







# **2026 Cubs Spring Training Tours**

March 1 – 7, 2026

March 8 - 14, 2026

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# **ABOUT**

Our story begins with Joel's lifelong passion for baseball and his unforgettable first spring training experience in Arizona in 1986, which ignited a deep love for Arizona and Spring Training. Throughout the years, Joel and Jennifer have cherished countless trips to Arizona for Spring Training, inspiring them to share this passion with others. Founded in 2019, Arizona Baseball Tours offers carefully crafted itineraries and personalized service to ensure memorable journeys for baseball fans eager to experience the magic of Arizona and Spring Training.

### **ARIZONA BASEBALL TOURS**

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Jennifer, Joel, & Chloe Frankie, Buddy, & Ella

Well organized, informative guide, and nice hotel/resort accommodations. Great way to enjoy some spring training baseball!

Mike S

## **TOUR INFORMATION**

#### **2026 TOUR DATES**

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#### RESERVATIONS

Online: www.arizonabaseballtours.com

Phone: 715-210-6662

#### **2026 TOUR PRICES**

Single Room (one person): \$3,199

Double Room (two people): \$2,399 per person Triple Room (three people): \$2,199 per person Home Run Room (four people): \$1,999 per person

#### **EACH TOUR INCLUDES**

- Six nights at Sonesta Suites Scottsdale Gainey Ranch
- Welcome reception includes dinner and two drinks per person
- Daily hot breakfast buffet
- Daily reception with complimentary beer, wine, soft drinks, and snacks
- Four Cubs Spring Training games
- Motorcoach transportation during the tour in Arizona
- \$150 per room ground transportation credit, paid in cash at the welcome reception
- Sightseeing excursions
  - Cowboy Cookout at Saguaro Lake Guest Ranch
  - o State Farm Stadium Tour
  - Old Town Scottsdale
  - Cosanti Originals
- Local guide leads the group daily
- Tour hosted by Arizona Baseball Tours staff
- Souvenir cap
- Souvenir clear stadium-approved bag
- Souvenir lanyard with game ticket holder

Traveling alone was super easy with this group. Joel and Andy were very well organized and everyone was so friendly! The tour was exactly what it should be - relaxing and fun!

Jayne S

# OPTIONAL ADD-ONS

# EXTRA NIGHT(S) AT SONESTA SUITES SCOTTSDALE GAINEY RANCH

An additional night at Sonesta Suites Scottsdale Gainey Ranch can be added before and/or after your tour for **\$275 per room per night**. This popular option extends your stay and provides more flexibility when searching for flights. Extra night(s) can be selected during booking.



Have you considered what would happen if you had to cancel your trip last-minute? We hope it doesn't happen, but we want to make sure your wallet is protected. Check out our <u>travel protection plan</u> to learn more about coverage available to you.

Our second year and it was wonderful. Great people and a very relaxing vacation.

Beverly E

## **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

## **Four Cubs Games**

Experience the excitement of Cubs Spring Training in sunny Arizona! Join fellow fans for four Cubs games at various Cactus League stadiums, including Sloan Park, the Spring Training home of the Cubs. Cheer on the team as they gear up for the season, bask in the Arizona sunshine, and relish America's beloved sport with other passionate Cubs fans.





#### **Old Town Scottsdale**

Discover Old Town Scottsdale, where the past meets the present in an exciting mix! Wander through historic streets and find one-of-a-kind shops offering local art and souvenirs. Enjoy a variety of delicious food, from Southwestern flavors to stylish coffee shops. Experience the vibrant energy that makes Old Town a destination you won't want to miss!

#### **State Farm Stadium Tour**

The State Farm Stadium Tour provides a behind-the-scenes glimpse into Arizona's iconic venue, home to the NFL's Arizona Cardinals. Explore the NFL Visiting Team Locker Room, Press Box, Cardinals Press Conference Room, Cardinals Hall of Famers area, and an exclusive Private Loft. The tour highlights the stadium's innovative design and history. Knowledgeable guides share interesting facts about events held here, including Super Bowls and concerts.



