



SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER 2022

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, escorted outings to the theatrical, cultural and social events.

A few trip reminders! 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) 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.

Thank you!

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Thank you to the **Pleasant T Rowland Foundation** for their generous donation to support the cost of printing and mailing the newsletter.

The Theater Bus mission is supported by **Oakwood Village University Woods**. We thank them for their belief in our organization.



24. Hank Williams

Date: Saturday, Sept. 10th, 2022
Price: \$ 103, tips included
Deadline: Aug 28th
Place: Timberlake Playhouse
Time: Lunch/show 11:30/2PM
Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
9:45am (east) Marshall's
10:00am (west) Oakwood Village
10:30am (west Theater Bus
6:00pm Approx return to Marshall's

HANK WILLIAMS: LOST HIGHWAY is the spectacular musical biography of the legendary singer-songwriter. The play follows Williams' rise from his beginnings on the Louisiana Hayride to his triumphs on the Grand Ole Opry to his eventual self-destruction at twenty-nine. Along the way, we are treated to indelible songs like "I'm So Lonesome I Could Cry," "Move It on Over" and "Hey, Good Lookin'," which are given fresh and profound resonance set in the context of Williams' life.

Lunch will be at Cimino's Little Italy and will be pasta/pizza buffet with salad and garlic bread. Coffee, tea and soda are included.

25. Rosewood

Date: Thurs, Sept. 15th, 2022
Price: \$115 , tips included
Deadline: August 28th
Place: Rosewood, Delevan WI
Time: Lunch/Show 12:30
Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
10:15am - (west) Oakwood Village
10:30 - (west) Covenant Church
11:00 am - (east) Marshall's
5:00pm approximate return to Marshall's

Polish your favorite car, grab your best girl, and take a trip down memory lane to your favorite rock n' roll songs. Idle down and make the circuit – spin the radio dial in that '57 Chevy; cruise to the rhythms of The Everly Brothers, Buddy Holly, Bill Haley and the Comets, Chuck Barry, early Elvis – Doo-Wop: Five Satins, Frankie Valli and the Four Seasons – Early R&B: Diana Ross & the Supremes, Shelley Fabares – as well as tributes to the fabulous 50's & 60's from the retro musical Grease. Enjoy the lush gardens and gift shop as well.

Lunch will be at Rosewood and will include a buffet with carving stations, pasta made to order, assorted hot vegetables. Includes coffee, tea and soft drinks, dinner salad and cookies for dessert.

26. Lake Geneva Boat Tour

Date: Tuesday, Sept 27th, 2022
Price: \$101, tips included
Deadline: Sept. 8th
Place: Grand Belle, Lake Geneva
Time: Lunch/show 11:15AM BOAT BOARDING
Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
9:00 (West) Oakwood Village
9:15 (west) Covenant Church
9:45 (East) Marshall's
4:30 Approx return to Marshall's

The Grand Belle of Geneva is designed after turn-of-the-century steamers, including brass furnishings. She offers generous space with a cozy atmosphere for you and your guests to enjoy. The Grand Belle is enclosed and climate controlled on the main deck as well as a portion of the upper deck. Her bow and stern are open to the fresh air of Geneva Lake and allow you to enjoy the beauty of the water. Lunch on board, non alcoholic beverages, and dessert included.

27. Highway Men (Dinner Show)

Date: Friday, Sept 30th, 2022
Price: \$ 117, tips included
Deadline: Sept. 11th
Place: Dells Palace Theater
Time: Dinner/Show 5:30/7:00pm
Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
3:45pm - (west) Oakwood Village
4:00pm - (west) Covenant Church
4:30pm - (east) Marshall's
10:30pm approx return to Marshall's

Back by Popular Demand! The Greatest supergroup in country music history, the original Highwaymen, formed in 1985, consisted of Willie Nelson, Waylon Jennings, and Johnny Cash. This recreation (with Willie, Waylon, and Johnny) of that amazing, never to be seen again band continues the legacy. You will witness first-hand the friendship and comradery that existed between these legends, reliving one of the greatest moments in country music history. Combining their unique approaches to life and recording, they traveled the world performing country music to millions of fans.

The Palace has not yet announced the menu for this event. Coffee, tea and dessert are included.

Pick up Locations:

Theater Bus provides the following convenient Madison pickup locations. Please arrive 15 minutes early. The bus departs promptly at the time posted in the newsletter.

WEST: Oakwood Village University Woods, 6205 Mineral Point Rd (enter at Island Dr, stay left, turn right at first stop sign, entrance on right.)


