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2024 LET'S GO **ACTIVE ADULT** NEWSLETTER

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June 2024

HE FIRE **94M-12NOON** 60 and Lions Club Pancake Breakfast

POTAWATOMI CASINO

M | June 3 | 8:30A-4:30P | \$28 | 111026-01

Bring your lucky charm for a day of gaming. You will receive \$10 in reward play and a \$10 food credit.

NUNSENSE AT FIRESIDE DINNER THEATRE

Th | June 6 | 8:00A-6:30P | \$114 | 111001-01

Join us for a madcap revue with a hysterical, anything-goes, good-natured sense of fun. The Little Sisters of Hoboken are in dire financial straits. It seems they must raise enough money to bury the last four of 52 dearly departed nuns who were accidentally poisoned by the convent cook, Sister Julia (Child of God). The five remaining sisters perform with quick paced, comic flair and high-spirited singing. It's an outrageous premise for a long-running hit show that's sinfully hilarious and definitely habit forming! Lunch and shopping at the Fireside Shops before the show are included.

<u>ELVIS AND TOM JONES WITH</u> **DENNY AT WHITE FENCE FARM**

Tu | June 11 | 10:00A-4:00P | \$89 | 111002-02

Denny will be performing songs made famous by Elvis and Tom Jones from their legendary performances in Las Vegas. Lunch is included and will feature the famous White Fence Farm chicken with all the fixings.

BEAUTIFUL, THE MUSICAL AT THE PARAMOUNT THEATRE

Before she was hit-maker Carole King, she was Carole Klein, a spunky, young songwriter from Brooklyn with a unique voice. From the chart-topping hits she wrote for the biggest acts in music to her own life-changing, trailblazing success with Tapestry. BEAUTIFUL, The Carole King Musical takes

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you back to where it all began. We will enjoy lunch before the show at Fireside Grille.

W | June 12 | 10:00A-5:00P | \$99 | 111038-02

POLISH FESTIVAL MILWAUKEE

Join us as we venture out to Henry W. Maier Festival Park along Milwaukee's beautiful lakefront to a festival like no other. Enjoy the day featuring wonderful polish food, new musical acts, shopping, culture and so much more! Be sure not to miss this one! Includes admission and transportation to festival.

STARVED ROCK LAND & WATER CRUISE TOUR

Spend a beautiful day at Starved Rock Lodge and the surrounding grounds. The day begins with lunch in the lodge followed by a narrated trolley tour. Learn about Starved Rock's history and legends of the area. The trolley will bring us to the boat launch for our cruise to see the east end of Starved Rock State Park by water. Lunch, trolley and boat cruise are all included.

<u>SWEDISH DAYS &</u> LITTLE TRAVELER

F | June 21 | 10:00A-5:00P | \$28 | 111017-01

Swedish Days has been celebrating in Geneva for over 70 years! This event features live entertainment, multi-ethnic food plus GREAT shopping in historic downtown Geneva including The Little Traveler. The Little Traveler is a 36-room mansion filled with items to purchase from around the world including bath & body, clothing, games & toys, gourmet food, housewares and so much more. Lunch will be on your own at The Little Traveler, many restaurants around the area or at the many food booths at the festival. Fee includes transportation only.



<u>ROCKFORD CASINO,</u> <u>A HARD ROCK OPENING ACT</u>

M | June 24 | 8:30A-4:30P | \$28 | 111094-02

Join us at the Rockford Casino! They deliver the legendary vibe of the Hard Rock brand including gaming, entertainment, and great food. Enjoy lunch on your own.

<u>CHICAGO FIREBOAT TOUR</u>

W | June 26 | 10:00A-5:00P | \$109 | 111008-01

Take a cruise on a retired fireboat that served the Chicago Fire Department for 44 years. Cruise the same waterways where the Fred A. Busse once fought fires and provided emergency assistance. Our expert tour guide will take us from Lake Michigan, through the Chicago locks, then onto the Chicago River. We'll enjoy highlights of architecture, history, as well as some of the boat's history with the City of Chicago and Fire Department. Some would say you're cruising on a floating museum, with pictures of the boat in action, firefighting artifacts, and giving a glimpse of what it was like to be a firefighter stationed on the boat during it's time in service. We will enjoy lunch before the cruise.

