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**Thank you to Sharon Grover,
Ridgeview Country Tours, LLC
The tour coordinator for SCOPE's
motorcoach trips. 440-221-1441
Trips are open to the public.**

**Thank you to Doreen Kasczak
of the Niles Senior Citizen Center.
She is the trips and tours coordinator.
Call 330-574-2888 to make
reservations and payments.**



SCOPE is very excited to partner with Sharon Grover, the owner of Ridgeview Country Tours LLC. Growing up in Trumbull County, she is very honored to offer group travel to her Trumbull County neighbors. She has over 25 years' experience in the group travel market.

Since Ridgeview Tours is a small company, they can pay attention to details that are necessary in producing seamless bus trips. Sharon enjoys providing quality and very organized motor coach trips where her bus groups delight in rolling hillsides, exciting cities, historic towns and venues along with shows, great food and shopping destinations. Together we have planned a wonderful variety of trips for 2025. We welcome everyone to participate in our bus trips. Ask your friends to join one! "It is my extreme pleasure to make wonderful memories for the travelers on the bus! Customer satisfaction is my number one priority!" Sharon Grover

**Scope's 2025 Upcoming Bus Trips
Our bus trips are available to everyone
Pick up locations are Niles & Ravenna, OH**
March 21 Spring into Pittsburgh!
April 1 Hollywood Casino Meadows
April 24 Canton Car & MAP Aviation Museum
May 9 Guardians vs Phillies baseball game
May 22 Road to Damascus - Star Theater
June 20 & 21 West Virginia – Almost Heaven
July 24 Gateway Clipper & Pittsburgh Tour
Aug 6 & 7 Lancaster, Pa. Noah/ Wizard of Oz
Aug 14 Cleveland – Rich & Famous!
Sept 19 Wild for Fall
Oct 16 Train Ride in PA to see fall foliage
Oct 23-26 Nashville/Grand Opry Tennessee
Nov 12 Rivers Casino
Dec 3 & 4 Lancaster, Pa. - *Noah & Deck The Halls Christmas show*
Dec 11 Castle Noel & Christmas Carol at the Star Theater in Sugar Creek

Friday, March 21 Spring into Pittsburgh!

\$159 per person

8:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street, Ravenna, OH

8:45 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles

Breathe in Spring at this beautiful conservatory & gardens!

Enjoy a green oasis in the middle one of Pittsburgh's vibrant neighborhoods.

Phipps Conservatory and Botanical Gardens has provided a world-class garden experience to its visitors since 1893. Explore the beauty and wonders of nature at Phipps, encompassing 15 acres including a 14-room glass-house and 23 distinct gardens to tour.



Enjoy lunch at the famous **Grand Concourse**, one of Pittsburgh's premier restaurants. Dine in elegance as you indulge in their award-winning cuisine and breath-taking Interior architecture.

Experience a guided tour of the famous **Carnegie Museums of Art and Natural History**.



Witness the collection and special exhibitions led by their friendly and knowledgeable docents.

6:00 pm

Return to Lowes

6:45 pm

Return to Giant Eagle

Medium Walking Level

Call Doreen at 330-574-2888 to RSVP or to get more information about any trip.



Tuesday, April 1

Hollywood Casino at the Meadows

\$65 per person

8:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street, Ravenna 44266

8:45 Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles

The Hollywood Casino at the Meadows offers world class casino gaming in Washington, PA. Our group will spend five hours at the casino, allowing plenty of time to check out over 2,500 slot machines, 65 table games and 14 poker tables. Explore lunch options at the casino on your own. Choose from a wide variety of options from their award-winning steakhouse to an American pub located in their bowling alley!

BONUS: A complimentary \$20 in free play at the Hollywood Casino!

5:30

Return to Lowes

6:15

Return to Giant Eagle

Medium Walking Level



Thursday, April 24 Canton Car & MAP Museums \$149 per person

8:15 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles
 9:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street, Ravenna, Oh

Visit the **MAP Museum** where history takes flight in Canton, OH. The internationally known museum holds more than 50 aircraft, most on loan from the U.S. Air Force or Navy for restoration. Learn not only about the airplanes, but also about the heroes of aviation, the men and women who designed, built, and flew them!



