

# Escorted - Arizona Highlights Red Rocks & Railways: Sedona & Grand Canyon

**Sept 13 - 18, 2026**

**6 Days/5 Nts Sun-Fri**

**Day 1: Welcome to Arizona - Phoenix to Scottsdale**  
Motorcoach to Hartford/Bradley Airport for your flights to Phoenix. Touch down in sunny Phoenix and head to scenic Scottsdale. After checking in, explore charming Old Town and cap off the evening with a lively welcome dinner at **Rustler's Rooste**, featuring classic western fare and entertainment.

Overnight: Hyatt Place Scottsdale Old Town (D)

## **Day 2: Ancient Ruins & Red Rocks – Montezuma Castle to Sedona**

Travel north through the Sonoran Desert to **Montezuma Castle**, a remarkable cliffside pueblo. Then continue to the red rock beauty of **Sedona**, with time for lunch and a guided **trolley tour** visiting Chapel of the Holy Cross, Gallery Row, and Tlaquepaque Village.

Overnight: Element Sedona (B)



## **Day 3: Wonders of the Grand Canyon**

Take in the dramatic scenery of **Oak Creek Canyon** en route to **Grand Canyon National Park**. Explore iconic viewpoints before hopping aboard the **Grand Canyon Railway** for a nostalgic ride to Williams. Return to Sedona for a relaxed evening. (B)



## **Day 4: A Day to Discover Sedona**

Enjoy a full **free day in Sedona**! Browse local art galleries, take a jeep tour, unwind at a spa, or hike among the red rocks. The day is yours to enjoy however you please. (B)



## **Day 5: Ghost Towns & Canyon Rails – Jerome & Verde Canyon**

Head up the mountain to **Jerome**, a once-rowdy mining town turned artistic enclave. After exploring its colorful history, continue to **Clarkdale** to ride the scenic **Verde Canyon Railroad**, weaving through red rock cliffs, ancient ruins, and a dramatic tunnel. Wrap up your journey with a **farewell dinner** back in Sedona. (B, D)



## **Day 6: Homeward Bound**

Depart Sedona on your flights back to Hartford/Bradley with unforgettable memories of Arizona's natural beauty and Old West charm. (B)



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**COST: \$4299 pp double Including Air from Hartford/Bradley**

Based on current air rates and schedules. Based on minimum of 30 passengers.

Transportation to the airport based on minimum # of passengers.

Includes: Roundtrip motorcoach to Bradley Airport, Roundtrip air flights to Phoenix, 5 nights hotel, 5 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners, Sightseeing & admissions per itinerary, Friendship Tours Escort, Professional Guide upon arrival in Phoenix and more.

**DEPOSIT:** \$900 pp with reservation to secure your space. Space is subject to availability at the time of reservation.

**FINAL PAYMENT:** June 5, 2026

**FOR RESERVATIONS:** Call Barbara at Friendship Tours: 860-243-1630

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** If a passenger cancels from deposit date to June 5, 2026 the cancellation fee is \$700 pp; June 6, 2026 to July 31, 2026 the cancellation fee is \$1500 pp; no refunds if cancelled after July 31, 2026. All cancellation fees are plus any non-refundable airline fees.

#### **TRIP PROTECTION COVERAGE**

*Trip Protection Coverage is strongly recommended.* Friendship Tours offers Travel Protection insurance through two providers: NTA Travel Protection Plan and Travel Insured International. Travel Protection offers coverage for Cancellation for Covered Medical Reasons, Trip Interruption, Emergency Medical Services, Travel Delay, & more. Cancel for Any Reason (CFAR) coverage can be purchased from either provider (see timing guidelines below) and will reimburse up to 75% of prepaid nonrefundable trip costs if canceled at least 48 hours prior to your trip for a non-covered reason. Please see the attached pricing for the AON/NTA Insurance. Please call for pricing on a Travel Insured International Policy.

**Insurance Premiums are non-refundable.** Terms and conditions apply.

The **NTA (AON) Travel Protection Plan** is based on the cost of the trip and offers 3 levels of insurance: Basic, Enhanced, or Enhanced with CFAR. Emergency medical coverage is secondary coverage. The pre-existing medical condition exclusion can be waived by purchasing the Enhanced Plan or the Enhanced with CFAR Plan within 14 days of initial trip payment.

To enroll: <https://nta.aontravelprotect.com> **Tour Operator Location #076068** OR call AON 1-800-388-1470.

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#### **IMPORTANT FLIGHT INFORMATION:**

**REAL ID:** Effective May 2025, all passengers on Domestic (US) flights must present a **Real ID** (valid Driver's License with the yellow star) or a valid US Passport.

**PASSENGER NAME(S):** The name on your airline reservation should match the Real ID or Passport you use at the airport.

**AIRLINE SEATING:** Advanced seat assignments are not guaranteed on group bookings and may not be assigned until check in. Some airlines will preassign seats, but not all. Seat requests are not guaranteed and can be changed by the airline at any time. In some instances, the airline will assign seats within a group block at random and we cannot guarantee roommates will be seated together. We are unable to preassign bulkhead and exit row seating.

**BAGGAGE FEES:** Domestic flights do not include checked baggage fees. Fee is additional.

**KTN & FREQUENT FLYER NUMBERS:** If you provide us with your Known Traveler Number (KTN) such as Global Entry or TSA Pre-check number before final payment, we will provide the number to the Airline. It is advised that you also bring these numbers with you on the day of travel to add to your reservation at check in if needed.

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