PI BETA PHI Houston Alumnae Club

ANNUAL NEW YORK CITY THEATER TRIP

October 17-21, 2016

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We look forward to our annual trip with friends and family to enjoy top Broadway shows, dine in exclusive restaurants, and shop on Fifth Avenue. Join us as we experience the best of New York City!



BeyondGroupTravel,inc

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS



MONDAY EVENING

Travel to New York City. Private transfers will be provided to those who travel with the group. This evening, join your fellow travelers for welcome cocktails and dinner at a popular New York restaurant.

TUESDAY EVENING

Bright Star

A wholesome, homespun musical tale directed by Tony winner Walter Bobbie, *Bright Star* is set in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina and travels between 1945 and 1923. Billy Cane, a young soldier just home from World War II, meets Alice Murphy, the brilliant editor of a southern literary journal. Together they discover a powerful secret that alters their lives. The upbeat, easy-to-listen-to "Bluegrass" score features music by Grammy Award winner Steve Martin and Edie Brickell.

WEDNESDAY EVENING

Natasha, Pierre and the Great Comet of 1812

A new, "Electropop-opera," this cabaret-style production is loosely based on portions of Leo Tolstoy's acclaimed "War and Peace," and is the vehicle that Josh Groban has chosen for his much-anticipated Broadway debut as Pierre. The story follows Natasha, a young girl who forms a relationship with the attractive rebel Anatole while her betrothed Andrey is off fighting. Andrey's best friend Pierre remains on high alert as the new romance blossoms.

THURSDAY EVENING

Pre-theater cocktail reception followed by Waitress

Directed by Tony winner Diane Paulus and starring Tony winner Jessie Mueller, *Waitress* is based on the 2007 film of the same name. It follows Jenna, a small town waitress stuck in a loveless marriage. As a nearby baking contest approaches, she's torn between her commitments and—thanks to her pie-making expertise—a chance at freedom. The music in this new musical is composed by five-time Grammy nominated Sara Bareilles.

FRIDAY

Hotel check-out is 12:00 pm. Private transfers to the airport will be provided to those who are traveling with the group.

OPTIONAL EXCURSIONS

TUESDAY

> Style Room Private Shopping Tour (10:30am-4:30pm) —\$135 per person Enjoy a private day of shopping behind-locked-doors while meeting designers face-to-face! Take advantage of prices offered at 40%-65% off retail on new collections hot off the sewing machines. You will visit multiple designers

offering their beautiful new collections of handbags, scarves, accessories, fashion jewelry and clothing. You will meet designers along your tour and see new collections being brought to life for next season. It will make everything you buy that much more special. The majority of the designers on this tour sell to Saks Fifth Avenue, Neiman Marcus, Intermix and high-end boutiques across the country and globe. Tour includes light lunch and transportation to/from starting location with minimum of 5 participants.

WEDNESDAY

> Matinee Performance of Gotta Dance—\$150 per person

Gotta Dance tells the true story of ten people who auditioned to dance at half time at a professional basketball game. These dreamers share a love of dance and are all over the age of 60. Young professional dancers prepare this senior citizen dance troupe to be performance-ready for their center court hip-hop debut. Through this unlikely art form, all of the dancers learn that no

generation gap is too wide to cross. This new toe-tapping showstopper features a creative team of Tony Award winners and nominees including Director and Choreographer Jerry Mitchell of *Kinky Boots*.

THURSDAY

> The Best of Brooklyn Multicultural Neighborhood, Sightseeing, Food and History Tour (10:30am – 4:00pm)—\$135 per person

What better way to explore the ethnic diversity of New York City than an exclusive history and gastronomy lesson in this varied international culinary tour of Brooklyn! Follow the settlement trails of NYC's immigrant groups, taking a trip back in time to discover a part of New York City you may not

have known existed. This guided tour offers gorgeous views of the iconic Brooklyn Bridge and is a combination of travel on private bus with walking at various stops on the tour.





