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Tour Brochure

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New Ulm Experience Tour
Monday, November 8, 2010

Requests continue for this tour, and it's always a favorite! We'll begin with a welcome **reception** at the New Ulm Visitor's Center and then head for a guided city tour including the Herrmann Monuments, the beautiful Cathedral of the Holy Trinity, Dakota Conflict sites and other sites related to New Ulm's strong German heritage. At noon we'll watch the Glockenspiel performance (weather permitting). An included lunch follows at the famous Kaiserhoff. When you sign up, please select #1: barbeque ribs w/salad; #2: brats & landjaeger w/potato salad & sauer kraut; or #3 chicken schnitzel w/spatzle & red cabbage. Bread & coffee, milk or soda are also included. Brief time will be allowed for shopping before we continue our tour with a visit to the Minnesota Music Hall of Fame. Our final visit will be the famous Schell's Brewery. Samples of their brew or 1919 root beer are a must. \$59 pp

Away in the Basement:: A Church Basement Ladies Christmas Tour
Thursday, November 11, 2010

Perhaps you missed this show in 2009. Maybe you're ready to see it again. Here's your chance, and the price is the same...including dinner! The Church Basement Ladies are back again with their hilarious antics and down-to-earth humor audiences have grown to love. It is 1959 and the day of Sunday School Christmas Program. As the children rehearse up in the sanctuary, the ladies of the kitchen are finishing up the goodie bags and putting final touches on the nativity pieces. Little do they know what surprises are in store for them as they are called upon to once again step in and save the day. "Tis the season for merriment and laughter. \$62pp

Away in the Basement:: A Church Basement Ladies Christmas Tour
Tuesday, November 30, 2010

Perhaps you missed this show in 2009. Maybe you're ready to see it again. Here's your chance, and the price is the same...including dinner! The Church Basement Ladies are back again with their hilarious antics and down-to-earth humor audiences have grown to love. It is 1959 and the day of the Sunday School Christmas Program. As the children rehearse up in the sanctuary, the ladies of the kitchen are finishing up the goodie bags and putting final touches on the nativity pieces. Little do they know what surprises are in store for them as they are called upon to once again step in and save the day. 'Tis the season for merriment and laughter. \$62pp

A Country Christmas & Lights Tour
Saturday, December 4, 2010

We fill this tour each year, so early registrations with payment are recommended. We'll begin with an included Old Country Buffet lunch to get everyone home earlier. In anticipation of Christmas, we'll enjoy a Branson-style Christmas performance featuring a cast of over 80 singers, musicians and comedians, the creation of Lowell Lundstrom, producer of 7 prime-time television specials. Now celebrating its 14th successful year, "A Country Christmas" will make the Christmas season come alive right before your eyes. After the show, we'll check out some of the area lights displays and enjoy Christmas snacks and the music of the season. The price hasn't changed. \$62pp

I Do! I Do! Tour
Wednesday, December 8, 2010

We'll begin with an included dinner. A fresh new cast takes the stage as the most popular musical in Chanhassen Dinner Theatre's history returns. The story of a marriage is at the center of this intimate and nostalgic work by Harvey Schmidt and Tom Jones, the authors of "The Fantasticks". The show begins with Michael and Agnes on their wedding day and traces their life together over a period of 50 years, until the day they leave their house to the next pair of newlyweds. In that time we watch them go through their wedding night jitters, raise a family, negotiate mid-life crises, quarrel, separate, reconcile and grow old together, all lovingly to the strains of a tuneful, charming score which includes the standard "My Cup Runneth Over". \$69pp

The Marvelous Wonderettes Tour
Wednesday, February 2

It's ground hog day. Let's start thinking spring! We'll begin our visit to Plymouth Playhouse with an included lunch. The Marvelous Wonderettes is a cotton-candy colored, non-stop pop musical blast from the past, featuring our favorite songs from the '50s and '60s. The show takes us to the 1958 Springfield High School prom where we meet the Wonderettes – Betty Jean, Cindy Lou, Missy and Suzy – four girls with hopes and dreams as big as their crinoline skirts and voices to match! Fast-forward ten years to Act Two when they meet again at their high school reunion. See what happens as we re-discover their lives and loves.

