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March 14, 1989

Juanita Hunter, Ed.D. R.N.
President
New York State Nurses' Association
2113 Western Avenue
Guilderland, New York 12084

Dear Juanita:

I regret to inform you that I shall be unable to attend the second day of the June Board of Directors' meeting on June 15, 1989.

My son, Benjamin, is graduating from high school that morning, and of course, I want to be there. I shall plan to attend the finance committee meeting on June 13th and the Board of Directors' meeting on June 14th.

Sincerely,

Madeline A. Naegle, Ph.D., R.N.
President-elect

April 11 (continued)
Lv. LaGuardia 4:40 p.m. - Arrive Buffalo 5:53 p.m. US Air #117

4/20-21 ESREC meeting - Buffalo - Philadelphia

May Travel

Friday, May 5 - Jacqueline Perley's meeting in Albany
Tuesday, May 9 - District 3 meeting
Lv. Buffalo 3:05 p.m. - Binghamton 4:25 p.m. Piedmont #4848
Hertz rental car (mid-sized) reserved for you
Overnight at the Holiday Inn - Someone from District 3 will meet you at the Holiday Inn to take you to the meeting. Dinner is at 6:30 - meeting begins 7:30 p.m.

May 10 - Drive rental car back to Binghamton
Lv. Binghamton 8:25 a.m. - Arrive Albany 9 a.m. Piedmont #4832
Nurse of Distinction Program
Thursday, May 11
Lv. Albany 8:44 am - Arrive LaGuardia 9:43 a.m. Delta 3873
overnight reservation at the Roger Smith Winthrop Goldwater Memorial Hospital speaking engagement at 12 noon.
Contact Gloria Phipps (212) 750-6800
District 13 Awards dinner, evening

Friday, May 12
Lv. LaGuardia 7 am - Arrive Rochester 8:05 am
Speaking engagement - Genesee (I do not have details)
Take the train at 3:17 p.m. from Rochester to Buffalo Unreserved seating.

Saturday, May 13
Pin ceremony at SUNY, Brockport
You had indicated you will drive.

ANA House of Delegates Travel

June 22 - Reservations for Dr. Hunter and Archie Hunter
Lv. Buffalo 8:05 a.m. - Pittsburgh 9:05 a.m. US Air #9
Lv. Pittsburgh 10:10 a.m. - Arrive 11:22 a.m. Kansas City US Air #65

June 26
Lv. Kansas City 5:40 p.m. - Arrive Pittsburgh 8:39 p.m. US Air #8
Lv. Pittsburgh 9:55 p.m. - Arrive Buffalo 10:55 p.m. US Air #412
These tickets are non-refundable. Round trip fare is about $238 each.

Travel planning to do:
4/20 - ESREC meeting - Philadelphia
5/5 - J. Perley's meeting here in Albany
5/19 - Advisory Council

ICN reservations
Dear Ms. Hunter:

Thank you very much for your thoughtful, interesting and provocative letter of March 8th.

Essentially, I am in agreement with all the points you make in your letter, except for the fact that you seem to tend to exclude hospitals from participating in educational programs for nurses.

Hospitals obviously have a very important role to play. Traditionally, the education of physicians involves two years of so-called basic sciences, but then two years in a hospital where they get supervised clinical instruction so that they can learn to apply their basic science knowledge to clinical problems. Hospitals have to be involved in the process or otherwise, we could turn doctors out after four years of undergraduate college, provided they took enough basic science courses in their first two years of college and then more advanced courses in their second two years of college.

Since hospitals are so necessary for education of nurses as well as doctors, it seems to me that some sort of arrangements could be worked out on a more formal and more state-wide basis to accomplish our common goal.

Many years ago, I was an intern at the New York Hospital Cornell Medical Center. At that time, junior and senior students at Skidmore who were getting their degrees in nursing, came to the New York Hospital and essentially lived there for two years getting clinical experience and education and applying the knowledge they had learned of basic sciences in their first two years at Skidmore in Saratoga. As I remember it, they got full credit towards their degree for the two years spent in New York Hospital.

For monetary reasons, the plan fell apart.

