

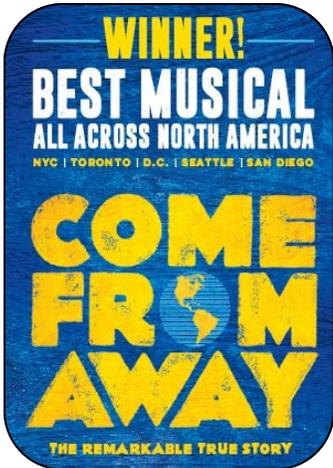
COME FROM AWAY IN SEATTLE

Also includes *On Your Feet*

October 26, 2018 - 4 Days



a world to experience



Fares Per Person:

\$1395 double/twin

\$1795 single

\$1285 triple



- > Tour is exempt from GST.
- > **Seniors (65 and over):** \$14 discount with BC Gold Care Card
- > **Experience Points:** Earn 28 points from this tour.
Redeem **28 points** if you book by **August 22.**

Includes

- Coach transportation for 4 days
- 3 nights of accommodation and hotel taxes
- Choice of Chihuly Garden & Glass **OR** Paramount Theatre tour
- Seattle Harbor cruise
- *On Your Feet* at Paramount Theatre
- Museum of Flight
- Pike Place Market
- *Come From Away* at 5th Avenue Theatre
- Knowledgeable tour director
- Luggage handling at hotel
- **2 meals:** 1 lunch, 1 dinner

Come From Away — a Broadway blockbuster finally coming back to Seattle

Come from Away is set in the week following the September 11, 2001, attacks and tells the true story of what transpired when 38 planes were ordered to land unexpectedly in the small town of Gander, Newfoundland. The characters in the musical are based on (and in most cases share the names of) real Gander residents as well as some of the 7,000 stranded travellers they housed and fed. The musical has been received by audiences and critics as a cathartic reminder of the capacity for human kindness in even the darkest of times and the triumph of humanity over hate.

Come from Away had modest beginnings in 2013 at a college theatre in Ontario, then had record-breaking runs in 2015 at La Jolla Playhouse and Seattle Repertory Theatre, and in 2016 at Ford's Theatre in Washington and Royal Alexandra Theatre in Toronto. It opened on Broadway in March 2017, and became a box office success, routinely playing to sold-out audiences. It returned to Toronto for an open-ended run, starting in February 2018.

At the 71st Tony Awards, *Come from Away* was nominated for seven awards including Best Musical and Best Score, ultimately winning for Best Direction of a Musical. The show has also won five Outer Critics Circle awards, three Drama Desk awards, and four Helen Hayes awards. A feature film is in production.

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Itinerary

Friday, October 26:

Meals: L

We ride the MV Coho ferry across the Strait of Juan de Fuca to Port Angeles. We drive through Sequim and Poulsbo, then another ferry takes us over Puget Sound to downtown Seattle. We stay three nights at the historic Mayflower Park Hotel. It was opened in 1927 as one of the grand hotels of Seattle and has been beautifully restored.

Saturday, October 27:

Choose between **Chihuly Garden & Glass** OR **Paramount Theatre tour** (see below). In the afternoon, we board an Argosy vessel for a one-hour cruise in Seattle Harbor with views of the city's impressive skyline. There is free time at the hotel. Tonight, we go to the Paramount Theatre for the performance of **On Your Feet**, the inspiring true story about heart, heritage and two people who believed in their talent and each other to become an international sensation: Gloria and Emilio Estefan. Now their story has arrived on stage in an

exhilarating original production that has already won the hearts of critics and audiences alike.

Sunday, October 28:

Meals: D

In the morning, we drive to the **Museum of Flight** which displays over 150 of the world's most remarkable planes including a Concorde, the first 747 and 737 planes, and Air Force One, plus the Red Barn, birthplace of the Boeing Company. You can opt out of this trip and your fare is reduced \$18 (deadline for notifying us is August 22). In the afternoon, a transfer is provided to the famous Pike Place Market, or you can enjoy leisure time at the hotel. At 7 pm at the 5th Avenue Theatre, the curtain rises on **Come From Away** — the show that everyone has been waiting to see.

Monday, October 29:

We stop at **Bellis Fair Mall** in Bellingham and the Duty-Free Store at Blaine, then we cross the border and take the ferry back to Victoria.

Seating for Come From Away. The 5th Avenue Theatre has allocated us excellent seating in Centre Orchestra, rows L to N. Seating is assigned from front to back in the order that customers book for this tour.

Options

October 27 (Choose one) —

(1) Chihuly Garden & Glass. Founded on the international success of glass artist Dale Chihuly, this facility features many of his most popular works and architectural installations.

(2) Paramount Theatre tour. Experience the technical workings of the stage, backstage operations, the history of the lobby, and of the theatre building itself.

Tour Policies

Payments: A deposit of \$300 per person is requested at the time of booking and balance is due August 22, 2018. By paying the deposit, you agree to the Terms & Conditions, Activity Level and Cancellation Policy outlined.

Cancellation Policy: Up to July 20, your tour payments will be refunded less an administrative charge of \$150 per person. From July 21 to August 22, the cancellation charge is \$300 per person (your deposit). From August 23 to September 7, the cancellation charge is 50% of tour fare. From September 8 to September 21, the cancellation charge is 80% of tour fare. After September 21, there is no refund.

Fare Changes: Changes to currency exchange rates and taxes, and surcharges from tour suppliers can occur at any time and are beyond the control of Wells Gray Tours, therefore Wells Gray Tours reserves the right to increase fares due to such changes up until the time of departure.

Travel Insurance: A Comprehensive Insurance policy is available through Wells Gray Tours and coverage is provided by Travel Guard. Policies purchased at deposit include a waiver of the pre-existing condition clause, otherwise policies can be purchased no later than at final payment. Please contact us for details.

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Activity Level: Light activity including short distances to walk and some steps in the two theatres, Chihuly Garden, Museum of Flight, and Pike Place Market. The coach cannot carry a scooter. If you are not able to participate in Activity Level 1, Wells Gray Tours recommends that you bring a companion to assist you. The tour director and driver have many responsibilities, so please do not expect them, or your fellow travellers, to provide ongoing assistance.

e-points: This tour earns 28 e-points. Each time you travel on a Wells Gray tour, you earn Experience Points, or e-points. One e-point equals \$1. Redeem your points on select tours or accumulate enough points to earn a free tour! Redemptions offered until August 22.

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