

Creative Coach

FunBus Facts

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Fun Bus Adventures

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Welcome To The Fun Bus Family We Are Pleased To Introduce 3 New Faces!

Jim C.

Jim C. joins the Fun Bus Family as a non-CDL driver with our taxi service. A lifelong resident of the area, Jim held a long career with Kroger as a customer service coordinator. He comes to the Fun Bus after being retired for a couple of years. As a driver, Jim, a people person, is excited to work with our customers. Jim is enjoying exploring the local area more than he ever would have before! If you happen to see Jim on the road, make sure to wave!



Ken T.



The Fun Bus welcomes Ken T. as a non-CDL driver as a part of our taxi service. Ken joins us after 20 years in the IT field and 7 years with the military. He also has experience as an Uber and Lyft driver, but wanted more permanent work. Ken is excited to be a part of the diving team where he enjoys not being behind a desk and working directly with people. If you happen to see Ken behind the wheel of a Fun Bus taxi, make sure to wave and smile, he'll give you a nice smile back!

Jim J.

Welcome Jim J. to the Fun Bus Family! Jim joins us as a non-CDL driver. He has been assigned to service our Marietta shuttle and a driver with our small fleet vehicles with private charters. He joins the Fun Bus after 40 years on the road as a semi-truck driver. Jim spent the two years of the Covid shutdown couch surfing but decided that he need to get back on the road. Driving for Fun Bus keeps him local, behind the wheel where he loves to be and off the couch!



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Gratuities??



The cost of your tour package includes roundtrip motorcoach transportation, all taxes, meals, excursions, and hotel as noted on the specific tour itinerary.

Gratuities to individuals noted below are not included in the price of your tour. If you wish, appreciation can be extended on an individual basis. Customary recognized guidelines are as follows:

- Fun Bus Motor Coach Driver: \$3-5 PP/Per Day
- Fun Bus Tour Director: \$3-5 PP/Per Day
- Step On Local Guide: \$1 PP/Per Half Day, \$2 PP/Per Full day
- Hotel Housekeeper: \$2-3 Per Day

YANKEE PEDDLER ... September 11, 2022

\$82/PP (LE, RB, PR, ZV, CA)

We will start this trip off right with a delicious brunch in Canton Ohio before we head back in time approximately 200 years where Master Crafters and Artists assemble rustic shops to provide hands-on how to demonstrations and sell their products crafted from nature. If you are still hungry later in the day, don't worry there will be plenty of food to purchase either foods to satisfy your sweet tooth or those comfort foods that pioneers make over an open flame.

Henderson Heritage Festival... October 2, 2022

\$105/PP (PR, RB, CW, LA, LO, AT)

Set sail on the Valley Gem with The Fun Bus for the Henderson Heritage Festival! Take advantage of a lunch buffet to fill your stomach and your heart! The Valley Gem makes a stop in Henderson for the Heritage Festival where local craftsmen and artisans are featured. Explore the former 2,000-acre plantation to watch demonstrations of glass-blowing, blacksmithing and woodcarving. Pick up handmade gifts from quilts, clay pots, rugs, yard spinners and more! The Henderson Hall is now open for tours where guests can Learn about an attempt to recruit the Henderson brothers to take part of a treasonous scheme by Aaron Burr, while touring the Henderson Hall. The grounds of the plantation feature the first schoolhouse in the area, an 1826 carriage and a 100+ year-old still.

Leaf Peepers October 23, 2022

\$49/PP (RB, CW, LE) (8 AM and 1 PM Sessions Available)

Discover historical covered bridges in your own backyard. Under the roof of the George Hutchins Covered Bridge, enjoy a famous Fun Bus Boxed Meal and learn the history of the bridges on this tour that dates back almost 200 years ago from a Fairfield County Parks Representative . Discover the fall beauty of the picturesque Clear Creek Metro park while the leaves are in peak season!

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Fun Bus packages are NON-REFUNDABLE.
If you think there is a possibility you may be unable to travel due to illness, medical emergency, death, loss of job or inclement weather, there are various coverages available to protect your travel investment.