The State University here at Albany had a similar program going some years ago, but again, it fell apart.

It seems to me that if HANYS and MSSNY, and the Nursing Association all sat down together and worked out a practical program with very high academic standards, we could persuade the legislature and the governor and the Health Department to pursue such a program.

I am equally sure that it would have great appeal for both the private and public colleges and universities throughout the state.

Such a program, I am sure, would encourage young people to choose a career in nursing.

I would supplement all of the above with more standardized and rigorous programs for LPN's. Such a program would be structured in such a way so that those LPN's who showed aptitude and interest, could be encouraged to apply for admission and even financial support in the combined university and hospital degree programs.

Under those circumstances, the hospitals would, in their own self-interest, make sure that the program and instruction for LPN's would be of high caliber in the hopes that some of the LPN's would want to and be eligible to move up the scale and get a degree in nursing.

Again, I agree with most of the points that you make in your letter. But, again, I don't see how you can have a realistic practical program for a degree in nursing without having more active participation by hospitals. I suspect that hospitals would be more than eager to enter into some sort of a serious discussion along those lines.

Again, I would like to point out that what I have said here is strictly personal. It does not in any way, represent the point of view of the New York State Medical Society much less the American Medical Association.

Sincerely,

John H. Carter, M.D.
November 21, 1989

Dr. Juanita Hunter, President
New York State Nurses Association
2113 Western Ave.
Guilderland, NY 12084

Dear Dr. Hunter,

We are honored that you will be the guest speaker at the Class of 1989's Pinning Ceremony.

Date: Saturday, May 13th
Time: Ceremony - 2 pm
Reception - 3 pm
Place: Seymour Union Ballroom
Dress: Academic Attire

As the date draws nearer I will send you a map of the campus. The ceremony lasts one hour and twenty minutes of that time is allotted to the speech. I have heard you speak several times and each time I have been impressed with your commitment to professional nursing. You are an articulate spokesperson for our profession and I know that our students and their guests will be enlightened and inspired by your words.

If your schedule permits, the faculty of the Department of Nursing would like you to be our guest at lunch or at a reception in your honor. If you would like to do this, and your agenda allows it, we will make the arrangements and I will notify you about the time and place.

We have requested three hundred dollars ($300.00) in our Pinning Ceremony budget to cover the cost of your travel expenses and to give you an honorarium for speaking.

In closing I would like to thank you once again. When I informed the students and the faculty that you were speaking they were delighted. It is an understatement to say that we are looking forward to your visit. If you have any questions please do not hesitate to call me at 395-5313.

Sincerely,

Marcia A. Ullman, M.S.N., R.N.
Assistant Professor
Advisor, Student Nurses Organization
April 17, 1989

Dr. Juanita Hunter
President
New York State Nurses Association
2113 Western Ave.
Guilderland, NY 12084

Dear Dr. Hunter,

As May 13th is rapidly approaching, I thought I'd better write and give you some additional information on the Nursing Recognition Ceremony. The ceremony will take place on Saturday, May 13th from 2-3 pm in Seymour Union Ballroom.

Approximately twenty minutes has been allotted for your speech. Please send an abbreviated vita for the person who will introduce you to use. I understand that when you spoke with Kay Wood last week she told you that, after much debate, we have convinced the students to join the faculty in wearing academic garb instead of white uniforms.

I am including three enclosures with this letter. One is a contract blank. Please sign each copy, keep one for yourself and return the others to me. The second enclosure is a map of Brockport and the SUNY Campus at Brockport and the third is a copy of the Nursing Recognition Ceremony program.

If you would like to be our guest for lunch, please let me know and we will set a time and place to meet. If not, please be in the Student Union by 1:30 pm.

Once again, thank you for agreeing to do this -- we are honored.

Sincerely,

Marcia A. Ullman, MS, RN
Assistant Professor
MEMO: Juanita Hunter  
President  
FROM: Martha L. Orr  
Executive Director  
March 1, 1989

I thought it might be helpful to clarify my understanding of the arrangement planning and the reimbursement for your expenses to attend the ICN meeting in Seoul. I have spoken with the ITS coordinator; she explained that what is needed immediately is the registration/reservation form, registration fee, and travel deposit. After this is received, ITS will make the additional travel arrangements including the Buffalo to West Coast departure city.

