BE SURE TO CHECK OUT ALL THE BRAND NEW TRIPS & ACTIVITIES!

2nd QUARTER 2024

UPCOMING TRIPS

WINE, WOMEN & WILDLIFE

LAKE GENEVA

A DAY AT THE

WORLD WAR II & NORMANDY

GEMS OF IOWA

BEAUTIFUL - THE CAROLE KING MUSICAL

WASHINGTON DC & VIRGINIA BEACH

SPOTLIGHT ON SAN ANTONIO HOLIDAY

ITALIAN VISTAS





We are hosting a Fraud Prevention Seminar!

Please join us at 2:00 on April 30th at the WIT Auditorium in Cherokee. This educational seminar is put on by AARP and is open to all of our Emerald Club members and their guests!

RSVP is required as space is limited!
Please call Debbie at 712-225-9039 to reserve your spot today!

Sioux City & Dakota Dunes

Oscar Carl Vineyard at 1473 Buchanan Avenue, Sioux City May 2nd 5:00-7:00 p.m.

Enjoy a drink of choice and Charcuterie snacks.

There is no cost to members. Guest may join us for \$10.00**

RSVP to Nancy at 605-540-4335

**\$10 is refunded if you open an account within 30 days

<u>Potluck Picnic & Bingo</u> - June 6th at 12:00 p.m. - Chris Larson Sheltor House - Central Bank will provide chicken, drinks and tableware. Please bring a side to share!

RSVP to Nancy at 605-540-4335

<u>Lewis & Clark/Betty Strong Museum Tour</u> - August 15th at 1:00 p.m. Meet at Lewis & Clark Interpretive Center at 1:00 p.m.

RSVP to Nancy at 605-540-4335

Spirit Lake

Coffee & Conversation at the Well - 10:00 April 10th - May 15th - June12th RSVP to Tammy at 712-203-2125

Storm Lake

Dutch Treat Luncheons at 11:30
Someone will win a free lunch.....will it be you?
April 24th at Malarky's - May 16th at Smokin' Hereford June 19th at King's Pointe
Please RSVP to Stacy at 712-638-0013

Cherokee

Coffee & Convo at Mud on Main - 2 p.m.

April 16th - May 21st - June 18th - July 23th Please RSVP to Debbie at 712-225-9039

Brookings

<u>Coffee & Conversation</u> Join Amy at Kool Beans the 3rd Tuesday of each month at 9:30 a.m. for some casual conversation and coffee! You may even get some updates and insights!

Please RSVP to Amy at 605-696-3416

Sioux Falls

<u>Coffee & Conversation</u> at Sioux Falls Western at 9:30 a.m. April 18th - May 23rd - June 27th

Please park in the back parking lot and use the elevator to access the lower level conference room. We look forward to seeing you there!

Please RSVP to Jessica at 605-782-0819



Wine, Women & Wildlife.....in Omaha?!?! - April 18-19, 2024

This trip is sold out and details will be mailed out soon to our travelers!





Lake Geneva, Wisconsin Getaway!- May 29-June 2, 2024

Join Stacy and Nancy in Lake Geneva for a four-night stay at the Harbor Shores on Lake Geneva. Highlights of this trip include a ride on the East Troy Railroad for a ten-mile trip through beautiful southeast Wisconsin. We'll also take a narrated cruise on the Lake Geneva Cruise Line, and see some of the most iconic historical estates on Lake Geneva. We will have great evening entertainment on this trip, including dinner and a show at the historic Fireside Dinner Theatre to see the hilarious "Nunsense!" We'll also go to the Rosewood Theater, and see a unique equestrian performance at the Dancing Horses Theatre! And you won't want to miss the Vegas-style show at the Tristan Crist Magic Theatre.

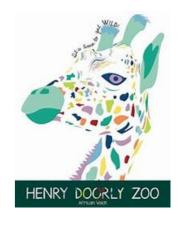
The cost of this trip is \$2,135 per person for double occupancy. We have detailed flyers available, give us a call or stop by today to receive yours! TIME IS RUNNING OUT......We do still have space, but you MUST sign up soon to ensure availability!

A Day at the Zoo - June 12, 2024

Trek through unique landscapes in search of 160 acres of plants, animals, and immersive habitats from around the globe. With six acres of indoor exhibits, the Zoo is fit for adventure year-round.

Don't miss the fun, sign up today! Departures from Spirit Lake, Storm Lake, Cherokee & Sioux City

The Cost is \$130 per person and includes motorcoach transportation and driver's tip; admission to the zoo, water and snacks on the motorcoach, and FUN with the Emerald Club! (Lunch will be on your own at the zoo.)





