

Travel with VPD

You do not need to be a member of a club to come on a trip!
Coach Transportation is included in trip fees.

What you should know about Veterans Park District trips

- Leave the driving to us. You can count on safe and reliable transportation.
- All scheduling, planning and arrangements are done for you.
- See your friends and meet new people.

Looking for more details about one of our trips?

Call (708) 343-5270.

Registration

Registration can be made in person (cash, check, or credit card: Visa, Discover, AmEx or Master Card.) Charge payment can be made over the phone. Payment is required at registration for most trips. The exception to this is an overnight trip where a deposit is required. Spaces cannot be held. When registering for a casino trip your birth date is required for the casino manifest.

Cancellations

If the park district cancels a trip due to low enrollment, participants are notified and can get a refund or transfer the money to a credit or another trip.

Cancellations for personal reasons can be made up to 10 days prior to the date of the trip. If a cancellation is made after this date the participant must find a replacement or will be charged a 50% surcharge.

Departures

Trips depart from the following locations: Grant Park, 44 W. Golfview Dr., Northlake and the Cimbalo Fitness Center parking lot, 1203 N. 24th Ave., Melrose Park. Additional parking is behind the building in a empty lot, on the corner of 23rd and Cortez. Please indicate at time of registration which location you wish to depart from. Return times are approximate and can change due to road conditions, weather, etc.

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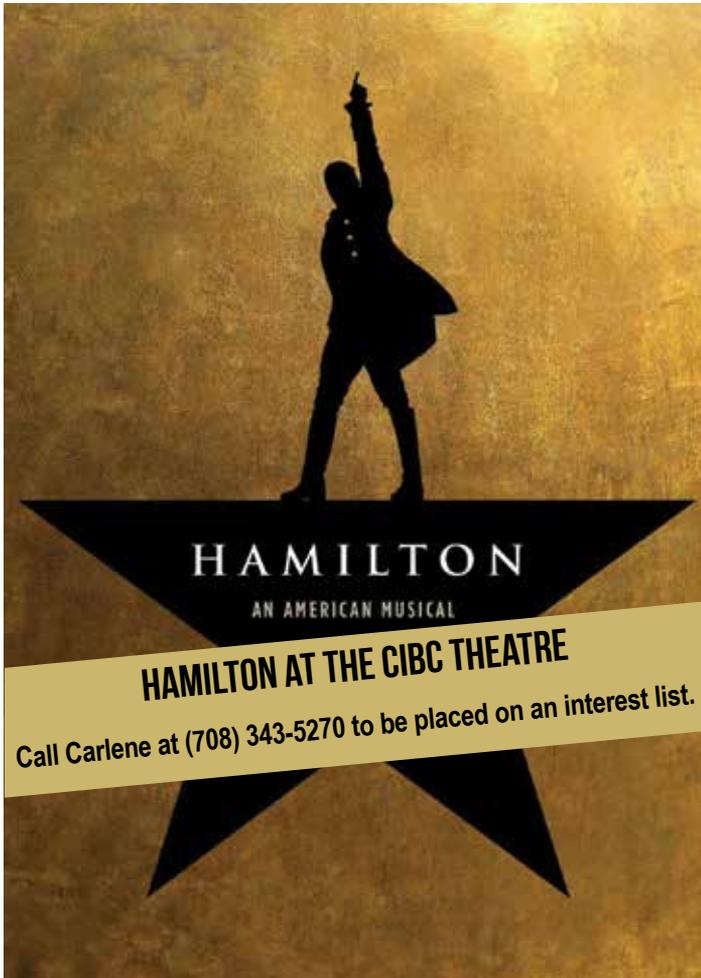
MINIMAL WALKING 

SOME WALKING REQUIRED 

MODERATE WALKING REQUIRED 

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DO YOU HAVE AN IDEA FOR A TRIP? WE ARE ALWAYS INTERESTED TO HEAR ABOUT NEW IDEAS. CONTACT US AT (708) 343-5270.



Brown Bag Tour

This is our annual Amish Tour. We will begin our adventure traveling through picturesque back roads of Northern Indiana. This is known as a brown bag tour, when we get to Shipshewana, we will pick up a guide that will travel with us all day. You are given a brown bag as we will stop at Amish Businesses and collect items from each store we stop at. Then we will have a full fabulous lunch cooked by an Amish family. The lunch will consist of fried chicken, homemade mashed potatoes, vegetable with trimmings. Dessert is a choice of about 5 different pies and homemade. alamode! This is one you don't want to miss! Come and join us!

