

TO: Alumni interested in our Lewis & Clark adventure

FROM: Amy Goerwitz , Associate Director of Alumni Affairs

RE: Information on our Columbia River trip, September 10-17, 2005

In response to your request for more information about our voyage of discovery along the Columbia River, I am enclosing the following information:

- ***River Cruises Magazine***— This magazine includes information on all the tours offered by the American West Steamboat Company. See page 22 for a description of the “Three Great Rivers” tour on the Queen of the West. This tour and ship are especially popular and our voyage will take place during the most beautiful season along the river. This paddlewheeler carries only 161 passengers (see pages 37-39 for her deckplan and staterooms), and offers an experience you’ll always remember.
- ***Pricing***—Please note that our special group rates for their First Class Stateroom (category C) cabins are significantly lower than listed in the magazine. If you register by December 13, you will receive our early bird special rate of \$2250 per person double occupancy (\$3600 single). After December 13, the rate increases slightly to \$2350 (\$3700 single). Balances will be due on June 25, 2005.
- ***Cancellation Policy***—Partial refunds are available up to 30 days before departure. See the bottom left corner of page 46 for the complete policy.
- ***Website***—Visit go.carleton.edu/4 for more information on this and all our 2005 alumni adventures.
- ***Airline Arrangements***—American West Travel will be happy to assist you with scheduling your flight into Portland, OR. Your plane must land by noon on September 10. The boat will embark at app. 3:00 p.m. For those who wish to extend their stay in Portland, American West also has rooms available at a local hotel. Call Betty Voiland at 800-358-8854 ext. 1 for details.
- ***Registration Form***— Please return this form as soon as possible but no later than *March 13th, 2005*. Space is limited to 30 people.

If you have any questions, please contact either me or my associate Marilyn Calcutt at the Alumni Affairs office, by phone at 800-729-2586, or send email to amy.goerwitz@carleton.edu or merilyn.calcutt@carleton.edu

We hope you’ll be traveling with us in 2005!