Kim Roberts will work directly with you to submit the ICN registration and the reservation form for hotel accommodation and sightseeing tours. Please let her know as soon as possible whether you prefer for us to submit these forms or if you would prefer to submit them yourself.

My understanding of the Board’s authorization for the ICN expenditure is that the Association will pay your registration fee and the cost of the basic travel package to the meeting itself. You would be responsible for any additional expenses. Based on the ICN official travel program, it appears that your reimbursement will be as follows:

- Basic travel package: $1520
- Airfare to West Coast: 400 (approximate)
- Registration fee: 275 (approximate)
- Per diem (8 days): 240
- Total reimbursement: $2435

If you prefer to make your own arrangements, I will be glad to arrange for you to receive the entire subsidy in lump sum. Alternatively, if NYSNA makes your travel arrangements, you would need to coordinate payment of the amounts in excess of the subsidy.
WHILE YOU WERE OUT

Marcia Wellman
M.S., SUNY Brockport
Phone 335-5323

To: J. Hunter
Date 10/24 Time 10:45

TELEPHONED PLEASE CALL
CALLED TO SEE YOU WILL CALL AGAIN
WANTED TO SEE YOU RETURNED YOUR CALL

Message
May 13 Thank you

Operator

MARK YOUR CALENDAR FOR THE FOLLOWING IMPORTANT DATES

INDUCTION
Monday, March 6, 1989 7:00 p.m.
Center for Tomorrow
Amherst Campus

Come and meet and welcome our newest members and officers.

RESEARCH DAY
Wednesday, May 3, 1989 3:00 p.m.
The Buffalo General Hospital

This event will again be hosted by the Buffalo General Hospital
as a part of the recognition ceremonies and events of Nurses' Week. The three local chapters of Sigma Theta Tau will again
co-sponsor the day. An afternoon program followed by a dinner
with a speaker from Sigma Theta Tau's distinguished lecturer
series will be the format for the day. Look for your
registration/program brochure to arrive early in April.

RESEARCH FUNDS

Research funds are available from Gamma Kappa Chapter. The
deadline for submission is April 1, 1989. Requests for
application should be sent to:

Rosemary Hellman, R.N., Ph.D.
Department of Social and Preventive Medicine
State University of New York at Buffalo
2211 Main Street
Buffalo, New York 14214
DATE: April 13, 1989

TO: NYS-NPA Representatives: Judith Leavitt, Candy Dato, Melody Johnson, Diana Mason
NYSNA Representatives: Juanita K. Hunter, Madeline A. Naegle, Joan A. Lynch, Martha L. Orr, E. Joyce Gould

FROM: Kim E. Roberts, Administrative Assistant to the Executive Director

RE: Joint NYS-NPA/NYSNA Meeting

This memo will confirm a meeting of representatives from NYS-NPA and NYSNA which is scheduled for Wednesday, May 24 at 12:30 p.m. The meeting will take place in NYSNA's New York office located at One Madison Avenue (corner of 23rd Street) on the 9th Floor. Luncheon will be served at 12:30 p.m. at the commencement of the meeting.

Should you need assistance or should your plans to attend change, please call me at the phone number above.

/kem

Enclosures
MEMORANDUM

TO: Minority Focus Group

FROM: E. Joyce Gould, Director, Legislative Program

DATE: April 17, 1989

RE: Meeting - May 17, 1989
Place - Veronica M. Driscoll Center for Nursing

At the informal meeting at the NYSNA Legislative workshop, the members of the Minority Focus Group discussed how to influence the Black and Puerto Rican Caucus in relation to nursing concerns. Several strategies were identified.

The NYSNA Board of Directors has approved a budgetary allocation for a meeting of the Minority Focus Group to follow up on these strategies with the NISHA Council on Legislation. The meeting is planned for 10:30 a.m. on May 17, 1989 at the Veronica M. Driscoll Center for Nursing. The plan would be to meet with the Council in the morning and over lunch, followed by lobbying of members of the Black and Puerto Rican Caucus in the afternoon.