Sa | June 15 | 10:30A-6:00P | \$38 | 111005-01

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M | June 17 | 8:30A-5:30P | \$99 | 111110-01

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THE TEMPORARY BY AMERICAN PLACE CASINO

Join us at the Temporary Casino in Waukegan's Fountain Square featuring slots and table games. You will receive \$10 slot play & 20% discount at L'Americain Restaurant or The Coffee Airstream, excludes alcohol, with an email and telephone number upon arrival at The Temp. Grab a friend or two and let's PLAY!

AIN'T MISBEHAVIN' AT DRURY LANE

Th | July 11 | 10:30A-5:30P | \$99 | 111010-01

Tu | July 16 | 9:00A-5:30P | \$99 | 111011-01

Stride along with the toe-tapping, finger-snapping revue that journeys through the Harlem Renaissance with the music of legend Fats Waller. Brimming with the energetic charm of jazz classics such as Honeysuckle Rose and I Can't Give You Anything But Love. The crooners of Ain't Misbehavin' bring soulful melodies to life, capturing the essence of an era where the joint was always jumpin'. We will enjoy lunch before the show at Drury Lane.

JEREMY NUNES AT STARVED ROCK LODGE

Often referred to as comedy's next great storyteller, Jeremy's unique show has been in demand for years. Jeremy's Dry Bar Comedy Special, Neighborhood Sasq-Watch, is one of the highest rated episodes on the platform. Nunes also released an Amazon Prime special titled "Who's with Me?!" He has appeared in The Layover, The Break-Up, Last Comic Standing, Final Witness, 2 PBS mini-series, Comcast on Demand, a National Geographic Special and been heard on ESPN Radio. Nunes is also one of the most requested comedians by Sirius/XM Satellite Radio listeners. He even wrote a best-selling book about his experiences as a small-town mayor called "You Can't Write City Hall". This one-of-a-kind act is a must see, "Who's with Me?" Lunch will be included prior to the show at Starved Rock.

TIKI FAMILY NIGHT

W | July 17 | 5:00P-7:00P | \$9 | 112008-01 Location Lions Park Pool

Join your friends at the Prospect Heights Park District to enjoy a summer evening. We will have a splashtastic time swimming, playing pool games, eating snacks, and more! See you at the pool.

MATILDA AT THE FIRESIDE DINNER THEATRE

F | July 19 | 8:30A-5:30P | \$114 | 111013-01

MATILDA The Musical is a captivating masterpiece packed with high-energy dance numbers and catchy songs. MATILDA tells the story of an extraordinary girl who, armed with a sharp mind, a vivid imagination, and psychokinetic powers dares to take a stand to change her story with miraculous results. Unloved by her cruel parents and evil headmistress, she impresses her teacher with courage and cleverness in a joyous celebration of one girl's triumph over what's not right! We will enjoy lunch and shopping time at the Fireside Shops before the show.

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M | July 8 | 8:30A-4:30P | \$28 | 111027-01

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CHRISTMAS IN JULY BAKERY BUS WITH MILWAUKEE FOOD TOURS

Travel around the world and back on Milwaukee's Christmas Around Milwaukee Bakery Bus Tour! An excellent opportunity to celebrate Christmas in July with friends while sampling, and if desired, purchasing additional delicious cookies from a collection of bakeries in Milwaukee! This tour features stops at bakeries throughout the area while enjoying stories of ethnic holiday traditions in route. Guests on this unique tour will be treated to signature cookies and pastries at each stop. One of our stops will be at Gloriosos Italian Market so bring your cooler bags!! Lunch, bakery treats, guided-fun and round-trip transportation are included.

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET **AT THE METROPOLIS**

On December 4, 1956, Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis, and Carl Perkins gathered for one night to play music and make history. This Tony Award-nominated musical takes us inside one of the greatest rock n' roll jam sessions ever recorded, with four legendary musicians doing what they loved most: expressing life's joy and sadness through song. We will enjoy a family style lunch before the show at Armand's.

