



## *2019 CATALOGUE*

On August 24, 2018 HILLS and F.R.I.E.N.D.S of Broomfield commanded forces. The merger creates an opening for more travel opportunities, day excursion and social programs, for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities throughout Colorado and beyond.

### *Washington DC – April 25 to April 29 Closed*

Enjoy the sites of Washington DC while on the Hop-On Hop-Off bus tour. You will see the famous monuments and learn about their importance in our country's history. We will also visit Mount Vernon, home of George Washington, America's first president. We have scheduled plenty of time to explore the Smithsonian, the world's largest museum and education complex.



**COST:** \$3,375

### *Glenwood Springs - May 8 to May 11- Closed*

From the peaks of the Rocky Mountains to the roaring waters of the Colorado River, Glenwood Springs is a stunning resort town brimming with natural wonders. We will be travelling by train to this beautiful town and then will relax in the Glenwood Hot Springs Pool. There will be plenty of time for shopping in the many unique shops and just enjoying the mountain air in Glenwood Springs.



**COST:** \$1,900

### *Alaskan Cruise – May 24 to June 1- Closed*

In the land of snow-capped peaks, endless expanses of tundra and natural wonders, you'll see one of the most beautiful vacation spots you can imagine. We will set sail from Seattle and travel through Alaska's beautiful Inside Passage where we will be surrounded by nature, glacial rivers and can look for moose, grizzly bears and caribou. (Please sign up for this trip by January 11, 2019. Passport is required.)



**COST:** \$5,275

### *CMA Music Festival, Nashville, Tennessee - June 5 to 10- Closed*

Calling all country music fans! You will enjoy four days and four nights of nothing but the best in country music! Hundreds of artists will perform live during this spectacular summer event in downtown Nashville. There is so much to see and do that there is not a lot of time to sleep. (Trip fills up fast, call for a spot)

**COST:** \$3,400

### *Outer Banks, North Carolina - June 24 to June 28*

Head to the beautiful soft sandy beaches of the Outer Banks, a series of barrier islands that is just off the coast of North Carolina. The uncrowded beaches stretch for miles and will provide a relaxing and fun vacation. The charming and independent shops and cozy restaurants will provide you with that small-town charm that will make wonderful memories. If you are up for it, we will go parasailing through the open skies. We will end the trip with a beautiful sunset cruise.

**COST:** \$3,200

### *Hershey Park, Pennsylvania - July 8 to July 12*

This is a CHOCOLATE lovers' dream vacation! We will head to Hershey Park to ride the roller coasters and other thrill rides. You will discover all things chocolatey and fun at Hershey's Chocolate World. We will take a sugary tour and learn how chocolate is made. (You must be able to transfer from your wheelchair to enjoy the rides at Hershey Park.)



**COST:** \$3,050

### *Cheyenne Frontier Days – July 19 to July 21 Closed*

We will celebrate our western roots at a festival like no other. We will watch the challenging and daring feats and true grit of cowboys at the Professional Rodeo. We will also enjoy a country western concert.



**COST:** \$1,550

### *Scotland -TBA*

Oh, Danny boy, the pipes, the pipes are calling! We're headed to the land of kilts and Bagpipes, Scotland. During this amazing week you will have the opportunity to tour one of the world's most magnificent structures, Edinburgh Castle with the William Wallace monument in the distance. Next up be sure to grab your camera and be on the lookout for Nessie as we head to Loch Ness as well as the Scottish Highlands on a guided day tour. Back in the city we will be riding the Hop-on Hop-off bus to see as much as Edenborough as possible. If you're a Harry Potter fan, then you're in luck. Take a walking tour to see where J. K. Rowling got her inspiration for the characters and where she wrote some of the books. FOUR!! Next up we'll tour St. Andrews, home of the very first golf course in the world. Steeped in tradition, this is truly a special place. Lastly, you will be blown away at the Edinburgh Tattoo. A world-renowned concert featuring the world's best bagpipes, drummers and highland dancers. You don't want to miss out on this trip of a lifetime.

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### *Cleveland, Ohio - August 30 to September 3*

This is one of HILLS favorite trips! Learn about the legends of the game at the Pro Football Hall of Fame. If you love roller coasters, Cedar Point is where you need to be – they have 18 amazing rides to choose from. The Rock and Roll Hall of Fame is another stop where the energy and the spirit of the music we all love is alive. This trip has something for everyone. (You must be able to transfer from your wheelchair to the rides at Cedar Point.)



**COST:** \$3,375

### *NEW DATE CHANGE Moab, Utah – September 4-7*

The glamping tents will let you enjoy Moab’s spectacular desert and arches without giving up the comforts of home. We will see the beauty of Arches National Park and take a dune buggy ride through Hell’s Revenge. We will also experience the thrill of zip lining.

