IOWA PRAIRIE HERITAGE



The following itinerary is designed to celebrate **Iowa Prairie Heritage Week** which is recognized September 12–18, 2021. However, the itinerary may be custom designed to any time of the year. *For more information contact the Cedar Falls Tourism* & Visitors Bureau or e-mail becky.wagner@cedarfallstourism.org.

- Begin your visit at the University of Northern Iowa's Tallgrass Prairie Center. Tour the center and prairie and learn about Iowa Prairies or Prairie Urban Gardening. Participants may experience cleaning and sorting seeds. www.tallgrassprairiecenter.org (2 hours)
- Experience the award winning atmosphere at **Barn Happy**. This 1925 dairy barn has been converted into an Iowa experience. Enjoy homemade soup and dessert for lunch. Then browse the Iowa products in the barn and reminisce amongst the antiques in the loft. It's a barn good time! **www.barnhappy.net** (90 Minutes)
- Continue your outdoor education at **Hartman Reserve** with a program on Bird Watching, Butterflies, Pioneers Life or Wildflowers. Enjoy a tram ride through this 340-acre nature preserve nestled near a quiet neighborhood in Cedar Falls/Waterloo. **www.hartmanreserve.org** (2 hours)
- Before heading home, visit the **Cedar Valley Arboretum** where your group will relish a self-guided tour through the gardens and a tractor pulled wagon ride highlighting the Butterfly Meadow. Enjoy a Scratch Cupcake and beverage before heading home. **www.cedarvalleyarboretum.org** (90 *Minutes*)





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More reasons to visit Cedar Falls any time of the year!

Call us at 800.845.1955 and we'll help you put together an itinerary perfect for your group!

Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center

A wide variety of big-name entertainers perform at this state-of-the-art facility each year.

Cedar Falls Historical Society Museums

Tours and educational programming are available at four unique museums.

University of Northern Iowa School of Music

Outstanding student performance at the Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center—no admission charge!

Hartman Reserve Nature Center

From maple syrup in the spring to hikes in the summer to apple cider in the fall to indoor programming in the winter, Hartman Reserve offers entertaining and educational options year round.

100 Best Small Art Towns Tours

Cedar Falls has been listed among the 100 best...we'll show you outstanding public art exhibits, indoor and outdoor galleries including the Hearst Center for the Arts and more!

Silos & Smokestacks Agricultural Tours

With Silos' offices located here in the metro area, Cedar Falls is a great place from where to begin you exploration of American Agriculture.

Salon Spa Getaways

Combine a shopping excursion amidst the unique specialty shops of Downtown Cedar Falls with a little pampering at a full-service spa.

John Deere Tractor & Engine Museum

Newest addition to John Deere attractions highlights the history and contribution of John Deere through its nearly 100-year history in Waterloo.

Marshall Center One-Room School

Experience a 1920s-era one-room school.



Oster Regent Theatre

A charming venue for the Cedar Falls Community Theatre's four quality productions each year and visiting artists such as the Ozark Mountain Jubilee and the Creamery Theatre.

Waterloo-Cedar Falls Symphony Orchestra

Performances between October and May; includes a Holiday Concert in December which is a favorite!

Grout Museum District Tours

Planetarium shows, Five Sullivan Brothers and other exciting exhibits and hands-on learning opportunities are available any time.

Festival Of Trees Activities

Nationally recognized Festival is held at the Gallagher-Bluedorn Performing Arts Center in November and unusual entertainment options in the Great Hall.

Great American Main Street Tours

Our knowledgeable and friendly step-on tour guides will show you why Cedar Falls was selected as one of only five communities in the nation for this distinction.

Factory Tours

Fascinating factory tours are offered at two distinctly different John Deere locations, as well as at Martin Brothers Distributing, Performance Bodies and The Mudd Group.

Hansen's Farm Fresh Dairy

Guided tour that takes you through the process of getting milk from the farm to your table.

Black Hawk County Barn Quilt Tours

Two guided tour options. Tours include the outskirts of Cedar Falls/Waterloo to rural areas.

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