Coverage options can include trip interruption, national emergency or political and security evacuations. Baggage and personal effects (lost, stolen or damaged) can also be protected. Premiums vary depending on age, trip value and coverage selected. Travel insurance may be purchased through Fun Bus affiliate Roam Right or AAA (members only). Check out the following link for insurance coverage options:

www.funbus.com/travel-insurance/

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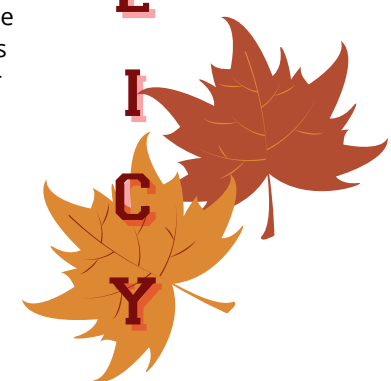
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Upcoming Adventures

Spooktakular Brew Hop... October 30, 2022

\$80/PP

(Double Edge Brewery 158 W Chestnut St. Lancaster, OH 43130)

Calling all witches, ghosts and ghouls, will you have a costume that rules? Enjoy some boos and don your most creative Halloween costume to win a \$50 Fun Bus Gift Card! Join us for this exciting brew hop throughout Fairfield and Franklin Counties! Guests will receive tokens for a drink of choice at each one of the breweries and everyone is automatically entered into raffles for a t-shirt from each destination! Artisan foods are available for purchase at each stop for the perfect pairing to your favorite craft brews!



Locks and Lunch... November 6, 2022

\$105/PP (PR, RB, CW, LA, LO, AT)

The Fun Bus once again sets sail on the Valley Gem this fall! Fill your plate and your heart with the included buffet lunch as The Valley Gem cruises down the Muskingum River where guests can enjoy scenic views of the banks and will experience what it is like to transfer through a set of locks as the water level changes to move the sternwheeler through an elevation change. Guests can choose to sit on the upper deck for fresh air or inside at river level.



RECRUITING DRIVER TEAM MEMBERS

Members of the Fun Bus driving team enjoy benefits like a very flexible schedule, so a Fun Bus driving position is a perfect second job or post retirement money maker. The flexible hours can even work around a busy, ever changing college class schedule.

Because the Fun Bus provides transportation in a variety of vehicles 365 days a year 24/7, a diverse pool of drivers is the best combination for a strong team. Part-time CDL and non-CDL positions are currently available for local transportation assignments as well as multi-day adventures. All drivers enjoy a variety of benefits including a travel discount. Every Fun Bus team member is eligible for 50% travel discounts an unlimited number of times per year!

Veteran's Memorial... November 13, 2022

\$115/PP or \$90/PP For Veterans (LE, PR, RB, EA)

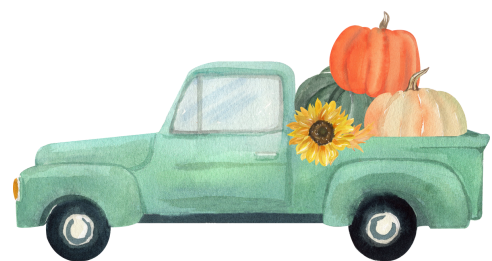
Awaken your palate with a delightful buffet at Schmidts that features a spread of their famous selections including cream puffs! Step into a narrative journey telling individual stories and shared experiences of Veterans throughout history. The National Veterans Memorial and Museum is a powerful and personal experience designed to give a voice to every man and woman who answered the call for our country, no matter the branch that services was performed through, the era of our Nation's proud history of military service, whether in peacetime or wartime.



Black Friday in NYC...November 24-27, 2022

\$470/DBL PP (LE, RB, PR, ZV, CA, WH)

Spend 2 full days in the Big Apple, so you have plenty of opportunities for Christmas shopping and exploring. We'll red-eye travel to NYC and day-travel from the city. 3- nights hotel in NJ (saves you \$\$) daily transfers. Here is your chance to check out the city decked out in Christmas glory! Local transportation is available right outside your door for those who like to adventure outside the hours that the Fun Bus travels to and from NYC.



