

Outings for October, 2018



If you would like to sign-up for an outing, please go to the:
Lifestyles Office (by Reflections Salon) on weekdays from 10 am to 4pm
Resident Service Center/Front Desk on the weekends.

You do not have to sign up for the whole month in advance
You are only able to sign you (and your spouse) up for the outings.
We will take 1 bus. Please make sure you are on the waitlist if the outing is full.
A second trip may be scheduled to accommodate those interested. All outings, unless otherwise noted, are accessible to those with mobility concerns or issues.

Cash and personal checks are accepted. If you do not have correct change, we will take care of that for you. **Please make checks payable to "The Nottingham Retirement Community".**

Please ensure that when you attend outings, you have a method of payment with you for meal or extras.

Sign-up dates are important; please follow these deadlines. It would be appreciated if you cannot make an outing, let Lifestyles or the Front Office know as soon as possible. If you are not going and you have purchased a ticket, try to find someone else who can buy your ticket.

Note: Please write down the outings you are going on.

Please share any outing ideas. You can put those ideas in the suggestion box in the mailbox area and we will do our best to do it.

Thank you – Lifestyles Team

October 2018 Outings

Tuesday 10/2: Dinner at The Euclid Restaurant in Clay

Cost: bring payment for meal. Bus leaves at 4:30pm.

Friday 10/5: Symphoria Masterworks; *Stravinsky's Petrushka*.

****This is a FRIDAY show**** Piano virtuoso Shai Wosner performs Schumann's beautifully expressive Piano Concerto. Symphoria completes the program with wonderfully descriptive music, including Dukas' The Sorcerer's Apprentice and Stravinsky's Petrushka. Featuring Lawrence Loh, conductor and Shai Wosner, piano.

Cost: \$25 ticket. Bus leaves at 6:15pm for the 7:30pm show.

Please sign-up and have your money in by Thursday 9/27.

Saturday 10/6: Metropolitan Opera at Shoppingtown Mall; *Aida*

Soprano Anna Netrebko sings her first Met *Aida*, with mezzo-soprano Anita Rachvelishvili as her formidable rival Amneris. Aleksandrs Antonenko is the warrior Radamès, and Nicola Luisotti takes the podium for the Met's monumental production. Runtime is 3 hours and 56 minutes. Language: Italian, with English subtitles.

Cost: bring payment (\$22) for your ticket to be purchased there.

Bus leaves at 12:15pm for the 12:55pm show. Please sign-up by

Thursday 10/4.

Tuesday 10/9: Dinner at Scenic Root in Manlius

Cost: bring payment for your meal. Bus leaves at 4:45pm.

Thursday 10/11: Syracuse Opera Aria Society Fall Luncheon at the Skaneateles Country Club

The Syracuse Opera Aria Society "Meet & Greet" is at 11:30am, lunch is at 12pm, and entertainment is at 12:45pm Entertainment will be singers from the upcoming opera *Verdi's Macbeth*

Cost: \$35 (Checks made out to *Aria Society*) If you have already sent in your money and just need transportation please let us know when you sign-up. Bus leaves at 10:45am. Please sign-up and have your money in by Thursday 10/4.

Friday 10/12: Fall Foliage and Apple Orchard Lunch Outing

Take in the glorious colors and fun of the autumn season in Central New York. We will be taking a scenic bus trip to Burrell's Navarino Orchard and Beak & Skiff Apple Orchards. We will have lunch at the Café and visit the tasting room for 1911 spirits while at the Beak & Skiff campus. Both orchards have gift shops.

Cost: bring payment for your meal and spending money for gift shop items and apple products. Bus leaves at 10:00am and we will return approx. 2pm.

Saturday 10/13: Symphoria Pops; *Bernstein to Broadway*

Symphoria celebrates Leonard Bernstein's 100th birthday in this performance featuring the Syracuse Pops Chorus, vocal soloists and his distinctive music that crossed the boundaries between Broadway, movies and the symphonic stage. Featuring Sean O'Loughlin, conductor and Daniel Bates, tenor with the Syracuse Pops Chorus directed by Lou Lemos.

Cost: \$25 ticket. Bus leaves at 6:15pm for the 7:30pm show. Please sign-up and have your money in by Monday 10/8.

Sunday 10/14: Syracuse University Drama; *Into The Woods*

A stunningly fresh take on one of Stephen Sondheim's most popular works, this production nudges the familiar characters of *Into the Woods* a little further into the fearful, dark forest. Sondheim based his sophisticated musical on the unsettling tales of the Brothers Grimm, populated it with slightly skewed versions of storybook favorites, and set them on a course wherein having wishes granted is not the same as having wishes come true. Good storytellers know unforeseen consequences are always lurking deep in the narrative.

Cost: \$15 ticket. Bus leaves at 7:15pm for the 8pm show. Please sign-up and have your money in by Friday 9/28.

Tuesday 10/16: Lunch at Coppertop Tavern in Cicero

Cost: bring payment for meal. Bus leaves at 11:30am.

