

ON THE GO BUS TRAVEL INSIDER

JULY 2025



YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR FALL TRAVEL SHOW!

Get ready to be inspired! On The Go Bus powered by Star Destinations is rolling into Eau Claire for a special travel event at 29 Pines Conference Center & Lounge — and you won't want to miss it!

Tuesday, September 16
2:00 PM - 4:00 PM

29 Pines Conference Center & Lounge - 5872 33rd Ave.
Eau Claire, WI

What to Expect:

- A full travel presentation packed with exciting details
- Door prize giveaways

Whether you're dreaming of European escapes, unforgettable U.S. tours, or once-in-a-lifetime adventures, this is your chance to explore what's coming and start planning your next journey.

RSVP Today! Call 715.220.4597 or email onthegobus@stardestinations.com to reserve your spot. Let's make your next adventure a reality—we can't wait to travel with you!



WHY IS GROUP TRAVEL MORE FUN?

There's something special about exploring the world together! Here's why travelers love going with a group:

- New friendships form fast—no solo dinners or sightseeing alone
- Everything is planned for you—just sit back and enjoy
- Exclusive access to experiences and behind-the-scenes tours
- Group rates save you money on hotels, attractions, and meals
- Tour managers handle the details—you focus on the fun!

FEATURED TOUR



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PANAMA CANAL CRUISE

February 11 - 27, 2026 | 17 Days

Inside Cabin \$4,365 per person (double)
Outside Cabin \$4,749 per person (double)
Balcony Cabin \$5,775 per person (double)
Final Payment Due: October 1, 2025

Embark on the journey of a lifetime with a 15-night cruise aboard the Norwegian Jade! This unforgettable adventure begins with a stay in sunny San Diego before setting sail down the Pacific coast, through the legendary Panama Canal, and ending in vibrant Miami. Along the way, experience dazzling ports, tropical landscapes, fascinating cultures, and relaxing days at sea—all with the convenience of round-trip airfare, deluxe motorcoach transfers, and your On The Go Bus Tour Manager by your side.

Trip Highlights:

- Panama Canal Transit – Witness the iconic engineering marvel during a full-day sailing through this global waterway.
- Sun-Drenched Destinations – Explore Cabo San Lucas, Acapulco, Puerto Quetzal, Puntarenas, Panama City, and Cartagena.
- Excursions & Experiences – Optional activities include cliff diving shows, city tours, tropical preserves, and historic landmarks at every stop.
- 15 Nights Aboard Norwegian Jade – Enjoy all-inclusive dining, Broadway-style entertainment, pools, spas, shopping, and more.
- Exclusive Amenities – Choose from premium drink packages, shore excursion credits, internet minutes, and dining upgrades based on your stateroom.

Booking is Easy! Call 715.220.4597 for reservations.

CHRISTMAS TOURS



BRANSON HOLIDAY ADVENTURE NOV 8 - 14, 2025

Price:
\$2,295 Double | \$2,679 Single
Final Payment Due: October 1, 2025

Celebrate the season with the Hughes Brothers, Haygoods, Daniel O'Donnell, Dolly Parton's Stampede, and more. Holiday spirit guaranteed!

View full trip details at www.onthegobus.com

NYC MAGICAL CHRISTMAS DEC 8 - 12, 2025 **Deadline Approaching**

Price:
\$4,395 Double | \$5,180 Single
Final Payment Due: Sept 3, 2025

Rockefeller Center, Radio City Music Hall, Broadway, and Dyker Heights—all the magic of NYC dressed in holiday sparkle!

View full trip details at www.onthegobus.com

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE DEC 10 - 12, 2025 **Seating is Limited**

Price:
\$825 Double | \$935 Single
Final Payment Due: Oct 20, 2025

Celebrate the season with a heartwarming trip to Janesville, WI, featuring It's a Wonderful Life at The Fireside Theatre, festive holiday shows, and the beautifully decorated Lincoln-Tallman House.

View full trip details at www.onthegobus.com



When it comes to group travel, packing light and smart can make all the difference. Not only will you have less to carry between hotels and motorcoaches, but you'll also save yourself time and stress during your trip.

Here are 5 easy packing tips for a smoother group travel experience:

1. Choose Mix-and-Match Outfits

Pick neutral clothing pieces you can mix and match. This cuts down on bulk while still giving you variety in your wardrobe.