GERMAN FEST, MILWAUKEE

Come celebrate the 42nd Anniversary of German Fest, a Milwaukee tradition held along the beautiful shoreline of Lake Michigan. One of the largest German festivals in North America, German Fest Milwaukee is known for its authentic food, culture and entertainment. Transportation and ticket are included.

LAKE GENEVA SUNDAY BRUNCH & CRUISE

Enjoy a delicious Sunday brunch buffet during a narrated, two-hour tour of the entire lake!

HOLLYWOOD CASINO JOLIET

Enjoy a day of gaming at Hollywood Casino Joliet. Have lunch with your friends or make new friends. Lunch is on your own.

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Sa | July 27 | 10:30A-6:30P | \$34 | 111028-01

Tu | July 23 | 9:30A-5:30P | \$129 | 111014-01

Th | July 25 | 11:00A-5:00P | \$99 | 111018-01

Su | July 28 | 9:00A-3:00P | \$99 | 111049-01

M | July 29 | 8:30A-4:30P | \$28 | 111020-01



August 2024

WISCONSIN STATE FAIR

The Wisconsin State Fair is the premier fun family event of the summer featuring something for everyone! The Wisconsin State Fair offers you a day filled with agriculture, food, shopping and national headlining entertainment. Be sure to join us for this fun-filled day! Ticket and transportation included!

POTAWATOMI CASINO

M | August 5 | 8:30A-4:30P | \$28 | 111026-02

Tu | August 6 | 5:00P-7:00P

Th | August 1 | 8:30A-6:00P | \$34 | 111007-01

Bring your lucky charm for a day of gaming. You will receive \$10 in reward play and a \$10 food credit.

FREE EVENT

NATIONAL NIGHT OUT

Location Lions Park Pool & Elm Street The Prospect Heights Park District, Police Department & Fire Protection District invite you to spend an evening in support of National Night Out. This evening is designed to beighten crime and drug prevention awareness: generate support

designed to heighten crime and drug prevention awareness; generate support and participation in local anti-crime efforts and strengthen neighborhood spirit and community relations. Join us for a night of FREE open swim, complimentary food and drink, games, prizes, music and fun at National Night Out.

CAROUSEL AT NORTH SHORE Th | August 8 | 10:30A-5:30P | \$119 | 111015-01 CENTER FOR THE PERFORMING ARTS

Rodgers and Hammerstein's Carousel was voted best musical of the 20th Century by Time Magazine. Find out why this beloved musical that includes the songs "If I Loved You", "You'll Never Walk Alone" and "Soliloquy" has become one of the most powerful and moving classics in the Broadway canon. We will enjoy a family style lunch before the show at Maggiano's.

HEATWAVE, VINTAGE SONGS OF SUMMER AT STAVED ROCK LODGE M | August 12 | 9:15A-5:00P | \$99 | 111071-01

Matt and Cynthia Gruel of Nostalgia Entertainment bring you "Heatwave! Vintage Songs of Summer!" This musical show captures the essence of summer with "Heatwave," "Summer in the City," "Summertime Blues," "California Girls," "Cruel Summer," "Hot Stuff," "Too Darn Hot," "Summertime," "Under the Boardwalk," "Surfin' USA, "Sittin' on the Dock of the Bay," "Summer of 69," "Walkin' on Sunshine" and more! Songs range from the 1920's-1980's and feature artists like The Beach Boys, Martha and the Vandellas, George Gershwin, Cole Porter, Van Morrison, The Beatles, Donna Summer, Otis Redding, The Drifters, Chicago, and Irving Berlin! "Let the Sunshine In!" We will enjoy lunch before the show at the lodge.

LAKE GENEVA LUAU CRUISE

Relax and enjoy all the scenic beauty of Lake Geneva as you cruise around the lake on this Luau Adventure complete with a Luau Themed Buffet and Calypso Music by Mr. Meyers.

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Th | August 15 | 9:00A-5:00P | \$119 | 111016-01

Th | August 22 | 9:00A-4:00P | \$28 | 111027-02

GREAT ADVENTURES

Active Adult Day Camp

You are never too old to go to camp! Join us for a fun and exciting week on a summer camp adventure with an active adult twist.

