## WHAT THEY SAY ABOUT CAARI...

"The CAARI Program provides a level of service and professionalism that is second to none. Their tours takes us to sites that are not on other itineraries. Volunteering gives us the local flavoring of Israeli life



and an opportunity to 'give back'. The CAARI Program is well balanced, creative, and just plain fun!" says Mark Weiss, from Peabody, Massachusetts.

Abe & Sharon "CAARI was an inspirational, educational & an emotional experience. When you join the trip you sense the coordination and extensive planning that was done by



its leaders. Every aspect of the volunteering, the outstanding speakers and the unique touring sites were carefully planned and scheduled with the participants in mind. We felt a closer tie to Israel and every aspect of its culture, people, and religion."

Frances Dvorchik, from Toronto, "CAARI represents all that is wonderful about being Jewish in Israel. It is volunteering, helping kids plant trees on Tu B'Shvat and many opportunities to



'meet the people.' We tour Israel and experience not only the regular tour sites, but also sites off the beaten track. Our evenings are busy with a roster of speakers and activities. CAARI offers the chance to feel even more amazed at the work undertaken by JNF."

# **CHOOSE ISRAEL - YOUR WINTER DESTINATION**



- Volunteer in schools, hospitals, botanical gardens, animal shelter, community agencies and JNF Forests
- Tour 'must see' & 'hidden gems" sites & activities
- \* Four & five star hotel accommodations
- \* Experience Israeli culture and tradition
- Flexible dates
- Renowned Speakers Forum featuring well-known academics, journalists, film directors, business leaders
- Create friendships and bonds that last a lifetime

Join CAARI for a meaningful experience!



# **Experience CAARI** Capture Israel's Spirit

# **CANADIAN AMERICAN ACTIVE RETIREES**

**IN ISRAEL** 

# **VOLUNTEERING, TOURING & SPEAKER'S FORUM**



**Experience Israel like never before!** 

Canadian American Active Retirees In Israel



# CAARI – AN ALTERNATIVE & MEANINGFUL WINTER IN ISRAEL

Since 1983, over 3,000 retirees from the USA and Canada have skipped the classic ritual of heading to Florida or Palm Springs for the



winter, choosing instead to spend the season in Israel with the Canadian & American Active Retirees in Israel (CAARI) Program.

The CAARI program, designed for the active 50+ age group, offers an in-depth view of Israel connecting you with



Eretz Yisrael and the people of Israel. Whether traveling through the Country, meeting Israelis and working side by side with them, is what CAARI is all about!

#### MAKE A DIFFERENCE WITH CAARI

Volunteer in schools, Botanical Gardens, hospitals, animal shelter & JNF forests Tour ancient and modern Israel from the Galilee to the Negev

Learn about Israel's issues & challenges Meet political leaders, journalists, professors

# THE CAARI PROGRAM VOLUNTEERING, TOURING & SPEAKER'S FORUM

VOLUNTEER SERVICE is held in Tel Aviv. Participants spend 4 or 5 mornings per week, tutoring English in elementary schools,



working in a rehab center, animal shelter, Botanical Gardens, assisting in community organizations, and maintaining JNF forests.

TOURING with the CAARI program captures the spirit of Israel as you travel throughout the country from the green hills of the Galilee to the





stunning desert scenery of the Negev and Arava. Visit "off the beaten track", archeological & historical sites museums JNF projects,

and hike nature reserves and participate in culinary and dance workshops.

SPEAKERS FORUM is a lecture series which offers an opportunity to discuss with renowned journalists, academics,

prominent business and political leaders the current issues and challenges facing Israel today.

# CHOICE OF PROGRAMS

"Volunteer Service Program" volunteering, touring, speakers' forum



## HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Four & five star hotels are conveniently located. Cuisine is international and includes Western, Middle Eastern and local Israeli dishes. Daily breakfasts and most days lunch, dinner or both are provided as specified.. Kashrut & Shabbat observed.

#### COST

Cost Includes: hotel accommodations, guiding, entrance fees, coach transportation, , meals as described, basic gratuities for hotel staff & driver. Late check-out for all programs.

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