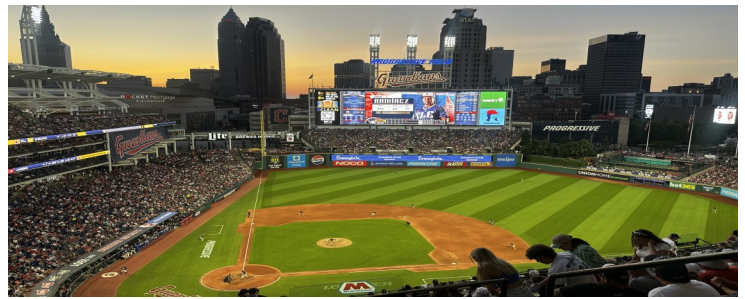
Enjoy lunch at **L'Pizzeria**. Established in 1949, the restaurant is a *Canton* tradition famous for delicious authentic Italian food. Enjoy family style of some of L'Pizzeria favorites.

The **Canton Car Museum** has 40 antique and collectible cars and so much more on display.

Our group will receive a guided tour by very knowledgeable guides.



5:45 pm Return to Giant Eagle
 6:15 pm Return to Lowes
Medium Walking Level



Friday, May 9 Cleveland Guardians vs Philadelphia Phillies \$79

4:00 pm Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd,
 4:45 pm Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street Ravenna, Oh

Take me out to the ballgame! We take you to **Progressive Field**. Save yourself the stress of finding a parking spot as the bus drops the group near the main gate.

The first pitch is at 7:10 pm.

Thursday, May 22 Dutch Valley shops & Star Theater "Road to Damascus" \$169

8:00 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles
 8:45 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street

Our group will spend a fun afternoon enjoying a memorable **Ohio Star Theater** performance.



The Road to Damascus is a spectacular show brought to life with the creative expertise of the Star Theater staff in Sugar Creek, Ohio.

The group will have lots of time to shop at **Dutch Valley** gift stores. Our group will also enjoy lunch buffet at the famous **Dutch Valley**.

A trip to Amish country would not be complete without a stop at **Walnut Creek Cheese**. Shop at this 50,000 square foot ultra-fresh food market located in the heart of Amish Country.



6 pm Return to Giant Eagle 7 pm Return to Lowes
Medium Walking Level

**Friday & Saturday, June 20 & 21 -
Almost Heaven by the Ohio River
2 days 1 night in West Virginia &
Marietta, OH Double \$439
Triple \$419 Single \$499**

7:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street, Ravenna, Oh
7:45 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles 44484

Enjoy a narrative tour of **Marietta** by one of the locals! Founded in 1788 Marietta was the first permanent U.S. settlement in the newly established Northwest Territory, created in 1787.

Lunch on your own as you explore downtown **Marietta**. There will be time to shop.

Experience a tour of **The Castle**, a 1855 Gothic Revival Victorian style home!

Sit back and relax by boarding **The Valley Gem Sternwheeler**, a genuine sternwheel passenger vessel that runs the Ohio and Muskingum Rivers. Enjoy a lovely dinner as you enjoy Motown music. Hotel accommodation provided by Fairfield Inn.



Day Two Saturday: June 21

8:30 am Breakfast at Hotel then board another sternwheeler boat and cruise to the enchanted **Blennerhassett Island**, West Virginia Historical State Park on the Ohio River. Guided tour of an 1800s Mansion. Our group will experience a horse-drawn wagon ride around the island. After a meal, guests will enjoy live singers and dancing with some of Motown's greatest hits performed.

Finally our group will have the privilege to visit **Henderson Hall**, a living legacy for pioneers and patriots. Medium walking level



**Thursday, July 24 Gateway Clipper
& Pittsburgh City Tour \$179**

8:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street,
8:45 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles

Our group will board the **Gateway Clipper** on an adventure to learn about the City of Bridges & Steel. Beautiful views of the skyline.

Enjoy lunch at the famous **Grand Concourse**, one of Pittsburgh's most premier restaurants. Dine in elegance as you indulge with their award-winning cuisine.

Don't be fooled by the name. **The Strip**.

The one and a half square mile shopping district is chock full of ethnic grocers, produce stands, meat and fish markets. Locals love it for its low, low prices and tremendous selections.

MAKE SURE YOU BRING YOUR COOLER ALONG TO TAKE HOME SOME GOODIES!

6:00 pm Return to Lowes 6:45 pm Return to Giant Eagle

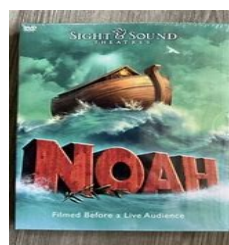
**Wed, & Thurs. Aug 6th & 7th Noah &
Wizard of Oz in Lancaster, Pa. \$549 twin**

6:am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street,
7 am Depart Howland United Methodist Church
730 Howland Wilson Rd. off East Market St.

