

Places Of Interest To Children In New Book

Wonderful places to take children in Chicago are described in a new kind of guidebook for adults traveling with children.

Entitled "Wonderful Places To Take Children," the book

was made possible by the cooperation of hundreds of people throughout the country who described their favorite spots to authors Jane and Theodore Norman and the National Recreation Association.

The Chicago attractions listed in the guidebook include the Prudential Building Observatory Deck, the Chicago Art Institute, the Children's Museum, the Chicago Natural History Museum, Shedd Aquarium, Adler Planetarium, the Gilbert Hall of Science, the Mercury Sightseeing Boats, and the Chicago Board of Trade (all in Downtown Chicago); the Museum of Science and Industry, Colleen Moore Doll House, the Oriental Institute, the George F. Harding Museum (in South Chicago); Lincoln Park Zoo, and the Chicago Historical Society; the Chicago Academy of Sciences, Brookfield Zoo, and Trailside Museum (in Lincoln Park).

In the environs the following are featured as points of interest to children: Morton Arboretum, the Robert McCormick Museum and Gardens, the Pepperidge Farm Bakery, the Dearborn Observatory, the Baha'i House of Worship, Hawthorne - Melody Dairy Farm, Santa's Village, and the Ford Assembly Plant.

The guidebook is actually three books — one covering the West, one the Central and Southern states, and one covering New England and the Middle Atlantic states. The books come in a plastic over-the-shoulder bag for easy carrying and on-the-spot reference.

The National Recreation Association is the non-profit service organization that for 56 years has been helping Americans make better use of their free time.

The guidebook may be ordered through the Book Center, National Recreation Association, 8 West Eighth st., New York 11, New York.