



Italy!

Greece-Turkey 2016
From legend
to legendary!



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Agenda of Meeting

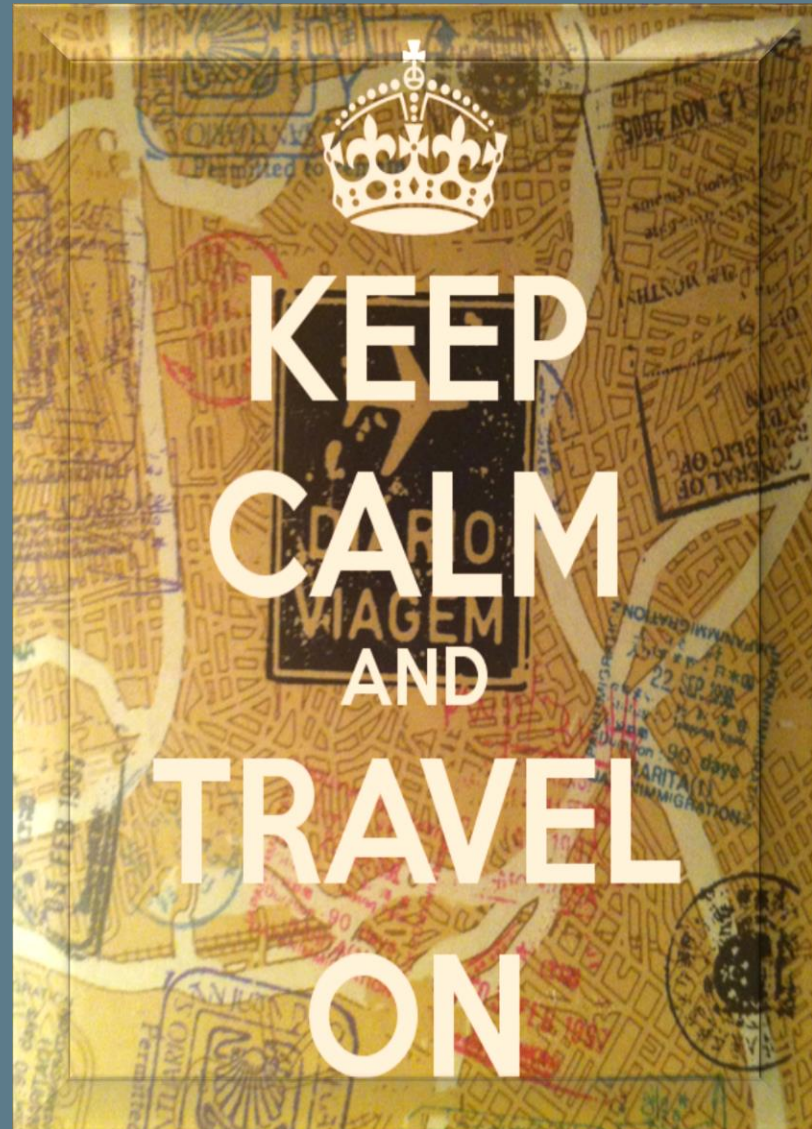
- Welcome: Cell phones off please
- Just 31 days away 😊
- Updates... Itinerary tweaks
- Safety Matters
- Phone tree
- Meet our tour directors
- Rooming arrangements
- Hotels
- Counting groups
- Photo Book and Mug Shots
- Traveler vs. Tourist
- Travel Itinerary – updates
- Last minute packing reminders
- Phones, debit cards, etc.
- June 4 - Ropes Course
- June 15 - Day before meeting
- A travel gift from EF and One Gift from us
- Calendar of upcoming events
- Questions, Comments, Freaking Outs 😊





Safetymatters

- EF and the State Department
- Jason and Matthew
- Re-evaluate like every trip IF something arises
- Seen it before...Japan and Tsunami; China and North Korea issues, France and train strikes. We will take care and make things work!



