

Travel Programs



GUYS & DOLLS AT DRURY LANE

Oak Brook, IL

Step into the dazzling lights of 1950s New York City with Guys and Dolls. This enduring tale of romance, risk, and unforgettable rhythm, follows the improbable love story of high-rolling gambler Sky Masterson and mission doll Sarah Brown, along with the comedic relationship of the ever-patient Miss Adelaide and craps game organizer Nathan Detroit. Guys and Dolls takes you into the golden age of Broadway with wit, charm, and plenty of heart with vibrant characters and unforgettable songs like “Luck Be a Lady” and “Sit Down, You’re Rockin’ the Boat.” Before the show, we will enjoy a delicious lunch. Meal choices are Grilled Chicken Breast with herb sauce, wedge potatoes and green beans or Bistro Steak Au Poivre with a peppercorn sauce, potato puree and green beans.

Registration Deadline: May 23

Day/Date: Thursday, June 6
Departure: 10:30 am from Lions Community Center Door C
1 Manor Drive, New Lenox
Return: 4:45 pm (Approx.)
Fee: \$115 (Fee includes transportation, performance, lunch, and gratuity)
Max: 7

CHURCHES & CHOCOLATES

Chicago, IL

Embark on a unique journey through Chicago with this Churches & Chocolate tour, a six-hour exploration designed for those who delight in architectural beauty and the sweet allure of chocolate. A knowledgeable tour guide will lead you on this journey, sharing insights and stories, and enriching your experience with historical and cultural context. Experience docent-led tours across three architecturally magnificent and ethnically diverse churches, each telling its own story of faith and community. Savor a generously portioned, sit-down lunch that promises to be as fulfilling as the tour itself. The adventure continues at a local chocolate shop, where you’ll delve into delectable samples, and have the opportunity to shop for exquisite treats. Join us for a day of spiritual, cultural, and sensory indulgence in the heart of Chicago.

Registration Deadline: June 21

Day/Date: Wednesday, July 17
Departure: 8:45 am from Founders Community Center
Return: 5:30 pm (Approximately)
Fee: \$149 (Fee includes tour, chocolate samples, lunch, gratuity, and transportation)
Max: 12

DOWNTOWN NAPERVILLE SHOPPING, RIVERWALK, & LUNCH

Naperville, IL

Like a picture-postcard, Naperville’s thriving Downtown is recognized as one of the most popular destinations in the Midwest. Mingled in between the new facades, there are businesses located in buildings dating back to the 1800’s and the early 1900’s. Explore on your own the unique family-owned shops, nationally recognized retailers, distinctive restaurants, Naper Settlement, and a picturesque Riverwalk. Lunch and time is spent on your own.

Registration Deadline: July 24

Day/Date: Wednesday, August 7
Departure: 9:00 am from Lions Community Center Door C
1 Manor Drive, New Lenox
Return: 4:00 pm (Approx.)
Fee: \$20 (Fee includes transportation)
Max: 7



MASCOT HALL OF FAME & HARD ROCK CASINO

Indiana

Celebrating the unsung heroes of sports and communities, the Mascot Hall of Fame is an interactive museum for sports mascots in North America. You will learn all about the team mascots, what it takes to be a mascot, and how mascots are made. You can even become a mascot yourself! There are several interactive exhibits as well as the Freshman Orientation Theater where you will hear the story of how the Hall of Fame came to be. After our visit, we will board the bus and head over to the Hard Rock Casino in Gary, Indiana. You’ll have 2-hours to have lunch at one of the several restaurants and try your luck at one of the 1700 slot machines or 80 table games in this state-of-the-art casino.

Registration Deadline: June 3

Day/Date: Wednesday, June 26
Departure: 9:15 am from Founders Community Center
Return: 3:30 pm (Approx.)
Fee: \$57 (Fee includes transportation and museum admission)
Max: 10



The Founder’s Center was constructed in the 1940’s. The facility needs \$1.5 million in maintenance projects. Roof leaks rusted galvanized pipes, a 30-year-old HVAC system and tuck pointing are a few of the projects.



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TALL SHIP WINDY ARCHITECTURE & SKYLINE SAIL PLUS NAVY PIER

Chicago, IL

There's no better place to experience breathtaking views of Chicago or Lake Michigan than aboard 148' S/V Windy, the Official Tall Ship Ambassador for the City of Chicago. Leave the hustle and bustle behind and explore Chicago's gorgeous shores with a leisurely trip around Lake Michigan. Take in the world-famous skyline, while we learn the history of Chicago and its world-famous architecture. Before you set sail, you will have free time to shop, dine, and explore Navy Pier.

Registration Deadline: July 23

Day/Date: Thursday, August 22
 Departure: 11:00 am from Founders Community Center
 Return: 6:00 pm (Approx.)
 Fee: \$119 (Fee includes transportation and boat tour)
 Max: 10



LONG GROVE APPLE FEST

Long Grove, IL

Long Grove's Apple Fest is known for its apple pies, donuts, caramel dipped candied apples, apple wine, and more! Enjoy local artisans, food vendors, and live music, and explore the unique shops in historic Long Grove. Lunch is on your own.

Registration Deadline: September 4

Day/Date: Friday, September 20
 Departure: 10:45 am from Lions Community Center Door C
 1 Manor Drive, New Lenox
 Return: 5:00 pm (Approx.)
 Fee: \$30 (Fee includes transportation and entrance fee)
 Max: 7

IMPORTANT TRIP INFORMATION

Cooperative Programming

To ensure the success of our bus trips, we work in cooperation with the New Lenox & Mokena Park Districts. The number of spots listed is the maximum number of registrations the Frankfort Park District can take. If a bus trip is full, we will call the other agencies to see if spots are available or you may be added to a waitlist.

Pick-up/Drop-off times

Pick-up/drop off location is at the Founders Community Center or at the New Lenox Park District Lions Community Center unless otherwise noted. Departure times are set and abided by. If changes occur, participants will be notified by phone. Please arrive 15 minutes prior to the scheduled departure time. Return times may vary depending on traffic or weather conditions; we make every attempt to return by the designated time.

Cancellations/Refunds

- Refunds are given under the following circumstances:
- The trip is cancelled by the Frankfort Park District. If we have not met our registration minimum by the deadline date, the trip will be cancelled, and a full refund will be issued.
 - There is a waitlist, and we are able to fill your spot. Please see refund policy.
 - The person asking for the refund finds a replacement for the trip.



The Frankfort Park District has one of the lowest taxing rates on the Frankfort Park District Property Tax bill, representing only 2.66% of the total property tax bill. The local School Districts represent 69% of the total property tax bill.

