



June 24 - 27, 2019

Departs Wichita, OKC & Tulsa

Highlights:

- Two Nights in Historic Alton
- Spirit of Peoria Riverboat Excursion
- Amtrak Scenic Train Ride
- Arabia Steamboat Museum
- Alton City Tour
- Golden Age Trivia / Dinner Show
- Admissions Listed & 8 Meals

Departs Wichita

\$749 Double \$709 Triple
\$679 Quad \$899 Single

Departs Oklahoma City & Tulsa

\$799 Double \$759 Triple
\$729 Quad \$949 Single

Rates Are Per Person

\$50 DEPOSIT PER PERSON



June 10 - 15, 2019

Departs Wichita, OKC & Tulsa

Highlights:

- Two Nights in Wisconsin Dells
- Cruise through the Upper Dells
- Tommy Bartlett Water Show
- Lost Canyon
- Paul Bunyan Lumberjack Show
- House on the Rock
- Mystery Dinner Theater
- H.H. Bennett Studio
- Admissions Listed & 12 Meals

\$1079 Double \$1029 Triple
\$969 Quad \$1359 Single

Rates Are Per Person

\$50 DEPOSIT PER PERSON

Both Tour Activity Levels:

See page 3 for details



Optional Cancellation Insurance Available
Final Payment Due 35 days before departures

Steamboatin' & Choo Choo

It's summertime, and we'll be on the road...and the rails...and the river! Enjoy a favorite getaway featuring great food, unique attractions and unforgettable experiences.

Day 1 D Independence, MO

Our short adventure gets underway today! Stop in Kansas City to take a tour of the **Arabia Steamboat Museum**. Unbelievable treasures and fascinating history await us here, opening up a window to life on the river 150 years ago. Explore the museum and learn how the handsome steamer Arabia prospered on the rivers, perished in 1856 and was finally rediscovered 132 years later, precious cargo intact. Arrive in Independence in time for an elegant dinner at a grand and historically significant estate.



Day 2 CB, L, D Alton, IL

Travel across Missouri this morning aboard an **Amtrak** train to St. Louis for our overnight in Alton, IL. Historic Alton has been home to some interesting characters over the years. Join a **city tour** and learn about the world's tallest man, free-press heroes and the town fathers who built the city on the mighty Mississippi almost two hundred years ago. This evening, dinner will be all fun and games as we join a **Golden Age Trivia** competition, sure to dust the cobwebs off old memories.

Day 3 B, L Alton, IL

Become a part of the river scenery aboard the colorful **Spirit of Peoria** this morning. This distinctive paddlewheeler will take us down the Illinois River on a day cruise full of food, storytelling and live entertainment.

Day 4 CB, L Home

Return home refreshed from our nice getaway.

Discover Wisconsin Dells

Day 1 D Des Moines, IA

Come away to the famous Wisconsin Dells! Join us as we begin our tour of the scenic and cultural delights of the fabulous upper Midwest. We begin in Iowa's capital city of Des Moines, where we will enjoy the culinary delights of a local favorite.

Day 2 CB, L, D Dubuque, IA

Begin the adventure with a walking tour of the **Amana Colonies**, a National Historic Landmark that celebrates a vibrant community of the past. Linger amongst the craftsmanship of yesterday in their woodworking, winemaking, wool weaving and delicious smoked meats and cheeses. A scrumptious lunch is included at a historic Amana Ox Yoke Inn. Dinner is served along with a side of mystery and intrigue at **Mystery Dinner Theater** this evening.

Day 3 CB, L, D Wisconsin Dells, WI

This morning, visit one of Wisconsin's premier attractions, the intriguing **House on the Rock**. *You'll need walking shoes to tour this architectural wonder.* Next, enjoy a ride through **Lost Canyon**, a mile of cliff-walled gorges in comfortable yet quaint horse-drawn carriages. Dinner will be larger than life at a new Wisconsin tradition. Then, sit back for one of the biggest and exciting competitions around at **Paul Bunyan's Lumberjack Show**.

Day 4 CB, L Wisconsin Dells, WI

Today, start with a visit to the **Carr Valley Cheese Company**. A tour of Wisconsin wouldn't be complete without a chance to shop its world-famous cheese. Then, take a fascinating **cruise through the upper Dells** area amid towering cliffs, rocky islands and fantastic formations left by nature. A guide will provide the history of the area as we wind along the Wisconsin River. After lunch, learn about the photographer who captured the images that made the Wisconsin Dells famous, at the **H.H. Bennett Studio**. Tonight, experience the entertaining **Tommy Bartlett Water Show**. Enjoy skilled water skiers, boating daredevils and other waterside acts in the beautiful Wisconsin summer evening.

Day 5 CB, D Des Moines, IA

Cranberries involve one of the most unique harvesting techniques in North America. Learn about the process, as well as the development of special tools, at the **Cranberry Discovery Center**. Then discover the mystique of SPAM and what has drawn its faithful followers since 1937. Explore the rather intriguing **SPAM Museum** this afternoon. Relax at a farewell dinner tonight at a favorite local restaurant.

Day 6 CB Home

The beautiful Dells linger in our memories the final day of this ever-popular tour as we travel home.