# **TOURS**

# THE RONALD REAGAN PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY TOUR

Saturday, February 23 and Thursday, February 28, 9:00 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.

The Ronald Reagan Library and Center for Public Affairs is the presidential library and final resting place of Ronald Wilson Reagan, the 40th President of the United States (1981-1989), and his wife Nancy Reagan. Designed by Hugh Stubbins and Associates, the library is located in Simi Valley, California, 75 miles south of The Ritz-Carlton Bacara. Guests will enjoy a guided tour followed by lunch on their own at one of the two Library restaurants. Due to this being a full day tour, the IADC is offering it before the meeting officially begins and ends. If you plan to sign-up for one of these tours, please make your travel and hotel plans accordingly.

The registration fee is \$199.00 USD per person and includes roundtrip transportation, entrance fees, a professional guide, and bottled waters.

## WHALE WATCHING TOUR

Sunday, February 24, 2:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Santa Barbara is one of the top whale watching destinations in the world. The Santa Barbara Channel is home to more than 30 different species of whales, dolphins, seals, and sea lions that visit throughout the year, making these waters some of the most consistent locations found anywhere to view a variety of marine mammals. Climb onboard The Condor Express, a world class 75' jet powered whale watching boat with dual hull catamaran design providing maximum stability in any ocean condition with generous indoor and outdoor viewing decks.

The registration fee is \$175.00 USD per person and includes roundtrip transportation, a professional guide, boat fees, and bottled waters.

#### SANTA YNEZ VALLEY WINE TOUR

Monday, February 25, 12:30 - 5:00 p.m.

The geography, topography, and climate of Santa Barbara County make it one of the most versatile and world-class grape growing regions in California. Unlike any other coastal mountain range on the West Coast of North America, the Santa Ynez Mountains run east to west. This "transverse range" creates valleys opening to the Pacific Ocean, allowing the inland flow of fog and ocean breezes to keep the climate temperate. On this tour you'll enjoy fine wines from the area's best wineries and the exceptional beauty of the Santa Barbara County Wine Country at an unhurried pace.

The registration fee is \$199.00 USD per person and includes roundtrip transportation, a professional guide, winery tasting fees, and bottled waters.

#### HOPPING THROUGH SANTA BARBARA TOUR

Tuesday, February 26, 1:00 - 5:30 p.m.

Visit some of the best breweries in Santa Barbara with knowledgeable guides who will take you on a unique tour of the up and coming craft beer scene in a fun and educational way. The experience also includes a behind the scenes production tour that walks you through the process from the hops all the way to your mug.

The registration fee is \$150.00 USD per person and includes roundtrip transportation, a professional guide, brewery tasting fees, and bottled waters.

# LANDSCAPE PAINTING CLASS

Wednesday, February 27, 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. This class, held onsite at The Ritz-Carlton Bacara, will inspire your creative spirit! Trained artist and Santa Barbara local Christie Schaeffer will walk participants through the entire painting process step-by-step. No previous painting experience is necessary. You're bound to end up with something of which you're proud.

The registration fee is \$115.00 USD per person and includes painting supplies, professional instruction, and light snacks.

## LOTUSLAND BOTANIC GARDENS TOUR

Wednesday, February 27, 12:30 - 4:15 p.m.

Madame Ganna Walska, a well-known Polish opera singer and socialite, purchased this estate in 1941 and spent the next 43 years creating Lotusland, which is now recognized as one of the ten best gardens in the world. The spectacular collections of exotic plants throughout the 37-acre property are a very personal experience of Walska's penchant for the dramatic, the unexpected, and the whimsical. Lotusland is home to several extraordinary plant collections and around each corner there is the unexpected – a surprise of a unique garden design and plant species.

The registration fee is \$99.00 USD per person and includes roundtrip transportation, entrance fees, a professional guide, and bottled waters.

If you are interested in participating in any IADCsponsored tours, please register early as space is limited.

Cancellation Policy for Tours and Activities
In order to receive a full refund, cancellations of
tours/special activities offered through the IADC
must be received by the IADC office in writing by
January 21. Cancellations after this date will not be
refunded unless we are able to fill your spot.