

**Join FF Southwest Florida on
Outbound Journey to FF
Sacramento, California**



Outbound June 1-7, 2022

Joanne Collins, FF Southwest Florida's Ambassador Coordinator, is working with **Kathy DeBlonk**, Sacramento's Host Coordinator, for FF SW FL club's first outbound journey since the pandemic began. Joanne has recruited 9 members of her club and is **looking to recruit 5 more**. You should plan on arriving on June 1 at Sacramento airport or train station. Departure is your choice - either late in the evening of June 7 or early in the morning June 8.

What can you expect for the week when you visit the Sacramento Club?

From their website (click on <https://www.ffiisacramento.org>), you can expect to see historic sites in Sacramento's Old Town and busy governmental center. The world-class Railroad Museum in Old Sacramento is a possible destination. Other oft-visited sites are the nearby wineries of El Dorado and Amador counties, the giant Sequoias at Calaveras Big Trees State Park, and the former gold mining sites in the Sierra foothills, such as the Empire Mine and Coloma Gold Discovery Site.

You can expect a home hosted dinner or brunch party during your stay. A visit to one of the myriad of ethnic restaurants is another possibility. We also take advantage of local festivals and events if they occur during your visit.

We will spend one week in Sacramento. You can easily add on another week by planning your own activities either pre- or post- journey. Perhaps one of our other club members would be interested in going with you to San Francisco, Yosemite, or one of the other interesting places in the state! There is also an opportunity to visit one of Sacramento's club members who resides in Reno!

Conditions you must agree to for this journey

1. All Ambassadors must be registered on my.friendshipforce.org.
2. All Ambassadors must be vaccinated and boosted and should bring images of their certification cards with them. Hosts will be vaccinated.
3. Bring masks - there may be requirements to mask up at some venues and we will respect our hosts' and venue requirements.

Airfare

4. Everyone will use their personal credit cards to arrange travel to use mileage and credit card points. Some ambassadors may visit California before the trip; they may come by car or train. Please let Joanne Collins know your flight dates and times (inbound and outbound) or other travel plans pre- and post-journey.

Joanne found good roundtrip airfare with stops on United. Delta and Southwest also fly to Sacramento.

Costs subject to change, but a good guess

5. Program fees to Sacramento to cover activities = \$150
6. Journey fees to FFI are \$25 x 7 nights = \$175/person
7. Contingency fee of \$20 each for tips or other unforeseen costs.

Interested?

Please mail your deposit of \$100 made out to Friendship Force of Southwest Florida along with your application form that is accessible on the FFI website under Member Resources, Journey Documents. Click on [Ambassador & Journey Agreement](#). Mail to Joanne Collins at 257 Lido Drive, Punta Gorda, FL 33950. **Please apply by April 15, 2022.**

Questions, email Joanne Collins eagleswingsj@yahoo.com or call 281-543-9018