\$62pp

Jesus Christ Superstar Tour
Wednesday, March 30, 2011

We'll begin with an included dinner. Coming to Chanhassen Dinner Theatres' Main Stage for the first time in its history is the Tony Award-nominated **Jesus Christ Superstar**, the first rock opera, and groundbreaking theatrical masterpiece by the legendary writing team of Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber. Rice and Webber created a new kind of Jesus, a prophet/rock star whose appeal stems as much from the crowd's energy as from his own inspirational message. **Jesus Christ Superstar** tells the emotionally charged story of the final seven days in the life of Jesus of Nazareth, and dramatizes Jesus' arrival in Jerusalem, the unrest caused by his preaching, and his betrayal, trial and ultimate crucifixion. Propelled by a vibrant score, with turns driving and majestic, satirical and tender, **Jesus Christ Superstar** will captivate audiences with its transcendent power and passion piercing straight to the heart. Featuring notable songs as "Superstar", "Everything's Alright", "Hosanna" and "I Don't Know How to Love Him".

\$79pp

The Ozark Jubilee Tour
Saturday, April 9, 2011

Here's a very popular Branson road show I think you'll enjoy! After lunch on your own in Buffalo, we're headed to the Buffalo High School Performing Arts Center where the Buffalo United Methodist Men's Fellowship presents "The Ozark Jubilee".

Harmony Amish Tour
Wednesday, April 27, 2011

Here's a favorite tour you're sure to enjoy, and this time it's spring and hopefully planting time! We're on our way to Harmony, MN. Upon our arrival, we'll begin with an included chicken or turkey dinner with dessert at the Harmony House at 11:00 AM. (Please make your selection when you sign up.) Then it's time for a 2 ½ hour guided tour. Hopefully, we'll have an opportunity to witness the Amish folks working their fields with horses and machinery reminiscent of late 1800's. We'll visit Amish farms where you may purchase baskets, handmade furniture, baked goods and many other Amish crafts. Light snacks will be included both ways.

\$67pp

Hutterian Brethren Tour
Friday, May 6, 2011

Here's your only chance for this tour in 2011! We're returning to Starland for a day with our wonderful friends, the Hutterian Brethren. If you've ever been to Harmony or Augusta, WI, you will be amazed at the similarities and the differences between our Amish friends and the Hutterian Brethren. The Hutterites are a religious group originating in the 1528 during the Reformation. They live communally in rural North America. After an included family style dinner, we'll learn about their unique lifestyle, religion, customs, traditions, and history. We'll discover how they earn their living and what they do in their leisure time. Bring your billfolds for the opportunity to purchase items they produce at Starland. After our tour of their community, we'll depart for home.

\$47pp

Buddy – The Buddy Holly Story
Thursday, May 12, 2011

The Show many of us enjoyed in 2009 has returned, and we're going back to the 50's as we head to the History Theatre in St. Paul! It's been 52 years since the tragic crash that killed Buddy Holly, Ritchie Valens and J.P. Richardson "The Big Bopper". We'll relive some of their music. Tap your toes along with this musical retelling

of the life and times of Buddy Holly and the unforgettable concert at the Surf Ballroom in Clear Lake, Iowa. Musical hits include: Peggy Sue, Chantilly Lace, LaBamba, That'll Be the Day and more. Following the play, we'll have an included buffet lunch before we depart for home. \$54pp

Academies & Campuses Tour

Tuesday, May 17, 2011

This tour combines two wonderful academy tours and a visit to historic Northfield. We'll begin with a tour of the MN State Academy for the Deaf. Established in 1863 and located on a beautiful 40-acre site, the campus features historic limestone buildings nestled among mature oak and maple trees. Our next stop is the MN State Academy for the Blind, located near State Highway 60 where it sits high above the Straight River. After learning about these important state academies, it's lunch on your own at Culver's in Northfield. Our day will end with a guided riding tour of the city of Northfield and the beautiful campuses of St. Olaf and Carleton Colleges. \$45pp