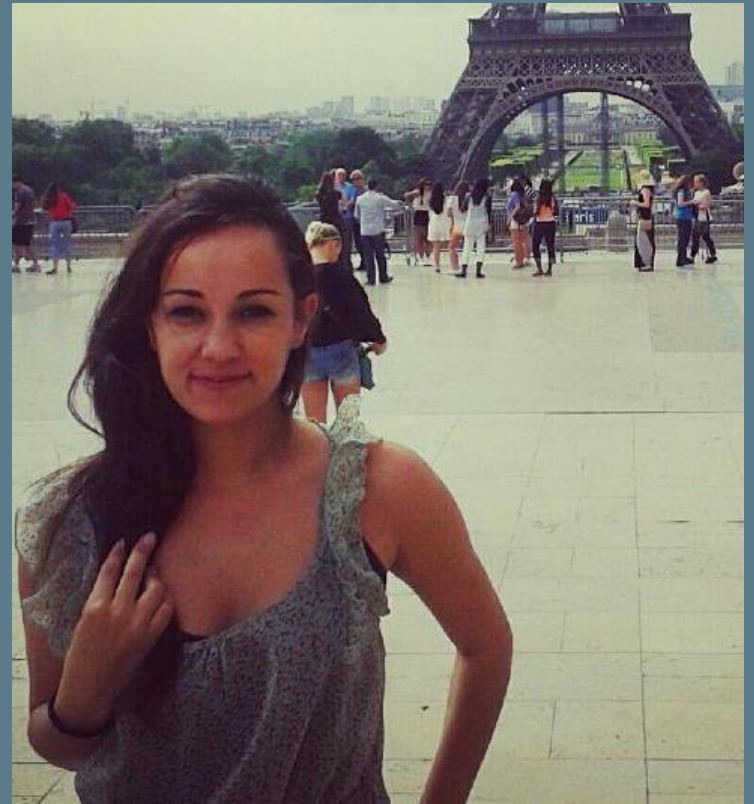
Group Emergency Phone Tree



Please fill this out today and we will provide a copy to all parents at our departure meeting!

Meet our Tour Directors

Armand and Elena



Hotels, Planes, Buses, & Ferries



Hotels: Rooming based on which rooms are available. We will do our best to stick to the requests provided by you

Planes: The airlines will provide you with a ticket/seat on the morning of departure. We will not be shuffling at the last minute on the plane. Sit in your assigned seat please

Buses: Boys and girls in separate seats at all times

Ferries/Boats: The ferry will provide the seating and we'll roll with the punches

Rooming arrangements

These are set up to accommodate different rooming options that may occur on the trip. They were created based on your recommendations and our rooming needs. Thank you for being flexible...remember we are in Greece and Italy!



Boys

2 per Room

Wes Carp. & Pete A
Calvin D. & Ethan M.
Hayden T., & Toby S.J.
Dalton C. & Brett T.
Joe C., and Mason B
Marcus D., & Isaac F.

3 per Room

Aengus K, Jake M, & A.J. K (Always in 3)
Wes Carp., Pete A. & Calvin D.
Ethan M., Hayden T., & Toby S.J
Dalton C., Brett T., & Marcus D.
Joe C., Mason B., & Isaac F.

4 per Room

Ethan M, Wes C., Pete A, & Calvin D
Hayden T. Toby S.J, Dalton C, & Brett T
Joe C, Mason B, Marcus D., & Isaac F.