2. Pack Layers, Not Bulk

Weather can change quickly—especially on tours that visit multiple regions. Light layers keep you prepared without overfilling your suitcase.

3. Bring Comfortable Walking Shoes

On group tours, you'll explore by foot more than you might think. Pack shoes that are supportive and already broken in.

4. Use Packing Cubes or Zip-Top Bags

Keep your suitcase organized! Packing cubes help separate outfits, while zip-top bags are perfect for small toiletries or electronics.

5. Leave Room for Souvenirs

Don't pack your suitcase to the brim—leave a little space for that unique find from a local market or gift shop.

TRAVELERS SPOTLIGHT



**A Milwaukee Brewers
Baseball Getaway**

We Would Love to Feature You!

Do you have a favorite photo or memorable story from a past tour? Share it with us! Your experience could be highlighted in an upcoming newsletter or on our social media.

Please send your photos and stories to:
onthegobus@stardestinations.com

We look forward to hearing from you!

MELISSA'S CORNER- YOUR SEAT IS WAITING!



Hi friends!

I love seeing and talking to so many of you! Whether you're soaking in vibrant fall colors, dancing aboard a twilight cruise, or discovering hidden gems across the Midwest, every adventure feels extra special when shared with great company like you.

This season, I'm excited about what's coming up:

- Festive holiday trips full of joy and sparkle
- 2026 tours are already rolling out—get ready for exciting sneak peeks! *(make sure you sign up for the newsletter at www.onthegobus.com)*

Whether you're traveling solo, with a friend, or with your favorite group, On The Go Bus brings comfort, community, and plenty of fun. We take care of all the planning—so you can sit back, relax, and enjoy the ride.

Let's continue to make memories, meet new friends, and explore this beautiful country together. I hope to see you all in September at the Travel Show!



NO REAL ID? NO BOARDING PASS!

REAL ID Reminder: Starting May 7, 2025, all air travelers 18 and older will need a REAL ID-compliant driver's license or another acceptable form of identification (such as a passport) to fly within the United States. Don't delay—check your ID status and update it if needed before your next adventure!

SENIOR RESOURCE FAIR

Visit the On The Go Bus Team at the L.E. Phillips Senior Center Resource Fair!

Tuesday, September 16 | 8 AM – 2 PM

Stop by our booth to explore our lineup of exciting upcoming trips! From weekend getaways to bucket-list adventures, now's the perfect time to plan your next escape. Don't wait—spots are filling fast! We look forward to seeing you there.



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Upcoming 2026 Trip Additions

*Celebration Belle * Green Bay * Christmas in St. Charles * Brewers * Galena * Route 66 * Mystery*
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WASHINGTON DC

April 19 - 28, 2026

Round-trip motorcoach with visits to D.C., Flight 93 Memorial, Mount Vernon, and Capitol Hill

Double: \$3,669 | Single: \$4,705

Includes Rock & Roll Hall of Fame! 18 meals + top-tier sightseeing.

ENCHANTING IRELAND

September 8 - 19, 2026

Round-trip from Dublin featuring Killarney, Galway, Donegal, Belfast & Dublin

Double: \$6,299 | Single: \$7,839

Stay in iconic castles & hotels with full sightseeing, whiskey tastings, and the Cliffs of Moher!

ULTIMATE ALASKA LAND & CRUISE

July 29 - August 10, 2026

From Fairbanks to Vancouver with Denali, Anchorage & a stunning coastal cruise aboard the Norwegian Jade.

Double: Inside \$6,395 | Oceanview \$6,759 | Balcony \$7,685

Includes 5 nights on land + 7-night cruise, rail travel, wildlife tours & premium cruise perks!

CANADA & NEW ENGLAND CRUISE

October 3 - 11, 2026

9-day journey bursting with vibrant fall foliage, seaside charm, and historical treasures! Enjoy a luxurious cruise aboard the Norwegian Breakaway, with unforgettable stops in Boston, Bar Harbor, Halifax, Saint John, and Portland.

Double: Inside \$3,065 | Oceanview \$3,239 | Balcony \$3,409

Includes 7-night cruise, 18 meals, top-tier sightseeing.

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