

ABC's of the QCA

MAY 18, 2023

8:00 am: Depart Geneseo, IL. (City Park) park along S. Center St.

8:45 am: Arrive to Quad Cities for restroom break

9:15am: Rock Island Arsenal Island Moline, IL

9:30am: Rock Island Arsenal Island Guided Driving Tour

10:15am: Lock and Dam 15 walking tour (only groups are allowed to experience) and Mississippi River Visitors Center OR Tour Colonel Davenport's Homel

11:15am: Depart Rock Island Arsenal Island

11:45am: Butterworth Center and Deere Wiman Home Tours

A-Aloha lunch in the dining room of the Butterworth Center

B-Bars for Dessert

2:30pm: Cocktails and Cows at Cinnamon Ridge Farms Donahue, IA

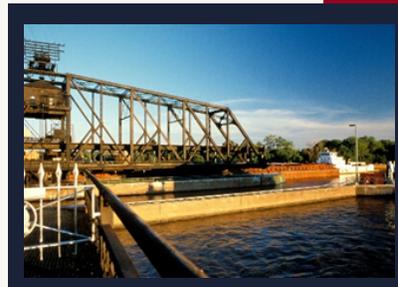
5:30pm: Depart Farm

6:00pm: Arrive Home

Join Classic Club on adventure in our own back yard! We are showcasing the ABC's of the QCA on a great adventure you won't want to miss!

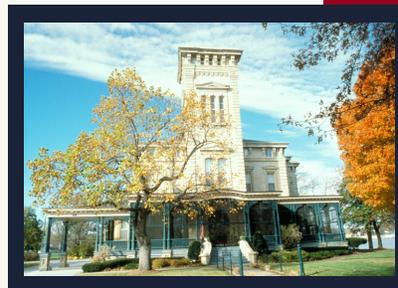
A= ARSENAL

An easy access to the Arsenal guided driving tour. There will be an option to take a leisurely walk onto the Lock and Dam 15 and Mississippi River Visitors Center! This walking tour opportunity is only for groups and has been planned especially for Classic Club or you can chose to visit Colonel Davenports House. You pick your excursion!



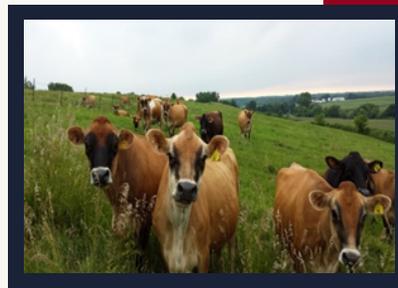
B=BUTTERWORTH CENTER AND DEER WIMAN HOME

These homes are a fantastic journey through the history of John Deere and is sure to enlighten you as you learn about this Deere-Wiman family who brought so much to our Quad City Area!



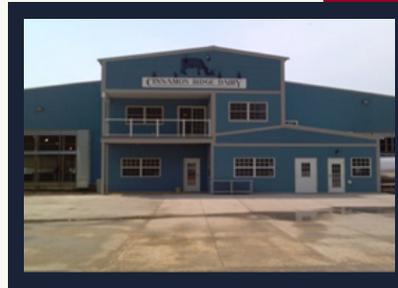
C=CINNAMON RIDGE FARMS, COCKTAILS AND COUNTRY CUPBOARD

This farm is such a unique learning experience! Our day ends with fun on a farm as you listen and learn about this family's journey and the business adventures they market and showcase to people from around the world. Sharing a sampling of the Dairy Farm's fresh cheeses plus some wine tastings or a beer with the cows end this day out with our Classic Club friends.



TOUR COST: \$137
DEPOSIT DUE UPON RESERVATION: \$20
FINAL PAYMENT DUE:
APRIL 6, 2023

Call us today for reservations! (309) 944-5608



Rock Island Arsenal Island Driving Tour: Established as a national arsenal in 1863, Rock Island Arsenal has served the nation for over 150 years. Rock Island, situated in the Mississippi River has been occupied by the U.S. government since 1816 with the establishment of Fort Armstrong. The Arsenal today serves the warfighter as the home of U.S. Army logistics, and the manufacturing wing remains active as the only federally owned foundry in federal inventory. Join one of the islands many historians or Park Rangers for a 45-60 minute driving tour of all that is the Rock Island Arsenal and submerge yourself in its fascinating history.

Mississippi River Visitors Center & Lock and Dam 15 Walking Tour: At the Visitor Center you can view towboats and small recreational boats passing through the locks. An observation area, exhibits, theater and ranger staff are all available to explain the transportation workings of the Upper Mississippi River. A gift shop is also available. Lock and Dam 15 is the largest roller dam in the world. Join our Park Rangers for an outdoor walking tour that lasts 45-60 minutes. It involves walking onto the lock if conditions allow. Topics covered are river history, lock and dam operation, towboats, barges, cargo, the Government Bridge, river hazards, and much more. * Footwear – Closed Toe Shoes are required.

* No cameras, backpacks, bags or purses are allowed on tour

Colonel Davenport's House: Join us on a tour of a house that was once the center of local commerce, a crossroads for trade in the region, and later laid the foundation for the Quad Cities of Iowa and Illinois. Come hear about the fur trading and its importance in the life of George Davenport, about the types of furs traded in the Quad City area, listen to how George Davenport bartered with the local Native Americans in building the local economy, and immerse yourself in how life was in the 1800s in the Quad Cities.

Butterworth Center and Deere Wiman Home: Welcome to Butterworth Center & Deere-Wiman House, located in the Overlook District of Moline, Illinois. Both historic homes once belonged to John Deere's descendants but are now operated by the William Butterworth Foundation. They serve as year-round sites for quality educational and cultural events, meeting space for not-for-profit organizations, and tours for local, national, and international visitors. Learn about the 4 generations of Deere descendants who lived here, get a glimpse of Victorian era living, and see firsthand some of the architectural updates these homes have seen over the years. While you are here, enjoy a catered lunch in the dining room on-site at the Butterworth Center.

Cinnamon Ridge Farms Tour and Wine and Cheese Pairing: Cinnamon Ridge Dairy Farm is a family owned, family run farm located in Donahue which is just outside of Davenport on the eastern side of Iowa. Start your tour in our home where you will learn about our various business adventures and what it takes to feed the world. Then join us in the barn and learn and see firsthand how milking our Jersey dairy cows using robots makes us stand out. Don't forget to visit our on-farm store, The Country Cupboard where we sell items produced or made on our farm. Before we say goodbye join us for a wine and cheese pairing. Enjoy samples of our cheeses paired with a regionally crafted wine. Enjoy the relaxing atmosphere as you watch the cows in the barn while enjoying a sip of your favorite beverage and cheese. After sampling the wine and cheese, visitors may purchase their favorites to take home to family and friends.

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