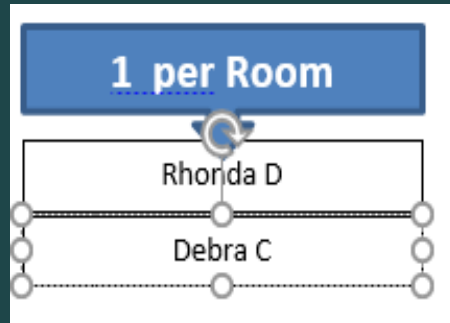
Girls

Ally G., Kira V.
Lauren B., & Avery J.
Ashley H., & Emily M.
Emma S., & Claire W.
<u>Audry B.</u> , & Talia M.
Emily S. & Sarah C.
Haley W., & McKenzie M.
Linnea S., & Izzy W.
<u>Bridgid O.</u> & Jayden P.
Erin S., & Hailey K. (Always 2 or 4)

Ellen H, Maggie D, & Ashley G. (Always in 3)
Lauren B., Avery J., & Ally G.
Kira V., Emma S., and Claire W.
Ashley H., Emily M, & Izzy W.
<u>Audry B.</u> , Talia M., & Emily S.
Haley W., <u>McKenzie M.</u> , & Sarah C.,
<u>Bridgid O.</u> , Jayden P., & Linnea S.

Ally G., Kira V, Lauren B, & Avery J
Ashley H, Emily M, Emma S, & Claire W.
<u>Audry B</u> , Talia M, Emily S, Sarah C
Haley W., McKenzie M, Erin S, & Hailey K
<u>Bridgid O.</u> , Jayden P., Linnea S., & Izzy W.

Rooming arrangements for adults



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- A diagram illustrating a "2 per Room" arrangement. At the top, a blue box contains the text "2 per Room" with a blue arrow pointing downwards. Below this, a vertical list of 15 white boxes, each with a black border, contains the following names:
- Kristin L & Gretal L.
 - Trudy K. & Becky M.
 - Tami H. & Elizabeth M
 - Amy C. & Kristen S
 - Samm G. & Pattie H
 - Marlyn P & Mary T.
 - Ray W. & Ben Bailey
 - Dan M. & John B.
 - James M. & Richard S.
 - Wes Cars. & Ken W.
 - Andrea and Paul O
 - Jason and Stacy A
 - Matthew & Daniel H

Hotels we will be staying in

From	To	Bus Number	Name and Address	City	Telephone	Website
6/17/2016	6/20/2016	1,2	Green Park Hotel Pamphili Largo L. Mossa, 4 Roma 00165 Italy	Rome	+39 06 661028	www.hotelpamphili.com
6/20/2016	6/21/2016	1,2	TBA Staiano	Sorrento		
6/21/2016	6/22/2016	1,2	Grand Hotel Helio Cabala Via Spinabella, 13/15 Marino Roma, IT 00047 Italy	Rome	+39 693661235	www.heliocabala.it
6/22/2016	6/23/2016	1,2	hotel Lefas	Delphi		
6/23/2016	6/24/2016	2	Hotel Titania Panepistimiou 52 Athens 10678 Greece	Athens	+30 210 332 6000	www.titania.gr
6/24/2016	6/27/2016	1,2	Olympia,3 Days Olympia	Piraeus	+1 954 538 4236	
6/27/2016	6/28/2016	1,2	Hotel Titania Panepistimiou 52 Athens 10678 Greece	Athens	+30 210 332 6000	www.titania.gr

Matthew, and Daniel's Travel Group

1	Matthew	Haley
2	Audry	Bales
3	John	Bales
4	Debra	Capawana
5	Joe	Capawana
6	Sarah	Carscallen
7	Wes	Carscallen
8	Amy	Conway
9	Dalton	Conway
10	Hailey	Knott
11	Mckenzie	Mosman
12	Erin	Sandoval
13	Kristine	Searcy
14	Toby	Searcy-Jorgensen
15	Brett	Taggart
16	Mary	Taggart
17	Hayden	Thompson



Counting Groups

**Rule
of 4**

We ALWAYS
travel in small
groups of no
less than
FOUR.