Mississippi River Boat Cruise

Saturday, August 20, 2011

This one is special! Please join Chuck and his family and friends as Chuck celebrates his 60th birthday on a very special cruise at a reduced price. Also, there will be extra motor coaches with convenient pick ups. We're headed for Harriet Island for a four hour narrated matinee boat cruise down the Mississippi. Enjoy the beautiful sights as the Padelford boat travels through the Ford Lock and Dam, Lock#1 from St. Paul to Minneapolis and back. An included lunch consists of roasted turkey breast with dressing, mashed potatoes and gravy, relish tray, sunburst salad, rolls and coffee. Also included are live banjo music and an afternoon treat of birthday cake. Please include choice of pick up point with registration. \$62pp

"Jeeves in Bloom" at Log Theater

Wednesday, October 27, 2010

We're headed to the Old Log Theater. After an included smoked pork chop dinner (if you prefer roasted chicken breast with savory bread stuffing, walleye pike almandine, or vegetarian lasagna, please signify when you register and make payment), it's time for Jeeves in Bloom starring Tom Stolz and Steve Shaffer. Jeeves in Bloom follows the uproarious mishaps and misadventures of the loveable, loopy Bertie Wooster, who manages time and again to put himself in socially precarious situations, only to be rescued by his brainy butler Jeeves. Now Bertie finds himself dodging romantic entanglements with a starry-eyed young woman, eluding an enraged chef wielding a meat cleaver, and begrudgingly helping his Aunt Dahlia to commit a burglary. Thank heaven, Jeeves is there to save the day.

\$59PP

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Branson Christmas by Request Tour

November 17-21, 2010

Wednesday, November 17 Clinton, Missouri

Relax, enjoy the view and visit with friends as we head for a fun-packed Branson Christmas by Request Tour! We'll stop for lunch at the Iowa Machine Shed as we head for our evening home, the Hampton Inn in Clinton, MO. Get a good night's rest and perhaps an evening swim. The upcoming days are busy!

Thursday, November 18 Branson, Missouri

Following an included hot breakfast, we will depart for Branson! To shorten our ride, we'll visit the Osceola Cheese Shop (always a great stop) and Russell Stover. By now you should have enough snacks for the weekend. Lunch will be on your own at the Bob Evans Restaurant in Branson. Hopefully we'll be allowed to check in early to our home for the next two evenings, the Honeysuckle Inn. Let the shows begin! If you love smooth harmonies, great country and Gospel music, and hilarious comedy (Jarrett Dougherty), you'll love Pierce Arrow! After an included dinner at the Golden Corral, we're off to our evening show, The Haygoods, one the most exhilarating shows you'll ever experience with the family of seven brothers and one sister. (This is my family's favorite)

Friday, November 19 Branson, Missouri

After our included continental breakfast it's time for the Stone Hill Winery, Hillbilly Fruit & Nut Co. and lunch on your own and shopping at Branson landing. This will be your souvenir opportunity. Get ready to laugh because lots of great humor and music will fill the remainder of our day. Comedy Jamboree combines a variety of music and sidesplitting comedy to create an upbeat and fast-paced show. Then we won't even have to leave the building for an included dinner at the Grand Country Buffet. Our evening entertainment is longtime Branson favorite, The Presleys' Country Jubilee. The Presleys provide a great country and Gospel show with the "laugh til you cry" comedy of Herkimer and Cecil.

Saturday, November 20 Liberty, Missouri

After our included continental breakfast we'll end our Branson visit with the Buck Trent Country Music Show. The show is full of great country music, incredible pickin' and lots of fun. We'll stop for lunch on your own at the famous Lambert's, the home of the "threwed rolls". The atmosphere is exciting, and the food is excellent. You cannot leave hungry. After lunch we will travel to Liberty and check into the Holiday Inn Express. For those of you who enjoy a little gambling, a shuttle may be offered to an area casino.

Sunday, November 21 Home

Following an included continental breakfast, it's homeward bound. Along with the fun activities and entertainment on board our deluxe motor coach, we can sit back and relax with our friends.

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Deposits: Reservations for overnight trips must include a \$100 per person deposit. These deposits will be credited

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****Final payment for all trips is due 30 days prior to your departure. ****

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Departure Points will be selected for each trip to accommodate the majority of the tour members. There is usually a

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