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Oklahoma!

Thursday | July 6, 2017
Lyceum Theatre | Arrow Rock MO
\$95 | Activity Level Mild

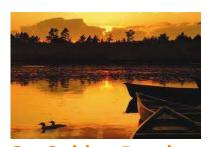
Rodgers & Hammerstein's first collaboration remains their most innovative. Set in a Western Indian Territory just after the turn of the century, the highspirited rivalry between the local farmers and cowboys provides the colorful background against which Curly, a handsome cowboy, and Laurey, a winsome farm girl, play out their love story. Although the road to true love never runs smooth, with these two headstrong romantics holding the reins, love's journey is as bumpy as a surrey ride down a country road. That they will succeed in making a new life together we have no doubt, and that this new life will begin in a brandnew state provides the ultimate climax to the triumphant OKLAHOMA!



Million Dollar Quartet

Wednesday | July 12, 2017 New Theatre | Overland Park KS \$86 | Activity Level Mild

Million Dollar Quartet is the smash-hit musical inspired by the true story of the famed recording session that brought together rock 'n' roll legends Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, Jerry Lee Lewis and Carl Perkins for the first and only time. On December 4, 1956, these four young musicians gathered at Sun Records in Memphis for what would be one of the greatest jam sessions ever. Million Dollar Quartet features a score of rock hits including Blue Suede Shoes, Fever, That's All Right, 16 Tons, Great Balls of Fire, Walk the Line, Whole Lotta Shakin' Goin' On, Who Do You Love, Folsom Prison Blues. Hound Dog and more. This thrilling musical brings you into the recording studio with a redhot rock 'n' roll band for one unforgettable night.



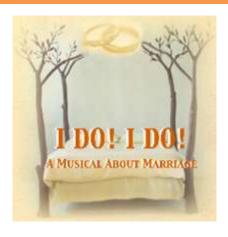
On Golden Pond

Friday | July 21, 2017 Cedar Street Playhouse | Rolla \$79 | Activity Level Mild

The plot focuses on an aging couple, Ethel and Norman Thayer, who spend each summer at their home on a lake called Golden Pond. During the year the story takes place, they are visited by their daughter Chelsea with her fiancé Billy Ray and his son Billy Ray, Jr. The play explores the often turbulent relationship the young woman shared with her father growing up and the difficulties faced by a couple in the twilight years of a long marriage.

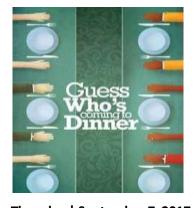
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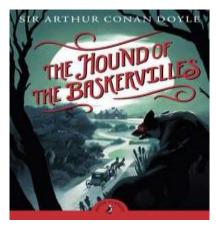
Friday | August 4, 2017 Cedar Street Playhouse | Rolla \$79 | Activity Level Mild

This two-character story spans fifty years, from 1895 to 1945, focusing on the up-and-down experiences of Agnes and Michael Snow throughout their marriage. The set consists solely of their bedroom, dominated by the large four-poster bed in the center.



Thursday | September 7, 2017 Lyceum Theatre | Arrow Rock MO \$95 | Activity Level Mild

A progressive couple's proud liberal sensibilities are put to the test when their daughter brings her African-American fiancé home to meet them. Personal beliefs clash with the mores of the late 60's in this witty, jarring, and ridiculously funny exploration of family and culture and knowing which of them has the greater hold on our heart.



Wednesday | August 9, 2017 Lyceum Theatre | Arrow Rock MO \$95 | Activity Level Mild

Sherlock Holmes and Dr. John Watson have left on an extended holiday leaving their nieces, Shirley Holmes and Jennie Watson, at the famous flat, 221B Baker Street. Sir Charles Baskerville has died a mysterious death. Is he a victim of the Curse of the Baskervilles, a curse linked to the tales of a super-natural hound that haunts the murky moors of Devonshire? The nieces rise to the challenge, follow the trail of evidence and intrigue, to face the ravenous hound itself!



Tuesday | September 12, 2017 Sight & Sound Theatre | Branson MO \$89 | Activity Level Mild

This is the last year to see this epic biblical tale brought to brilliant, multi-dimensional life right before your eyes! Live animals and lifelike animatronic creatures, gorgeous and richly-hued costumes and incredible actors bring you this unique experience. Audiences are completely drawn in as they feel the struggle of Moses and the children of Israel presenting an epic struggle for faith and freedom. You'll be there as Moses parts the Red Sea...as he discovers the Burning Bush...as the ten plagues infest Egypt when the Pharaoh refuses to liberate the children of Israel...and when Moses receives the Ten Commandments from God. You'll live the story in all its heartbreak, glory, passion and salvation.