We hope you will be able to attend this meeting. A response card and an expense voucher are enclosed for your convenience. Please return the response card indicating attendance no later than Wednesday, May 3, 1989. The time of the meeting has been set to enable same-day travel.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call me at (518) 456-5371.

Enclosures

April Travel

Wednesday, April 5 - Foundation Trustees meeting
Lv. Buffalo 8:55 a.m. - Arrive Albany 9:41 a.m. US Air 639
Lv. Albany 4:35 p.m. - Arrive Buffalo 5:55 p.m. Piedmont 4092

Sunday, April 9
Lv. Buffalo 6:45 a.m. - Arrive Kennedy airport 8:30 a.m. Pan Am 4961
Speaking engagement - Nassau Academy of Medicine
Take cab to Nassau Academy (directions enclosed).
Take Long Island railroad to Penn Central - Overnight at Roger Smith Winthrop - (Made overnight for 4/9 & 10)
April 10 1 p.m. - 4 p.m. Hunter Bellevue - Council of Deans of Nursing meeting
April 11, 12:30 p.m. - PNA/CT/NYSNA meeting in our city office
April 11 - Lv. LaGuardia 4:40 p.m. - Arrive Buffalo 5:53 p.m. US Air #117

4/20-22 ESREC meeting/Minority Fellows/Luncheon invitation in NYC

Thursday, April 20
Lv. Buffalo 10:45 a.m. - Arrive Philadelphia 11:53 a.m. US Air 359
Overnight reservation at Sheraton Society Hill - Conf. # 1H2016322G

Friday, April 21
Lv. Philadelphia by Metroliner train #108 - 11:35 a.m. - Arrive Penn Station (NYC) 12:49 p.m.
Train reservation made through Devine
Overnight reservation made at the Roger Smith Winthrop per Sophie - Conf. #1085 - Room #1410 requested

Saturday, April 22
Lv. LaGuardia 6:45 p.m. - Arrive Buffalo 8:50 p.m. US Air 995
Dr. Hunter -- this flight makes a stop in Rochester. I know it is later than you would like, but the flight just before this one is 1:45 pm and I thought it was too early for a Luncheon meeting. You can use the same ticket you have and just resticker at the airport. Let me know if you cannot tolerate this.

May Travel

Friday, May 5 - Jacqueline Perley's meeting in Albany
Lv. Buffalo 8:55 a.m. - Arrive Albany 9:41 US Air 639
The meeting is at the Quality Inn, I-90 and Everett Road and begins at 9:30 am; however, you are on program at 11:15 a.m.
Lv. Albany 4:35 p.m. - Arrive Buffalo 5:55 pm Piedmont 4925

Tuesday, May 9 - Nurse of Distinction Program
Lv. Buffalo 12:10 pm - Arrive Albany 1:40 pm on Mall Airways #305 (one stop)
Take cab to Association and use Association car.
Overnight reservation for 5/9 & 10 at the Ramada Inn

Thursday, May 11
Lv. Albany 8:44 am - Arrive LaGuardia 9:43 a.m. Delta 3873
Overnight reservation at the Roger Smith Winthrop
Goldwater Memorial Hospital speaking engagement at 12 noon.
Contact Gloria Phipps (212) 750-6800
District 13 Awards dinner, evening -
American Nurses' Association, Inc.

Minority Fellowship Program

Hattie Bessent, Ed.D., R.N.
Deputy Executive Director

TO: Dr. Juanita Hunter

FROM: Hattie Bessent, Ed.D., R.N.
Deputy Executive Director
Ethnic/Racial Minority Fellowship Programs

DATE: June 29, 1989

RE: November Advisory Committee Meeting

Enclosed you will find information pertaining to Paradise Island, Nassau, which is our destination for the Advisory Committee meeting. We will be staying at the Paradise Towers. I have made arrangements for your hotel reservations and hotel rooms will be $100.00 plus tax for each day. Our meeting is scheduled for November 19-21, 1989. You may schedule November 18th as a travel day to Nassau and returning in the a.m. of Wednesday, the 22nd. (This information is for making your airline reservations.)

