



Montclair – “Guys and Dolls” Performance Trip Notes Sunday March 3, 2019

9:15am Depart home – Kathy driving

10:00am Bus at parking lot #1 Brookdale Community College – with Kathy

Travel to Montclair State University, Alexander Kasser Theatre.
Contemporary, 500-seat venue presenting MSU student drama, music & dance performances.
Address: 1 Normal Ave, Montclair, NJ 07043 Phone: (973) 655-5112
<https://www.peakperfs.org/>

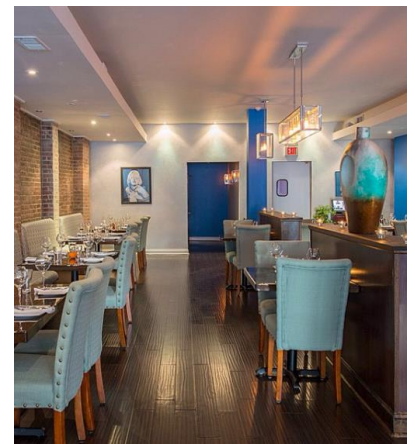
2:00pm Performance “Guys and Dolls”

Experience an iconic, Golden Era musical performed by MSU “stars of the future” in the state-of-the-art Alexander Kasser Theater. Guys and Dolls has delighted audiences since opening in 1950, winning the Tony Award for Best Musical. When Nathan Detroit bets big-time gambler Sky Masterson that he can’t get do-gooder Sarah Brown to go on a date with him, the two hard-knock guys both get much more romance than they bargained for.



EAT - ENCORE! - By popular demand we’ll return to Laboratorio, where Chef James De Sisto will work his magic in the kitchen creating a succulent and satisfying lunch.

The Laboratorio Kitchen - Cosmopolitan eatery with a polished interior turning out upmarket American cuisine.
Address: 615 Bloomfield Ave, Montclair, NJ 07042 Tele: (973) 746-6100
<https://www.thelaboratoriokitchen.com/> Note that it is BYOB.



6:00pm Return via Bus to Brookdale.

9:00pm Tom arrives in Newark
(or was supposed to until the snow came and plane was canceled.)



It was starting to look like a serious error on the organizer's part when the wine glasses were removed from our table

As soon as the look of despair by the diners was noted, we were told that the restaurant was a BYOB, and a menu from a liquor store down the next block was available and they'd deliver. Well, to heck with that. I jumped up, grabbed my wallet, and hurried to the liquor store, having forgotten my coat and not realizing it was as far as it was.

I walked in, asked for an inexpensive bottle of white for seafood, with a screw top, and add a second bottle.

Had I realized what a hero I'd be at my table, I'd have gotten three bottles. Such a bargain for all that attention!

The wine was pretty okay too. Something new for me, from Argentina.



Montclair University was fairly modern looking and non-descript, other than this coliseum looking theatre outside the nice inside theatre.

No pictures allowed during the production.