

Kiel Community Center – 2023 Trip Schedule

Busses will depart from Belitz Park parking lot
Payments due 1 month prior to each trip
Checks payable to: The City of Kiel,
Mail to: The Kiel Community Center 510 3rd St. Kiel, WI 53042
Each trip paid separately
Trips open to any age and need not be from Kiel
Questions or to register please call Missy at 920-838-1028
Information can be found at www.kielwi.gov

April 20th – Grumpy Old Men at the Fireside Theatre - \$140 per person (includes gratuity at Fireside)

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:30 pm

This is the story of Max and John, 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. Based on the 1993 film starring Walter Matthau, Jack Lemon and Anne Margaret, this stage adaptation captures the lovable crotchety characters through twinkling humor, great songs, and the affectionate depiction of a small town that feels like home to everyone.

We'll enjoy continental breakfast and coffee on the way to Ft. Atkinson and get ready to do some great shopping when we arrive at the Fireside. Their bakery and gift shops have something for everyone! Lunch will be amazing, as always, with three choices of entrees, a delicious salad and dessert. We'll also enjoy a special treat on the way home. It's a wonderful relaxing day you are sure to enjoy!

May 18th – Chicago's Gangster History - \$165 per person

Depart: 7:00 am

Return: 7:00 pm

Al Capone and his gang ruled Chicago during the Prohibition Era, and we'll take a step back in time on this fun tour in the Windy City. Our day will start with themed continental breakfast on the way to Chicago. Once there, a step on guide will take us through all the gangster haunts of the era. We will enjoy a fun themed luncheon and then it's off to the North Shore for a couple of historic stops as we exit the city on our way home. Of course we'll have some goodies to enjoy on the way home.

June 13 – Point Me in the Right Direction - \$140 per person

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:00 pm

This stop is near and dear to one of your hosts' hearts because Sue Broberg grew up there. She wants to show you everything she loves about her hometown. Right in the middle of the state, Stevens Point is home to one of the most beautiful golf courses in the state and we'll stop there for a tour and a fabulous lunch at the clubhouse. Then we will depart for some other great stops, the Point Brewery being one of them. We will

celebrate the Polish Heritage of the city with our continental breakfast and treats while traveling that day as well.

July 18 – Off the Beaten Path in Door County - \$145

Depart: 7:30 am

Return: 6:30 pm

We are headed north to explore the things you don't normally get to see while touring in Door County. No goats on the roof or trolleys this time. This time we'll be visiting some off the beaten path places, including the Ridges Nature Sanctuary and Range Lights, the Horseshoe Bay Farms and other unique stops. A special lunch at a fun location is included along with themed continental breakfast and coffee and other treats to complete the day.

August 16 – An Evening in Door County - \$150

Depart: 2:00 pm

Return: Midnight

This year we are headed back up to Door County for a wonderful evening at the Theater. The play is still To Be Determined pending the schedule releases, but we do have some great plans prior to the performance. We'll start the evening with a wine tasting and then head to an authentic Fish Boil as the sun sets. Don't worry – there will be plenty of other options for dinner if whitefish isn't your taste. Then, it's off to the theater for a fun evening and a great performance.

September 20 – Wisconsin - More Than America's Dairyland - \$140

Depart: 7:30 am

Return: 6:30 pm

We are going to have a great day exploring two of the biggest crops that Wisconsin Farmers about two of Wisconsin's Biggest Crops – Cranberries and Potatoes – Our first stop will be in Wisconsin Rapids where we'll head out to the Cranberry Bogs to see what makes that little berry so special and hear why we are the top producing cranberry state in the country. You'll get to put on the waders and see first-hand what it takes to grow and harvest this unique crop. Then, Chef Susan Beno will do a cooking class at the farm with all things cranberry, of course! Lunch also takes place at the farm with a farm to table type lunch featuring locally sourced products. After lunch, we'll head to Plover to take a tour at one of the most prominent Potato Farms in the state. You'll find out why Ore Ida is partial to the taters grown in Central Wisconsin! Of course continental breakfast and themed snacks will be a part of the day.

October 18 – Halloween and Fall Fun - \$125

Depart: 9:00 am

Return: 5:00 pm

While it's not a mystery trip, we don't want to give away all our spooky stops! It will be a fun fall day exploring the Oshkosh and Fond du Lac area with a great lunch at a unique spot.

November 9 – Scrooge the Musical at the Fireside Theatre - \$140

Depart: 8:00 am

Return: 6:30 pm

We are continuing our new tradition of kicking off the holiday season at the Fireside. In 2023 we will head to Ft. Atkinson to enjoy “Scrooge – the Musical”. The ride down will feature continental breakfast and coffee. Then we’ll hit the shops and bakery before enjoying a fantastic lunch. Again, you’ll have a choice of three entrees, a delicious soup and amazing dessert before heading into the theater.

We’ll all enjoy the merry, sparkling, tuneful, boisterous Broadway musical version of the world’s most beloved Christmas story – Dickens’ A CHRISTMAS CAROL. Based on the popular musical movie starring Albert Finney, SCROOGE THE MUSICAL tells this time-honored tale of redemption and love as only The Fireside can – with a beautiful and rousing musical score (including the well-known “Thank You Very Much”), breath-taking dancing, beautiful period costumes, uproarious comedy, and heart-warming drama. Once on the bus we’ll enjoy a special treat on the ride home.