all their own goodies with close to 100 choices...including many "Sugar free", that*



*my husband says taste as good as the real stuff. We love their goodies so much that every year, our neighborly and family gift giving ALWAYS includes a massive buy there!*

*And the neighbors and family expect it now...some even put in an order!*

*LOL*

*They also have delicious sandwiches, with specials daily. You can't go wrong stopping here!"*

### **Great little place.**

*"I ordered the turkey cordon bleu sandwich. It was amazing. The sandwich was warm, and it was the best sandwich I've had in a while. Great supply and variety of chocolates also."*



We will make a stop in Boise saying goodbye to our Treasure Valley club members, then Magic Valley and Mini Cassia Members. We will make convenience stops along the way arriving back in Pocatello, and Idaho Falls by bedtime in your own bed.

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## TOUR INCLUDES

- Private Motor coach service
- Two nights lodging (2 nights at the Geiser Grand)
- 5 meals- 2 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, and 1 Dinner including gratuities
- Scenic Jet Boat Tour in Hells Canyon
- Sightseeing and admissions as per the itinerary
- Use of local guides and drivers including gratuities
- Services of a Premier Club Director

## NOT INCLUDED

- Articles of a personal nature
- Meals other than those specified in the itinerary
- Alcoholic beverages

## TOUR COST PER PERSON

**SINGLE: \$1,300      DOUBLE: \$980      TRIPLE: \$880\***

Singles are available on a limited basis

\*Triple room will only have two beds

**Full payment is due at registration.**

**Your place is not held until we receive full payment. Spaces are first come, first serve.**

**Please review the Cancellation Policy and Activity Rating Below.**

## *RECOMMENDED GEAR LIST FOR JET BOAT PORTION OF TOUR*

- Possible swim stops on River Jet Boat, so bring your suit, rubber soled shoes, sunscreen, camera, hat, and water bottle
- Rubber soled shoes for hiking/walking in the rocks and getting on and off the boat
- Layered clothing while under way on the boat.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION/RESERVATIONS, CONTACT

Amy Evans	Treasure Valley	208-327-5400
Brecka Byers	Treasure Valley	208-327-7850
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Joy Storer	Idaho Falls	208-542-2354

## COMPLETE AND RETURN WITH DEPOSIT

**General Information:** Full payment is required upon reservation to secure your place. By registering for this trip, you authorize D.L. Evans Bank **Premier Club** personnel to share your personal information with those companies necessary to make all travel arrangements for the tour. D.L. Evans Bank **Premier Club** enjoys sharing the excitement and adventures that you experience on the Premier Club trips by taking photos of **Premier Club** travelers and on occasion, publishing those photos in newsletters and advertisements. Please sign below if you **DO NOT** authorize the use of your photo for these purposes only.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Cancellation Policy:** Should it be necessary to cancel your trip, we request as much notice as possible. **A full refund will be available until June 22, 2022, if there is someone on the waitlist to take your place. After June 22, 2022, or if there is no one on the waitlist to take your place, a cancellation fee of \$650 will be assessed.** The right is reserved to withdraw the tour due to insufficient participation or for any reason whatsoever; also, to decline to accept or to retain any person as members of the tour. ***If we should cancel a trip due to insufficient reservations all money will be refunded.***

**Baggage Disclaimer:** Although every effort is made to handle passengers' luggage as carefully as possible, D.L. Evans Bank Premier Club is not responsible for and does not assume liability or accept claims for loss of or damage to luggage due to breakage, theft or wear and tear through hotel and group carrier handling. The trip interruption and cancellation insurance provided on all extended tours allows some coverage for these occurrences.

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**Health/Travel Fitness Policy:** On **Premier Club** trips, it is required that persons needing assistance be **accompanied by a companion** who is totally responsible for providing that assistance. We would like everyone to have the opportunity to travel with the **Premier Club** and we will make a reasonable effort to accommodate the needs of our tour participants.

You must notify a D.L. Evans Bank Premier Club representative at the time your reservation is made of any disability or impairment requiring special attention or if the disability/impairment has given you issues in the past. We will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of our travelers. If a traveler requires assistance, we require that he/she be accompanied by a companion who is capable and totally responsible for aiding. Neither D.L. Evans Bank personnel, nor its suppliers, may lift or physically assist travelers. If a traveler thinks he/she might need assistance during a trip, he/she should call D.L. Evans Bank Premier Club to determine what assistance might be reasonably provided. D.L. Evans Bank Premier Club cannot provide special individual assistance to travelers with special needs for walking or other routine activities. It is D.L. Evans Bank's responsibility to maintain equal assistance to Premier Club members. D.L. Evans Bank



Premier Club strongly urges you to consider whether you should attend trips that go beyond your physical exertion level, as it takes away from the trip experience for yourself and the other attendees.

D.L. Evans Bank Premier Club tours are assigned activity ratings from level 1 to level 5. Please consider the following statements and at what level you are comfortable traveling when booking your tour:

**LEVEL 1:**

I like to keep walking to a minimum and avoiding stairs when I can. I can walk up to a mile per day over primarily level ground with short periods of standing.

**LEVEL 2:**

I'm comfortable walking one to two miles throughout the day. I expect to get on and off a motor coach, and I'm ready to stroll through cities and walk over uneven pavement. I can stand for up to 30 minutes and climb one to two flights of stairs.

**LEVEL 3:**

I like to spend much of the day exploring and be out and about on a coach with my days full. I can walk two to three miles per day and stand for long periods of time with no difficulty. Stairs don't bother me, and I love to keep up with the group.

**LEVEL 4:**

I am a fit traveler and am capable of easily walking three miles or more during the day. I would like my days to be filled with active pursuits for one to three hours at a time. I can walk on uneven and rocky terrain, including small hills.

**LEVEL 5:**

Walking is the best way to get to know a new place. I'm energetic and enjoy a challenge. I'm always ready to spend the day on the move. I am fine with uneven surfaces, inclines, stair climbing, windy or wet conditions at sites, and long periods of standing. I expect some of the experiences to occur in the evening with very long days.

**"Hells Canyon Jetboat Adventure"** has an activity **LEVEL of 4.**

I acknowledge that I have read and understand the above disclaimers/policies:

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Club Member(s)

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Premier Club Director

**Complete Below to Confirm Reservation**

Tour/Trip: Hells Canyon Jet Boat Adventure Tour Dates: August 24-26, 2022

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Traveling Companions Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthdate: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship: \_\_\_\_\_

Please indicate: Is traveling companion a Premier Club Member: [ ] YES [ ] NO

**ROOM REQUEST**

Single Room [ ]

Double Room [ ]

Triple Room [ ]

Special Needs: \_\_\_\_\_

***Space is limited and available on first payment basis.***

**Full payment due at registration**

**Your place is not confirmed on this trip until you have paid full payment, signed the disclaimer, and completed this registration form.**

Mail to the following:

D.L. Evans Bank Attn: Bonnie Zollinger PO Box 1188 Burley, ID 83318

Payment enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_

**\$1300 per person Single**

**\$980 per person Double**

**\$880 per person Triple**

Please be aware that final itinerary times and places may be subject to change