## **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS**

# **Cowboy Cookout**

Saguaro Lake Guest Ranch is our destination for an authentic ranch dining experience with delicious cuisine, incredible desert views, and genuine ranch hospitality. Fill your plate with cowboy steak ribeye w/ chimichurri, roasted chicken legs, cowboy beans, baked potato w/fixins, seasonal roasted veggies, green salad, homemade rolls, and Chef's choice of homemade dessert! \*Menu subject to change\*





# **Cosanti Originals**

Cosanti Originals is an architectural marvel showcasing Paolo Soleri's vision of arcology. Tour the unique structures and witness the mesmerizing bronze pour, a signature art form. Explore the gift shop, offering handcrafted bronze and ceramic bells, sculptures, and architectural models, embodying Soleri's artistic legacy.

We had a wonderful time on this tour. Very well organized and full of other fun activities, besides the baseball of course. Never had a concern or problem with anything. So glad we decided to book this tour.

Paul S

# **SONESTA SUITES SCOTTSDALE GAINEY RANCH**

\*\*\*The hotel does **NOT** have an airport shuttle\*\*\*

## SONESTA SUITES SCOTTSDALE GAINEY RANCH

7300 E Gainey Suites Drive Scottsdale, AZ 85258 (480) 922-6969 Website

CHECK-IN: 4:00 PM CHECK-OUT: 11:00 AM

#### **HOTEL FEATURES & AMENITIES**

- Located in Scottsdale's exclusive Gainey Ranch neighborhood
- Fully equipped kitchens in all suites, including refrigerator, microwave, stovetop, and dishwasher
- Daily hot breakfast buffet (M-F 6:30 am to 9:30 am, Saturday & Sunday 6:30 am to 10:00 am)
- Daily reception with complimentary beer, wine, soft drinks, and snacks (5 pm to 6 pm daily)
- On-site bar
- Heated swimming pool and hot tub
- Lush courtyard and desert gardens
- On-site coin laundry for guests Arizona Baseball Tours will provide complimentary detergent, dryer sheets, and quarters for tour guests who would like to do laundry during the tour
- Complimentary WiFi
- Fitness Center
- Business Center
- Numerous restaurants and bars are just steps from the hotel

#### **HOUSEKEEPING**

Light housekeeping every other day or upon request

The hosts, tour guide and bus driver treated us all like family and I made a number of life long friends on the trip.

#### Pierce D

# **MOTORCOACH**

## **ARROW STAGE LINES**

3255 S 44th St Phoenix, AZ 85040 (480) 446-2868

#### **MOTORCOACH FEATURES**

- 54 Passenger
- Restroom equipped
- Reclining seats
- Adjustable foot rests
- Individual reading lights
- Climate control
- Huge picture windows
- WiFi equipped



## **COMPLIMENTARY ITEMS ON MOTORCOACH**

- Bottled Water
- Snacks

## MOTORCOACH PICKUP & DROPOFF LOCATION AT HOTEL

Outside the hotel's main entrance

Terrific experience! Well organized, lots of little "extras", thoughtful people – definitely want to do it again.

# Kathy M

## **WELCOME RECEPTION**

## **Welcome Reception**

The welcome reception for each tour will be held from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the Gainey Ballroom at the hotel on the following dates:

- Sunday, March 1, 2026
- Sunday, March 8, 2026
- Sunday, March 15, 2026

When you arrive at the reception, please check in at the Arizona Baseball Tours table, where you will receive the following items:



- Name tags
- Drink tickets
- Tour brochure
- Tour itinerary
- · Stadium guidelines for all of the stadiums we will visit during the tour
- Game tickets (see page 10 for more details on game tickets)
- \$150 per room ground transportation credit, paid in cash
- Souvenir cap
- Souvenir clear stadium-approved bag
- Souvenir lanyard and ticket holder

Dinner and two drink tickets per person are provided at the reception.

Some great prizes will be given away during the reception (need not be present to win).

If you are unable to attend the welcome reception, please get in touch with Joel at 715-210-6662 to arrange a time to meet to provide you with the items listed above and answer any questions you may have.

Impressed with how you all went overboard to make sure everyone was comfortable and having a good time.

Jerry L

## **GAME TICKETS**

#### **Seat Locations**

We do our best to purchase group tickets for seats that are in the shade and are stadium-style seats.

#### If You Have Friends on the Tour

If you have friends who are also on the tour, please let us know so we can arrange for your game tickets to be together.