See the shows **Noah** at Sight & Sound Theatre & **The Wizard of Oz** Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre.

Mini visit to the **Kitchen Kettle Amish Mall** and **Rhiels Amish Gift Shop. Country Inn stay.**

Come join us for John Sinclair's final tour before retirement after 2 million accident free miles of trips. John has donated his time to SCOPE since 2013.



For this tour only seats are assigned by earliest deposit date. Deposit of \$150. Full refund with notice of 30 days prior to trip.



**Country Inn Single rate \$610, Quad rate \$ 500 pp
Twin or Triple room rate is \$549 per person**



Thursday, Aug 14 Rock & Roll HOF & – Rich & Famous of Cleveland! \$169

8:00 am Depart Lowe’s 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles
 8:45 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main St

Enjoy a guided tour of the beautiful **Lakeview Cemetery**. On the tour visit famous memorials, including the James A. Garfield Memorial, John D Rockefeller, and Alan Freed the famous disc jockey who coined the term “rock n roll.” You might ask why is the **Haserot Angel** crying? This striking statue appears to be weeping black tears, which pour from her eyes.

Enjoy lunch at **Heinen’s**. The amazing architecture in the former Cleveland Trust building’s rotunda includes 13 murals with a tiffany-style glass-stained ceiling. It’s a sight to see! One of the favorite wraps is the “Godfather Wrap”! **MAKE SURE YOU BRING A COOLER TO TAKE HOME SOME GOODIES!**



Feel like a teenager again before departing the city. Our group will explore the world famous **Rock & Roll Hall of Fame** and dive into the world of legendary artists, groundbreaking music, and the cultural impact of rock & roll. There will be time at gift shop!

5:45 Return to Giant Eagle
 6:30 Return to Lowes
Medium Walking Level

Friday, Sept 19 The Wilds Safari \$169

7:30 am Depart Lowe’s 940 Niles-Cortland Rd.
 8:15 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main St.
 It’s Safari time as we head to **The Wilds** in Southeast Ohio. Get up close and personal with wild-life in a customized tour bus built for adventure!



Keep your camera near you, because you’ll be driving by giraffes, camels, bison, painted dogs, zebras, Przewalski’s wild horses, rhinos, and many more! Their friendly tour guides know The Wilds and they’ll spot the animals roaming over 10,000 acres and stop the bus to tell you stories about them. It’s an amazing experience you won’t forget! Everyone will enjoy a catered lunch at The Wilds (Included)

6:15 pm Return to Giant Eagle
 7:00 pm Return to Lowes Medium walking level

Thursday, Oct 16 Train Ride in Oil Creek to see fall foliage \$169

7:30am Depart Giant Eagle 909 E Main St., Ravenna
 8:45 am Depart Lowe’s 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles



Enjoy a relaxing 3-hour Oil Creek and Titusville train ride. Experience the beautiful Oil Creek State Park to view nature’s colorful display. Let’s travel back 150 years into the heart of Oil Country in vintage cars that were built in 1930. The group will enjoy lunch on the train. (Included)

The Drake Well Museum and Park, in Titusville, PA, talks not only about the evolution of oil drilling but its rich history. Colonel Edwin Drake and Uncle Billy Smith struck oil in August of 1859, launching the modern petroleum industry. 6:45 pm Return to Lowes 7:15 pm Return to Giant Eagle in Ravenna Medium Walking Level



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Celebrate the Opry's 100th Birthday

*Featuring the Grand Ole Opry Show
Plus 2 Additional Entertaining Performances*

4 DAYS - 3 NIGHTS

OCTOBER 23 - 26, 2025

\$1,219. Double Occupancy

\$1,605. Single Per Person

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- 3 Nights lodging at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel
- 3 Buffet Breakfasts
- General Jackson Riverboat Luncheon Cruise w/Entertainment
- Nashville Nightlife Dinner Theatre
- Behind-the-Scenes Tour of the Grand Ole Opry
- Performance at the Grand Ole Opry
- Free time at Opry Mills
- Self-guided Tour of the Country Music Hall of Fame
- Self-guided Tour of Ryman Auditorium
- Guided Tour of RCA Studio B
- Free time in Downtown Nashville on Honky Tonk Highway
- Souvenir Gift
- Luggage Handling
- Taxes & Meal Gratuities
- Motorcoach Transportation



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Wednesday, Nov 12 Rivers Casino \$65

8:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main St.
 8:45 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles

Play and have fun at the Rivers Casino located in Pittsburgh, PA. Utilize one of the many exciting slot machines, everything from penny to big bills!