We are requesting you to speak for 30 minutes on the Constituent Forum Report. We will reimburse your airfare, ground transportation, food, and lodging for two of the three nights. Your report will be on Monday November 20, 1989.

Please indicate your response if you care to stay three nights (1 night you will pay). Please fill out the enclosed sheet and return to me. A self-addressed, stamped envelope is enclosed for your convenience.

8030 15th Street NW, Suite 726, Washington, DC 20005
Dr. Juanita K. Hunter
127 Shirley Avenue
Buffalo, New York 14215

February 14, 1989

Omicron Chapter Chi Eta Phi Sorority Inc. will celebrate our 34th Annual Founders’ Scholarship Luncheon Saturday October 21, 1989 at the Days’ Inn Hotel New York City.

I have submitted your name to the Awards Committee for the Mabel K. Staupers award. The award is in Recognition for one who has been outstanding in the growth and development of Nursing and allied fields.

May I have a short Resume’ from you. It will be a joy to have you join our activities.

Sincerely,
Claudia Gerald

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AUTHENTIC BAHAMIAN ENTERTAINMENT

PARADISE ISLAND, THE BAHAMAS -- The Paradise Island Resort & Casino now offers authentic Bahamian entertainment nightly in its Tradewinds Calypso Show Lounge.

Opening this month in Paradise Island’s Resort & Casino’s Tradewinds Calypso Show Lounge, is a new musical production, “Let's party Tonight,” featuring well-known Bahamian artists.

The fast-paced, upbeat show highlights the popular Bahamian vocalist, Marvin Benfield, the leading steel drummer Bill Bonaparte, and limbo and fire dancers. The group of well-known Bahamian artists are accompanied by a chorus of eight singers and dancers.

Backing the entertainers is Ronnie Butler and his band “Fire”, who will play both during the show and until wee hours of the morning. Show times are 9:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. Tuesdays through Sundays. The show is priced at $15.00 per person, which includes two drinks and gratuity.

The Bahamian revue is produced by Tibor Rudas, Producer of “Dazzling Deception”, a multi-million dollar Las Vegas-style review at Le Cabaret Theatre. Rudas is also involved in promoting and showcasing Bahamian talent in both Atlantic City and Las Vegas.
EXTENDED CITY & COUNTRY COMBINATION TOURS - 2/3/4 Hours
Drive through old romantic Nassau and environs to see ancient Forts, Government House; picturesque Gregory's Arch; the Water Tower; Legislative Buildings and Law Courts; the unique native market; and scores of other historic sites in the centuries-old capital of the Bahamas. A true combination of all the things you should see on a combined tour. In addition, visit the famous Botanical Gardens (Garden spot of the Bahamas); enjoy the fantastic show at Sea Floor Aquarium and sample a true Bahamian luncheon in authentic surroundings. Tour conducted by licensed guides daily.

SEA FLOOR AQUARIUM - 1 1/2 Hours
See a reproduction of the fantastic underwater life of the teeming tropical Bahamian seas. Enjoy and thrill to the tricks of Linus, Herman and Friends, all performing Dolphins. They will surprise you with high jumps and high tricks. Also see Ricky, a sea lion playing baseball and other amusing games. Tour includes round trip transportation. Afternoon only.

CATAMARAN CRUISE - 3 Hours
Be welcomed aboard the beautiful 65 foot Yellow Bird with a complimentary Yellow Bird drink. Cruise among picturesque islands and cays through blue-green waters off New Providence. Sunbathe on the broad decks or lounge in cool shade. Change aboard for swimming and skin-diving in crystal-clear waters. Food and drinks are available on board and a Calypso band entertains. Return transfers. Daily except Friday.

OCEAN SAILING
A day of ocean sailing - This is the real thing - from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Enjoy sailing on one of the truly great sailing ships in the Caribbean. Try your hand at hoisting sails or steering the vessel. Included is lunch, a swim, and round trip transfers between the hotel and pier.

