

From the Owners,

Over the last 67 years, the S.S. BADGER has been the work home of thousands of employees who have served this great ship, adding to her legacy as the largest steam-powered carferry to ever sail the Great Lakes. This uniqueness has earned the BADGER the distinction of being designated a National Historic Landmark - but it is also the millions of passengers who over the years have helped sustain her proud heritage

It is an honor to be part of the BADGER team, which has met the challenges of operating a national maritime treasure in a changing world. For many of us it is more than a job or a business. We feel a deep commitment to continuing her outstanding record of reliability and safety, while providing a fun maritime adventure for everyone.

We welcome you aboard the BADGER, and we invite you to become a part of **A Legacy on the Lake.** Thank you for sailing with us!

Bob Manglitz, Don Clingan and Jim Anderson



“Everyone should have the Badger on their Bucket List.”

— Trip Advisor Review



Groups, cars, campers and over-sized loads, oh my!

Whether it’s a family reunion, tour group, car club, or friends trip, the BADGER experience for groups is fun, affordable and packed with perks. Groups of 15 or more receive at least a 20% discount and bus drivers/tour directors travel for free. Groups receive itinerary assistance and a special host greeting. For more info and questions, please call: 800-841-4243.



Where the highway ends, a Legacy of Fun begins

Welcome aboard! Get ready to experience all of the glory of the golden age of travel. Enjoy your relaxing passage across majestic Lake Michigan on a unique, last-of-its-kind ship that gives you an unrivaled freedom of choice.

Travel back in time while sailing into the future with us and be a part of “A Legacy on the Lake.”

The S.S. BADGER offers travelers of all ages a unique maritime adventure on a National Historic Landmark ship and the opportunity to explore wonderful destinations in the Great Lakes Region.

Explore Beyond the Mitten

Spring, Summer or Fall... The S.S. BADGER connects you to some of the most popular travel destinations in Michigan, Wisconsin, Minnesota - and beyond! Plan your cruise and save hours of driving by taking a short cut across Lake Michigan aboard the 410 foot historic S.S. BADGER!





Whether you’re looking for a one-of-a kind vacation adventure or you’re just avoiding a long drive around the lake, our friendly crew will make your voyage memorable and special!

The BADGER continues to be a favorite, unique travel connection since 1953!



Blending tradition and nostalgia with modern state-of-the-art equipment and value added amenities, the BADGER offers an opportunity to enjoy a maritime adventure. Take a step back into the past on a journey that’s as important as the destination - **creating a legacy of memories!**



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BEST AMENITIES ON THE GREAT LAKES!

- Badger Bingo
- Staterooms
- Limited Wi-Fi
- Free Movies
- Lounging
- Kids’ play Room
- Fun Kids Activities
- Upper Deck Cafe*
- Badger Galley*
- Full Service Bar*
- Bloody Mary Bar*
- Shopping in the Badger “Boatique”
- Open Deck Space for walking and fresh air
- Live Entertainment
- Quiet Areas

*Restaurants feature local Michigan and Wisconsin items



SAILOR TALK

Capacity: 600 passengers, 180 Autos, Tour Buses, RV’s, Motorcycles & Commercial Trucks.
Crew members per trip: Approximately 50

- Kids Activities**
Scavenger Hunt
Face Painting
Coloring Contest
Gaming Room
Movie Theatre



CAPTAIN CONRAD

Our beloved mascot, loves to sail on Shoreline Cruises and select cross lake trips throughout the season

SHORELINE CRUISES

Fares as Low as...

\$42 Per Person

Are you looking for a fun, getaway? Join us for a 2 hour cruise along the Lake Michigan shoreline. These Cruises offer a unique, upbeat atmosphere that you can’t find anywhere else! Ticket includes meal and free entertainment. Book in advance as dates fill up fast! Shoreline cruises will run rain or shine. Price does not include security fee. No passes will be accepted for these events. Tickets are non-refundable.

Shoreline Cruise Dates & Themes

- Manitowoc - June 6th - Pirates of Lake Michigan
- Ludington - June 13th - Love Ludington Celebration
- Ludington - July 4th - Fireworks Freedom Cruise
- Ludington - July 22nd - Pirates of Lake Michigan
- Ludington - August 12th - Bon Voyage to Summer

- **Galley:** Kitchen
- **Year Built:** 1952
- **Began Service:** 1953
- **Bow:** Front of ship
- **Aft:** Rear of ship
- **Port:** Left side of ship
- **Starboard:** Right side of ship
- **Cruising Speed:** 16 mph (14 knots)

LEGACY OF VALUE

Fares as Low as...

