

# Great Day! Scheduled Tour Summary

**OUR HOLIDAY AT AN ESTATE & A CASTLE**

**THUR DEC 9, 2021**

Departures, as applicable, from Willoughby, Beachwood, Independence, North Olmsted, Middleburg Heights.

This **“Holiday Combination Tour”** features highlights of two of the most popular destinations in Medina and Summit Counties, plus a delicious early-afternoon luncheon. We will be visiting the stately estate of the co-founders of Goodyear Tire & Rubber



Company who had it constructed in the early 1900s, calling it “home” for many years. The name given to it, “Stan Hywet”, is translated in Old English to mean “stone quarry”, representing the original use of this site. The final results for this 64,500 square-foot home actually came from tours that the family had made to Europe as they narrowed down the design, using the best features of three English country homes following visits to a total of twenty manor houses.



Making this visit most memorable will be our tour of the interior rooms adorned with both antiques and contemporary pieces from 1915 . . . but set in the unbelievably beautiful holiday decorations that those of wealth displayed.

We will have time to visit the Greenhouse and Gift Shop before the evening lighting displays are turned on and holiday lighting fills our hearts, with trees and other holiday decorations sparkling in front of us, before we re-board the coach. While each year’s

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All tour details are anticipated at the time that the Scheduled Tour Brochure was prepared and specific stops and/or other inclusions are subject to change or elimination without notice. This tour will typically depart between 6 AM and 7:30 AM with the exact time shown on the itinerary you will receive approximately one to two weeks prior to the tour departure. Most tours return about 8 PM to 9:30 PM, although this may vary.

theme differs somewhat, there are generally over a million lights inside and outside the Manor House.

Since we are probably going to be working up an appetite today, our meal to celebrate this festive time of the year has several menu selections that you can choose from. "Happy Holidays" (or whatever they say in the North Pole!)



This expanded holiday tour also includes a "castle within a castle" in Medina County. You'll be seeing displays, over a half million jewels, giant rotating snowflakes and other animated window displays, costumes, movie props from films such as "Elf" starring Will Ferrell, "Santa Clause 2" starring Tim Allen, "Santa Claus: The Movie" starring Dudley Moore – and more! You've probably seen this on one of the television shows as well as reading about it in the newspapers; now's your chance to see it "up close" and, if you are a "tad bit daring", take a ride down the enormous slide in the castle lobby (see below).

**\$152 per person**

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