

September 18-22, 2023



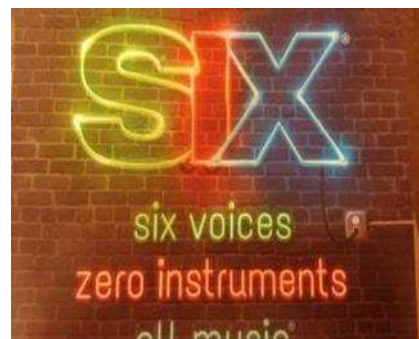
## Road Trip to Branson

This trip will include a scenic drive to beautiful Eureka Springs, a day at Top of the Rock, 3 musical shows, and a dinner cruise on the Branson Belle Showboat.

Please let us know if you'd like to join us on this adventure.

**Reservations must be made no later than September 4.**

Please contact Jody Retter at 309-824-6648 or [jodyretter@yahoo.com](mailto:jodyretter@yahoo.com) with any questions you might have.



## Details and contact information for the trip planned to Branson, MO.

### Monday, September 18<sup>th</sup>

- Caravan south, stopping for lunch at Lamberts in Sikeston, MO along the way  
Leave Champaign at 8:00 am, stopping for lunch around 1:00
- Arrive in Branson around 7:30 pm to check into [La Quinta](#) Inn & Suites by Wyndham Branson 3226 Shepherd of The Hills Expy, Branson, MO
- Welcome pizza party at motel (approximately 8:00, cost to be determined)

### Tuesday, September 19<sup>th</sup>

- Hot breakfast at the hotel
- [Top of the Rock](#) cave tour and Ozark history museum, optional lunch at Arnie's Barn on your own
- Dinner cruise on Showboat [Branson Belle](#) – 4:00 pm (arrive at 3:00) (between Top of the Rock and motel)

### Wednesday, September 20<sup>th</sup>

- Hot breakfast at hotel
- Cruise to [Eureka Springs](#) with lunch on your own  
There is a nice hilly/curvy road between Branson and Eureka Springs
- There are several restaurants close to the motel, ie. Golden Corral (early bird special 1-4), Red Lobster, Olive Garden, Cracker Barrel, and Little Hacienda for dinner before the 8:00 show.
- [SIX](#) show at Dick Clark's American Bandstand Theater located at 1600 W 76 Country Blvd.-- 8:00 pm  
Theater is next to Celebrity Car Museum

### Thursday, September 21<sup>st</sup>

- Hot breakfast at hotel
- Lunch on your own
- #1 Hits of the [60's Show](#) at Clay Cooper Theatre located at 3216 W 76 Country Blvd, – 2:00 pm
- Dinner at [McFarlains](#) Restaurant, 3562 Shepherd of the Hills Expy,  
There will be time before the 8:00 show to shop the mini mall in which the restaurant is located.
- [Oakridge Boys Show](#) in the Oakridge Boys Theater inside the Mansion located at 189 Expy Ln– 8:00 pm

### Friday, September 22<sup>nd</sup>

- Hot breakfast at hotel
- Travel home with optional stop at [Wonders of Wildlife](#) Natl Museum & Aquarium/Bass Pro Shop in Springfield, MO

The cost for the entire package is \$1074 per couple for a motel room with 2 queen beds, or \$1119 for a king room.

This package includes:

- 4 nights stay at La Quinta Inn
- Top of the Rock cave tour and admission to Ozark History Museum - \$41/pp
- Dinner cruise on Showboat Branson Belle - \$63/pp
- Admission to Oak Ridge Boys Show - \$53/pp
- Admission to #1 Hits of the 60's Show - \$34/pp
- Admission to SIX Show - \$28/pp
- Dinner at McFarlain's Restaurant - \$22/pp
- Credit card fees, all taxes, and gratuity for the servers at the Showboat and McFarlain's

Not included are:

- Pizza upon arrival (cost to be determined)
- Meals on the road.
- All lunches are on your own
- Dinner on Wednesday (*I will organize a group dinner, if there is interest*)
- Admission to Wildlife National Museum & Aquarium in Springfield, MO

We're looking forward to having a great time with a group of great people on this adventure!

Call 1-800-432-4202 or 417-335-2707 Monday-Friday 8 am to 5 pm to reserve your hotel room and show tickets. You can ask to speak with Taunya, but anyone there should be able to help you. Just be sure to tell them you are with the group from the Corvette Club of Illinois. There will be a \$50 charge/deposit per couple upon booking, with the balance due on September 4<sup>th</sup>. You will be given a packet with all your tickets, etc. upon arrival.

You can always call me at 309-824-6648 or email me at [jodyretter@yahoo.com](mailto:jodyretter@yahoo.com) with any questions you may have.