

Travel Programs

OKTOBERFEST WITH THE DIE KELLERKNABEN POLKA BAND

Crest Hill, IL.

Join us at Prairie Bluff Banquet Hall for a German feast and entertainment by the Die Kellerknaben Polka Band. From the beer halls of Munich to the taverns of Chicago, Die Kellerknaben has its roots deeply in the heart of polka. Die Kellerknaben plays music that makes you want to dance! Each guest gets a beer ticket and a take-home Lebkuchenherzen dessert from Springview Sweets Bakery.

Registration Deadline: September 6

Day/Date: Thursday, September 26

Departure: 10:45 am from Founders Community Center

Return: 3:30 pm (Approximately)

Fee: \$60 (Fee includes transportation,

performance, lunch, and gratuity)

Max: 12

THE FULL MONTY AT PARAMOUNT THEATER

Aurora II

From the unemployment line to the self-made man, The Full Monty bares it all! The Full Monty is a side-splitting musical that follows Jerry, Dave, and pals, part of a group of unemployed steelworkers in Buffalo, New York. With their backs to the wall, they decide to create a male strip show to help pay their mortgages and provide for their families after layoffs. Facing economic — and in some cases personal — disaster, and their insecurities, these taboo-busting boys bare their souls and their bodies. Thanks to a hearty blue-collar work ethic, they happily abandon the daily unemployment grind for a different kind of grind, stripping off the layers of toxic masculinity to reflect the true ingenuity of the American spirit gettin' it done! Join us for this empowering tale that proves the naked truth that anything can be accomplished with the right mix of friends and courage. The songs in this 10-time Tony Award nominee capture the spirit of the '90s, delivering the goods with songs like "You Rule My World" and inspiring lyrics in "Breeze Off the River". The Full Monty delivers a feelgood experience that challenges stereotypes and celebrates the triumph of the human spirit.

Registration Deadline: September 13

Day/Date: Wednesday, October 2

Departure: 11:00 am from Founders Community Center

Return: 5:15 pm (Approximately)

Fee: \$115 (Fee includes transportation,

performance, lunch, and gratuity)

Max: 12

AUTUMN ON THE RIVER

Utica, IL

Join us as we travel to Starved Rock to see the beautiful fall colors. Autumn on the River tours are a great way to see the beautiful fall foliage as you cruise along the Illinois River. Our day begins with lunch in the historic dining room at the Lodge, followed by a narrated trolley tour with the history and legends of the area. The trolley will then take you to the new riverboat, "The Eagle I" where you will see the beautiful fall foliage of the Starved Rock State Park area by water.

Registration Deadline: September 20

Day/Date: Wednesday, October 23

Departure: 9:00 am from Founders Community Center

Return: 5:00 pm (Approximately)

Fee: \$119 (Fee includes lunch, trolley tour, riverboat cruise, and transportation)

Max: 9



TEATRO ZINZANNI

Chicago, IL

Teatro ZinZanni is an original form of entertainment combining a unique fusion of cirque, comedy, cabaret, spectacle, and live music all the while serving up a multi-course feast. A spectacle of unforgettable performances, sumptuous cuisine, and premium entertainment awaits you within the velvet walls of the Spiegeltent ZaZou in the heart of the Chicago Loop.

Registration Deadline: October 1

Day/Date: Thursday, November 14

Departure: 10:00 am from Founders Community Center

Return: 5:00 pm (Approximately)
Fee: \$169 (Fee includes show, lunch,

non-alcoholic drinks, and transportation)

Max: 10

CHRISTKINDLMARKET

Aurora, IL.

Inspired by the Christkindlmarket in Nuremberg, Germany, the Christkindlmarket Aurora brings a cherished German and European tradition to Aurora. There are hand-blown ornaments, classic German goods, wooden handicrafts, and so much more. If you're lucky, you'll witness some crafters at work, then can purchase their goods there on the spot. And you absolutely have to sample the assortment of sweet and savory goods on offer on your rounds. Enjoy sausages, potato pancakes, Strudel and more, washed down with traditional hot spiced wine or German beer.

Registration Deadline: November 1

Day/Date: Thursday, November 21

Departure: 10:15 am from Founders Community Center

Return: 4:00 pm (Approximately)

Fee: \$30 (Fee includes transportation only)

Max:







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HOLIDAY SHOPPING IN WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, IL

See why Woodstock was voted the most festive Christmas town in Illinois. Every year, the Woodstock Chamber hosts a Ladies Night Out event where you can enjoy some holiday shopping in the festively lit shops around Woodstock Square. This year's theme is "Fa La La La La" and guests are invited to dress up in their favorite holiday apparel. This delightful evening out will feature seasonal music throughout the downtown area including live performances from local groups. Every LNO guest will receive a complimentary tote bag and a coupon book loaded with local deals and specials. This trip is sure to put you in the holiday spirit!

Registration Deadline: November 12

Day/Date: Thursday, December 5

Departure: 1:00 pm from Founders Community Center

Return: 9:30 pm (Approximately)

Fee: \$55 (Fee includes transportation only)

Max: 10



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 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.

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Arlington Heights, IL

Charles Dickens' enchanting tale of redemption and hope comes to life in Arlington Heights' favorite holiday tradition. On a snowy Christmas Eve brimming with memorable characters, ghostly apparitions, and splendid holiday music, miserly Ebenezer Scrooge visits the past, present, and future to discover the true meaning of Christmas. Metropolis Performing Arts Centre's updated, record-breaking production returns with enough magic, joy, and Christmas spirit to delight audiences of all ages. The performance is held at the Metropolis Performing Arts Centre in Arlington Heights.

Registration Deadline: November 15

Day/Date: Friday, December 13
Departure: 12:15 pm from Main Park

10925 LaPorte Road, Mokena

Return: 5:00 pm (Approximately)
Fee: \$95 (Fee includes performance,

transportation, and gratuity)

Max: 5

NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND

A world of exceptional elegance! View inspirational architecture and elegant style in Newport's Gilded Age Gothic Revival villas, shingle-style cottages, and opulent Italian and French palaces. Cruise on Newport Harbor and see the town at its picture-perfect best. Tour the oldest synagogue building still standing in the U.S. Sip sparkling wine at a popular local vineyard. Delicious dinners complete your stay in fabulous Newport! This trip includes 5 nights lodging, meals (5 breakfasts & 2 dinners), Historic Tour of Newport, Newport Harbor Cruise, Tours of: "The Breakers," "The Elms" and "Marble House", Greenvale Vineyards Tour and Tasting, Touro Synagogue, Brick Marketplace, Twin River Casino, luggage handling, and all gratuities. Trip insurance is available and highly recommended. It must be purchased within 14 days of paying your trip deposit. Please request at the time of registration.

Registration Deadline/Final Payment: March 4

Day/Date: Sunday – Friday, June 1 - 6

Depart: 8:00 am from the Founders Community

Center

Return: In the evening on June 6 (TBA)

Fee: \$1,139/person – double occupancy

\$1,539/person – single occupancy

*\$25 due upon signing

Max: 22