Jason and Stacy's Travel Group

1	Jason	Albrecht
2	Wes	Carpenter
3	Ally	Gerke
4	Aengus	Kennedy
5	Trudy	Klas
6	Ajay	Klas
7	Kristin	Levier
8	Gretal	Liebnitz
9	Emily	Martin
10	Becky	Martin
11	James	Martin
12	Jake	Martin
13	Elizabeth	Miller
14	Ethan	Miller
15	Linnea	Sheneman
16	Kira	Vierling
17	Isabelle	Wappett

1	Daniel	Haley
2	Mason	Burke
3	Maggie	Dawkins
4	Marcus	Delusa
5	Isaac	Falen
6	Ashley	Green
7	Samm	Green
8	Ellen	Heynes
9	Dan	Mullin
10	Talia	Mullin
11	Andrea	O'Sullivan
12	Brigid	O'Sullivan
13	Paul	O'Sullivan
14	Jayden	Pope
15	Marilyn	Pope
16	Richard	Seamon
17	Emily	Stubbers

1	Stacy	Albrecht
2	Pete	Airheart
3	Ben	Bailey
4	Lauren	Bailey
5	Calvin	Dater
6	Rhonda	Dater
7	Pattie	Haley
8	Ashley	Hanson
9	Tami	Hanson
10	Avery	Jaeckel
11	Emma	Sattler
12	Claire	Wallace
13	Ray	Wallace
14	Haley	Windsor
15	Ken	Windsor

Photo Mug Shots

A stylized camera lens graphic is centered on the page. The lens is dark grey with a multi-bladed aperture in the center. The background consists of several overlapping, curved shapes in vibrant colors: purple, green, yellow, and red. The overall aesthetic is modern and graphic.

Still need Dan
and Talia Mullin's
Mugs :)

Tourist vs. Traveler

	OBSERVES	
Just there to look around and see the notable "must sees"		EXPERIENCES
		Immerse themselves in the culture
STICKS OUT		BLENDS IN
Separates themselves from the people and the local culture		Makes friends and connections with the locals
COMPLAINS		CURIOUS
Constantly makes comparisons between here and home		Asks questions and explore with an open mind
OBLIVIOUS		SENSITIVE
Doesn't pay attention to people or surroundings		Aware and respectful of cultural norms
RESULT		GOAL
A nice tan and a thinner wallet		Values are shaped and lifetime experience is gained
SOUVENIR		KEEPSAKE
An overpriced gift shop trinket		A unique piece of physical culture

2 tips for avoiding the stereotypes:

- 1 BE RESPECTFUL**
Wherever you are, be respectful of the cultural traditions and values of the place you're visiting.
- 2 BE YOURSELF**
Don't disregard or disown your own identity. Stay true to yourself, while still acclimating to the present culture.

Remember
we are
guests in
their
country



GETTY IMAGES

Itinerary Update

- Only 31 Days Away!!!!
- We are flying out of Spokane so will need to be at the airport at 6:00 AM as a large group takes time 😊



- Flights – Middle seats and we are spread throughout the plane.

- The Cruise is on and we will not be going to Turkey but will get a stop on the Greek Island of Samos!



When do we leave??



Carrier	Flight #	Dep	Arr	Dep Date	Dep Time	Arr Time
DL	2428	GEG	MSP	6/16/2016	09:47	14:27
DL	0090	MSP	FCO	6/16/2016	17:35	10:10
KL	1572	ATH	AMS	6/28/2016	06:00	08:30
DL	0057	AMS	SLC	6/28/2016	10:05	12:28
DL	2840	SLC	GEG	6/28/2016	15:05	15:39

Remember they are subject to change before departure

Our trip starts in ROME!