**COST:** \$1,950

### *Boston, Massachusetts – September 9 to 13*

Paak the Caa in Haavaad Yard. Say what? You’ll find out soon enough as we head to Boston. Our Journey will include taking tour of this historic city. One of the oldest cities in the US, we’ll walk the same paths as Samuel Adams and Benjamin Franklin to see the many historic landmarks. Relax and take in the sights on the Boston Harbor Cruise and see the city shimmering right in front of you. Lastly, we are headed 50 stories up to the Skywalk Observatory where you can catch New England’s best view — 360 degrees of Boston and beyond. Join us as we take “The Hub” aka Boston by storm. It is sure to be a wicked good time.



**COST:** \$3,350

### *YMCA of the Rockies, Estes Park - September 24 to September 27*

Stay four days in a beautiful cabin surrounded by nature. Enjoy the autumn leaves and look for elk in Rocky Mountain National Park. Relax and enjoy time in the YMCA’s craft room. We will ride horses through Rocky Mountain National Park which is a great way to get out into the backcountry and possibly see some wildlife. At night we will play games and tell funny jokes and ghost stories around the fire.



**COST:** \$1,900

### ***Bar Harbor, Maine - October 3 to October 7***

One of the most beautiful states in the US, Maine is calling your name. On this incredible journey we'll be going on a "bug" hunt. According to Mainers a bug is actually a lobster!! We are taking a boat ride to see how they catch lobsters. Think you will be able to catch any? Up, up and away, our next activity will take you into the sky as you get to ride along in a real BIPLANE! All your friends will be super jealous. To round out the trip, we'll take a drive through Acadia National Park. This trip is sure to be the "finest kind" (Mainers term for "the very best".)

**COST:** \$3,200

### ***Talladega International Speedway, GA - October 11 to October 15 Wheelchair spots full***

"If you ain't first, you're last." — Ricky Bobby. If you know the quote, then you already know exactly where we are going. That's right, we're headed to Talladega for the Monster Energy NASCAR Cup Series. See the best of the best including Kyle Busch, Kevin Harvick and Joey Logano race at over 200 MPH on the fastest NASCAR track in the country. Time for a quick pit stop then we're headed to the International Motorsports Hall of Fame where you can learn all you want about the history of auto and NASCAR racing. As the checkered flag waves, we will finish up at the Alabama Sports Hall of Fame. See over 5,000 sports artifacts elegantly displayed throughout the museum. It's time to "Shake and Bake" so don't be left in the slow lane.



**COST:** \$3,300

### ***Disney World - October 21 to October 25 Wheelchair spots full***

M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E. You know the song so sing along with us as we head to the most magical place on earth, Disney World. Visit the Magic Kingdom, where you will be able to meet some of your favorite characters, get autographs and take pictures with them. Our magical journey continues as we visit Disney's Hollywood Studios where you can meet some classic movie characters like Chewbacca and Darth Vader as well as see recreations of some of your favorite movies. Lastly, we'll tackle Universal Studios. With some of the most futuristic rides and rollercoasters in any park this entire trip is sure to make magical memories that will last a life time.



**COST:** \$3,000

### ***Las Vegas - October 30 to November 2 Wheelchair spots full***

From round-the-clock casino action to headline shows, Las Vegas stands tall as the Entertainment Capital of the World. When not winning at the slots travelers might enjoy catching wild attractions for animal lovers, gazing at the world-famous dancing fountains of Bellagio, watching the volcano erupt at the Mirage, or enjoying the panoramic view atop the 50-story Eiffel Tower replica at Paris Las Vegas.



**COST:** TBA

### ***Disney Caribbean Cruise - November 10 to November 15 Wheelchair spots full***

Set sail for a tropical getaway on a Disney Cruise Ship! We will delight in Broadway-caliber musicals, lively deck parties, and fireworks at sea. Our days will be filled with relaxing and splashing it up in the freshwater pools, aqua play areas and waterslides. Disney's signature service and attention to detail are some of the reasons why Disney cruises are voted among the best at sea. (Passport required)



**COST:** \$4,400

### ***New York, New York - November 19 to 23***

“It’s Christmas time in the City” This is the greatest time of year to go to NYC. With all the Christmas window displays, lots of Christmas shopping in Time Square, seeing the Rockefeller Center tree lit up and experiencing the Rockettes Christmas Spectacular at Radio City Music Hall. . This city will be sure to get you into the holiday spirit. Your NYC vacation wouldn’t be complete without going to the top of the Empire State building, for an remarkable view of the NYC, visit the 9/11 Museum and site, and see the Statue of Liberty, who lights the way to freedom. This is on trip you don’t want to miss!

**COST:** \$4,375

### ***Oahu, Hawaii - December 7 to December 13***

Have yourself a Hawaiian Christmas vacation. Mele Kalikimaka is the island greeting that we send to you from the land where palm trees sway. We will take in the breathtaking views overlooking the Pacific Ocean at Diamond Head. We will also go to the Pearl Harbor Museum and of course luau is a must during any Hawaiian vacation. We will be busy, but don’t worry, there is plenty of time to, swim and sunbathe on Oahu’s beautiful beaches.