WEST: Covenant Presbyterian Church, corner of Mineral Point and Segoe Rds (for weekday events) Theater Bus office 437 S Yellowstone Dr (for weekend events)

EAST: Marshall's, 2117 Zeier Rd, park in the far end of the lot, away from the stores.

NOTE: Before each trip, messages are checked before departure in the morning. Please call and leave a message if you are ill or your plans have changed.

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28. Murders of 1940

Date: Sunday, October 2nd, 2022
 Price: \$100, tips included
 Deadline: Sept. 15th
 Place: Falls Patio Players, Menomonee Falls, WI
 Time: Lunch/Show 12:00/2:00
 Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
 9:15am - (west) Theater Bus
 9:30am - (west) Oakwood Village
 10:00 am - (east) Marshall's
 5:00pm approx return to Marshall's

Buffet Style lunch at Hot House Tavern.
 Coffee, Tea and dessert included.

30. The Odd Couple

Date: Saturday, October 15th, 2022
 Price: \$108, tips included
 Deadline: Oct. 1st
 Place: WI Rapids Community Theater
 Time: Lunch/Show 12:00/2:00
 Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
 9:00 am - Theater Bus
 9:15am - (west)Oakwood Village
 9:45pm - (east) Marshall's
 6:00pm Approx return to Marshall's

This classic comedy opens as a group of guys assemble for cards in the apartment of divorced Oscar Madison. Late to arrive is Felix Unger, who has just separated from his wife. Fastidious, depressed and too tense, Felix seems suicidal but as the action unfolds, Oscar becomes the one with murder on his mind when the two become roommates.

Family style lunch at Ebbes Lake Aire Supper club. Oven roasted tenderloin, broiled salmon and pasta with veggies served family style. Includes garlic mashed potatoes, vegetable blend, salad and dinner roll and non alcoholic beverage and dessert.

29. Celebration Belle Fall Cruise

Date: Wednesday, October 5th, 2022
 Price: \$115, tips included
 Deadline: Sept. 17th
 Place: Prairie Du Chein, WI
 Time: Lunch/Show 10:30 Boat Boarding
 Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
 7:45am -(east) Marshall's
 8:15am- (west) Oakwood Village
 8:30am - (west) Theater Bus
 5:00pm Approx return to Theater Bus

Imagine yourself cruising down the Mississippi, admiring the colors of nature all around you. Beautiful scenery abounds as you float up and down the river while our fabulous entertainers perform the great sounds of music from the 40's to the present. Sit back, listen, and even dance to the sounds of some of your favorite tunes. Classic Oldies, Country, and Rock and Roll, it's all there. They'll take requests. Don't forget your cameras to capture the scenic views! Lunch will be served on board.

31. The Addams Family

Date: Sunday, October 30th, 2022
 Price: \$95, tips included
 Deadline: Oct. 13th
 Place: The Rhode Center, Kenosha, WI
 Time: Lunch/Show 11:30/2:00pm
 Pickup Points & Times (Bus Pickup):
 9:15am - Theater Bus
 9:30am - (west)Oakwood Village
 10:00am - (east) Marshall's
 5:30pm Approx return to Marshall's

A comical feast that embraces the wackiness in every family, features an original story and it's every father's nightmare: Wednesday Addams, the ultimate princess of darkness, has grown up and fallen in love with a sweet, smart young man from a respectable family- a man her parents have never met. And if that wasn't upsetting enough, Wednesday confides in her father and begs him not to tell her mother. Now, Gomez Addams must do something he's never done before- keep a secret from his beloved wife, Morticia. Everything will change for the whole family on the fateful night they host a dinner for Wednesday's "normal" boyfriend and his parents. Lunch at the Fireside Restaurant & Lounge will be a pizza/pasta buffet.

24. Hank Williams: Lost Highway

Date: Saturday, Sept. 10th Cost: \$103

Deadline: Aug 28th

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3. Pick-up location:

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Participation Policy

In order to assure a safe and pleasant experience for all participants, those attending our trips must be mobile and able to perform, without assistance, activities of daily living which include boarding and exiting the bus as well as navigating the venues, restaurants, bathrooms, boat docks etc. We cannot accommodate wheelchairs. All coach buses have storage space and one seat for each passenger. If you take up more than one seat, you must pay for a second seat. We retain the right to refuse service to anyone exhibiting what we consider to be unacceptable behavior.

Cancellation Policy

Your request for a refund must be received prior to the deadline date for the trip. Refunds will be issued for refundable expenses only, less a \$20 administrative fee. After the deadline date, you may find a replacement to fill your spot. Please let us know who that person will be. If you are unable to find a replacement and there is a wait list for the event, Theater Bus may be able to assign a substitute and issue you a refund less the administrative fee.

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