



**THE SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS IS ALIVE AND WELL
IN THE LAUREL HIGHLANDS
Best dates are Thanksgiving thru New Year**

Today's outing will bring out the Christmas Spirit and provide an opportunity to find unique gifts for special persons in your life.

Approx. 9 hour day ~ Times to be set based on your group's arrival at New Stanton, Exit 75 off PA turnpike.

Connellsville has an amazing site for you to enjoy! Harry Clark's HO Scale model railroad display is one of the most incredibly built model railroads you will ever see. It is 22 by 50 feet and models the peak years of railroading, 1940-1955 with long, long trains gliding gracefully through broad curves and up 2% mountainous grades. The railroad is located in the Connellsville Canteen, a recreated B & O Train Station that commemorates the women who served the troops on trains passing through during WWII. Step back to the 1940's and hear stories of what local heroes did to protect the freedoms we have today. Next to the Canteen and Train Display you find the Appalachian Creativity Center, a unique gallery featuring artwork and various crafts of local artists.



A stop at Colebrook's Chocolates provides delicious samples and an opportunity to purchase excellent quality chocolates made right here.



Lunch stop on your own.

At Craftique Collections in Greensburg you enjoy a light snack while browsing through this large shop featuring a wide variety of goods from florals, candles, and candies. artwork, jewelry and much more, all from local individuals.

Next, a walk-through Greensburg's Ramada Hotel Parade of Trees. Local businesses decorate trees and you vote for your favorites by dropping a donation into that tree's "ballot" box. Proceeds go to local charities.



Early dinner at DiSalvo's Station Restaurant. Located in a restored train station, the food and atmosphere are outstanding.

Following dinner you take a drive through Overly Country Christmas display with more than a million lights. Also enjoy a bonfire, train display, shops and more. Following the Overly visit you say goodbye to your guide and depart for home.

INCLUDED: tours and admissions as listed, dinner, step on guide