HERO TRIPS AND ACTIVITIES

Dust Devils Baseball and BBQs: July 2 & August 14, 2015.

Join your fellow HERO members at Gesa Stadium for one (or both) of this year’s Dust Devils Baseball and BBQ Nights: the dates are July 2 and August 14. For each night, the cost is $15 (adults) and $10 (kids age 4-12) to enjoy an all-you-can-eat BBQ including hot dogs, hamburgers, chicken sandwiches, sides, and beverages; then enjoy the baseball game in an Upper Box Seat! To reserve your spot in July, contact Dianne Whitten at 948-0849. The August game/BBQ is hosted by Kathy DeBois so contact her for tickets at 373-3704.

Walla Walla Wine Tour, Dinner and Outdoor Concert: June 26, 2015

Walla Walla wine country has a lot to offer and HERO will be taking a bus load of folks to downtown Walla Walla, where there are 21 wineries to choose from for tasting! At the end of the afternoon, the bus will take you to Three Rivers Winery for a catered dinner (includes one glass of wine per person) and an outdoor concert, featuring the band Viper Central. Enjoy all these activities (transportation from Tri-Cities included) for only $40/person (must be 21 to attend); non-wine drinkers are welcome too! The deadline to sign up is June 12, but your seats won’t be confirmed until payment is received. Call Dianne Whitten at 948-0849 ASAP to sign up!

Whitewater Rafting: June 13, 2015

HERO is hosting whitewater rafting on the Wenatchee River on Saturday afternoon, June 13. The price is $55/person which includes wetsuit, booties, life jacket and lunch. The fun begins around 2 p.m. Send payment (payable to “HERO”) to Tiffany Cottrell at MSIN G5-S4. Tiffany can be reached at Tiffany_L_Cottrell@rl.gov or 373-9659.

NICKELBACK at the Gorge Amphitheatre: June 20, 2015!

HERO is considering scheduling a bus to transport HERO members to the NICKELBACK concert. Employees would have to purchase their own concert tickets through Ticketmaster or any other ticket outlet. IF there are at least 40 people interested in transportation (only) to the concert, we would schedule a bus for an additional cost. Please contact Marta Caballero at 373-9898 ASAP if you would be interested in riding a bus up to the Gorge Amphitheatre for this concert.

Tri-City Water Follies: July 25-26, 2015

Help celebrate 50 years of high speed action at this year’s Tri-City Water Follies’ activities with your HERO friends. HERO will have a private viewing area at the East end of Columbia Park, on the Kennewick side of the river. For just $75/person (adult), $25/child (ages 6-12) and $10/child (ages 5 and under), watch the races and the people in shaded comfort; this price gives you admission to the races AND a catered lunch both days. If you purchase 4 adult tickets, you also receive a free parking pass (while supplies last). Call Dianne Whitten at 948-0849 for more information or to sign up!

Silver Mountain Resort Family Weekend: July 31-August 2, 2015

Join HERO on a family fun getaway to Silver Mountain Resort on the weekend of July 31-August 2 (check out is August 2). You will have unlimited access to the

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Silver Rapids Indoor Waterpark during your entire stay!! A studio for 2 is $143/night, a deluxe studio for 4 is $179/night, and a 1 bedroom condo for 4 is $199/night. Many more lodging discounts are available. CHECK IT OUT!!! To make reservations by phone, call 1-800-204-6428, Option 1, and use group name of “HERO.” To make your reservations online, go to [http://www.silvermt.com](http://www.silvermt.com) and use the online Group Code of “4467jk.” To receive our great group rate, we will need a minimum of 10 rooms or (five rooms for two nights). The HERO contact is Kathy DeBois at 373-3704.

**Interested in a Day Trip to a Sounders Game?**

We are looking for interest in a HERO day trip to a Seattle Sounders soccer game. The price would be similar to a Mariners game trip ($60 or less per person) and we would leave Richland about 7:30 a.m. for an early afternoon game and return home right after the game. Please contact Marta Caballero at 373-9898 or Marta_I_Caballero@rl.gov if you are interested, and provide possible number of seats and game preference. Here’s a link to the schedule: [http://www.soundersfc.com/2015-schedule-wallpaper](http://www.soundersfc.com/2015-schedule-wallpaper)

**Seattle Mariners vs. Texas Rangers: August 9, 2015**

Ready for more Mariners baseball? Travel to Safeco Field in style with HERO as we hop on the bus to go see the Seattle Mariners play the Texas Rangers on Sunday, August 9, 2015. The price is $60/person and this includes transportation, game ticket, snacks on the bus and pizza on the way home! Seats are filling up quickly so contact Marta_I_Caballero@rl.gov or call her at 373-9898! Prompt payment confirms your place on the bus. Send your check (payable to “HERO”) to Marta Caballero at MSIN S5-32.