PEOPLE ARE TALKING

"Another great theater trip to NYC! Great friends and food, fabulous shopping experience with Karen, 3 amazing Broadway shows. Special thanks to Beyond Group Travel for making this the best trip ever. So long NYC, until next year!"—**Marylou Bland**

"AWESOME trip—again! Our October in New York was beautifully planned and executed. Your easy manner, positive attitude, and attention to detail made everything perfect! Wonderful shows and delicious food with good friends, who can ask for more!?! Thank you for orchestrating such a fabulous trip. Can't wait for next year!"—**Anne Suman**

"I just wanted to tell you again how much fun I had on the New York trip. You really did a fantastic job of organizing everything!!! I think everyone had a grand time."—**Pene Moore**







ACCOMMODATIONS

Four-nights accommodations at the newly restored Intercontinental New York Barclay, well-located on 48th Street between Park and Lexington Avenues, near beautiful St. Patrick's Cathedral and the abundant upscale shopping opportunities of Madison and 5th Avenues. The hotel reopens in spring 2016, showcasing extensive stylish renovations throughout and offering the luxurious residential feel of the original Federal-style hotel of the 1920's.

PACKAGE INCLUDES

- Roundtrip economy air from Houston (IAH) to New York*
- Four-night accommodations at the newly restored Intercontinental New York Barclay
- Welcome cocktail reception and dinner on Monday evening
- Tickets to the 3 Broadway Shows on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday evenings **
- Pre-theater cocktail reception on Thursday evening
- Baggage handling at Intercontinental New York Barclay (one bag per person)
- Gratuities on included package features
- Trip managed and accompanied by professionals from Beyond Group Travel, Inc.
- * Other cities available upon request
- ** Premium Broadway tickets available at an additional cost upon request

PACKAGE PRICE All rates per person

DOUBLE OCCUPANCY					
King Bed or Two Beds	\$3,199.00				
SINGLE OCCUPANCY					
King Bed	\$4,139.00				
TRIPLE - 3 ADULTS (AGE 21+)					
King Bed with rollaway or Two Beds	\$3,049.00				



Land Only Credit \$300 per person (airport transportation to/from hotel on your own)







An invoice will be mailed for your final payment which is due **August 19, 2016**. Trip highlights subject to change based upon hotel and theater availability.

Membership in the Pi Beta Phi Houston Alumnae Club is not required for attendance on this trip.

To confirm your reservation for Pi Beta Phi Houston Alumnae Club New York City Annual Theater Trip, October 17-21, 2016, please mail this form, your trip deposit of \$______ (\$750 per person) and your Pi Beta Phi Foundation donation of \$______ (\$50 per person) to:

Beyond Group Travel – 2909 Hillcroft Avenue, Suite 403, Houston, TX 77057

Trip deposit can be paid by check or credit card. Make deposit check payable to **Beyond Group Travel, Inc.** or enter your Visa, MasterCard or American Express information below. Pi Beta Phi Foundation donation can only be paid by check. Make donation check payable to **Houston Pi Beta Phi Foundation**.

For reservations, more information, or questions, call Beyond Group Travel at (713) 954-4825, (877) 648-1973 or email us at Info@BeyondGroupTravel.com. Fax this reservation form to (713) 360-0793.

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Wednesday Optional – Gotta Dance Matinee Performance (\$150 per person*):						Yes	No
Thursday Optional – Brooklyn Food Tour (\$135 per person*):						Yes	No
I am interested in premium seating for Broadway performances*:					Yes	No	
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/17/16 and 10/17/16	NO REFUND

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Please complete this form and return to Beyond Group Travel, Inc. Please read the following information and conditions carefully and sign on the bottom of this page. If you have any questions, please be sure to ask before completing and signing the form.

NOT INCLUDED: Air fare deviations and/or add-on air fare from connecting cities other than Houston, meals, sightseeing, theater tickets, and transportation not mentioned under included features, personal and baggage insurance, and any items of a personal nature.