Wednesday 10/17: Famous Artists at Landmark Theater; *Fiddler On The Roof*

You'll be there when the sun rises on this new production, with stunning movement and dance from acclaimed Israeli choreographer Hofesh Shechter, based on the original staging by Jerome Robbins. A wonderful cast and a lavish orchestra tell this heartwarming story of fathers and daughters, husbands and wives, and the timeless traditions that define faith and family. Audience: Contains strobe lights, theatrical haze and fog

Cost: \$49 ticket for rear orchestra. See Colleen for different ticket options. Bus leaves at 6:30pm for the 7:30pm show. Please sign-up & have your money in by Wednesday 10/3.

Friday 10/19: Outing to Point Place Casino with meal

You will need to be able to walk and navigate independently without staff assistance. *Please bring a cell phone if you have one.*

Cost: bring money for food and play. Bus leaves at 9:30am. We will leave the casino at 3pm. Please sign-up by Tuesday 10/16.

Saturday 10/20: Metropolitan Opera at Shoppingtown Mall; *Samson et Dalila*

Saint-Saëns's biblical epic stars Elina Garanca and Roberto Alagna in the title roles. Laurent Naouri co-stars as the High Priest, with Elchin Azizov as the Philistine King Abimélech and Dmitry Belosselskiy as the Old Hebrew. Darko Tresnjak, the Tony Award-winning director of *A Gentleman's Guide to Love & Murder*, makes his Met debut directing the first new Met production of the opera in 20 years. Sir Mark Elder conducts. Runtime is 3 hours and 29 minutes. Language: French, with English subtitles.

Cost: bring payment (\$22) for your ticket to be purchased there. Bus leaves at 12:15pm for the 12:55pm show. Please sign-up by Thursday 10/11.

Sunday 10/21: Syracuse Opera; *Verdi's Macbeth*

Shakespeare's tale of ambition and power proves the quickest way to a man's heart is with a knife. *Macbeth* is an opera in four acts by Giuseppe Verdi, with an Italian libretto by Francesco Maria Piave and additions by Andrea Maffei, Christian Capocaccia]will

conduct as R.B. Schlather directs. Anthony Michaels-Moore plays the title role Macbeth and Alexandra Deshorties as Lady Macbeth. Cost: **\$26 ticket**. Bus leaves at 1:00pm for the 2pm show. Please sign-up and have your money in by **Monday 10/16**.

Tuesday 10/23: Dinner at Stone Steakhouse in Dewitt

Cost: bring payment for your meal. Bus leaves at 4:45pm.

Saturday 10/27: Metropolitan Opera at Shoppingtown Mall; *La Fanciulla del West*

Soprano Eva-Maria Westbroek sings Puccini's gun-slinging heroine in this romantic epic of the Wild West, alongside star tenor Jonas Kaufmann in the role of the outlaw Dick Johnson. Baritone Zeljko Lucic is the vigilante sheriff Jack Rance, and Marco Armiliato conducts. Runtime is 3 hours and 42 minutes. Language: Italian, with English subtitles.

Cost: bring payment (\$22) for your ticket to be purchased there. Bus leaves at 12:15pm for the 12:55pm show. Please sign-up by **Thursday 10/25**.

Sunday 10/28: Syracuse Stage; *Possessing Harriet*

In 1839, Harriet Powell, a young, mixed-race, enslaved woman slips away from a hotel in Syracuse, New York, and escapes from the Southerner who owns her. With the aid of a free black man, Thomas Leonard, Harriet finds temporary safe harbor in an attic room at the home of impassioned abolitionist Gerrit Smith. Confronted with new and difficult ideas about race, identity, and equality, and with confusion, fear, and desperation multiplying, Harriet is forced to the precipice of radical self-re-imagination and a reckoning with the heartrending cost of freedom. A world premiere by award-winning playwright and Syracuse Stage associate artistic director Kyle Bass.

Cost: **\$46 ticket**. Bus leaves at 1:15pm for the 2pm show. Please sign-up & have your money in by **Monday 10/15**.

Monday 10/29: Dinner at Ichiban Japanese Steakhouse in Liverpool

Cost: bring payment for your meal. Bus leaves at 4:45pm.

***ADVANCED SIGN-UP REQUIRED:**

Thursday 11/8: Famous Artists at Crouse Hinds; *Menopause: The Musical*

One night only! Come join our sisterhood! Four women at a lingerie sale have nothing in common but a black lace bra AND memory loss, hot flashes, night sweats, not enough sex, too much sex and more! This hilarious musical parody set to classic tunes from the '60s, '70s and '80s will have you cheering and dancing in the aisles! See what millions of women worldwide have been laughing about for over 16 years!

Cost: \$43.50 ticket for orchestra. Bus leaves at 6:30pm for the 7:30pm show. Please sign-up & have your money in by Wednesday 10/24.

Sunday 11/25: Syracuse Stage and SU Dram; *Elf: The Musical*

This holiday season channel your inner elf and join Buddy on his journey from the North Pole to New York City to find his family. For this journey you'll need provisions (four food groups recommended: candy, candy canes, candy corns, and syrup), snowballs, and an ability to sing very loud (but maybe wait for the ride home). Most of all, you'll need family and friends and a desire to spread holiday cheer. Donna Drake returns to direct this delightful holiday show.

Cost: \$46 ticket. Bus leaves at 1:15pm for the 2pm show. Please sign-up & have your money in by Wednesday 10/24.