

# Icon Art Studios, Inc

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## Russia Pilgrimage Summer 2019

(\$4000 estimated cost)

*Cost- includes two meals a day, lodging (double occupancy), land transport, transfers, all entrance fees and tour guide/bus driver tips and airfare. Does not include trip insurance, tips for portage, Russian visa application, optional evening events.*

*See Itinerary attached.*

All payments should be made by check to: Icon Art Studios, Inc.

\$1500.00 deposit due at registration/ which may happen simultaneously with booking air. **\$500.00 of the deposit is non-refundable.**

The entire amount is requested 90 days prior to the departure. It is advisable to register as soon as airline reservations are held at a

group rate. It is expected that air will be booked by the end of October 2018 to ensure group booking rates for each registrant. There is no deadline to register although delays in registration will risk price increases or filled space.

In the unlikely event of cancellation, the charges in addition to the full amount of the deposit are:

- 25% of the tour cost, 90 to 30 days prior to the departure
- 50% of the tour cost, 30 to 15 days prior to the departure
- 100% of the tour cost 14 days prior to the departure

Please submit cancellations in writing directly to coordinator:

Debra Korluka, Icon Art Studios, Inc., 13921 127<sup>th</sup> Street No., Stillwater, Mn 55082.

Please mail registration form and deposit to:

Icon Art Studios, Inc., 13921 127th St. North, Stillwater, Mn, 55082. Please call 612-889-5868 for all inquiries.

# Russia Pilgrimage Summer 2019 Registration

Deposit necessary at this time  
\$1,500.00 (\$500.00 nonrefundable)

Traveler \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Companion \_\_\_\_\_

Birthdate \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E- mail \_\_\_\_\_

Phone(daytime) \_\_\_\_\_ (evening) \_\_\_\_\_

Passport number \_\_\_\_\_

Passport expiration date \_\_\_\_\_

Yes-No I am interested in trip insurance

I have read and understand the terms and conditions of this brochure and I would like to register for Russia Pilgrimage Summer 2019.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

# **BENOIS INSTITUTE 2019 PROGRAM**

## **DATES:**

**AUGUST 7-21 (14 days / 12 hotel nights + 1 night in the train)**

## **MOSCOW (arrival day, 5 full days / 5 nights)**

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**BREAKFAST AND NIGHT DINNERS, ARRIVAL / DEPARTURE TRANSFERS IN MOSCOW**

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**GUIDED VISITS IN MOSCOW – highlights**

**CITY TOUR, MUSEUMS OF THE KREMLIN, THE TRETYAKOV GALLERY,  
CHRIST THE SAVIOR CATHEDRAL, HOLY TRINITY - ST. SERGIUS LAVRA DAY TRIP,  
SOFRINO**

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**MALOYAROSLAVETS - ST. NICHOLAS MONASTERY – 1-day trip including lunch**

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**NIGHT TRAIN MOSCOW-ST. PETERSBURG (2<sup>ND</sup> CLASS)**

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## **PSKOV (2 full days & a half / 3 nights)**

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**BREAKFAST AND NIGHT DINNERS, ARRIVAL FROM MOSCOW / DEPARTURE  
TRANSFERS/ BUS TRANSPORT FROM ST. PETERSBURG TO PSKOV**

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**GUIDED VISITS IN THE PSKOV REGION – highlights**

**MUSEUMS AND CULTURAL MONUMENTS IN THE CITY,  
SVYATOGORSKIY MONASTERY & PLACES WHERE A. PUSHKIN LIVED (MEMORIAL  
ESTATE),  
PSKOV-PECHERSKIY MONASTERY & MEDIEVAL FORTRESS OF IZBORSK**

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# **ST-PETERSBURG (3 full days & a half / 4 nights) & NOVGOROD THE GREAT (optional)**

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**BREAKFAST AND NIGHT DINNERS, ARRIVAL FROM PSKOV / DEPARTURE TRANSFERS IN ST. PETERSBURG**

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**GUIDED VISITS IN ST. PETERSBURG & LECTURE ON RELIGION IN THE SOCIETY OF NOWADAYS -**

**CITY TOUR, MUSEUMS: HERMITAGE, STATE RUSSIAN MUSEUM, PETERHOFF, maybe CATHERINE'S PALACE, IOANNOVSKY CONVENT, more CHURCHES**

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**\*NOVGOROD (optional not included in price) – 1-day trip**

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**BALLET AT MARIINSKY THEATRE**

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## **TIMELINE**

**Please check the expiration date on your passport. Your passport must be renewed if expiring anytime between December 2108 and August 2019 by January 2019.**

**OCTOBER/NOVEMBER- book air and hotels; purchase insurance for air and hotel coverage**

**JANUARY- payment #2**

**APRIL- begin visa application process (travelers will make an appt. to come to Deb's studio and fill the application out on-line together)**

**MAY- submit visa applications to visa agency**

**JUNE- social gathering**

**JULY- final payment #3; purchase final insurance coverage**

**AUGUST- depart!**