**COST:** \$5,400

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# Past 2019 TRIPS

## Costa Rica- January 13-19

### *Houston, Texas - February 21 to February 25 Closed*

Howdy y'all, welcome to Texas! We have plans to attend the World Champion Barbeque Contest at the Houston Rodeo Grounds. We will also visit the Johnson Space Center, the official visitor center of NASA and also explore the Houston Museum of Natural Science. You will also be highly entertained the Kemah Boardwalk where the fun never stops.



**COST:** \$2,725

### *Price is Right, Las Angeles, California - March 4 to March 8 Closed*

Come on down, you are the next contestant on the Price is Right. We will sit in the audience and watch everyone's favorite game show being filmed. We will spend a day at Disney Land and then hop over to Universal Studios Hollywood to spend a day and see where some of our favorite movies are made. (This trip fills up quickly. You also have to be able to transfer from your wheelchair to a chair in the Price is Right Theatre.)

**COST:** \$2,565

### *Rockies Spring Training Camp at Salt River Fields, Scottsdale, AZ March 20 to March 24*

Watch the Colorado Rockies get ready for the 2019 season. The Rockies call the Salt River Fields home during spring training and you will call it home as you watch two games in this stadium that puts fans on top of the action and up close to their favorite players.



**COST:** \$3,175

### *New Orleans, Louisiana - April 1 to April 5*

Hear the stories of NOLA on a Ghost, Vampire and Voodoo tour! We will also visit the World War II museum to learn about how this war changed the world. You are going to be able to spot alligators, snakes and turtles while taking an exhilarating ride in an air boat.



**COST:** \$3,100

## **BOOKING PROCEDURES**

If you want to reserve a space on a trip, please contact the HILLS program director, Alyson Finch. She can be reached at (303) 875-9149 or. Many of the trips fill up months in advance, please call to see if there are spots still available for the trip you are interested in.

## **DEPOSITS**

A deposit of \$500 **must** be made within 10 days of signing up to reserve your space on a trip. All spaces on trips are on a first-come first-served basis and without the \$500 we cannot reserve a spot.

## **PAYMENTS**

You will have one year from the trip registration date to pay for the remainder of the trip. Checks are our preferred method of payment. Checks can be written to HILLS and mailed to FRIENDS OF BROOMFIELD, 11851 Saulsbury Street, Broomfield, CO 80020.

FRIENDS of Broomfield will send a monthly invoice as a reminder of your balance owed. You cannot sign up for another trip until the trip you have just taken is paid off.

## **REFUNDS, CANCELLATIONS AND RE-SCHEDULING**

HILLS requires a minimum of five individuals in order to run any of our activities, therefore we reserve the right to cancel an activity at any time, due to lack of enrollment. Full refunds will be made if a trip was paid for and HILLS was unable to fill the trip. Delays or re-scheduling due to weather are out of our hands and HILLS will not be financially responsible for the consequences of those events. For example if the group has to stay an extra night due to a snow storm, individuals will be billed the additional charges incurred to HILLS for hotel, food, trip leaders, van rental, etc. If a trip departure is delayed due to inclement weather or delayed by the airline, we will continue with the trip even if that means fewer days of travel. The individual will have the choice to continue on the shortened trip or to have a partial refund.

If a traveler cancels within one month of travel a partial refund will be issued. If the airfare and activities has been purchased HILLS will not refund this expense.

## **TRAVELOR'S RESPONSIBILITIES**

All traveler's must carry a valid state issued identification card with a picture. Please check the expiration dates in order to make sure it won't expire during the trip. HILLS is not responsible for any lost luggage by an airline or lost items by a person during any of our activities. We highly recommend that traveler's do not bring anything that is of great value to them, they are 100 percent responsible for their own belongings while travelling. Due to the potential of an airline losing luggage, we require that all medications will be held by the trip leaders during the days of airline travel.

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**HILLS mission** is to offer affordable opportunities for people with developmental disabilities or traumatic brain injury that promote health, foster independence and further enable each of our clients to become contributing members of their communities.

**Our Vision** is to instill an appreciation for the great outdoors and give our travelers opportunities to explore new places and develop new friendships.

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We believe everyone has the right to travel,  
lead healthy lifestyles, and make memories to last a lifetime!

### **We've got you covered!**

All of our trips are created around new experiences. We place an emphasis on social opportunities; culture and outdoor recreation while giving much needed respite to caregivers and loved ones.

### **Participation**

We offer three levels of participation:

- **Day trips:** local community based outings \* **Enhanced weekend trips:** 3 or 4 day trips (in state) \* **Extended trips:** 5 to 9 day trips - domestic and international destinations

### **What is included for each trip?**

- Planning   - Skilled caregivers   -Transportation upon request   -Meals   -Activities
- Strong communication with the Team Leaders   -Itineraries   -Home visit to new travelers upon request

### **Trip Leaders are Certified Medication Administrators (QMAP)**

### **We practice inclusivity**

Our trips are developed for everyone. We support individuals who are independent, those who use wheelchairs, and those who may need extra assistance



fully accessible, additional fee for one-on-one assistance,  Semi-Accessible: travelers who use a wheelchair must be able to bear own weight

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