'Prairie Home' tour coming to Madison

Garrison Keillor's "A Prairie Home Companion: The Third Annual Farewell Tour" will come to the Madison Civic Center on Friday, May 26.

Tickets are \$14.50 and \$16.50 and can be ordered beginning today by phone from the Madison Civic Center box office at 266-9055. Tickets also can be purchased at Ticketron outlets statewide.

Wisconsin Public Radio and Minnesota Public Radio (producer of "A Prairie Home Companion") are co-sponsoring the presentation of the show in Madison as part of a 13-city cross-country tour, which opens May 20 in Greenville, S.C. Other tour stops include Cincinnati; Indianapolis; Springfield, Ill.; Ames, Iowa; Kansas City, Mo.; Oklahoma City; Dallas; Tucson, Ariz.; Phoenix; and San Diego.



Garrison Keillor

The Madison show will be broadcast live at 8 p.m. statewide on all stations of Wisconsin Public Radio.

The show will feature such veteran "Prairie Home" performers as bluegrass singers Robin and Linda Williams, Prairie Home Tour singer Kate Mac-Kenzie, composer/pianist Rich Dworsky, radio sound effects man Tom Keith and actor/comedian/writer Dan Rowles.