Our group will spend five hours at the casino. Lunch will be on your own. Choose from one of the five restaurants inside the Casino.

BONUS: Enjoy \$20 in free play at Rivers Casino.

5:30 pm Return to Lowes 6:15 pm Return to Giant Eagle
Medium Walking Level

**Wednesday & Thursday, Dec 3 & 4
 Lancaster for Christmas**

Double \$519 Triple \$499
Single \$582

6:00 am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna 909 E Main Street
 6:45 am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles
 2 rest stop enroute 1:00-2:15 pm
 Check into Bird-In Hand Hotel

**Get ready to Deck the Halls
 in Lancaster, PA!**

2 days & 1 night Christmas get away

In this production of *Deck the Halls* at the **American Music Theater**, "check in" at the decked-out St. Nicholas Hotel where we find our dashing dancers and merry musicians ready to "Deck the Halls!"

**Wednesday & Thursday, Dec 3 & 4
 Lancaster for Christmas Continued**



This musical holiday adventure brings together old and new friends to celebrate the season with awe-inspiring performances designed to capture the hearts of the entire group!

Dinner is served! Feast on the delectable smorgasbord at **Hershey Farms**. Sample several classic Pennsylvania Dutch dishes and desserts.

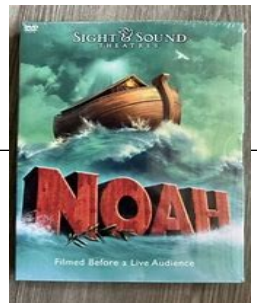
6:30 pm Return to hotel

THURSDAY DEC 4

7:45-8:45 am Breakfast at Bird in-Hand Restaurant

ALL ABOARD THE ARK! Set sail inside the enormous ark as this extraordinary story of *Noah* comes to life in this special 30th anniversary season at **Site and Sound Theater**.

With a catastrophic storm on its way, Noah is given a monumental task: build a boat big enough to save his family from a flood that will cover the earth. As Noah endeavors to live faithfully amid an increasingly chaotic world, can he trust that God's promise runs deeper than the rising waters around him?



Enjoy dinner at **Shady Maple**, with the largest smorgasbord in the United States. Choose from numerous Pennsylvania Dutch dishes, with options stretching over 200 feet.

4:00 pm Depart for Home
 9:30 pm Return to Lowes
 10:15 pm Return to Giant Eagle

Thursday, Dec 11
Castle Noel & Christmas
Carol at Star Theater\$189

10:00am Depart Lowe's 940 Niles-Cortland Rd, Niles

10:45am Depart Giant Eagle Ravenna

Come explore downtown **Medina** at a wonderful time of year! Lunch on your own as you shop downtown.

Step into the fantasy world of Mark Klaus, creator of **Castle Noel**, through a guided tour.

This attraction is America's Largest Indoor Year-Round Christmas Entertainment Ctr.

The bus will stop at '**Tis the Season** a one-of-a kind Christmas shop.

Our group will enjoy lunch at **Dutch Valley** in Sugar Creek. Whether you're craving tender roast beef or a velvety texture of real mashed potatoes, everyone will enjoy this wonderful lunch buffet.

Christmas would not be the same without enjoying the **Christmas Carol** at the **Ohio Star Theater**.

This brand-new musical is the retelling of the Charles Dickens' holiday classic.



10:30 pm Return to Ravenna
11:15 pm Return Lowes

Medium walking level

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Warren, OH 44481



Your Trip and Tour Newsletter is Here!

TRIP AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Reservation information call Niles Senior Center at 330-574-2888
Make checks to SCOPE and mail to 14 E. State St. Niles, Ohio 44446

**Non refundable deposits for one day trips of \$40 pp due 30 days, and \$150 pp is due 30 days before overnight trips.
Trip cancellations are 30 days prior to day of departure.**

If you want to sit with someone or have special needs please inform us at the time of making your reservation. We will do our best to accommodate, but we recommend an able-bodied companion.

Please come prepared to dress for any weather condition.

Gratuities for drivers and escorts are included in the trip cost. We do suggest you bring cash and credit cards for incidentals.

These exciting trips will sell fast, so call Doreen at Niles today.

FORM TO SUBMIT WITH DEPOSIT

Amount paid _____ Loading Point _____
Trip Name and Date _____
Name(s) _____
Phone _____
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Address _____
Diet Restrictions _____ Walker/Scooter _____
Emergency Contact Name _____
Phone Number _____