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Apr 27	F	\$85	AMISH MP / AMISH NL

Departure: 6:45A Cimbalo Fitness Center / 7A Grant Park

Return: 7P

Location: Elkhart, IN



East Troy Railroad

All aboard! Travel back in time when life was simpler. Enjoy a scenic two hour ride through the beautiful countryside of southeast Wisconsin on The East Troy Electric Railroad. Prior to boarding the train, there will be time to visit the depot museum and the gift shop. A delicious lunch will be served aboard the train. After our journey we will stop at J. Lauber's Old Fashion Ice Cream Parlor and The Elegant Farmer, which has a bakery, deli and unique farm products.

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
May 9	W	\$85	RRMP / RRNL

Departure: 9:15 AM Cimbalo Fitness Center / 9:30 AM Grant Park

Return: 5:30 PM

Location: East Troy, WI



Maxson Riverboat The Pride of Oregon Paddle Wheel & Restaurant

The Pride of Oregon is an authentic Paddle Wheel River boat. Come cruise with your friend and enjoy a relaxing atmosphere for this memory-making cruise. We will dine at the historic Maxson Riverside Restaurant and Inn, just off the dock of this charming riverboat.

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Jun 26	Tu	\$77	MaxMP MaxNL

Departure: 8:30 AM Cimbalo Fitness Center / 8:45 AM Grant Park

Return: 5 PM

Location: Oregon, IL



Chicago Cubs Game at Brewers Stadium

There is nothing better than a Cubs game on a summer afternoon. Join us for a road trip to Milwaukee's Miller Park. At the Johnsonville Party Deck you will enjoy a full buffet featuring the best that Wisconsin has to offer; brats, sauerkraut, hot dogs, grilled sirloin burgers, BBQ pulled chicken, famous Wisconsin mac and cheese and much more. Wash it down with complimentary beverages. Private bar and restrooms, great seats and flat screen TVs.

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Jun 12	Tu	\$110	CUBSMP CUBSNL

Departure: 3P Cimbalo Fitness Center / 3:15 PM Grant Park

Return: 11:30 PM

Location: Miller Park, Milwaukee, WI



Navy Pier/ Mystic Blue Cruise

Start the summer right with a beautiful scenic day. You will enjoy an incredible skyline view aboard the cruise ship Mystic Blue. Sit back, dance or sing with the cabaret singers. This cruise includes a complete three course luncheon buffet of fresh salads, entrées and desserts, and unlimited beverage. There will be time after the cruise to walk, shop or sit and enjoy the beautiful scenic view of Chicago's Navy Pier.

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Jul 17	Tu	\$79	MBlueNL MBlueMP

Departure: 10:15 AM Cimbalo Fitness Center / 10:30 AM Grant Park

Return: 4:30 PM

Location: Chicago, IL



The Lady with all the Answers

Enjoy a Broadway style theater along with fine luncheon cuisine at The Theatre at the Center.

Popular advice columnist Ann Landers had a life which seems letter-perfect. With more than 90 million readers each day, she had a quick wit which could be comical and creative, as well as sharp and shocking, all in the same sentence. It is 1975 when we join Landers in her Lakeshore Drive apartment in Chicago. She shares some of her most fascinating stories.

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Aug 8	Tu	\$75	LadyMP LadyNL

Departure: 10:15 AM Cimbalo Fitness Center / 10:30 AM Grant Park
Return: 5:30 PM
Location: Munster, IN



Land & Water & Wine

Enjoy a delicious buffet lunch in the historic rustic dining room at the Starved Rock Lodge, followed by a narrated trolley tour with history and legends of the area. The trolley will then take you to the new river boat, "The Eagle I" where you will see the east end of the Starved Rock State Park area by water. To end the day we will attend a wine tasting at the August Hill Winery in Utica, Illinois. Cheers!

Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Sep 13	Th	\$75	LWWMP LWW NL

Departure: 9:15 AM Cimbalo Fitness Center / 9:30 AM Grant Park
Return: 6:30 PM
Location: Utica, IL

GREASE at The Fireside Theatre

Grease is among the world's most popular musicals. Enjoy this fun musical in Fireside's intimate theatre-in-the-round to travel back in time to Rydell High's senior class of 1959: duck-tailed, hot-rodding "Burger Palace Boys" and their gum-snapping, hip-shaking "Pink Ladies" in bobby sox and pedal pushers, evoking the look and sound of the 1950s. Head "greaser" Danny Zuko and new (good) girl Sandy Dumbrowski try to relive the high romance of their "Summer Nights" as the rest of the gang sings and dances its way through such songs as "Greased Lightnin'", recalling the music of Buddy Holly, Little Richard, and Elvis Presley that became the soundtrack of a generation.

Enjoy a delicious lunch that has earned Fireside Theater the coveted ranking of #1 Family Restaurant in America. There will be plenty of time for browsing their spectacular gift shops or relaxing in the lounge.



Date	Day	Fee	Code #
Sep 27	Th	\$105	GreaseMP GreaseNL

Departure: 8 AM Cimbalo Fitness Center / 8:15 AM Grant Park
Return: 6 PM
Location: Fort Atkinson, WI