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# TOUR HISTORIC PHILADELPHIA BY DAY AND BY NIGHT Whether you are visiting from out of town, or looking for a "Staycation" nearby this Summer, The Constitutional Walking Tour and Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour are both great ways to tour Philadelphia

**Philadelphia, Pennsylvania** – May 21, 2009 – If you're looking for some Philadelphia sightseeing tours this summer, The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia and the Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour of Philadelphia offer you 2 family-friendly ways to experience Historic Philadelphia – by day and by night! Philadelphia is best seen by foot, and The Constitutional offers visitors the unique opportunity to experience America's Birthplace - "Where Every Day is Independence Day!"<sup>™</sup> The Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour is "1 Part History, 2 Parts Haunt" and allows you to experience Philadelphia's monuments by moonlight. Plus, everyone on the Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour gets a free glow stick.

The Constitutional Walking Tour is a 75 minute, 1.25 mile outdoor walking adventure in the Independence National Historical Park area which features more than 20 historical sites such as the Liberty Bell, Independence Hall and the Betsy Ross House. Come see why the *Chicago Tribune* has stated, "No visit to Philadelphia is complete without taking a Constitutional Guided Walking Tour, a 75-minute, mile and a quarter stroll that puts 15 historic sites... and Ben Franklin, in perspective."

Guests who dare to take the Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour of Philadelphia will visit more than 20 scary sites to hear Philadelphia's haunted facts and folklore. Hunt for ghosts as you travel the cobblestone streets of Old City with Philly's best ghost tour to hear stories

about the Spirits of '76. Come see why *The Philadelphia Inquirer* called the tour "Frightfully Fun!"

"Taking The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia gets visitors up close and personal with a High-Definition Historical Experience and is the best way to explore Historic Philadelphia by day," stated Jonathan Bari, President of The Constitutional Walking Tour. "But if you're looking to explore the haunted side of the city, then take the Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour to hear about the legendary ghosts of our Founding Fathers."

### The Constitutional – Tickets and Schedule

- The Constitutional is offered 7 days a week from Memorial Day through Labor Day (Saturday, May 23, 2009 through Monday, September 7, 2009) and weekends in the Fall and Spring, with frequent departures throughout the day from the Independence Visitor Center (at 6<sup>th</sup> & Market Streets)
- Tickets for The Constitutional cost \$17.50 per adult, \$12.50 per child, ages 3-12.
  \$55.00 for Family Four Pack (2 adults, 2 children ages 3-12)\* A \$5.00 Savings!
  \$2.00 per person savings when purchasing tickets in advance by phone.
  Tickets can be purchased:
- 1) Click: www.TheConstitutional.com
- Call: 215.525.1776 Customers who purchase tickets in advance over the phone can receive a \$2.00 discount per ticket.
- Visit: in person at the Independence Visitor Center at 6<sup>th</sup> & Market Streets in Philadelphia

#### Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour – Tickets and Schedule

 The Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour is offered Thursday – Saturday nights in May; Wednesday – Sunday nights in June; 7 nights a week in July and August; Wednesday – Sunday nights in September; 7 nights a week in October; Friday and Saturday nights in November. Tours meet at the COSÌ® restaurant at 325 Chestnut Street (corner of 4th & Chestnut Streets).

- Tickets for The Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour cost \$17.50 per adult, \$12.50 per child, ages 3-12. \$55.00 for Family Four Pack (2 adults, 2 children ages 3-12)\* A \$5.00 Savings! \$2.00 per person savings when purchasing tickets in advance by phone. Tickets can be purchased:
- 1) Click: www.Spiritsof76.com
- Call: 215.525.1776 Customers who purchase tickets in advance over the phone can receive a \$2.00 discount per ticket.
- Visit: in person, each evening before the tour, at the COSI® restaurant at 325 Chestnut Street (corner of 4th & Chestnut Streets).

## **Special Offer**

 Philadelphia Sightseeing Tours Combo Package - Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour of Philadelphia<sup>™</sup> & The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia - During the day, take The Constitutional Walking Tour, and then in the evening, dare to visit more than 20 of Philly's Frights & Sights<sup>™</sup> on the Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour - an outdoor walking adventure through Historic and Haunted Philadelphia. \$31.00 per adult (a \$4.00 savings) and \$22.00 per child ages 3-12 (a \$3.00 savings).

## About The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia

The Constitutional Walking Tour of Philadelphia takes visitors on a walking journey through America's Birthplace - "Where Every Day is Independence Day!"<sup>™</sup> Located in Historic Philadelphia, The Constitutional visits more than 20 of the most historical sites on a 75 minute, 1.25 mile outdoor adventure in the Independence National Historical Park area, which is home to the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall. The Constitutional guides visitors on a walk through history where The Declaration of Independence and the Constitution of the United States were created. For more information, see www.TheConstitutional.com

## About The Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour of Philadelphia

The Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour of Philadelphia is "1 Part History, 2 Parts Haunt."<sup>™</sup> The Spirits of '76 Ghost Tour features more than 20 of "Philly's Frights & Sights"<sup>™</sup> on a 75 minute, 1.25 mile outdoor walking tour through Historic Philadelphia that features haunted facts and folklore. For more information, see www.Spiritsof76.com.

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