AIR TRANSPORTATION: The price of this trip is based on a Group Air Fare. After tickets are issued, penalties of up to 100% may be levied if your reservations are changed or canceled. If connecting flights are requested, special promotional fares may be used, in which case penalties of as much as 100% may be assessed by the airlines if reservations are changed or canceled after ticketing. After departure, if the reservations are changed, you will be charged a revision fee and/or a higher fare. VARIATIONS TO THE GROUP ITINERARY MUST BE REQUESTED NO LATER THAN 90 DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE.

NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN FOR UNUSED BUS TRANSPORTATION, HOTEL ROOMS, MEALS, SIGHTSEEING, ENTRANCE FEES, AND OTHER SERVICES.

TRIP CANCELLATION INSURANCE: Beyond Group Travel, Inc. strongly recommends "Trip Cancellation" insurance to protect you against non-refundable monies should you have to cancel for accident or medical reasons prior to or while on your trip. Beyond Group Travel, Inc. will provide the traveler with the appropriate insurance application upon receipt of the registration form and deposit. The receipt of the insurance application by the traveler will constitute the traveler's acceptance or waiver of insurance coverage.

ACCIDENT & BAGGAGE INSURANCE: We recommend that you have adequate accident and baggage insurance. Beyond Group Travel, Inc. is not responsible for personal injury, accident or illness, or for loss, damage or theft of luggage or personal belongings. Airlines may impose checked baggage fees which are the responsibility of the traveler, and Beyond Group Travel, Inc. assumes no responsibility. These fees change regularly, and we recommend checking with your airline carrier prior to travel.

RESPONSIBILITY: Beyond Group Travel, Inc. acts only as agent for the suppliers of travel conveyance, transport, accommodation or other service and has no responsibility in whole or in part for any delays, delayed departure or arrival, missed carrier connections, loss, death, damage or injury to person or property or accident, mechanical defect, failure or negligence of any nature howsoever caused in connection with any accommodations, transportation or other services or for any substitution of hotels or of common carrier equipment, with or without notice, or for any additional expenses occasioned thereby. Further, the passenger participates in this tour at his/her own risk. Hiking, walking, use of various transportation and recreational vehicles, and other physical activity involve greater risk of physical injury than the activities which the passenger may participate in during daily life, and by taking part in those activities, the passenger incurs and assumes all risk that these activities present. RATES QUOTED ARE BASED ON TARIFFS AND EXCHANGE CURRENT AT THE TIME OF PRINTING AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGES THEREIN AT OR BEFORE THE TIME OF DEPARTURE. No revisions of the printed itinerary or its included features are anticipated; however, the right is reserved to make any changes, with or without notice, which might become necessary, with the mutual understanding that any additional expenses will be paid by the individual passenger. Package pricing is based on a minimum number of participants for trip to operate. Beyond Group Travel reserves the right to cancel program with a full refund of deposit when the number of participants is below the critical level. You will be informed of trip cancellation at least 2-3 months in advance. Baggage is at the owner's risk throughout the trip, unless insured by the passenger. The right is retained to decline to accept or to retain any person as a member of this trip at any time, subject only to the requirement that the portion of the total amount paid which corresponds to the unused services and accommodations be refunded. If the entire program is canceled for any reason, participants shall have no claim other than for a full refund. By forwarding the full payment, the passenger certifies that he/she has no physical, mental or other condition or disability that would create a hazard for himself/herself or other passengers and accepts the terms of this contract. The transportation companies concerned are not to be held responsible for any act, omission, or event; during the time passengers are not on board their conveyances. If Beyond Group Travel, Inc. is the merchant on your credit card transaction, you agree to the following: Beyond Group Travel Inc.'s services consist of facilitating the sale and paying the Suppliers, and once Beyond Group Travel Inc. provides said services, you agree not to dispute the credit card charge. The tour staff is responsible for the group as a whole and will not be able to assist individuals extensively, either on a regular basis or in the case of serious illness or injury. The passenger contract in use, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the company(ies) and the passenger and/or purchaser of this trip.

I have read and agree to the terms and conditions outlined above and also listed and specified in the tour brochure, under which this tour is offered -- especially noting the policy regarding cancellations and refunds.

I O wish O do not wish to purchase cancellation insurance.

Your signature on this reservation form accepts these terms.