MILWAUKEE SIGHTSEEING CRUISE

M | August 26 | 9:00A-5:00P | \$99 | 111021-01

Tu | August 27 | 9:30A-4:30P | \$28 | 111034-01

Explore Milwaukee's past and present from the rivers, harbors & Lake Michigan during this 90 minute tour. Unforgettable views and a unique perspective of Milwaukee's history & architecture. Live narration is provided by an experienced and entertaining tour guide along with the captain. We will enjoy lunch before the cruise at Lake Park Bistro.

A DAY AT NAVY PIER

Grab a friend and join us for a day at Navy Pier. The Pier offers a diverse and eclectic variety of things to do throughout it's one-of-a-kind facilities. Enjoy the day shopping, explore the public art scene, various points of interest, dine in fabulous restaurants or take a ride on Chicago's most Iconic attraction, the Centennial Wheel offering soaring views of the Chicago Skyline and Lake Michigan. Transportation is included.

GOLDEN AGE OF CROONERS BY DENNY DIAMOND

W | August 28 | 10:00A-4:00P | \$89 | 111019-01

The Great American Songbook is the loosely defined canon of significant 20th-century American jazz standards, popular songs, and show tunes. The crooning style developed out of singers who performed with big bands and reached its height in the 1940s to late 60s. Crooning is epitomized by jazz vocalists like Bing Crosby, Frank Sinatra, Dean Martin, and Perry Como. This performance pays tributes to the giants of the past and those of us who stand on their shoulders today. We will enjoy White Fence Farm's famous Chicken dinner before the show.

YACHT ROCK AT ROSEWOOD THEATRE

Th | August 29 | 10:30A-5:30P | \$99 | 111012-01

YACHT ROCK defines popular soft rock music, characterized by Beaches, Summer Sun, Water, Boats, and Fun. The bigger the boat, the better! If the music has an unforgettable melody, an infectious beat and smooth vocal harmony, you might have a true by-coastal classic on your hands. Songs by -Beach Boys, Toto, Christopher Cross, ABBA, Earth Wind and Fire, James Taylor, Bee Gees, Seals and Crofts, King Harvest, Ed Sheeran, Jimmy Buffet, Looking Glass, Orleans, Sheryl Crow, Bobby McFerrin, Shania Twain. We will enjoy lunch before the show at Chef Attended Stations including a Pasta Buffet, Carving Station and so much more.

MULES, MARIGOLDS & MIMOSA TOUR

F | August 30 | 8:30A-5:30P | \$104 | 111022-01

Enjoy a relaxing and educational ride on the I&M Canal, then kick back with mimosas along with the hearty Boat Captain's Lunch. Next, we venture to the whimsical world of Ted Weber and explore his storybook-style house, Weber Gardens. With over two acres of stunning English gardens, complete with fountains, statues, and other ornamental features. This fun-filled day trip is the perfect way to get outdoors and enjoy the sunshine!

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PROSPECT HEIGHTS PARK DISTRICT PRESENTS GOLDEN YEARS WELLNESS EXPO

THURS, OCTOBER 3 | 10:00A-2:00P

110 W. Camp McDonald Road, Prospect Heights

Join fellow active adults for a day packed with door prizes, refreshments, health screenings and valuable resources from local organizations tailored just for you. Don't miss out on this fantastic opportunity to connect, learn and thrive! #GoldenYearsWellnessExpo #ActiveAdults #EmbraceAging

Interested in becoming a Vendor? Contact Marci Glinski at mglinski@phparks.org for more details

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Hope you all are having a great start to the "warmer" season! I sure have been busy preparing for some fantastic trips and activities for this summer and beyond.

Just a reminder:

Please notify the Park District in advance if any special ADA or dietary accommodations that are needed for the trip.

Be sure to check out our Facebook page for upto-date information on trips and many pictures from tours.

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Enjoy the return of the birds and flowers and I look forward to seeing you on our next adventure!

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MARCH TO MEMORIAL DAY

April 22 - May 27

This Fitness Challenge honors those who have fallen in the line of duty. Find all the info for this challenge in the fitness center or on our website. This is a distance traveled challenge. You must have a current fitness membership to participate.

Questions? Contact Pan Zervas at 847-394-6376

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