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REMEMBER...reservations are held 10 days, pending payment. Using Visa, MasterCard or Discover guarantees the reservation! All trips include deluxe motorcoach transportation, tickets and hotel at double occupancy, where applicable. Package prices are "per-person", and do not include meals, except as noted

We make every attempt to provide accurate tour information in this brochure, including as much detail as space allows. However, we do occasionally make mistakes and sometimes tour dates have to be adjusted. Please confirm all dates, inclusions and pickup points at the time of your reservation.

TRAVEL SERVICES

Our Fun Bus staff can do more than just send you a bus and driver. On request, we will provide our groups with hotels, meals & event tickets. Unfortunately, we cannot provide this service for FREE. We work hard to keep our costs down and transfer those savings to our customers!

Sorry, No Refunds!!

All FUN BUS travel purchases are non-refundable, unless we cancel the trip due to limited interest, severe weather OR if the venue or show promoter cancels the event. All FUN BUS adventures can be transferred or sold to someone else. We will attempt to sell the package for you, if there is a waiting list. Otherwise, all sales are final.

DID YOU KNOW?? Fun Bus drivers have the right to refuse service to anyone at anytime! Obnoxious, offensive, inconsiderate, inappropriate or unsafe behavior is NOT FUN and will not be tolerated. The addition of alcohol is no excuse for offensive behavior! Don't be the one who gets left behind!



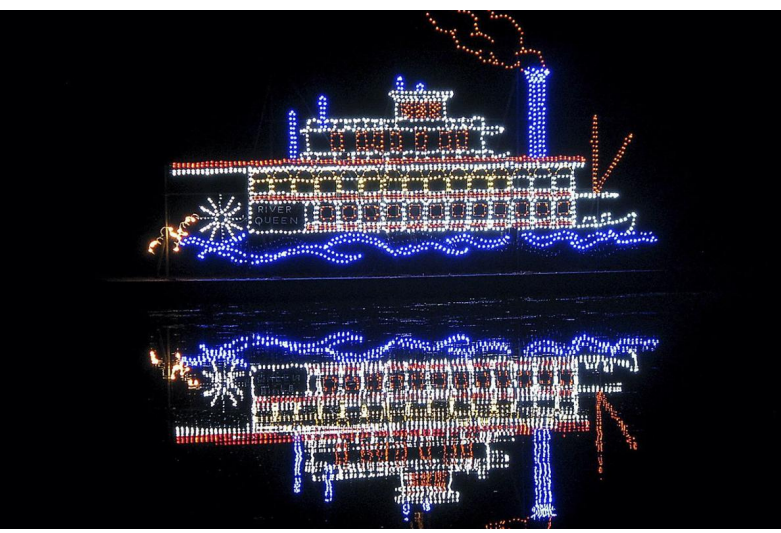
PARK & BOARD HERE

Our customers always ask "Where do you pick up?" NOT EVERY TRIP PICKS UP AT EVERY POINT, but here is a list of the major pickup points with directions. Many are open 24-hours, all are lighted, but parking is at your risk. Remember to park as FAR AWAY from the doors as possible to be considerate of actual store customers. The Fun Bus will NOT pick up in front of the main doors!!

