



MAY - JUNE 2023

Theater Bus, Inc. is a nonprofit organization committed to enriching the quality of life for all adults over 55 residing in the greater Madison community by providing safe, affordable, volunteer assisted outings to the theatrical, cultural and social events.

Meet the 2023 Board of Directors:

Seated:

John Carrier, Selection Comm. Chair
Mary Jane Bennet, Vice President,
Barb McNallie, Secretary

Standing:

Marian Leonard
Asta Blanchard, President
Dawn Ashley
Deb Lawrence, Treasurer



Please read these important notes!

*** We no longer pick up at Oakwood Village Woods on Mineral Point Rd.**

* Some events fill well before the deadline. Register early to ensure that you have a space.

Registrations will not be taken over the telephone or spaces held unless payment has been received.

*Select the form for the event you wish to attend. Please complete all of the information. (Use a return address label if you have them) Otherwise, print your name and address and telephone number clearly.

*Number attending—If you are registering just yourself, enter “1.” If you are registering more than one person, write the number attending and then write the name, address, phone number, pickup location, and meal choice, if required, of any others attending on the reverse side of the form.

*Indicate your preferred pickup location.

*If you wish to sit with a friend or group of friends, please indicate that on line 4.

*If meal selections need to be made prior to the event, please indicate your meal preference on the form.

*Theater Bus accepts checks, but **not credit cards**, as payment. Separate checks should be written for each event. Checks should be made payable to Theater Bus.

*Mail or drop off your registration form(s) and payment to: Theater Bus, Inc., 437 S. Yellowstone Dr. #214, Madison, WI 53719

Note: All tips are included in the cost of the trip, including a tip for the bus driver and wait staff. Please bring your cell phone on a trip and keep it turned on. Silence the ringer during theater performances. There are times in which we may need to contact you before a trip, during a trip, or after a trip.

11. Grumpy Old Men (Fireside)

Date: Saturday, May 6th, 2023

Price: \$129 tips included

Place: Fireside Theater, Fort Atkinson

Time: Lunch/Show 11:00/1:00pm

9:45am - (West) Theater Bus Office

10:00am - (Monona) South Towne Mall

10:30am - (East) Marshall's

5:00pm approximate return to Marshall's

Max and John are neighbors who have been feuding for most of their lives. Invigorated by their shared affection for their beautiful new neighbor across the street, they face-off as romantic rivals until their hilarious shenanigans finally bring about a resolution to their long-standing differences.

Lunch will be a Boneless Pork Chop seasoned and grilled until perfectly tender and finished with a rich pork demi-glaze. Served with Garlic Parmesan Orzo and a Corn and Red Pepper Medley. Vegetarian meal Available. Coffee/tea and dessert included.

12. Golden Oldies

Date: Thursday, May 11th, 2023

Price: \$112 tips included

Place: Riverside Ballroom, Green Bay

Time: Lunch/Show 12:00/1:00pm

Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):

8:30am - (West) Covenant Church

8:45am - (Monona) South Town Mall

9:15am - (East) Marshall's

6:00pm approximate return to Marshall's

Daddy D wants you to take a nostalgic journey through the music and comedy of the past. Car tunes, surf songs, romantic medleys and goofy comedy that is sure to make you laugh! All the great hits of the late Fifties and early Sixties! Let's shake, rattle, and Rock N Roll in the aisles!

Family-style chicken dinner, mashed potatoes, gravy, stuffing, vegetables & dessert bars. Vegetarian or gluten-free meals are available.

13. Curious Savage

Date: Saturday, May 13th, 2023

Price: \$ 103 tips included

Place: WI Rapids Community Theater

Time: Lunch/Show 11:30am/2:00pm

Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):

8:45am - (West) Theater Bus

9:00am - (Monona) South Towne Mall

9:30am - (East) Marshall's

5:30pm approx return to Marshall's

Mrs. Savage has been left ten million dollars by her husband and wants to make the best use of it, in spite of her grown-up stepchildren's efforts to get their hands on it. Knowing that the widow's wealth is now in negotiable securities, and seeing they cannot get hold of the fortune, the stepchildren commit her to a sanatorium hoping to "bring her to her senses."

Lunch buffet at Ebbes Lake Aire, Wis. Rapids

14. Sweeney Todd

Date: Saturday, June 3rd 2023

Price: \$110, tips included

Place: Racine Theater Guild, Racine WI

Time: Lunch/Show 12:00/2:00

Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):

9:00am - (West) Theater Bus

9:15am - (Monona) South Towne Mall

9:45am - (East) Marshall's

6:00pm approx return to Marshall's

Attend the tale of a barber wrongly convicted and out for vengeance against the corrupt judge who sent him to prison and tore his family apart.

Buffet Lunch at Infusino's Italian Eatery.

