BUDGET STRETCHING TRAVEL IDEAS Know Before You Go

(NAPSA)—The best way to get the most from your family vacation budget is to know before you go. Here are a few simple tips:

• Travelers generally get the best fares by booking at least 14 to 21 days in advance.

• By traveling off-peak by air on Tuesday, Wednesday and Saturday, and staying in hotels on a Sunday or Monday, you can save a lot of money.



Money-saving benefits of joining a membership service include reduced travel and hotel rates.

• Also check on hotel shuttles and local transportation to save the cost of a rental car.

Another way to reduce travel costs and hotel rates is to join a membership service, such as Travelers Advantage. Accessible 24 hours a day, seven days a week, the service offers many moneysaving benefits, including a low price guarantee on airfare, participating hotels and car rentals, 50 percent savings off hotels non-discounted room rates, plus a five percent cash bonus on eligible travel booked through its service.

In addition to low prices on travel, Travelers Advantage offers several value vacations. One great find is the white, sandy beaches at Park Royal Piramides, Cancun for 4 days and 3 nights, starting at just \$92 per person.

For more information, visit www.travelersadvantage.com or call 1-800-458-1028.

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