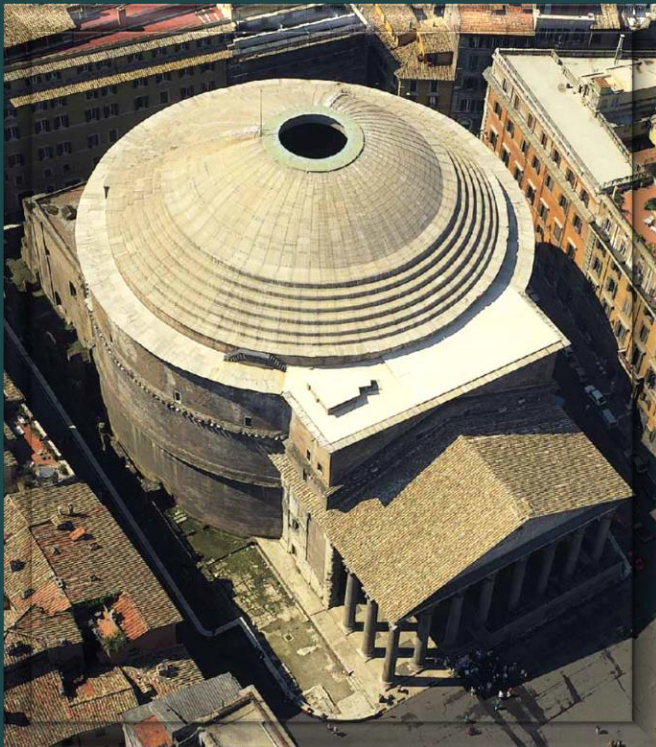
- Day 1 Fly overnight to Italy!
- Day 2 Meet our Tour Directors in Rome
- Day 3 Rome:
 - Guided tour of Vatican City
 - Visit the Sistine Chapel
 - Visit St. Peter's Basilica
 - Check out the Roman Catacombs!





Continue Day 4: Rome

- Visit the Colosseum and the Roman Forum!
- Off to see the Trevi Fountain, the Pantheon, Piazza Navona, and the Spanish Steps



Day 5: Capri and the Sorrento Region

- Take a ferry ride to Capri and take a guided tour of the town
- Enjoy an island cruise
- Travel to the Sorrento Region



Day 6: Pompeii and an extra evening in Rome



- Take a guided tour of Pompeii
- Visit the Pompeii Roman Ruins
- Return to Rome and take an early flight to Athens

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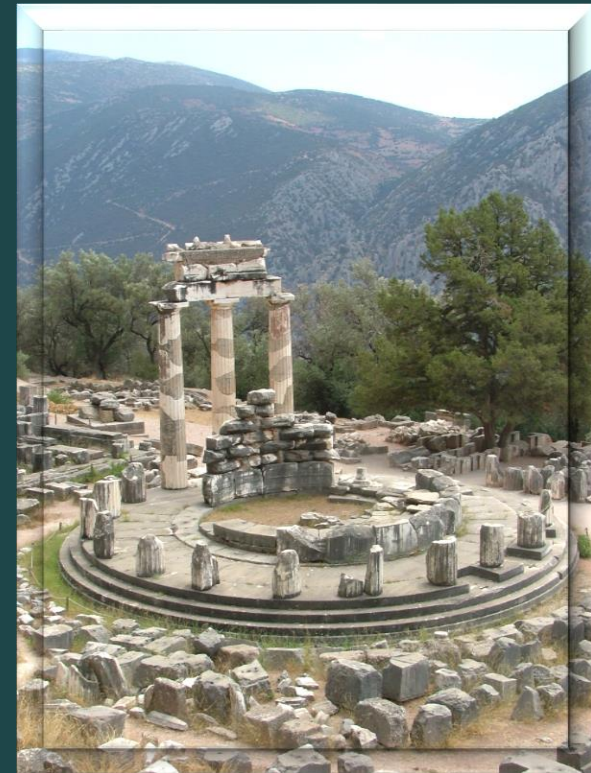


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Day 7 & 8: Athens and Delphi

Arrive in Athens, Greece and Travel to Delphi

- Visit the Temple of Apollo and the Delphi Museum
- Travel to Athens
- Enjoy a Greek evening dinner with music and dancing





——— *Tour Highlights of* ———

ATHENS & THE ISLANDS



Day 9: Athens!

