

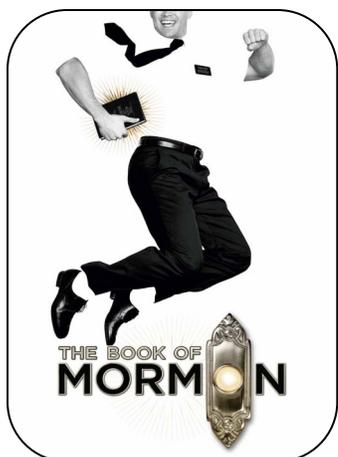
THE BOOK OF MORMON IN SEATTLE

Plus *The Wedding Singer* at Village Theatre

May 29, 2020 - 4 Days



a world to experience



Fares Per Person:

\$1245 double/twin

\$1535 single

\$1165 triple

> This tour is exempt from GST.

> **Early Bookers:** \$70 discount on first 15 seats; \$35 on next 10

> **Experience Points:** Earn 30 points from this tour.

Redeem **30 points** if you book by **April 14**.



Includes

- Coach transportation for 4 days
- 3 nights of accommodation and hotel taxes
- Seattle harbour cruise
- *The Wedding Singer* at Village Theatre
- Short guided tour of Seattle with Smith Tower
- *The Book of Mormon* at Paramount Theatre
- Knowledgeable tour director
- Gratuity for Seattle guide
- Luggage handling at hotel
- **4 meals:** 3 breakfasts, 1 lunch

The Book of Mormon — a hot ticket on Broadway!

The Book of Mormon is a religious satire musical that lampoons organized religion and traditional musical theatre, reflecting the playwrights' lifelong fascination with Mormonism and musicals. The story follows two young Mormon missionaries sent to a remote village in northern Uganda where a brutal warlord is threatening the local population. Naive and optimistic, the two missionaries try to share the Book of Mormon, which only one of them knows very well, but have trouble connecting with the locals who are more worried about war, famine, poverty, and AIDS than about religion. *The Book of Mormon* features book, music and lyrics by Trey Parker, Robert Lopez, and Matt Stone. Parker and Stone are the four-time Emmy Award-winning creators of the landmark animated series, *South Park*. Tony Award-winner Lopez is co-creator of the long-running hit musical comedy, *Avenue Q*.

The Book of Mormon opened on Broadway in 2011 and swept the Tony Awards, winning nine including Best Musical. It is still playing on Broadway 8½ years later and recently became the 14th longest running musical. The London production has been on stage for five years and several successful touring shows have been mounted.

Please note that the show contains explicit language and subject matter that may not be enjoyable for all viewers.

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Itinerary

Friday, May 29:

Meet the rest your fellow travellers in Abbotsford where you'll board the coach and cross the border. Our destination is Lynnwood on the north side of Seattle where we settle into the **Embassy Suites Hotel** for three nights. It features a spacious atrium, a full cooked-to-order breakfast each morning, and a manager's reception with complimentary cocktails and snacks on all three evenings.

Saturday, May 30:

Meals: B

This morning, we take a one-hour cruise around Seattle's bustling harbour, viewing tall buildings and the Space Needle. At 2 pm, the curtain rises at the Village Theatre in Issaquah for **The Wedding Singer**. The musical revolves around Robbie, who sings at weddings, his failed relationship with his former fiancée, and his romance with a new love, Julia. The movie was released in 1998 and the stage show was produced in 2006. It was nominated for five Tony Awards including Best Musical and eight Drama Desk Awards including Outstanding Musical. The show has toured the USA twice in 2007 and 2009, Britain twice in 2008 and 2017, and has also been produced in Japan, Australia, Philippines, and Germany.

Sunday, May 31:

Meals: B,L

In the morning, we meet a local guide, Dick Falkenbury, who conducts a short drive around Seattle, finishing at the **Smith Tower**. Completed in 1914, the 38-story, 148 metre tower is the oldest "skyscraper" in the city, and was among the tallest buildings outside New York City at the time of its completion. It remained the tallest structure on the West Coast until the Space Needle overtook it in 1962. Lunch is included at the top of the Smith Tower with a historic talk. Then we attend the performance of **The Book of Mormon**, starting at 1 pm at the Paramount Theatre.

Monday, June 1:

Meals: B

We stop at **Bellis Fair Mall** in Bellingham and the Duty-Free Store at Sumas, then we cross the border and head home.

Tour Policies

Payments: A deposit of \$150 per person is requested at the time of booking and balance is due April 14, 2020. By paying the deposit, you agree to the Terms & Conditions, Activity Level, and Cancellation Policy outlined.

Discounts: Early bookers receive \$70 discount on first 15 seats and \$35 on next 10 seats for booking early with deposit. The discount is not offered after April 14.

Cancellation Policy: Up to March 13, 2020, your tour payments will be refunded less an administrative charge of \$100 per person. From March 14 to April 14, the cancellation charge is \$150 per person (your deposit). From April 15 to April 28, the cancellation charge is 50% of the tour fare. After April 28, there is no refund.

Fare Changes: Changes to 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: Policies for Comprehensive and Trip Cancellation & Interruption are 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 must be purchased no later than at final payment.

Home pickups are available within Greater Vancouver for an additional charge of \$40 per person round trip. Please request no later than at final payment. If you do not select the home pickup, you will need to make your own way to Abbotsford on May 29 and home from Abbotsford on June 1.

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Activity Level: Light activity including short distances to walk and some stairs, mainly to and from your theatre seats.

 There is a short walk from the coach to the vessel with a ramp to the dock. The coach cannot carry a scooter. If you think you may have difficulty participating 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 30 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 April 14.

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