

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2022 – HOLIDAY TEA, TWISTS & SHOPPING
IN LITITZ, PA

See why Lititz, PA was voted the “Coolest Small Town in America” in 2013! Located in the northern part of Lancaster County, Lititz is a perfect representative of small-town America known for its picturesque, tree-lined streets, unique shops & chic boutiques, cafés, architecture, art galleries, and a friendly atmosphere. Lititz was founded in 1749 by Moravians seeking religious freedom and was the first community in Pennsylvania to establish a historic district. Many of the buildings in town date back in history with a variety of English, German, and Victorian architecture styles creating a beautiful backdrop to this charming town.

- 8:30 AM - leave Kohl's, Westminster (Rt. 140 & Market Street)
- 10:30-11:30 - Guided tour at **Julius Sturgis Pretzel Bakery** – The Julius Sturgis Pretzel Bakery was founded in 1861 making it the first commercial pretzel bakery in America; and the Sturgis Family is the oldest pretzel baking family in America. On a guided tour, see the original ovens built by Julius Sturgis, learn the history of pretzel baking in America, observe bakers twisting old-fashioned soft pretzels by hand, and learn how Sturgis’ old-fashioned recipes and methods were established and how they’re still used today. Each guest is even given their own piece of a flour and water mixture and taught how to twist a pretzel. Shop for delicious treats and souvenirs in the bakery store onsite and take home a fresh-baked soft pretzel. (Note: This facility is a historic landmark and not a modern pretzel-baking facility.)
- 11:45-1:45 - **High Tea Luncheon at A Tea Affair** – Enjoy a relaxing escape from the everyday world as you enter this charming tearoom decorated for the holidays. A delightful high tea luncheon will be served with scones, salad with quiche, tea sandwiches, crème brulee, pastries, & assorted teas. A Tea Affair also sells over 450 different varieties of loose-leaf teas, teatime accessories, like tea pots, tea cups and saucers, raw sugar cubes, tea caddies, honey, jams, chocolates, tea strainers, and tea infusers at their tea shop a few steps away.
- Free time on own to explore downtown Lititz and find the perfect holiday gifts at the unique shops & chic boutiques.
- 3:00-3:30 - **Wilbur Chocolate Retail Store** – A sweet, historic brand iconic to the downtown Lititz shopping area, Wilbur Chocolate Company’s famous Wilbur Buds were first introduced in 1894 when founder H.O. Wilbur developed a process that deposited specially blended aged chocolate into a solid shape that resembled a flower bud. Shop their retail store for a wide variety of chocolates and candies sure to please your sweet tooth!
- 5:15 PM - return to Westminster



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PRICE PER PERSON: \$120.00

(PRICE INCLUDES: motorcoach transportation, tea luncheon, tax & minimum gratuity, guided tour & soft pretzel)

Full payment is due by October 30th. Payment can be made by cash, check or money order and mailed to our office at below address. Final trip confirmation with itinerary & pertinent information will be sent 2 weeks prior to trip. Bus driver & tour director gratuities are not included in tour cost.

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