MRTA Branson Fun Days
BIG DAY: Saturday, November 16
Registration Deadline: Monday, October 14

It may be November, but it is the Christmas season in Branson. Mark your calendar to come for MRTA Branson Fun Days; join your fellow educators and friends -- make new friends -- and fall in love with the sights and sounds of Christmas in the Ozarks. Registration is open to all MRTA members and their guests – bring along friends and family for a fun and relaxing time. Our lead hotel this year is the Radisson Hotel Branson; all Fun Day activities originate at the Radisson. Join us as we experience some of Branson’s holiday favorites.

**ITINERARY FOR THE BIG DAY: Saturday, November 16.** Chartered luxury coach for the day.

*Breakfast.* Included with lodging if staying at the Radisson Hotel Branson.

*A Brett Family Christmas Show.* Celebrating 20 years in Branson.
The Christmas show to see! Through world-class singing, dancing, comedy, and production you will feel the joy, the nostalgia, the fun of the season. Come see why thousands have made “A Brett Family Christmas” a family tradition year after year. Voted Top 5 Branson Show four years running, voted best Christmas show, 7 times voted Morning Show of the Year. thebrettsshow.com.

*Lunch: Chateau on the Lake.* Branson’s only AAA Four Diamond Resort, the Chateau is located on a mountain top, overlooking the pristine waters of Table Rock Lake. The 10 story atrium lobby features cascading waterfalls and lush foliage. Christmas at the Chateau is extra special with the magnificent gingerbread houses created by the Chateau Chefs, on display in the lobby.

*Miracle of Christmas Show at Sight and Sound Theatre:* Experience the true meaning of Christmas right before your eyes in this multi-million dollar stage show. Throughout your journey, the beautifully-costumed cast, incredible panoramic stage, LIVE animals, and amazing choreography and music will immerse you in one of the most world-changing stories ever told. You will encounter Joseph and Mary, angels, wise men, soldiers, shepherds, horses, donkeys, camels and more as you are taken on an unforgettable and inspirational trip back to the time of Jesus’ birth. sight-sound.com

*Back to the Radisson* for entertainment, reception, dinner, and socializing. What a wide array of fun stuff we have planned for you! The list includes rest, food, cash bar, speakers with valuable information, and entertainment.

*Christmas Lights Trail.* Add some light to your holiday with this drive-thru display featuring a million plus lights, hundreds of displays, maybe even live reindeer. We might even sing Christmas carols as we drive through in comfort on our coach bus.

**OPTIONAL ACTIVITIES:** Friday, November 15. We have an afternoon optional choice and an evening choice. You can do either one or both. Transportation included with both options.

Friday afternoon: Clay Cooper’s Ozark Mountain Christmas.
Celebrating 30 years in Branson, Clay is joined on stage by wife Tina and sons Colton & Caden along with 20 other entertainers. This show features a live band, singing, dancing, comedy, and a variety of music. **Cost for this 2 p.m. optional show is $39 including transportation.** claycoopertheatre.com
**Friday night: SIX**, orchestra of human voices. This show features six real brothers who take musical entertainment to a whole new level. These multi-talented brothers sound like a band using only their mouths. Starting in Los Angeles, the guys have shared the stage with Trisha Yearwood, Diana Ross, Olivia Newton John, and Rod Stewart among others infusing lively choreography and dysfunctional family comedy into the show as only brothers can do. SIX Christmas will liven up your holiday season.

**Cost for this optional show is $39 including transportation.** thesixshow.com

**COST, LODGING, and REGISTRATION:**
The total cost for all activities mentioned on Page 1 for Saturday, November 16 is $166 per person. This price includes two musical shows, lunch, afternoon reception, dinner, Christmas lights tour, and luxury coach transportation for the day.

**Lodging:** Our lead site is the Radisson Hotel Branson, 120 South Wildwood Drive, Branson, MO

Room Cost: $89.95 per night plus tax single/double occupancy, $94.95 triple, $99.95 quad. Hot breakfast included with each room for all occupants. [www.radisson.com/branson](http://www.radisson.com/branson).

**Guest Room Reservations/MRTA Fun Days Registration:** If you plan to stay at the Radisson, they will take care of both your lodging reservation and MRTA Fun Day registration. Contact Jennifer at the Radisson at 417-335-5767; ask for Jennifer in sales at X370. When Jennifer answers, **ask for the MRTA Room Block.** When making your lodging reservations, remind Jennifer to send you the Fun Day registration form. Jennifer works Monday through Friday 8 a.m. – 4 p.m., you may need to leave a message and she will return your call.

**To Register for MRTA Branson Fun Days if not staying at the Radisson:** Contact Fun Day Coordinator Mary Lynne at 417-365-0060 or e-mail Mary Lynne at bob-mary@tri-lakes.net for the registration form.

For additional information about MRTA Branson Fun Days, contact Mary Lynne Grimes at 417-365-0060 or by e-mail at bob-mary@tri-lakes.net.

**Cancellation and full refund can be made through Monday, November 4 for all activities except Sight and Sound Theatre which has an October 24 cancellation deadline.**

**PAYMENT:** Once you receive your registration form from Jennifer or Mary Lynne to register for MRTA Branson Fun Day activities, you will complete the form and **return it to Angie** at Ozarks’ Kirkwood Tour and Travel. The registration form will include Angie’s address. **No charges will appear on your credit card until after the November 4 (October 24 for Sight and Sound) final cancellation date.** Lodging room charges at The Radisson Hotel Branson will not be charged until you check out; however, the Radisson will place a pending hold on your credit card of $35 when you make your lodging reservation. At check-out, the $35 charge will go toward your final room payment. Jennifer, Angie, and Mary Lynne will coordinate all through this process. Everyone registered for Fun Days will receive a letter from Mary Lynne around November 7 with all the specific details.

**DEADLINE REMINDERS**

**Registration deadline:** Monday, October 14, 2019

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**Lead Site:** Radisson.com/branson

**General Branson Information:** ExploreBranson.com

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**COME ON DOWN!** The Tri-Lakes RTA Unit looks forward to meeting you.