

Green Bay Holiday Bus Trip

Saturday, December 3, 2016



Bus trip to the Wreath Factory in Menasha, dinner at Victoria's in Appleton, and then to Green Bay Botanic Gardens Christmas Light Show.

Tour Leader: Jane Gahlman, Ph: 608-837-2317; Cell: 608-575-6630; email: jmgahlman@hotmail.com

Departure time: 1:30 pm from Shopko South Towne parking lot

Return time: approx. 11:05 pm

What's included: bus, driver tip, entry to GBBG and Wreath Factory

What's not included: Dinner is on your own at Victoria's Italian Restaurant in Appleton. There will be NO water or beverages on the bus—please plan accordingly and bring your own refillable water bottle or beverage for the day.

Cost: \$33/person

Deadline to sign-up: Saturday, Nov. 12, 2016 (No refunds after Nov. 12, 2016)

Highlights: On this one day bus trip to Menasha/Green Bay we will stop at the Wreath Factory in Menasha for shopping, eat dinner at Victoria's Italian restaurant in Appleton, and then see the Christmas Light Show at Green Bay Botanic Gardens. (Actual schedule subject to change. Final itinerary will be sent to participants after November 12, 2016.)



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LANDSCAPE

The Wreath Factory Retail Shop & Garden Center: Named by *Today's Garden Center Magazine* as one of the Top 100 Independent Garden Centers in America, we've earned a reputation for outstanding customer service and a unique shopping experience. Both of our Wisconsin locations are stocked with gifts, outdoor living products and items for your home & garden.

Holidays: It's a sight to behold! Visitors travel from all over the Midwest to see the sights of the showrooms completely transformed into a Holiday Wonderland. Dozens and dozens of themed trees dot the spaces with sparkling decoration in between. www.wreathfactoryonline.com/ Wreaths: Our namesake fresh evergreen wreaths are produced annually from November through December and are available in the showrooms and shipped all over the country.

At Victoria's you'll enjoy Northeast Wisconsin's largest, and finest, selection of authentic Italian cuisine, prepared especially for you by our world-



class chefs. While here, you'll dine amongst a unique collection of fine art murals depicting the Italian countryside, completed by

a modern master in the style of the Italian Renaissance, for a truly unique experience.

www.victoriasitalian.com/



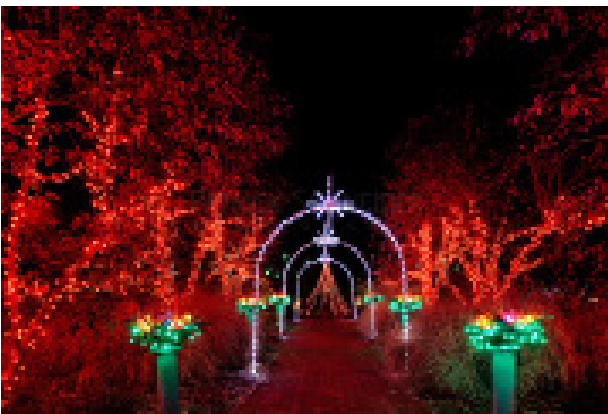
For style, ambiance, intimacy, and, of course, the best in Italian cuisine, come to Victorias!

Experience the magic of **WPS Garden of Lights**, encompassed by more than 250,000 twinkling lights, and create extraordinary holiday memories with your family and friends at the Garden this winter. You'll discover a spectacular array of botanical-themed light displays, featuring an enchanted icicle forest, glistening flowers, a dazzling 60-foot walk-through caterpillar and so much more. The show is topped off with the area's tallest and brightest shining tree. Enjoy this stunning winter landscape by foot or take a horse-drawn wagon ride. In addition, you're invited to indulge in a tasty treat or beverage from the Winterberry Café, shop for holiday gifts in the WPS Trelis Gift Shop, visit with Mr. & Mrs. Claus, see the model train exhibit by the G-Gagers and warm up by the campfire. www.gbbg.org/



Registration Form

2016 WHPS Bus Trips



Bus Trip Registration Form – GREEN BAY HOLIDAY TRIP – Saturday, December 3, 2016 - \$33*

Registration Deadline Saturday, November 12, 2016 (No refunds after November 12)

Name _____ Phone(s) _____

Address _____ Email _____

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I/we agree to release Wisconsin Hardy Plant Society, trip tour guide and board members from any liability for loss or injury of any kind on this tour.

Signature(s) _____ Date _____

Emergency Contact Name _____ Phone _____

Make checks payable to Wisconsin Hardy Plant Society and send to Jane LaFlash, 211 S. Fair Oaks Ave., Madison, WI 53704

**Only checks/forms sent U.S. Mail are accepted. • Separate checks for each trip • nonmembers pay additional \$10 membership fee*

Menasha Wreath Factory/GBBG Christmas Light Show - Saturday, December 3, 2016

Registration Deadline Wednesday, Nov. 12, 2016

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Detailed Itinerary

- 1:00 pm. Bus arrives for boarding at Shopko South Towne
- 1:30 pm. Bus departs Shopko South Towne
- 1:30-3:20 Travel to Wreath Factory (1 hour 50 min), 226 Main St, Menasha, WI 54952 Ph: 920-886-9989
- 3:20-4:30 Shop at Wreath Factory (1 hour 10 min)
- 4:30-4:45 Travel to Victoria's Italian Restaurant (15 min)
530 West College Avenue, Appleton, WI 54911 Ph: 920-730-9595
- 4:45-6:30 Eat at Victoria's Italian Restaurant (1 hour 45 min)
- 6:30-7:10 Travel to Green Bay Botanic Gardens (40 min)
2600 Larsen Road, Green Bay, WI 54303 Ph: 920-490-9457
- 7:10-8:45 Tour Christmas Light Show at GBBG (1 hr 35 min)
- 8:45-11:05 Travel to Shopko South Towne (2 hours 20 min)
- 11:05 pm Arrive Shopko South Towne

While we still have unanswered questions, you can be a part of finding the answers. The First Detectors Network will help us document jumping worms across the state this summer and you can join at: University of Wisconsin-Extension First Detector Network. You can also report findings directly to the Department of Natural Resources by email at invasive.species@wi.gov, or go to www.youtube.com/watch?v=tbS48v2Qc6w.