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Potpourri of travel plans is served

THE TRAVEL INDUSTRY shifts into a new gear in September, when the lazy days of summer are almost over and people are planning their fall and winter travel. Planning requires information. Sharpen your pencil.

IF YOU ARE GOING SOUTH: The 10th annual Kentucky Fried Chicken Bluegrass Music Festival will keep things jumping in Louisville, Ky., Sept. 10-12. The American Bus Association chose this festival as one of the top 100 events in North America, along with the World's Fair, the Kentucky Derby, Calgary Stampede and Tournament of Roses.

This year's lineup includes Bill Monroe, the Seldom Scene, David Grisman Quartet, Green Grass Cloggers, New Grass Revival, Doyle Lawson, Hot Rize, Country Gazette, Michael-McCreesh and Co., J.D. Crowe, Clinch Mountain Boys and Berline-Crany-Hickman, all free on the seven-acre park called Riverfront Plaza Belvedere. Y'all come, now.

IF YOU ARE GOING NORTH: Via Rail Canada has announced a 6 percent fare increase effective Sept. 7.

Check out luxury camping offered by Canadian Canvas Tents Ltd., P.O. Box 264, 19 Miles Drive, Caledon East, Ontario L0N 1E0 or by telephoning (416) 584-2689. You bring food and sleeping gear and the campsite is fully equipped — tents, beds, mattresses, stove, cooking utensils, etc. There are five campgrounds in the province, some available on tours that include other Ontario events.

IF YOU ARE SINGLE and love the outdoors, consider Adventures in the Outdoors for Women Over 30, which offers hiking, biking, canoeing and skiing in the form of getaway weekends and/or seminars. No experience necessary.

One example is a backwoods horseback adventure in scenic Blackhawk Ridge, Wis., Oct. 1-3 and 15-17, starting from Chicago. A Special Sampler Weekend Adventure is scheduled Sept. 24-26 for women who want to combine horseback riding with canoeing.

1-of-a-kind traveler
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Contact Rainbow Adventure, 1308 Sherman Ave., Evanston, IL 60201 or telephone (312) 274-4964 for a free brochure about these and other trips, including fall color, cross-country skiing, snorkeling, etc.

IF YOU LOVE BOTH CLUB MED AND KIDS, be aware of new programs introduced by Club Med because of a simple statistic: Their clients are getting older, average age 35, and they are having children.

You can combine a trip to Walt Disney World in Florida with Club Med in Eleuthera, Bahamas, and when you get there, you stay in family quarters where lots of services are available to both you and the kids.

That includes computer workshops and other kid-sitting entertainment for the kids, while you are off playing elsewhere. Singles will never see your children, by the way.

Club Med also has a Rent-A-Village plan that allows a group to take over an entire Club Med village for an incentive program or for other reasons.

There will be no new Club Meds for the next two years, according to a club spokesman.

IF YOU ARE A SENIOR CITIZEN, you have until Sept. 12 to take advantage of special rates at Sea World in Aurora, Ohio. Gate prices are \$7.50 for seniors 60 and over, compared to regular rates of \$9.95 for people over 12 and \$8.50 for those aged 3-11. This may be your last chance to enjoy the lazy days of summer this season.

Contact SAGA, a travel organization that offers "world travel for the over-60s," which began operation in the U.S. this year. This is a British firm that has been very popular in the U.K. and is now offering its goodies to Americans.

For a brochure outlining trips around the U.S. and the world, contact SAGA International Holidays Ltd., Park Square Building, Suite 1102, 31 St. James Ave., Boston, MA 02116; call (617) 451-6808 or contact your travel agency.

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