#### **Game Tickets**

We always try to get physical paper tickets for all games and attractions for tour participants. However, many venues are transitioning from paper tickets to digital ticketing. We recommend that you install the MLB Ballpark app on your smartphone in the event we are not able to get paper tickets to games. If you have the Ballpark app, we can send the digital game tickets to you. If you don't have the Ballpark app, we can scan you into the game at the gate.

# **Ballpark App**



Great organized trip. Enjoyed all the games. Loved all of the scenery and attractions we went to.

## Karen O

# **FOOD & BEVERAGE SHOPPING OPTIONS**

## Walmart Shopping Trip (optional)

On Monday morning of each tour, we are offering an optional shopping trip to a local Walmart on the motorcoach.

Each room is equipped with a full kitchen, making this a great opportunity to purchase beverages, snacks, or meal items for the week and to pick up any items you may have forgotten to pack.

We will have a sign-up sheet at the welcome reception for those who would like to go on this shopping trip.

## **Sprouts Farmers Market**

Sprouts Farmers Market is a small grocery store located next to the hotel in The Shops Gainey Village. The store offers a wide selection of natural and organic foods, including:

- Fresh produce
- Packaged groceries
- Meat
- Seafood
- Poultry
- Deli
- Baked goods
- Dairy
- Frozen
- Personal care products

Enjoyed my week with Arizona Baseball Tours in Phoenix. This tour gave us the opportunity to enjoy some Spring Training games and take in some sights of scenic Arizona. It was the right mix of things to do and time to do our own thing as well. Our hosts, Joel and Andy met all of our needs and are very organized. **Margo H** 

## **HOTEL AREA RESTAURANTS & BARS**

## THE SHOPS GAINEY VILLAGE (Next to the hotel)

**Hash Kitchen** (Breakfast)

480-947-3214

<u>Website</u>

Koibito Poke (Hawaiian)

480-306-8440

<u>Website</u>

Luna Gelateria & Caffetteria (Gelato)

480-907-5202

**Website** 

Lure Fish House (Seafood)

480-676-3323

**Website** 

Village Tavern (American)

480-534-3620

Website

Pomo Pizzeria Napoletana (Italian)

480-998-1366

Website

SOI4 Bangkok Eatery (Thai)

480-778-1999

Website

**SunSet Wine Bistro** 

480-443-2575

**Website** 

The Coffee Bean & Tea Leaf

480-315-9335

**Website** 

**Sprouts Farmers Market** (Grocery)

480-951-6445

Website

We enjoyed this tour so much! So well organized, excellent communication with Joel and team throughout, with every little detail covered. Local guide, April, and bus driver Ryan, excellent also! We liked the pace of the tour, and having most evenings free. Great accommodations in a very nice, safe and guiet area. Highly recommended! **Colleen P** 

# **AIRPORT INFORMATION**

## Real ID

A REAL ID is now required for all domestic flights. A REAL ID is a driver's license or ID card that is also a federally accepted form of identification. REAL ID cards have a star in the upper-right-hand corner.



## **Phoenix Area Airports**

Sky Harbor Airport (PHX)

- 17 miles to the hotel
- Ground Transportation Information

# Mesa Gateway Airport (AZA)

- 37 miles to the hotel
- Ground Transportation Information

# **Ground Transportation Credit**

To help offset your ground transportation expense between the Phoenix airports and the hotel, each room will receive a \$150 ground transportation credit, paid in cash at the welcome reception.

Arizona Baseball Tours planned and booked everything! All we had to do was show up!

Kari E

## **TERMS**

### **Reservations and Payments**

A deposit of \$100 per person or payment in full is required when a reservation is made. If a deposit was paid, the balance is due by 01/10/26. The deadline to make reservations is 01/10/26. After the deadline, please contact us to check availability. Any new reservations made after 01/10/26 require payment in full and are non-refundable.

### **Cancellation Policy**

Cancellations by 01/10/26 will receive a refund of what was paid, less a 3% processing fee. Because of our commitments with lodging, transportation, and tickets for games and attractions, cancellations after 01/10/26 are non-refundable. Check out our travel protection plan to learn more about trip cancellation coverage available to you.

#### **Prices**

Prices reflected are per person, based upon the stated single, double, triple, or home run occupancy.