- Guided tour of Athens
- Check out the Olympic Stadium
- Visit the Parthenon and the Temple of Nike Athena
- Walk the Plaka District
- Visit the Temple of Zeus



Greek Cruise Days: 10, 11, 12

- Mykonos
- Crete and the Palace of Knossos
- Santorini ... Touring the ruins of Thera
- Samos



Day 13 – Depart for Home



Memories made

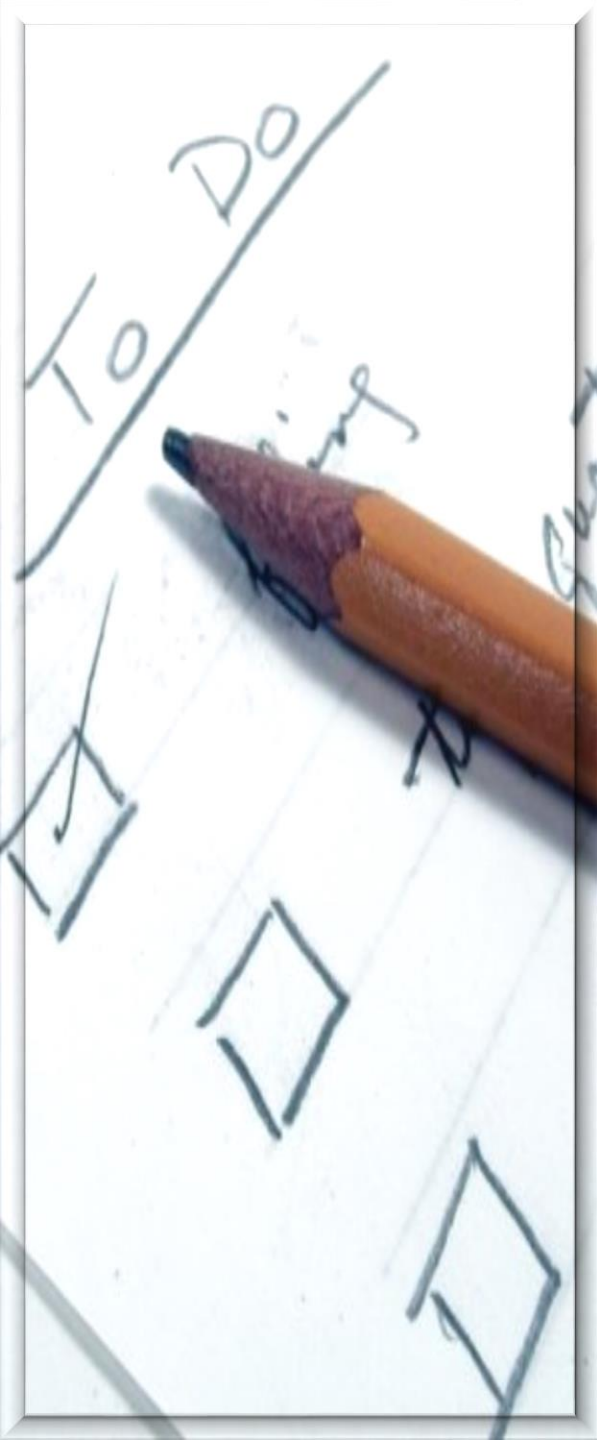


Last Minute Packing Reminders

Dress for travel! Pack light and make sure to have appropriate clothes for the religious sites (shoulders covered and skirts/shorts at knee length)

- ✓ Make sure all liquids are placed in clear plastic bags and meet airline requirements
- ✓ Check with your bank to ensure you can access your money
- ✓ Bring extra batteries as well as chargers, adaptors, and converters
- ✓ Passports, medications, insurance info.