- (AT) Athens, Walmart ...US 33 to State Street, east on State, 1/2 mile on the right.
- (BP) Parkersburg/Belpre, Park & Ride...at the intersection of US 50 & Rt. 339. North side of the road, and just west of the new US 50 bridge.
- (CA) Cambridge, Walmart....I-70 to SR 209 south, on right. (exit 178)
- (CW) Canal Winchester, Meijer ..US 33 to Hill/Diley exit. Store just NE of US 33.
- (CH) Chillicothe, Walmart ..off Bridge St (SR 159), south of US 35.
 - (CR) Circleville, Walmart
 - (CV) Circleville, Kroger
- (CB) Clarksburg, Walmart on Emily Drive, between exit 117 & exit 119 off I-79.
- (GC) Columbus-Grove City, Walmart ...From I-71, take Stringtown Rd. (Exit 100) east to Wal-Mart on the right. Park close to the street, away from the store!
- (HL) Columbus-Hilliard, Walmart ..I-70 to Exit 91, Rome-Hilliard Rd. north to Renner Road. Right on Renner, then left into parking lot.
- (RB) Columbus-Reynoldsburg, Walmart..From I-70, Rt. 256 north (Exit 112-B), then right on Taylor Road. Go thru the traffic light to the next entrance.
- (EA) Columbus-Easton, Walmart (EA)...From I-270, west on Morse Road (exit 32).
- (CP) Columbus-Polaris, Kroger...From I-71, west on Polaris Pkwy, store is on left.
- (CN) Columbus-North, Meijer Store ..US 23 just north of Powell Rd, on the left.
- (JK) Jackson, TSC...From Rt. 32, north on Rt. 93, store on the right.
- (PR) Jacksontown Park & Ride ...I-70 to Exit 132, SR 13 South. On the left, before the Shell station.
- (JS) Jasper Park & Ride ...at the intersection of Rt. 32 and Rt. 104, SE corner.
- (JV) Jeffersonville, McDonald's.at the intersection of I-71 and US 35. Use the main entrance. Pickup is in the REAR lot.
- (LA) Lancaster, Walmart...Ety Road, just off Business Route 33, NW of Lancaster.
- (LE) Lancaster, Fun Bus Terminal (LE) 2188 E Main St.
- (LO) Logan, Walmart ...From US 33, take SR 664 north toward Logan. Wal-Mart is on the right. Park close to Rt. 664, away from the store.
- (MR) Marietta, Kroger...I-77 to Rt. 7 south, then right on Acme Street. (exit 1)
- (NK) Newark, Church St. Park & Ride ...SR 16 to Country Club Drive exit. From the west, left under SR 16, then left at lite onto West Church. From the east, go through lite at the end of ramp onto West Church St.
- (PM) Pomeroy, Park & Ride ..just east of the US 33 and Rt. 7 interchange on left.
- (WH) Wheeling, Kroger ..I-70 east to Exit 2.
- (ZV) Zanesville, Welcome Center...From I-70 west, exit 155, turn left at the light, right on Shinnick 5 blocks, right on 4th St. Lot is on the right. Enter from 4th St. & park at the rear of the lot. OR from I-70 east, exit 154, 5th St. Go past the Welcome Center, right on Shinnick, right on 4th St. Park on the west end of the lot..away from the front doors.



Additional boarding locations may be available upon request. Availability will depend on accessibility, group size and planned route.



Holiday Excursions!

Oglebay Festival of Lights...November 26, 2022

\$99/PP (LE, CW, RB, PR, ZV, CA)

Since 1985 the Oglebay Festival of Lights has been one of the nations largest, covering over 300 acres on a 6-mile driving tour. This holiday package includes TWO holiday light displays and a meal! You could do this one by car...but the experience is spectacular by bus! We will have a late lunch in St. Clairsville then visit the Oglebay Festival of Lights complete with narration from your Fun Bus driver THEN we will stop in Cambridge to experience their 1-hour holiday light display synchronized to music.

White Christmas...November 27, 2022

\$115/PP (LE, CR, CH, JV)

Based on the beloved film starring Bing Crosby, Danny Kaye, and Rosemary Clooney, this heartwarming stage adaptation features 17 Irving Berlin songs. Army veterans Bob Wallace and Phil Davis have a successful song-and-dance act following their service in World War II. With romance in mind, the two follow a duo of beautiful singing sisters on their way to their Christmas show at a Vermont lodge, which just happens to be owned by Bob and Phil's former army commander. With a series of romantic mix-ups and a dazzling score including "Blue Skies," "I Love A Piano," and the perennial title song, White Christmas is an uplifting musical any time of year but especially loved at Christmas.

