

THURSDAY 9TH SEPTEMBER

OLIVER AT THE THEATRE ROYAL, DRURY LANE

Depart Oxted 4.30pm (Route C) for the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, London and the 7.30pm performance of Oliver!, one of the most beloved British musicals. Cameron Mackintosh's new staging vividly brings to life Dickens' timeless characters with its ever-popular story of the boy who asked for more. Comedian Grff Rhys Jones currently stars as Fagin, along with Jodie Prenger as Nancy. The sensational score is full of Lionel Bart's irresistible songs including Food Glorious Food, Consider Yourself, You've Got to Pick-a-Pocket or Two, I'd Do Anything, Oom Pah Pah, As Long As He Needs Me and many more. Return after performance. Arriving at Sanderstead approx. 11.30pm.

Cost: - £54.75

(Inclusive of Coach/Show) (Stalls Seats at Show)

SATURDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

LONGLEAT – STAR OF BBC'S ANIMAL PARK

Longleat was the first place outside Africa to open a drive-through Safari Park back in 1966 and today it remains as popular as ever, providing mixed species enclosures for a whole host of exotic animals including giraffes, rhinos, lions, tigers and wolves.

Depart Oxted 8.00am (Route A) for the drive to Longleat, Wiltshire where we shall commence with a tour of the Safari Park, discovering an amazing range of animals - giraffes, lions, tigers, monkeys and so much more! You may even spot some of the more elusive inhabitants - Brazilian Tapirs, Ostriches and Scimitar Horned Oryx. Hopefully, from the safety of the coach, we shall be able to get remarkably close to these wild animals as they wander across our path. Visit the interactive animal attraction, Animal Adventure, incorporating an Avian Academy, Butterfly Garden and a whole range of hands-on animal experiences, offering a unique insight into the world of our small, furry, feathery and scaly friends. Take a ride on Longleat's railway, a perfect scaled-down recreation of the Age of Steam; set sail on a voyage of fun and adventure aboard Longleat's Safari Boats; visit Old Joe's Mine with its colony of free flying Egyptian fruit bats. Substantially completed by 1580 and now home to the 7th Marquess of Bath, Longleat House is set within 900 acres of magnificent 'Capability' Brown landscaped parkland with a further 8000 acres of woodland, lakes and farmland. Here you will find a priceless collection of paintings, including famous hunting scenes by John Wootton; ceilings renowned for their ornate paintings and an abundance of gilt; an Elizabethan Great Hall featuring a Minstrels Gallery and Tudor Shuffleboard and a remarkable and most magnificent series of murals created by the present Marquess of Bath. See the audio visual presentation entitled 'Meet My Ancestors', Lord Bath's insight into the colourful lives of his ancestors with tales of treason and murder! Find out about Tom 'o' Ten Thousand who inherited the Estate in 1670 but was ambushed and murdered on the orders of a jealous Swedish Count who wanted to marry his wife! Within the grounds, your entry ticket includes the World's Longest Hedge Maze, Safari Boats, Longleat Railway, Pets Corner, the Butterfly Garden, VirtuaScope Motion Ride, Postman Pat Village and King Arthur's Mirror Maze: truly something for everyone. Refreshments available. Return leave 5.30pm. Arriving back at Godstone approx. 8.00pm.

Adult: - £46.75 **Sen Cit:** - £43.20 **Child:** - £34.25
(Inclusive of Coach/Longleat 'Passport')