Additional questions? Please read the packing list we have provided or Matthew's departure email (Will be sent 20 days prior to departure)



Cell Phones, Debit Cards, & Internet

- Check your phones and know your data plan!



- Follow on Facebook Search: Globalxpeditions

- Check with your bank and let them know you will be traveling overseas
- We will get cash at the first ATM we find in country
- Check your name is on your card



Adventure Learning and Team Building Day for International Travel

- Meet at Paradise Ridge at 9:00am on Sat. June 4th (rain or shine☺)
- Or meet at MMS at 8:45am to carpool or caravan
- Pick-up at 3:00pm
- Bring a sack lunch, sun screen, close toed shoes, and a great attitude!



Paradise Ridge Challenge Course
An Experiential Adventure in Building
Meaningful Relationships, Trust & Respect

<http://www.paradiseridgechallenge.com/>

Day Before Departure Meeting on *JUNE 15*

- Meet at MMS at 5:00pm for pre-trip check off
 - All travelers and stay-at-home contacts must be there
- Bring your passport, luggage, and backpacks for weighing and tagging
- Hit the sack and get up EARLY! You need to be at the Spokane Airport Delta Terminal by 6:00 am on JUNE 16 to get us checked in for 9:47am flights

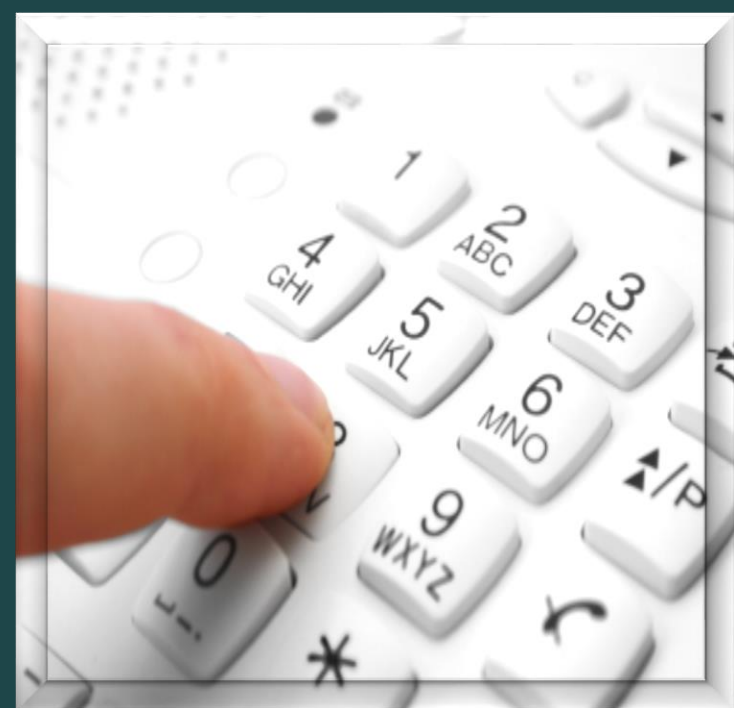
“If you are not early
you are late.”



At Home Packet for Parents

- ✓ When you attend the June 15 departure meeting we will be handing you a packet with the following Information:

- Contact phone numbers
- Hotel and flight and Information
- Copy of traveler's passport
- Emergency Phone tree



A travel gift for you!

A backpack from EF for everyone and a water bottle for the students from your tour leaders 😊



Schedule of Meetings/Events

- June 4th - 9AM Ropes course #2 (pre-trip)
- June 15 - 5:00PM day before departure meeting
- June 16 - 6:00AM at Spokane airport (Delta terminal)
- June 28 - 3:39 PM Arrive back in Spokane
- Aug 2016 - Reunion Dinner TBA

All meetings and times are subject to change and you will be notified of any changes in advance. Please remember that all travel participants, including traveling adults, are required to attend at least 85% of all team meetings.



Questions, Comments, and/or Freaking Outs



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