

Sandy Knoll 4-H Club . 2015-2016 Club Year . Educational Bus Tour

Sunday, April 17, 2016

Schedule:

- 7:30 am . Start loading at the Caledonia Community Center (AKA Readfield Town Hall) (E9181 State Road 96, Readfield, WI)
- 7:45 am - Bus leaves . no stops on the way (1.5 hr drive)
- 9:15 am . Arrival at the **Wisconsin Maritime Museum** (75 Maritime Dr, Manitowoc, WI 54220 - 866-724-2356 x 101)
 1. Complimentary bus parking is located in the north or east parking lots.
 2. Use bathrooms and get ready for the programs
- 12:15 pm . Picnic lunch break . bring your own
- 1:00 pm - Load and 1:10 Depart from the Wisconsin Maritime Museum. (17 min drive)
- 1:30 pm . Arrive at **Washington House Museum and Visitor Center** (1622 Jefferson Street, Two Rivers, Wisconsin 54241 - (920)793-2490)
 1. Tour
 2. Ice Cream Sundaes (Two Rivers is the Home of the Ice Cream Sundae . Bring \$3-\$5)
- 2:30 pm - Load and 2:40 Depart from the Washington House Museum and Visitor Center (7-10 min drive)
- 2:50 pm - Arrival at **London Dairy Alpacas** (6827 WI-147, Two Rivers, WI - (920) 793-4165)
- 4:50 pm - Load and 5:00 Depart for McDonalds (7 min drive)
- 5:10 pm - Arrival at McDonalds (1414 Lake St, Two Rivers, WI) Or you may just bring food to eat on the bus
- 6:00 pm - Load / 6:15 pm Depart from McDonalds (1.5 hr drive)
- 7:45 pm - Arrive back in Readfield

Cost:

- School bus is paid for by the Sandy Knoll 4-H Club
- Wisconsin Maritime Museum = \$7 Adults that are not 4-H leaders, \$6 4-H Club Members, free for registered leaders
- Washington House Museum and Visitor Center = Free
- London Dairy = \$3 per person
- **Final Cost:**
 - 4-H Club Members: \$9
 - Registered 4-H Leaders: \$3
 - Adults that are not leaders: \$10
- Extra money you may want to bring with you:
 - Gift shops at the Wisconsin Maritime Museum & London Dairy
 - Ice cream at the Washington House Museum and Visitor Center
 - Free will donation - Washington House Museum and Visitor Center
 - Dinner . McDonalds
 - Tip for the bus driver

WISCONSIN MARITIME MUSEUM



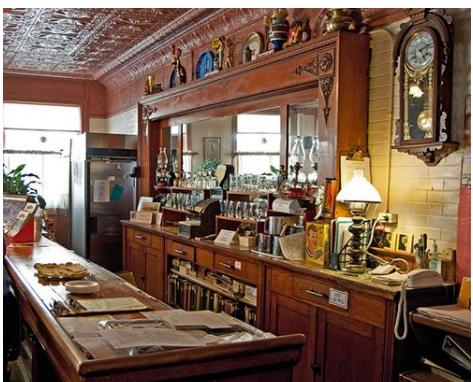
The Wisconsin Maritime Museum is a maritime museum founded in 1968 as the Manitowoc Maritime Museum to ensure that the maritime heritage of Manitowoc, Wisconsin, U.S., and the Great Lakes would not be forgotten. It opened its doors to the public in 1969 in the former YMCA southeast of the Manitowoc river bridge, in 1991, it relocated into a new 16,000 square foot concrete building downstream south of Maritime Drive (Commercial). This museum has become home to one of the nation's most extensive collections of Great Lakes maritime history, original artifacts and nautical archaeology.

The Museum was founded by former submariners and civic leaders who wanted to bring a World War II submarine to Manitowoc to commemorate the role the city played in building submarines and supporting the war effort.

In 1970, the United States Navy donated the USS Cobia to the museum, which is the same type of submarine constructed in Manitowoc during the war. Also joining the new museum Cobia, was moved north east permanently berthed in the Manitowoc River adjacent to the museum, hosts thousands of visitors each year.

This Smithsonian Affiliated museum features the nations most fully restored World War II submarine. This is your opportunity to operate a real steam engine, time-travel back to a 19th century shipbuilding town and let the kids sail their own boat in the Children's Waterways room-all at the largest maritime museum on the Great Lakes.

Washington House Museum and Visitor Center



The Washington House was built as an immigrant hotel in the 1850s. That era saw an influx of European immigrants to the nation and to Two Rivers, especially Germans locally. The population more than quadrupled from 1848 to 1850, when we had 924 residents. The Washington House was built at about the same time as its neighbor, the Waverly Inn. Many other boarding houses were built around this time due to house all the new workers coming by ship and horseback.

Washington House still has its original decorative tin ceiling. The murals in the ballroom were added in 1906 by unknown artists. They are mostly about life in Wisconsin. Also on display is work from Two Rivers native Lester Bentley. Bentley did portraits of President Dwight Eisenhower, three Wisconsin governors, a U.S. Supreme Court Justice, and the recruiting poster for the Coast Guard's women's unit in World War II.

18 different sundae flavors are offered at this replica of Ed Berners' Ice Cream Parlor where he invented the Ice Cream Sundae.

London Dairy Alpacas & Fiber Studio Gift Shop



See a fully operational alpaca ranch and enjoy an interactive and educational shopping experience! Get close with exotic alpacas, and feel how amazingly soft they are while you feed them. Tour the ranch and shop the unique gift store filled with items made from their warm, durable, non-allergenic fibers. Everything from yarns, felt soaps, scarves, socks, slippers, jackets and more are here. Tours of all types can be arranged. Must call ahead for all visiting appointments.