Driving Miss Daisy

Wednesday | October 4, 2017 New Theatre | Overland Park KS \$84 | Activity Level Mild

When an elderly Southern widow living in Atlanta loses her driving privileges, her son hires a driver. Now it's the 1950s meaning a black man. Miss Daisy resists any change in her life but, Hoke (the driver) slowly wins her over with his charm, wit and good graces resulting in a close friendship for the remaining years of their lives transcending racial prejudices and social conventions.





Thursday | October 5, 2017
The Walton Center | Fayetteville AR
\$145 | Activity Level Mild

In 1862 an English widow, Anna, and her young son arrive at the Royal Palace in Bangkok, as tutor to the King of Siam's many children and wives. With both keeping a firm grip on their respective traditions and values, Anna and the King grow to understand and respect one another in a unique love story.



Hannibal MO

October 17-19, 2017 | Tues-Thurs \$438 Double | \$398 Triple \$568 Single | Activity Level Active

We arrive at Rockcliffe Mansion followed by a "haunted" Hannibal tour before we check into our hotel for the evening. Day two we explore Mark Twain's boyhood home and enjoy a riverboat cruise before visiting the Cave (scene of Twain's famous stories) and Cave Hollow Winery. That evening, we will be treated to dinner and a Victorian tea with a performance of "Mark Twain Himself." Day three we visit the Hannibal History Museum with time to shop, then tour Twain's birthplace cabin in Florida, MO.



Thursday | November 9, 2017
The Walton Center | Fayetteville AR
\$145 | Activity Level Mild

Irving Berlin's White Christmas tells the story of a song-and-dance team putting on a show in a magical Vermont Inn and falling for a stunning sister act in the process. Full of dancing, laughter and some of the greatest songs ever written! Give everyone a magical gift with this merry and bright holiday musical.

It's a Wonderful Life

Saturday | November 18, 2017 Cedar Street Playhouse | Rolla \$79 | Activity Level Mild The saga of George Bailey, the small town of Bedford Falls and an angel named Clarence bring this Christmas Eve miracle to the stage.



Wednesday | December 13, 2017 New Theatre | Overland Park KS \$86 | Activity Level Mild

When briefcases accidentally change hands, \$5 million leads to cops and robbers and mayhem. It all leads to funny money!



Thursday | December 21, 2017 Center Front Row Seating!
The Walton Center | Fayetteville AR
\$145 | Activity Level Mild

Finding Neverland tells the incredible story behind one of the world's most beloved characters: **Peter Pan**. Playwright J.M. Barrie struggles to find inspiration until he meets four young brothers and their beautiful widowed mother. Spellbound by the boys' enchanting make-believe adventures, he sets out to write a play that will astound London theatergoers. With a little bit of pixie dust and a lot of faith, Barrie takes this monumental leap to magical *Neverland* where nothing is impossible and the wonder of childhood lasts forever.



Events and Seminars

Call 417.841.0333 to register online at mercy.net/senior-events



Computer Classes Free

Nine two-hour sessions

Mercy Seniors offer basic computer classes for beginners free of charge.

Classes offer one-on-one assistance.

You will learn to navigate the

Windows operating system, organize files and folders, place photos in documents, learn how to access

MyMercy medical records and safely navigate the internet. If you have a laptop computer, bring it along with the power cord and the mouse. The instructor will call you prior to the start of class. Reservations are required.



Learn to Use Your iPhone/iPad 2-hour sessions I Dates & times vary

Discover how apps can help you to simplify tasks, stay connected while you're on the go and keep you in touch with people and interests in your life. This beginner course is for you. Reservations are required.

Dine with the Docs

Third Monday

Mercy Seniors offers an educational luncheon each month about current medical topics presented by Mercy providers. **Cost \$7** Free to seniors with birthdays during the month of the program.



Park Walkers

Tuesdays and Thursdays 7:30 AM to 8:30 AM

Our group meets in four different Springfield parks. Walkers exercise one hour and walk approximately 3 miles "rain or shine." Bring water and wear comfortable and stable shoes. Dress for the weather conditions. Leader: Betty Johnson.

Audiology Seminars

Last Friday each Month

Enjoy a free lunch and learn about recent advances in hearing technology presented by doctors from Mercy Clinic Audiology. Visit their web page to register at mercy.net/hearmore or call 417.820.5071.



AARP Safe Driving Classes

4-hour course | Dates & times vary \$15 for AARP members \$20 for non-members

The AARP Driver Safety
Program is designed for
individuals age 50 and older.
During this four-hour class,
drivers refine skills and develop
safe, defensive driving
techniques. **There is no test.**Daytime, evening and weekend
classes are available monthly.
Pay the instructor day of class.

Cataract Seminars

Fourth Tuesday

Enjoy a free lunch and learn about laser cataract surgery presented by a Mercy Clinic Eye Specialist in Springfield and Branson.

Call Mercy Eye Center to register 417.820.9393 or visit their web page **mercy.net/eyes** and find the free seminar box to choose a date and location that works for you.

