

# **The Amish Experience Tour**

Kalona and the Amana Colonies Tues, Oct 8 - Wed, Oct 9, 2024

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## A Unique Hotel and Amish Heritage Experience

Our day in Kalona starts with a stop at the Welcome Center for Streussel and coffee. We will hear a presentation on "What is the difference between the Amish and the Mennonite people" by Floyd Yutzy.

We will tour the Amana Museum and do a little shopping before departing for lunch at a Mennonite Home.

Next we divide into two groups and tour a Goat Farm and Ebike manufacturer. (Many Amish communities are allowed to ride ebikes.)

A tour of a Buggy Shop and Stringtown Grocers follows before departing for Amana.

Our overnight accommodations will be at the brand new Hotel Millwright, which pays homage to the Amana's woolen mills of the past.

Secure your reservation with a \$150 deposit!

#### Day 2 - Relax and Shop in the Amanas

The next morning tour this unique hotel and have plenty of time to browse and shop afterwards. Find a slew of special gifts in the art gallery shops or handmade craft shops that include handcrafted wood furniture or hand-woven rugs featuring traditional Amana designs. Pottery, quilts, and handmade knives and ironworks are also popular. Whether you're shopping for yourself or friends and family, it's easy to find something for everyone in the Amana Colonies.

Our lunch that day will be served at the Price Creek Event Center Dinner Theatre where we will see a first person Grant Wood presentation with Q&A.

If the timing is right... we will have a beautiful view of fall foliage as we travel on our Amish Experience Tour.

### **RESERVE YOUR SPOT NOW with a \$150 Deposit**

All prices include motorcoach transportation, overnight lodging, 1 breakfast, 2 lunches, all tours and performance. (See other side for detailed itinerary and information on registration, payments and cancellations.)

## Ask us about The DayTrippers Club!

- Pay lower registration fees
- Get cancellation fees waived
- Earn DayTripper miles to redeem toward trips or merchandise!



For more info on Seniors on the Move travel and The DayTripper's Club: Call 515-225-1455



Spend Fall in the Amish Villages of Kalona & the Amanas

Crisp air and fall foliage as we explore Amish life and the Amish heritage.



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Members (double) - \$390 Members (single) - \$455 Miles Non Members (double) - \$450 Non Members (single) - \$515 DayTrippers (double) - \$345 DayTrippers (single) - \$410

#### Tuesday, October 8th

7:00 a.m. Depart from the northeast parking lot of Seniors on the Move in West Des Moines. (4401 Westown Pkwy)

7:30 a.m. Second departure from the southwest parking lot of Bomgaars, 5049 NE 14th St., just north of I-80/35

9:30 a.m. Arrive Kalona for tours and presentation

12:15 p.m. Lunch in an Amish Mennonite home

2:00 p.m. Tours of Goat Farm and Ebike manufactuer

3:00 p.m. Buggy Shop Tour

4:45 p.m. Depart for Amana

5:15 p.m. Arrive at Hotel Millwright

Evening: Dinner on your own

9:00 a.m. Tour of Hotel Millright

10:00 a.m. Browsing and Shopping on your own - bags ready for check out

12:30 p.m. Head to Price Creek Event Center for lunch and First Person Grant Wood performance

4:00 p.m. Depart for home

6:00 p.m. Estimated arrival back to Bomgaars

6:30 p.m. Estimated arrival back to SOM

**Payment Policy -** Registrations are held with a deposit of \$150. Full payment must be received by June 10, 2024 to be secured.

**Cancellation Policy** - Registrations are 100% refundable if canceled by June 10, 2024. Cancellations after this date will forfeit the deposit for all travelers. The remaining balance will be credited to your SOM account, less a 50% administration fee. (Credits valid for 24 mo.) If you registered as a double, your roommate will be re-registered at the single rate. No shows = No refunds. Tour itineraries may be subject to change.

#### Wednesday, October 9th

6:30-9:00 a.m. Breakfast on your own

8:00 a.m. Morning Stretch and day overview

## Registration Form - The Amish Experience Tour, Tues, Oct 8 - Wed, Oct 9, 2024

🔿 Non Member	🔿 Member	🔿 DayTripper	🔿 Deposit \$150	🔿 Full Amount	
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Pick-up: 🔿 Seniors on the Move 🔿 Bomgaars					

Return form with payment to: Seniors on the Move, 4401 Westown Pkwy, Ste 216, West Des Moines, IA 50266. You can also register online at seniorsonthemove-ia.com or call us at 515-225-1455. Billing Address (if different than mailing):

DayTrippers earn 150 DayTripper Miles on this tour!