

2018 ODMA Fall Tour

- **DATES:**Friday-Saturday, 9-10 November 2018

- **HOST REGION:** Roanoke Valley Region AACA

- **HOST HOTEL:** Holiday Inn Tanglewood in Roanoke (4468 Starkey Rd, Roanoke, VA 24018) on Rt 419 next to Tanglewood Mall. Room cost is \$106 per night including breakfast for two.

- **DETAILS:**Come join your fellow ODMA friends on the ODMA's 2018 Fall Tour. The tour's reception will be at the host hotel on Friday evening. The Saturday driving tour will depart the hotel and within few miles we'll get on the Blue Ridge Parkway and head north. Our first stop will be at the Mill Mountain Star (the world's largest freestanding illuminated man-made star) which has a wonderful viewing platform giving you a great view of the Roanoke Valley. We will then travel several more miles on the parkway and then on Rt 460 east to the National D-Day Memorial in Bedford, VA. From there we will take Rt 43 out of Bedford to the Peaks of Otter Lodge overlooking Roanoke. We will have lunch in the lodge dining room and also allow ample time for those that want to walk around the lake or other exploring near the lodge. From the Peaks of Otter, we will take the Blue Ridge Parkway back to near Roanoke and then follow Rt 460 west to the Virginia Museum of Transportation. There we will board a bus and go to the Taubman Museum of Art to view its magnificent "*Drive! Iconic American Cars and Motorcycles*" display with a number of very rare and one-of-a-kind cars. After viewing the *Drive* display, we'll get back on the bus and return to the Transportation Museum to take in its displays followed by our banquet in one of its rooms. This will be a great tour with a nice variety of interesting things to see along with some very scenic driving in the Blue Ridge Mountains. (The tour registration flyer will be posted before the end of August.)

- **COST:** The cost of the tour is \$69 per person.