HARTLEY'S UNDERWATER WONDERLAND REEF - CRUISE
Can be taken at 10:00 a.m. or at 2:00 p.m. daily. A fascinating adventure you'll never forget. Walk on ocean bottom in the clearest warm water in the world under the sea; explore the sunlit shallows; view the multi-colored fish at close range. Feed the tiny coral-building animals and see the breathing of the sponge. You don't even have to swim; it's so simple and safe. The 63 ft. yacht "Pied Piper", luxuriously out-fitted for your cruising comfort, departs from the Nassau Harbour Club, Western Dock. Seasonal.

SEA GARDEN TRIP - 1 1/2 Hours
Transfer provided from Hotel to pier. A delightful cruise in a glass bottom boat through Nassau's busy harbour to the outstanding marine gardens. Explanation provided by guide on boat as clients view the enchanting formations of coral and watch gaily colored fish darting among feathery sea plumes. Daily trip.

ROBINSON CRUSOE
You land on an out island beach, relax in the shade of palms and stretch out in hammocks, strung among the lush foliage of this tropical island. You explore beaches, rocks and winding paths. You swim and snorkel over rainbow-colored reefs in crystal clear waters. Later, you watch our man Friday prepare one of the most succulent meals for your enjoyment. Watch it cook on an open fire. Now it is time to eat and drink with unlimited wine at your disposal. It is a delicious back to nature meal. Afterwards, laze on the beach before your trip back to civilization. Enjoy your last glass of wine homeward bound... a perfect day you will never forget.

NIGHT CLUB TOUR
Visit Nassau's leading club and share in the native night life - includes admission, calypso music, exotic floor show, a drink of your choice and tips at the club plus round trip transfers between Hotel and club. Nightly except Sunday.

DINNER AND NIGHT CLUB TOUR
We have planned for you an evening you will never forget. Dine at one of Nassau's leading restaurants specializing in international cuisine, and then see a superb native show. Depart hotel at 7:30 p.m. Tour includes all transportation, and admission, one drink and tips. Nightly except Sunday.

TREASURE ISLAND
The most beautiful island in the Bahamas. The kind of island everyone dreams about. IMAGINE! Small island, tall palm trees, white sandy beach, crystal clear water and yourself marooned with your best friend or spouse, whichever might be your pleasure. Includes - cruise on comfortable 43' boat, barbecue lunch, snorkeling gear, hammocks built for two and beach umbrellas. Bar service available at moderate prices. One way transfers only.

NAUTILUS
The 97 ft. surface submarine Nautilus offers a unique way of viewing the marine life around Nassau and Paradise Island. You will cruise for 2 hours through Nassau's harbour out to the exciting ever changing sea world, where you will see many varieties of tropical colourful sea fish in their natural habitat. Trip operates daily.
AVAILABLE TOURS CONTINUED

DAY TRIP TO HARBOUR ISLAND
Take wings to Harbour Island, the first Out Island settled by the Eleutheran Adventurers in 1649. Includes transfers between the hotel and Nassau airport as well as, round trip scheduled air transportation. Free to swim, snorkel, fish or explore this ultra scenic paradise. Beverages and lunch are included at the Coral Sands Hotel, which is situated on the world renown Pink Sand Beach. 24 hours reservations required. Operates: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

DAY TRIP TO FREEPORT/LUCAYA
Take wings and fly with us for a day trip to Freeport/Lucaya the fourth largest island in the Bahamas. While in Freeport enjoy a sightseeing tour, lunch at a local pub and shop in the International Bazaar where you can purchase goods from most countries throughout the world. Spend time at El Casino the largest in the western Hemisphere. Transportation is also included from your hotel to Nassau’s International Airport and return. Operates: Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday.

AIR SIGHTSEEING TOUR OF PARADISE ISLAND & ROSE ISLAND
Enjoy a 45 minutes air sightseeing tour of Paradise and Rose Islands. This tour includes airfare and transportation from your hotel to Nassau’s International Airport and return.

NAUTILUS - MOONLIGHT CRUISE
The Nautilus powerful underwater lights provide the perfect illumination for viewing the marine life at night time and allows for the capturing of the exciting teeming underwater life. In addition to this fine cruise, you can also dine at Captain Nemo’s restaurant and lounge operated by the Nautilus and specializing in Bahamian seafood and steaks. Trip operates nightly.

