

# TRAVEL WITH THE BJE

## Presidential Libraries Tour

**August 6-11, 2017**

Including relevant conversations about presidential decisions which impacted Israel, Russian Jewry, and the American Jewish community

### Itinerary and Highlights



**Sunday, August 6**      **Depart for Los Angeles, CA**

2 Nights on the Queen Mary, Long Beach

Once a world-class ocean liner, the Queen Mary Hotel offers guests unique accommodations and a wide array of attractions that simply cannot be found anywhere else. Each stateroom is unique with its own personality and offers a real glimpse into what transatlantic travel was like during the 30's, 40's and 50's. With an impressive history and tradition of excellence, the Queen Mary Hotel is more than a place to rest one's head – it's an entire experience.



**Monday, August 7**

**Richard Nixon Presidential Library - Yorba Linda, CA**

Afternoon Tour: "Ghosts and Legends of Queen Mary"



**Tuesday, Aug. 8**      **Change hotels to The Élan Hotel for 2 night stay**

The Élan Hotel consistently rated as one of the Top 5 Hotels on Trip Advisor, the Élan Hotel is a 49-room boutique centrally located at the crossroads of Los Angeles, West Hollywood and Beverly Hills --- just moments away from the hottest shopping, dining, and entertainment meccas. Accommodations offer a contemporary décor using warm tones to create a relaxing and comfortable environment. At your leisure; dinner and shopping at the Grove.



**Wednesday, Aug. 9**

**Ronald Reagan Presidential Library - Simi Valley, CA**



**Thursday, Aug. 10**

**Skirball or Getty Museum**

**Final Banquet at Pat's Fine Kosher Dining**

**Pat's** is one of the most desired restaurants for locals and out-of towners. Errol Fine, along with his wife, Pat, hence the name, have been able to create a unique charm that make customers always feel at home. They have this incredible passion for the culinary arts, service and hospitality. Delicious food, excellent service and a welcoming ambiance have always been a given, but it's the personal attention to their clients that make them and their restaurant special. The restaurant is beautifully decorated with warm and inviting ambiance. Who knew kosher could be so good!



**Friday, Aug. 11**

**Return to Phoenix, AZ**

## Educators:

**Mr. Andre Ivory** is the BJE's Outreach Coordinator. A dynamic Jewish educator, Andre works with teens, young adults and adult learners in classes offered at the BJE for the past 3 years. Andre has served congregations and Jewish institutions in his hometown of Los Angeles, Toronto and Phoenix. Andre's commitment to the Jewish community is driven by his love for the values: Torah, Avodah, and G'milut Chasadim. Andre serves as coordinator for ACT, a service learning project aimed at connecting young Jewish professionals with their basic Jewish values.

**Mr. Jay Roth** holds a B.A. in American History and Political Science from Brooklyn College and received a Master's in Social Work from Adelphi University in Garden City. Mr. Roth was the Executive Director of the Miami Beach JCC and has dedicated over 45 years of work to the JCC organizations. He is a lifelong historian with specific focus on the American Civil War- in particular Abraham Lincoln's life as well as his political career and the Founding Fathers. He currently is on the faculty of the BJE's Adult Jewish Learning department, teaching several courses on the Presidents including Lincoln, Teddy Roosevelt , FDR and Truman.

## Travel Package Includes:

- Roundtrip motor coach transportation from the Ina Levine Jewish Community Campus
- Transportation to all scheduled events
- Two nights on the Queen Mary in Long Beach
- Two nights at the Elan Hotel near Beverly Hills
- Admission to Richard Nixon and Ronald Reagan Presidential libraries
- Continental Breakfasts
- Glory Days Tour on the Queen Mary
- Wine and cheese reception at the Elan Hotel
- Final Banquet at Pat's Fine Kosher Dining

Not included: Optional travel excursions, lunch and dinners (with exception of final banquet)

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Trip Pricing:            \$1300 / person Double Occupancy  
                              \$1525 / person Single Occupancy

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Individual Deposits:    A deposit of **\$400 per person** is due with your reservation.

Final Payment:        Due no later than May 15, 2017

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Reservations:         To make your reservation online go to [www.bjephoenix.org](http://www.bjephoenix.org)  
                              Or call Andre Ivory at 480-634-8050  
                              [andrei@bjephoenix.org](mailto:andrei@bjephoenix.org)

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## Cancellation Policy:

All payments are fully refundable for cancellations received by **May 15, 2016**. Although every effort will be made to refund passenger payments, cancellations received after this date will be subject to the penalties imposed by our suppliers.

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