World War II & Normandy by Collette - July 8-18, 2024

An unforgettable journey of discovery and remembrance awaits you as you travel between London, Normandy and Paris on the 80th Anniversary of D-Day. Explore London's connections to World War II during a city tour focused on The Blitz. Cross the English Channel, retracing the parallel journey nearly 160,000 courageous Allied troops took on June 6th, 1944, as they set out to liberate Europe from the Nazis. Immerse yourself in the history of Normandy's D-Day Landing Beaches and visit the Normandy American Cemetery. Visit Saint-Mère-Église, the first French town liberated from the Nazis and learn about the brave paratroopers who parachuted into Normandy on the night of June 5–6, 1944. Conclude your journey in Paris, the City of Light with a festive dinner cruise along the Seine River.

Cost of this trip is \$5,424 per person for double occupancy. Add \$1000 for single occupancy. Please call for availability.

Gems of Iowa Day Trip - July 25th

We will travel to the *Shrine of the Grotto of the Redemption* in West Bend, widely considered to be the "Eighth Wonder of the World". This includes a conglomeration of nine grotto's depicting scenes in the life of Jesus and contains a large collection of minerals and petrifications. It is believed to be the largest grotto in the world! We will also visit a little-known POW camp that existed in Algona from 1943 to 1946. *Camp Algona* was home to 10,0000 German prisoners from April 1944 to February 1946. We will also visit the Algona Nativity Scene, which has 65 life-sized figurines made of cement, built by the German prisoners.

Included in this day trip is a delicious lunch at *Emeralds* in Algona.

We will have pickups in Spirit Lake at 6:30 a.m. and Storm Lake at 8:00 a.m. Members from other locations are welcome to meet us at one of the departure locations! Cost of this Day Trip is \$95 per person







Beautiful - The Carole King Musical - August 8-9 Long before she was Carole King, chart-topping music legend, she was Carol Klein, Brooklyn girl with a passion and chutzpah. She fought her way into the record business as a teenager and, by the time she reached her twenties, had the husband of her dreams and a flourishing career writing hits for the biggest acts in rock 'n' roll. It wasn't until her personal life began to crack that she finally managed to find her true voice! Details coming soon!

Washington DC & Virginia Beach - September 12-19, 2024 Join us as we explore our Nations Capital and the Outer Banks! We will begin our adventure in Washington DC, where we will visit an array of monuments and attractions. Included will be Mount Vernon, Arlington National Cemetery and Colonial Williamsburg. We will get to experience the Wild Horses from an open air safari-style truck when we head to the Outer Banks of North Carolina! While in Virginia Beach, we will have a day at the beach and some free time to explore on our own. We have included baggage handling of 1 large bag per person, 7 nights quality hotel accommodations, airport transfer, flights and 14 meals.

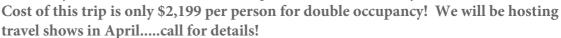


Cost of this trip is \$4,796 per person for double occupancy



Spotlight on San Antonio Holiday - December 5-9, 2024

Enjoy the holiday spirit Texas-style as you settle into your River Walk hotel on this Southwestern getaway. Visit the UNESCO World Heritage sites of the legendary Alamo and Mission San José. Discover the bold flavors of Texas during dinner at a restored convent in the historic King William District. Visit the National Museum of the Pacific War when you venture to charming Fredericksburg nestled in the Hill Country, rich with German heritage. Cruise along the Paseo del Rio. Take in the holiday sights during an evening stroll with over 120,000 lights illuminating the River Walk during holiday season. Immerse yourself in the laid-back atmosphere of this vibrant city.





Italian Vistas - April 5-17, 2025

Extension in Taormina! Ask for details!

Join the Emerald Club as we explore Italy on this 13-day adventure! Highlights include Rome, Colosseum & the Ruins of Pompeii! You have choice on tour: Iconic Pompeii walking tour or leisurely Pompeii walking tour, Sorrento, Florence, Strue of David, Leaning Tower of Pisa, Tuscan Winery & Pisa. You will also experience Venice, Murano Island, Verona, Lake Maggiore, Stresa & another choice on tour: Isola Bella & Palazzo Borromeo Tour or Simplon Pass Day Trip!

Cost of this trip is \$6,249 for double occupancy, with a \$100 discount if you book before
October 6th, 2024! Add \$1,000 for single occupancy. There is an optional 3-night Pre Tour







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