11. Grumpy Old Men (Fireside)

Date: Sat, May 6th, 2023 Cost: \$129

Deadline: April 14th, 2023

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/Address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

_____ West - Theater Bus 437 S. Yellowstone

_____ Monona - South Towne Mall (near McDonalds)

_____ East—Marshalls, 2117 Zeier Rd.

4. I wish to sit with: _____

5. Emergency Contact Name & Phone number

6. _____ This is my 1st trip with Theater Bus

7. _____ I need vegetarian please

13. Curious Savage

Date: Sat. May 13th, 2023 Cost: \$103

Deadline: April 22nd, 2022

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

_____ West—Theater Bus, 6205 Mineral Point

_____ Monona - South Towne Mall (near

McDonald's)

_____ East—Marshalls, 2117 Zeier Rd.

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12. Golden Oldies

Date: Thursday, May 11th 2023 Cost: \$112

Deadline: April 20th, 2023

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

_____ West -Covenant Church Mineral PT & Segoe Rd

_____ Monona - South Towne Mall (near

McDonalds)

_____ East—Marshalls, 2117 Zeier Rd.

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14. Sweeney Todd

Date: Saturday, June 6th, 2023 Cost :\$110

Deadline: May 16th, 2023

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

_____ West—Theater Bus, 437 S Yellowstone Dr

_____ Monona - South Towne Mall (Near

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15. Mystery Trip

Date: Sunday, June 18th 2023

Price: \$111 tips included

Place: ?????

Time: Lunch/Show 12:00/1:30

9:15am - (West) Theater Bus

9:30am - (Monona) South Towne Mall

10:00am - (East) Marshall's

For all of you who like some fun and adventure, let's go on a mystery trip to somewhere fun and see something great and eat something delicious. Sorry, it's a mystery and you don't get to know where or what!

17. Lake Geneva Boat Tour

Date: Thursday, June 29th, 2023

Price: \$105 tips included

Place: Lake Geneva, WI

Time: Lunch/Tour 12:30-2:00pm (Board at 10:45)

8:30am - (West) Covenant Church

8:45am - (Monona) South Towne Mall

9:15am - (East) Marshall's

Approximate return to East Madison 5:00pm

Relax and enjoy all the scenic beauty of the lake with a fully narrated tour as you cruise completely around lovely Geneva while enjoying a delicious lunch.

Thank you to *Monona Senior Center* for sharing our information in their newsletter!



16. 39 Steps

Date: Thursday, June 22nd, 2023

Price: \$125 tips included

Place: Drury Lane, Oakbrook Terrace, Ill

Time: Lunch/Show 11:00/1:30pm

10:30am - (West) Covenant Church

10:45am - (Monona) South Towne Mall

11:00am - (East) Marshall's

Mix a Hitchcock masterpiece with a dash of farce and you have The 39 Steps, a fast-paced whodunit for anyone who loves the magic of theatre. Packed with nonstop laughs and over 150 characters played by four actors, The 39 Steps is an unforgettable afternoon of riotous performances and inventive stagecraft that is sure to delight.

Lunch Buffet at Machine Shed in Rockford

Congratulations to Diane and Barb! Friends and winners of our "Bring a Friend" gift basket!

Barb took her first trip with us in November. We hope to see you again soon, Barb! And Thank you to Diane for sharing Theater Bus with her friend!



Thanks

Thank you to the Pleasant T Rowland Foundation for the continued support of Theater Bus, Inc.



15. Mystery Trip

Date: Sunday, June 18th, 2023 Cost: \$111

Deadline: May 26th, 2023

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/Address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

_____ West - Theater Bus 437 S. Yellowstone

_____ Monona - South Towne Mall (near McDonalds)

_____ East—Marshalls, 2117 Zeier Rd.

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CORRECTION:

The following donors were inadvertently missed in the last newsletter:

Joel Silverberg
Kathy Heiman
Mildred Amundsen
Rosemary Dorney

We appreciate all of our donors and apologize if any of you were missed!

16. 39 Steps

Date: Thursday, June 22nd, 2023 Cost: \$125

Deadline: June 1st, 2023

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/Address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

_____ West - Covenant Church Mineral Pt & Segoe Rd

_____ Monona - South Towne Mall (near McDonalds)

_____ East—Marshalls, 2117 Zeier Rd.

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17. Lake Geneva Boat Trip

Date: Thursday, June 29th, 2023 Cost: \$105

Deadline: June 8th, 2023

Check # _____

Additional contribution: \$ _____

Amount enclosed \$ _____ for _____ # of people

1. Name/Address

2. Home phone: _____

Cell phone: _____

3. Pick-up location:

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Pickup Locations

Theater Bus provides the following convenient Madison pickup locations. **Please arrive 15 minutes earlier than listed in the newsletter.**

West - Covenant Presbyterian Church located at the corner of Mineral Point & Segoe Roads (weekday events), *Theater Bus Office*, 437 S. Yellowstone Dr. (weekend events.) ***We no longer pick up at Oakwood Village.

East—Marshalls, 2117 Zeier Rd., park in stalls at far end of lot, away from the entrance of the store.

Monona - South Towne Mall, Broadway Dr, near the McDonalds.

Note: Before each trip, we check messages at 257-0003. *Please let us know if your plans change.*

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Theater Bus

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Madison, WI 53719

(608) 257-0003

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Website: www.theaterbus.org

Winter Hours: Mon-Fri 9 a.m.-1 p.m.

After hours, please leave a message and your call will be returned during regular business hours.

NEW SUMMER OFFICE HOURS:

Memorial Day through Labor Day

we will be closed on Fridays!

We will be open Mon - Thurs 9:00am-3:00pm.