**Trip to Mount Rainier: September 12, 2015**

Hiking or relaxing with HERO on Mt. Rainier is the perfect way to spend a beautiful September day. For $25/person, you get round trip bus transportation, park entrance, snacks and beverages. For reservations, contact Diane Call at 372-8371 or diane_g_call@rl.gov, then send your payment (checks payable to “HERO”) to her at S0-17.

**Mexican Riviera Cruise: October 18-25, 2015**

Warm up in October on a cruise of the Mexican Riviera! The Ruby Princess (Princess Cruise line) leaves from Los Angeles and cruises to Cabo San Lucas, Mazatlán and Puerto Vallarta, then back to Los Angeles. Prices start at $549/person for inside cabins; the prices do NOT include airfare to Los Angeles. To inquire about the cruise and/or book your cabin, contact Jim Carey at (509) 628-9555. Dianne Whitten (Dianne_R_Whitten@rl.gov) is our HERO contact and you can reach her at 948-0849.

**Nuevo Vallarta, Mexico: December 4-11, 2015**

Join HERO for an ALL INCLUSIVE winter break to the RIU Vallarta Resort in Nuevo Vallarta, Mexico December 4-11, 2015 from $1299* per person. Lapped by the waters of the beautiful Banderas Bay and sheltered by the spectacular Sierra Madre sits RIU Vallarta on one of the best beaches in Mexico. The resort offers endless activities, gourmet restaurants, and unmatched leisure facilities. RIU’s legendary All-Inclusive concept makes the RIU Vallarta a fantastic and unforgettable destination for a well-deserved vacation.

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*This price is per person double occupancy and INCLUDES airfare from Pasco, 7 nights, 7 days in a double room/all meals/all snacks/24 hr. room service/mini-bar in your room/ all unlimited drinks/alcoholic beverages/and transfers to and from the airport in Puerto Vallarta! HERO has limited availability and minimum group size required for these rates; prices for children and singles are available. Deposit amount and date due varies based on flight selection. Contact Marta Caballero at 373-9898 or Marta_I_Caballero@rl.gov or Jim Carey at 628-9555 or jcarey@cruiseholidays.com for more info. Passports are required for this trip."

**Silverwood Theme Park/Boulder Beach Water Park Summer 2015**

This summer, discounted Silverwood tickets will be available online only, using a credit card. Check the [HERO website](http://www.hero.com) for the discount “promo code” to use; then print the tickets at your computer! The prices will be $39.99/adult (ages 8-64) and $18.99/youth & seniors (ages 3-7 & 65+), plus tax.

**Wild Waves Theme Park 2015 in Federal Way, WA**

Enjoy UNLIMITED adventure for one low price at [Wild Waves Theme Park](http://www.wildwaves.com), located in Federal Way, WA. You can purchase discounted tickets online only, using a credit card.

The discounted HERO price from May 22 – June 30 is $15.22 (includes tax) and from July 1–September 7 the price is $25/person (includes tax). Go to the [HERO website](http://www.hero.com) (internal only) for user name and password.

**Benton-Franklin County Fair: August 25-29, 2015**

HERO will be selling discounted tickets to this year’s “The Best Week of Summer” Benton-Franklin County Fair August 25-29, 2015! Prices are: $9 for adults, $4 for youth (ages 6-12) and $23 for Carnival arm bands. Send checks (payable to HERO) to our ticket sellers: Stacie Hardesty-Thorington, Pam Newell and Melinda Ihnen.

These tickets will be sold only until July 30 so purchase yours today!

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**2015 Dust Devils’ Season Begins June 23, 2015**

Come join in the fun of our own hometown baseball team where Russell Wilson played. Purchase your vouchers from Richard Adams at 373-5577, Vicki Benson at 373-4576 or Pam Newell at 376-9604. The cost of the vouchers is $7 each. Redeem the vouchers at the front office or box office. Upgrades are available for Lower Box or Upper Box for $2 and $1, respectively. For game dates and times visit [www.dustdevilbaseball.com](http://www.dustdevilbaseball.com). It will blow you away!!!!

**Tri-Cities Fever Football Continues!**

HERO still has vouchers for home football games! Prices are $9, $12 or $16, depending on your choice of upper level, lower level or midfield seats. Ticket sellers are Pamela Newell, Richard Adams and Vicki Benson. Please make checks payable to “HERO.”
**Movie Tickets!**

Summer means movies and HERO ticket sellers have discounted movie tickets! These tickets are unrestricted, meaning they are good for all movies and all show times. 3-D surcharges or special engagements are not included. The theaters included are Regal Columbia Mall (Kennewick), Carmike 12 (Kennewick), Fairchild Cinemas (Pasco) and Hallett Cinemas (Sunnyside).

**Movie Ticket Sellers are Listed Below:**

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**Look what we found on social media!**

**Newsletter Distribution: Want to sign up?**

Have this newsletter delivered directly to your inbox each month! At work, you can sign up on this website: newsletter sign-ups and at home, you can send an email to: HERO_Hanford_Emp_Rec_Org@rl.gov and make the request! This will ensure that you will be sent the most updated newsletters with information about upcoming trips and activities!

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