\$64 per adult one way - OR - \$192 for two adults with auto, one-way

Security fee not included. These prices for the 2020 season can be used for any crossing if you book during our early season savings. After this date, these “Best Value” fares will be available for the rest of the season on the 8:45PM and 1:30AM crossings

2020 SAILING SCHEDULE

Spring & Fall

May 8 - June 13
September 7 - October 11

Depart Ludington	Arrive Manitowoc
9:00am (ET)	12:00pm-noon (CT)
Depart Manitowoc	Arrive Ludington
2:00pm* (CT)	7:00pm (ET)

Summer

June 14 - September 6

Depart Ludington	Arrive Manitowoc
9:00am (ET) 8:45pm** (ET)	12:00pm-noon (CT) 11:45pm (CT)
Depart Manitowoc	Arrive Ludington
2:00pm (CT) 1:30am*** (CT)	7:00pm (ET) 6:30am (ET)

Ludington is Eastern Time Zone (ET); Manitowoc is Central Time Zone (CT) and *leaves at 5pm on 6/6. **No 8:45 crossing on 7/4, 7/22, 8/12 ***No 1:30am Crossings on 7/5, 7/23, 8/13

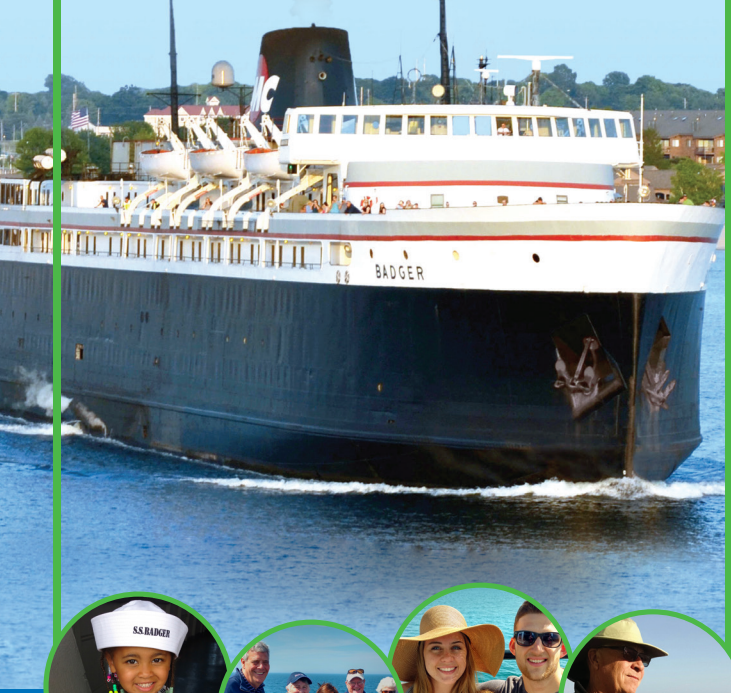
HANDICAP ACCESSIBILITY: A stair lift to transport wheelchairs and passengers needing assistance is available for boarding and disembarking. The wheelchair lift has a maximum 400 pound capacity. Passengers with motorized wheelchairs must ride the lift separately from their chairs. Handicap-accessible restroom is also available. Service dogs trained to work or perform tasks for a passenger with a disability may accompany that individual.

SECURITY: Lake Michigan Carferry reserves the right to inspect all vehicles, luggage and carry-on items with explosive detection dogs. Water bottles and non-alcoholic beverages may be brought on board. Outside food and coolers of any size are not permitted. Coolers must be left on the luggage cart or in a vehicle. Ticket offices, parking lots, staging areas, and the S.S. BADGER are monitored 24 hours a day by surveillance cameras or security personnel. (LMC is not responsible for damage to vehicles left in parking lot.)

Pet travel can be accommodated, please call or visit our website for complete details and restrictions.

Special mini-cruise pricing available for round trip travel within 48 hours without a vehicle

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since 1953

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