

Bonjour mes amis,

Firm dates: Mon 4 May - Thur 7 May 2026.

We've gone from our final four Hotels, to the **Renaissance Hotel**. It's a relatively small, and very classy Hotel overlooking the Truckee River and across the river from the River Walk. We will have a special suite we can use as our home base. It is not a casino, so no smoke, noise, and crazy crowds. Casinos are walking distance. They have reduced their room rates by over \$100 for us, to \$199 plus taxes for a total of \$227.87 per night. It is a Marriot Affiliate and if you are a member, there are additional advantages. We will finalize the contract in Sep and I will be able to provide the associated activity costs. We will then forward a web site for reservations.

In the meantime here is the Web Site to check out the Hotel:

<https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/rno-br-renaissance-reno-downtown-hotel-and-spa/overview/?scid=f2ae0541-1279-4f24-b197-a979c79310b0>

Mon the 4th will be arrival and Ice Breaker in the lounge overlooking the river, with a pay as you go bar and snacks. Tue the 5th is a day where we may visit Lake Tahoe for a cruise, if you choose. We took the cruise in July and it is awesome. It is \$100 and about two hours, breathtaking to say the least. And needless to say, the drive from Reno to Tahoe is pretty scenic as well. We'll be back in Reno for a free night with nice Mexican restaurants walking distance to celebrate Cinco de Mayo. Wed the 6th is a free day for the Reno Riverwalk/pool/Car Museum, etc with **THE** group *repast, (heavy hors d'oeuvres/charcuterie)* Wed night in their amazing Wine Cellar/Speak Easy Bar. Then we will have a working breakfast/meeting Thur the 7th, and on the road home and back to reality.

I have added email addresses that you forwarded and some from folks that contacted me from the Facebook page. Again, if you have others, please forward this to them and we'll add their email addresses to our Toul Group. I will also post this on the Toul Facebook page, and soon we'll use the Toul Web site, thanks to assistance from David Rehler, Margitta's husband.

Here are two taskers for you:

1. Are you interested in the Tahoe Cruise? It will be \$100 plus some kind of a transportation fee to and from the lake.
2. Nice to have some great Toul music. Please send me a half dozen (more or less) of your favorite hits so that we can enjoy them on our last evening.

Please pass this to friends and siblings. Let's Rock Reno!

Cheers,
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*Whether you think you can, or whether you think you can't,
you're probably right...Attitude is everything!*