Great Day! Group Tours Ideas

MICHIGAN ONE-DAY TOURS

Pricing varies by departure city . . . call for your customized package and pricing.

TRUCK MANUFACTURING & HISTORIC VILLAGE OR MUSEUM

- Travel to Dearborn, Michigan
- The Rouge Factory Tour located a few miles south of Detroit, this factory was at its peak in the 1930's when over 100,000 people worked to build Ford products. Today, using the latest technology, the plant builds the new F-150 aluminum pickup truck. Enjoy the short presentation in the theater and then walk along the observation deck, looking down onto the assembly line and seeing the strategically-placed monitors at the various work stations



- Passengers have a choice of the Henry Ford Museum or Greenfield Village (or both):
 - Henry Ford Museum from unique items (Rosa Parks' bus, John F. Kennedy's limousine, an Allegheny steam locomotive, to name a few) to interactive exhibits, there is something for everybody in this museum. Purchase a meal at one of the themed restaurants such as the Michigan Cafe or the American Dog House
 - Greenfield Village experience the past by visiting the Wright Brothers Bicycle Shop, a working farm, Liberty Craftworks and much more. Ride in a Model T, take the train or sit back and let Greenfield Village's teams of horses do the driving as they shuttle you to various village locations

Scheduled Tour, August 10, 2019 for groups unable to fill a bus

FRANKENMUTH TOUR

Suggested Tour Length - 1 or 2 Days or enroute to other destinations

- Travel to Bavarian Frankenmuth . . . it's almost like going to Germany!
- A plated luncheon of Chicken and/or Kasseler Rippchen (a Frankenmuth specialty)
- Shopping along Main Street
- Bronner's CHRISTmas Wonderland, Silent Night Chapel
- Overnight tour includes everything above plus:
 - Lodging for one night, additional meal(s)
 - Guided tour with a stop at St. Lorenz Church (when available)
 - A stop in Frankenmuth can be added to our Mackinac Island, Soaring Eagle, ThunderBay Resort, Agawa Canyon train, Kewadin Casino, Traverse City with Castle Farms and Soo Locks packages



Scheduled Tours, May 11, 2019 and October 5, 2019 for groups unable to fill a bus

MYSTERY DINNER TRAIN

Available Monday - Friday

• Tickets for the Murder Mystery Dinner Train - enjoy a two and a half-hour dining and entertaining

experience aboard a moving train. As the train makes a leisurely trip through the countryside, you are served a wonderful meal while being entertained by a troupe of actors and actresses performing a comical interactive murder mystery as they travel through the train cars. The actors actually ask a passenger to "volunteer" to be their victim. The show is more of a comedy versus a drama and the best way to describe the experience is that it is much like being in the front row at a comedy club, where some of your group members are likely to be involved in the show



Scheduled Tour, September 29, 2019 for smaller groups, an alternate date you may want to consider since the railroad has a ''40-passenger minimum''

ORIGINAL JACKSON HISTORIC PRISON TOUR

The first building to house prisoners in 1838 was a wooden fort that held the first 35 prisoners. The escape of ten inmates hastened the building of a genuine brick and mortar penitentiary. By 1882, Michigan's First State Prison (1838-1934) was the largest walled prison in the world. Within its walls, the factories and surrounding farms, manned by cheap inmate labor, turned Jackson into one of the leading industrial cities in the nation. The prison, originally planned for 800 prisoners grew to house over 2,000 inmates and necessitated a larger, more modern prison a few miles north. The old prison closed in 1934. On the Original Jackson Historic Prison tour, enjoy lively, interactive stories of inmates past and present, prison lore and more. Walk inside the massive walls as bygone prisoners, guards, and wardens come alive with tales of corruption, mayhem, punishments and relief. Lunch is included during the tour.



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