



RANDY'S ADVENTURES



& PEOPLES BANK

presents

Iowa Small Towns



Enjoy Iowa's hospitality through a trip of curated Iowa Small Towns. Sip on lavender lemonade at **Loess Hills Lavender Farm**, learn about the fascinating ways that spirits are made at **Templeton Rye Distillery**, and explore the **Boone Scenic Railroad**.

That is not all! We will visit the **Sawmill Hollow Family Farm** to discover the aronia berry, enjoy scenic views at the **Swan Lake Conservation Center**, and appreciate the artistry of **RVP-1875**. On our adventure through Iowa small towns, we will make memories and enjoy this four day, three night autumn adventure!

October 1, 2024 - October 4, 2024

DAY ONE



Tues. Oct. 1, 2024.....(L, D)

Depart Mason City & Indianola aboard our deluxe motorcoach to take in the beautiful fall scenery of rural Iowa on our trip through some fascinating small towns! We will begin our travels to **Missouri Valley** where we will visit the **Loess Hills Lavender Farm** where we will enjoy a tour as we smell the fragrance of the French lavender fields and sip on some lavender lemonade. You can also harvest your own lavender before you browse their gift shop that features an assortment of homemade bath and skin care products. Next, we will visit **Sawmill Hollow Family Farm** to discover the aronia berry, a once endangered superfood that has been brought to the scientific forefront because of its nutritionally dense benefits. Lunch will be served on the farm, and will include a presentation by the chef who will explain how the aronia berry is used in each dish. We will continue our travels to **Carroll** where we will settle into our hotel for a relaxing two-night stay. Gather for a wonderful Welcome Dinner at **Santa Maria Winery**, a tasting room and event center housed in a historical building along the old Lincoln Highway. Overnight in Carroll.

DAY TWO



Wed. Oct 2, 2024.....(B, L, D)

Enjoy a light breakfast at the hotel before we begin our day at **Swan Lake Conservation Center** in Carroll, a regional environmental education facility that provides programs for all ages, and is a unique gathering location with beautiful views. Next, our travels will take us to **Manning** to visit the 350-year-old authentic German Hausbarn to explore the place that has been described as “a mini tour of Germany”. Have lunch as a group at a local restaurant before we experience the “whiskey way of life” with a guided tour of **Templeton Rye Distillery**. Here we learn about the local stories and legends that made this small-town distillery what it is today, along with a sampling of their fine whiskey. Tonight, you will enjoy dinner as a group. Overnight in Carroll

DAY THREE



Thur. Oct 3, 2024.....(B, D)

After breakfast we will continue our journey to **Jefferson**, home to the **Mahaney Memorial Carillon Bell Tower**, a four-octave carillon of 47 bells in the heart of downtown. You will tour the tower and have the chance to ride to the top where the view can be seen for miles. Take a tour of **Thomas Jefferson Gardens**, a space that brings to life the prairies that welcomed Lewis & Clark explorers and early settlers, farming practices of Thomas Jefferson’s time. You will have some time to browse the shops and find lunch on our own on the square in downtown Jefferson. Our next stop of the day will be at **Deal’s Orchard**, a family-owned orchard that has been in the Deal family for more than 100 years. Our step on guide will take us on a 15-minute “road trip”, followed by a tour inside their facility before you end the day with homemade apple pie on their covered porch and a tasting of their hard cider. Discover the unique artistry of **RVP-1875**, the world’s leading historical furniture shop and museum that uses only tools and techniques from 1875 Iowa. You can hear about the historically accurate furniture that is on display as the owner shares his love of making it, and how it relates to Iowa history. The back of the warehouse boasts a 120-seat regional theatre company that still hosts shows today, and we will **enjoy a show followed by dinner at the theatre**. Overnight in Jefferson.

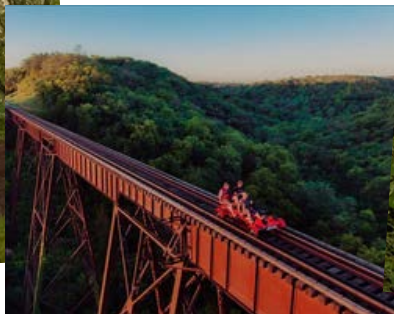


DAY FOUR

Fri. Oct 4, 2024.....(B, L)



Take a little time to relax at the hotel after breakfast this morning before we make our way to **Boone**. Have some time to stroll through the **James H. Andrew Railroad Museum** that features a research library, a theater, and memorabilia from all eras of railroading in Iowa. Climb aboard the **Boone Scenic Railroad** for a delicious Farewell Lunch on the rails as you travel through the **Des Moines River Valley** in a climate-controlled car, and across the 156-foot tall Bass Point Creek High Bridge as well as the Des Moines River, before we return home.



Your Iowa Small Towns Includes:

- Transportation from Mason City & Indianola
- 3 nights' accommodation
- 3 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches, 3 Dinners
- Admissions and attractions as stated in the itinerary
- All applicable taxes and gratuity
- Randy to handle all the details

Itinerary Variations: Randy's Adventures and its suppliers constantly strive to improve our itinerary and all features. If improvements can be made or unforeseen conditions beyond our control make necessary changes, we reserve the right to alter the itinerary or substitute hotels. Randy's Adventures will not be held responsible for any of these occurrences.

Cancellation Policy: \$500 of the deposit is fully refundable until the final payment is due. No refund after final pay date. Travel Protection is not included but is available. If you purchase the travel protection and need to cancel for a covered reason, you may submit your claim to the insurance company.

Cost per double occupancy: **\$1,399**

single occupancy: **\$1699**

Deposit: **\$500 to hold your spot**

Optional Travel Protection double

occupancy: \$143 (ages 74 & under) \$211 (ages 75 & older)

single occupancy: \$191 (ages 74 and under) \$215 (ages 75 & older)

Final Payment Due: **June 1, 2024**

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