#### **Itinerary**

Every effort is made not to deviate from the published itinerary. In the rare circumstances where a revision is necessary, Arizona Baseball Tours LLC reserves the right to make changes that may include a change in game times, tours offered, hotels substituted, or travel methods altered when deemed necessary to do so. All such changes will be communicated to participants, and any such changes will not result in eligibility for a refund. Arizona Baseball Tours LLC also reserves the right to cancel or postpone any scheduled tour due to a lack of participation, which will result in the eligibility of a full refund of what was paid. Detailed trip information is readily available at arizonabaseballtours.com. Tour itineraries will be posted on arizonabaseballtours.com once the game times are announced (November 2025).

## **Included in Tour Cost**

- Six nights at Sonesta Suites Scottsdale Gainey Ranch
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- · Daily hot breakfast buffet
- Daily reception with complimentary beer, wine, soft drinks, and snacks
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#### **Not Included in Tour Cost**

- Airfare or other transportation to/from Scottsdale, AZ, at the start and end of the tour
- Travel insurance (optional travel insurance is available for purchase)
- Personal expenses, such as laundry, telephone calls, and meals/beverages, unless specifically noted as included in your tour package
- Any other items not specifically noted as included in your tour package

## **TERMS**

#### **Game Rainout Policy**

If a game the group is attending is cancelled before starting or has started but has not reached MLB official game status, refunds will be issued for the cost of the ticket(s).

#### **Hotel Policy**

Incidental hotel charges, including room service, laundry, phone calls, etc., are not covered and are the full responsibility of the participant. The hotel generally requires a credit card at check-in to cover incidentals, and all incidental charges are to be paid directly to the hotel by the participant at checkout.

#### **Accommodations**

The following room bed configurations are available to participants. Participants are hereby notified and accept these bedding options.

- Single Room (one person): king bed
- Double Room (two people): choice of king bed or two queen beds
- Triple Room (three people): two queen beds
- Home Run Room (four people): two queen beds

#### **Non-Tour Participants**

For liability reasons, anyone who is not a paying tour participant is prohibited from any tour activities, including, but not limited to, the welcome reception and group motorcoach transportation during the tour.

#### Responsibility

Arizona Baseball Tours LLC acts as an agent/broker in the coordination of ground transportation, hotel accommodations, guided tours, ticket fulfillment, and other travel-related items related to your tour package. As a participant, you acknowledge and agree that Arizona Baseball Tours LLC does not own, operate, or control the actions of the entities providing these services. Arizona Baseball Tours LLC contracts with suppliers such as hotels, charter bus operators and other service providers that provide the travel products; it does not have direct control over the provision of services by suppliers and shall not be liable for any loss, damage, injury, additional cost, accident, delay, irregularity that may be occasioned by any error or default, act or omission of any supplier in carrying out the arrangements of any tour, or otherwise in connection therewith. Your acknowledgement releases Arizona Baseball Tours LLC and its member parties, including employees and representatives of Arizona Baseball Tours LLC, from all loss, injury, and damages you may suffer during the trip. You further acknowledge that Arizona Baseball Tours LLC also accepts no liability for changes, omissions, or delays before or during the course of any tour occasioned by technical difficulties, weather conditions, strikes, war or unrest, communication breakdowns, or events beyond the control of Arizona Baseball Tours LLC. All expenses occasioned by such events, including but not limited to unscheduled extensions or curtailment of accommodation, changes to scheduled flights, additional air fares, telephone and meal costs, etc., will be the responsibility of the client. Arizona Baseball Tours LLC reserves the right to cancel any reservation and provide a full refund to the travel party at its discretion.

#### **Photography**

Arizona Baseball Tours LLC reserves the right to take photographs or videos during the operation of any tour or part thereof and to use the resulting photography, videos, or recordings for promotional or commercial use. By making a reservation with Arizona Baseball Tours LLC, the participant agrees to allow his/her likeness to be used by Arizona Baseball Tours LLC. If the participant prefers that his/her likeness not be used, he/she must notify Arizona Baseball Tours LLC in writing before the start of the tour.

#### Unlawful/Abusive Behavior

Arizona Baseball Tours LLC strives to provide a positive and safe experience for all participants. While Arizona Baseball Tours LLC does not accept responsibility for the behavior of other participants, any participant engaging in unlawful, offensive, or abusive behavior may be removed from the tour without refund.