

Trip To See Garrison Keillor Being Planned

SALISBURY — The Salisbury Wicomico Arts Council will be sponsoring a bus trip on April 23 to the John F. Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts in Washington to see radio personality, Garrison Keillor, in concert with the National Symphony Orchestra.

Keillor will be performing some all new tales of Lake Wobegon, his mythical Minnesota hometown. One of the recordings of his tales and folklore of Lake Wogebon was honored recently with a Grammy.

"Garrison Keillor has been in the public eye for many years," said Davina Grace Hill, executive director of the Salisbury Arts Council. "He was the host and star of a radio show titled 'Prairie Home Companion' for about 14 years. It was one of the longest running radio shows with the highest audience listeners in history. This bus trip will be a chance to experience this master storyteller in person."

Keillor's other credits include two books on the bestseller list: *Happy to be Here* and *Lake Wobegon Days*. Delmarva radio audiences may have enjoyed some recent reruns of "Prairie Home Companion" on WSCL when they aired on National Public Radio during the last six months.

Ticket prices for the trip to see Garrison Keillor are: senior citizens, \$30 (\$28 for senior citizen SWAC members) and adults, \$43 (\$41 SWAC members). Departure time from the Wicomico Youth & Civic Center parking lot in Salisbury will be 3:30 p.m. for the 8 p.m. concert and the approximate return time will be 2 a.m. There will be a dinner stop on the way to Washington. The cost of the dinner is not included in the bus trip fee.

For more information about this or other Arts Council bus trips to see Hal Holbrook in "Mark Twain, Tonight!," on May 21, or Lily Tomlin in her one-woman show "The Search for Signs of Intelligent Life in the Universe," on June 12, contact the Arts Council at (301) 543-ARTS, or stop by the office in the Wicomico Youth & Civic Center.

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