AQUASCOPE
A revolution in nautical tourism. You will experience this unique cruise in a Julie's Vern/James Bond-type craft. You will actually sit submerged below the water level and view the exciting marine life through large picture glass windows. This unique craft opens the universe of the sea to all ages. Trip operates daily.

WILD HARPO - SUNSET CRUISE
At 6:00 p.m., the Wild Harp sails down Nassau Harbour into the sunset. After dark, there is an appetizing buffet under the stars, good music, and on the horizon, the distant lights of Nassau and its cruise ships. A 3 hour cruise including round trip transfers.

PUB CRAWLING
The most fantastic night time value in Nassau, visiting Green Shutter’s pub including a drink of your choice then on to the Nag’s Head Pub where you will be welcomed with a drink of your choice and have a choice of fish and chips or chicken and chips. After dinner it is a special Bahamian coffee made with our famous Nassau Royale. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

UNDERWATER TOURS - 4 Hours
Half day boat trip to beautiful reefs and shoals off Rose Island - explore colorful coral heads, sea fans, fish, etc., in the crystal clear waters. Round trip transfers included. Departs from Hotel Lobby at 9:00 a.m. daily.

KEEKATIN CRUISE - 6 Hours
A day of sailing on 56' schooner. Stop at an island for beaching and sunbathing. A sailors choice for the whole family - a wonderful day of sailing, swimming & sightseeing. Includes lunch and fruit punch served on boat.

DEEP SEA FISHING
You'll have a whale of a time when you experience fishing in the most beautiful waters of the world. Bonita, wahoo, king fish, grouper, marlin and tuna are just a few of the game fish you will encounter. Boat sizes range from 35' to 45' fully equipped with bait and tackle. Licensed to carry six persons. Departs from Hotel Lobby. Transfer available on request.

BLUE LAGOON ON SALT CAY - 6 Hours
The newest addition to our treasures is Salt Cay. This jewel of an island is dotted with some 2000 coconut palms, sapphireed by a blue lagoon and protected by Blackbeard's Tower. You can explore all day, for shell and souvenir on a three mile island or visit the site of the old private drawbridge, laze in the sand & sun or snorkel in the picturesque lagoon. Lunch with wine & punch included. Includes round trip transfers. Departs from Hotel Lobby. 10:00 A.M. & 4:30 P.M.

DISNEY WORLD
Enjoy a visit to fabulous Disney World. Trip includes round trip airfare between Nassau and Orlando and round trip transfers between hotel and airport both in Nassau and Orlando. One night at the beautiful Ramada Inn (central). Round trip transfers between hotel and Disney World, admission to Disney and eight attractions within the park.
A SPECIAL NOTE FROM TROPICAL & MAJESTIC TOURS - LEADING GROUND OPERATORS IN NASSAU/PARADISE ISLAND:

A special welcome awaits you when you arrive in Nassau, the ancient, yet modern sophisticated Capital of the 700 islands which comprise the Commonwealth of the Bahamas.

The Bahamas is a foreign destination close to home; it does not have a big city scene, just a friendly hometown atmosphere where you can get away from it all and still do it all - if you wish.

When you arrive at the airport, you will immediately notice the friendliness of the people who meet and greet you. Driving on the left hand side of road will be your first of many foreign experiences.

You will find that New Providence and Paradise Island are not our largest islands, but they are packed with more than enough fun and festivities to complement an enjoyable vacation.

Our clients are very special to us. Therefore we treat you that way from the moment you arrive at the airport, until you depart our island.

Our airport representatives will assist in ensuring smooth passage through the customs area and then into the waiting buses. Our transportation fleet consists of radio-equipped Chevy buses, Volkswagen buses, 25-seater Toyota buses and Cadillac limousines.

Upon arrival at the hotel, you will be greeted by our uniformed hostess who will be available to assist you throughout your stay.

We will try to make your vacation enjoyable and if there are any questions or problems which might arise while you are here our hostess is always available to assist you.