Tipsy Tinsel Trolley... Friday December 9, 2022 ...

\$25PP Adults only

(158 W Wheeling St, Lancaster)

Ride on the Fun Bus Tipsy Tinsel Trolley for an hour long holiday light tour with carols, trivia, holiday goodies, hot chocolate bar, swag and ugly holiday sweater contest.

Boarding at 5:45pm, 7:00pm, 8:30pm, 9:45pm, 11:00pm, 12:15am.

Holly Jolly Trolley ... Sunday December 11, 2022

... \$25PP/age 13+, \$20/age12 &under

(Fun Bus Depot, 2188 E Main Street, Lancaster) FAMILY FRIENDLY

Ride on the Fun Bus Holy Jolly Trolley for an hour long holiday light tour with carols, trivia, holiday goodies, hot chocolate bar, swag and ugly holiday sweater contest. Boarding at 4:45pm, 6:00pm, 7:15 pm, 8:30pm, 9:45pm

Wheeling Island and Oglebay Festival of Lights...December 21, 2022

\$80/PP (LE, CW, RB, PR, ZV, CA)

Take a step back in time for a retro lunch at Mehlman's Cafeteria before heading to the Wheeling Island Racetrack and Casino. Enjoy a couple of hours gambling before departing for Ogelbay Festival of Lights. Since 1985 the Oglebay Festival of Lights has been one of the nations largest, covering over 300 acres on a 6-mile driving tour of the lights with a narration from your Fun Bus driver.

Wheeling Island and Oglebay Festival of Lights...December 28, 2022

\$90/PP (CH, CR, RB, PR, ZV, CA)

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Smoky Mountain Christmas...December 18-20, 2022

\$560/DBL PP (LE, PR, RB, GC)

Travel with the Fun Bus for the spirit of the Christmas Season in the Smoky Mountains with visit to Dollywood. Bring the whole family to make memories as you take in a heartwarming holiday show, catch a festive ride on the Dollywood Express, or enjoy seasonal treats packed with classic flavor. As the sun goes down, the skies over Dollywood will dance with the glimmer of more than 5 million twinkling lights and the sounds of award-winning rides fill the air with Christmas cheer. The night ends with a celebratory crescendo of a seasonal fireworks spectacular sure to inspire family memories to treasure for a lifetime. Cherished traditions are waiting for you on the Fun Bus and at Dollywood.

Feature Excursion

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HIRING - DISPATCHER

Do you love a good puzzle and the added thrill of a deadline?

- **Skilled in Excel and know all the shortcuts.**
- **Enjoy figuring things out and thrive on efficiency**
- **Love to analyze the pieces and formulate an effective plan.**
- **Good with maps and give attention to details.**
- **Have fun at work but blossom under pressure.**
- **MUST wear your positive pants when you come to work.**

If you really want to "own" your job and learn a TON about the travel industry...this is the opportunity for you! We are seeking a new Fun Bus team member to organize and coordinate multiple passenger transportation contracts and on-demand taxi service in Lancaster and Central Ohio.

Work 40 hours a week with all the extra benefits including paid holidays, vacation, sick pay and travel discounts. Enjoy 60% subsidized health, dental, vision and life insurance. Plan for your future with an IRA savings plan with a 3% company match. Are you looking to grow with a company rebuilding after surviving the pandemic? If so, join the Fun Bus Team!

M F 9:30am-6pm

**ARE YOU BORED WITH YOUR DEAD END JOB
AND WISH FOR A NEW CHALLENGE?**



NOW HIRING

Full Time Fleet Image Team Member

The Fun Bus has an immediate opening for the Fleet Image Team! The perfect candidate has the ability to pay attention to detail, is willing to create a positive first impression through cleaning the Fun Bus Fleet Vehicles from the inside out, has a flexible schedule and is a team player! This full time position comes with benefits and travel discounts!

