

HERSHEY'S MILL BUS TRIP ADVERTISING – April 2026

Philadelphia Phillies

Friday, April 17, 2026

Cost: \$80.00 + Food

Departs: 4:30pm

Contact: Marc Fraser, 610-431-4006

Join us for an evening of baseball at Citizen's Bank Park, as we watch our Philadelphia Phillies take on our division rival Atlanta Braves in a 6:40pm game. Seats are in Sections 326-328 (similar to last season), and food is on your own at one of the many ballpark concessions. Call right away, as we expect our trips to see the Phillies this season to again sell out quickly! Children age 12+ are welcome.

American Music Theatre – “A Tribute To ABBA”

Saturday, April 18, 2026

Cost: \$70.00

Departs: 1:30pm

Contact: Lynn Mander

Join us at the American Music Theater in Lancaster for a tribute to ABBA. For over a decade, this ABBA tribute group has been the top in the world, dazzling all who see with their fantastic performance while playing the most iconic hits from ABBA bringing one of the greatest pop phenomena back to life. Come dance, come sing, having the time of our life at THE ULTIMATE TRIBUTE CELEBRATION!

Victor Café – Classical Italian Eats with a Side of Opera

Tuesday, April 21, 2026

Cost: \$100.00

Departs: 3:45pm

Contact: Priscilla Burt

Enjoy a special evening at South Philadelphia's historic Victor Café, a favorite rendezvous for music lovers and celebrities for decades. Our “Mozart” dinner selection will feature 4 courses with a choice of 5 entrees. Professionally trained vocalists will entertain throughout the evening. Dinner, tax, and gratuity are included in the cost. Sign up early, as this is a popular trip; and space is limited!

Bristol Riverside Playhouse – “Jelly’s Last Jam”

Wednesday, April 22

Cost: \$65.00 + Lunch

Departs: 10:00am

Contact: Sharon Richardson

Step into the electrifying world of jazz legend Jelly Roll Morton in “Jelly’s Last Jam!” This Tony Award-winning musical takes you on a thrilling journey through the life, music, and complex legacy of the self-proclaimed inventor of jazz. Lunch is on your own with many choices in walking distance of the theatre: <https://brtstage.org/plan-your-visit/dining/>

Deadline for theatre ticket reservation is March 13, and please let Sharon know if you will be using a wheelchair or rollator.

Walnut Street Theater – “1776” – The Musical (WAIT LIST ONLY)

Thursday, May 14, 2026 & Saturday, May 16, 2026

Cost: \$60.00

Departs: 12:30pm

Thursday Contact: Jayne Lytle

Saturday Contact: Priscilla Burt

Our gift to you and Philadelphia as we celebrate the 250th anniversary of our nation’s birth – the founding fathers came alive in 1776, the classic award-winning Broadway musical. Join John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, and Thomas Jefferson as they fight for independence against a deadlocked Continental Congress in a retelling filled with humor, romance, pathos, and nail-biting tension.

Nemours Estate & Gardens – Wilmington, DE

Tuesday, May 19, 2026

Cost: \$45.00

Departs: 1:00pm

Contact: Lynn Mander

Explore the elegance of a 77-room mansion, a chauffeur’s garage with vintage automobiles, and 200 acres of French inspired formal gardens, grounds and woodlands. The 47,000 sq/ft mansion was constructed in 1910 and includes remarkable collections of art, furniture and technology. See how the duPonts worked, played, and entertained; and hear the fascinating stories of the staff tasked with running the house. Tour is self-guided, but guides are available throughout the buildings and property

Ocean City, NJ - Grace Kelly High Tea @ Flanders Hotel

Wednesday, June 3, 2026

Cost: \$95.00

Departs: 11:00am

Contact: Mary Ann McCarry,

Join us at the Flanders Hotel in Ocean City, NJ for the “Grace Kelly High Tea.” From 2:00pm to 4:00pm, we will be dining on elegant finger foods, small tea sandwiches, dessert, and tea in the Crystal Ballroom, while enjoying a presentation on “The Children.” This event benefits the Ocean City Historical Museum, and you will have free time to stroll the town or boardwalk from 4:00pm until the bus leaves at 5:30pm to return to Hershey’s Mill.

Philadelphia Orchestra – “Gershwin & Bernstein”

Friday, June 5, 2026

Cost: \$25.00

Departs: 12:00pm

Contact: Priscilla Burt

Conductor Yannick Nezet-Seguin celebrates 2 gifted American composers, George Gershwin and Leonard Bernstein. Gershwin’s Piano Concerto in F features Charleston themes. Bernstein works include Overture to Candide and Symphonic Dances from West Side Story. Cost is for bus only, and trip participants may purchase tickets online at www.philorch.org or by calling 215-893-1999.

SERIES TRIPS

2026-2027 Walnut Street Theatre Series

Thursday & Saturday Matinees

Cost: \$300.00 (Entire Series)

Departs: 12:30pm

Thursday Series Contact: Jayne Lytle

Saturday Series Contact: Priscilla Burt

We encourage you to sign up right away, as these series fill up very quickly! Cost reflects both per person admission (Orchestra Center seating) and bus fee for all five shows in the series. The Walnut Street Theatre's 2026-2027 Season includes the following shows for both series:

Thursday 10/22/26 & Saturday 10/24/26 – “The Addams Family” – The Musical

Thursday 12/17/26 & Saturday 12/19/26 – “Disney’s Frozen” – The Musical

Thursday 2/11/27 & Saturday 2/13/27 – David Marnet’s “Glengarry Glen Ross”

Thursday 3/25/27 & Saturday 3/27/27 – Noel Coward’s “Present Laughter”

Thursday 5/13/27 & Saturday 5/15/27 – “Come From Away” – The Musical

Bus Trip Information can also be viewed online at
www.hersheysmill.org/activities/bustrips/

NOTES:

1. Prior to making payment, anyone who wishes to participate in a bus trip must first call the contact person to ensure that there is still room on the bus.
2. All bus riders must be age 18 or older unless otherwise noted in the trip write-up.
3. Trip payment checks should be made payable to “HERSHEY’S MILL HOA”, sealed in an envelope (noting trip name and date), and placed in the maroon "Customer Service" mailbox next to the Security Center in the exit lane at the Main Gate.
4. Refunds are only granted if (1) the trip is canceled, or (2) the trip has a wait list from which another passenger can fill the vacated spot.
5. **Bus leaves promptly at the scheduled Leave Time. Please plan to arrive at the old Rite Aid parking lot in the Hershey’s Mill Village Square Shopping Center, just outside the West Gate.**
6. The Hershey’s Mill Bus Committee is always looking for more volunteers to help share ideas and plan bus trips! If interested, call Marc Fraser at 610-431-4006.
7. Hershey’s Mill residents can rent the bus to take groups of other residents (primarily) and guests on private trips to various regional locations of their choice. For more information, contact Marc Fraser at 610-431-4006.