



OCTOBER 5-6, 2017



Fair Oaks Farms is an escape to the country with acres of great outdoor fun, food and learning. Tour the dairy and pig operations and take in the WinField Crop Adventure. Learn about cow nutrition, the safety and nutrition of milk. See the milking carousel and visit the birthing barn. Learn about past and present pig farming practices and hop on the bus to see the growing barn where the piglets grow up. Experience modern crop farming along with seeing and touching the high-tech tools farmers use today.

THURSDAY OCTOBER 5

This morning we board our deluxe motorcoach and meet our fellow travelers on our way to **Fair Oaks Farms** in Northwestern Indiana. Early afternoon finds us touring their **dairy opera-tion**. We learn all about the sustainability aspects of the farm, cow nutrition, and the safety and nutrition of milk. From there, we hop aboard the cow bus to view free stall barns and

the dairy milking carousel. In the Birthing Barn we see the birth of a calf. Later in the afternoon, our schedule includes a visit to the **WinField Crop Adventure**. Experience modern crop farming along with seeing and touching the high-tech tools farmers use. Dig into the facts about Indiana crops and play underground with the bugs and the root systems. Find out how weather affects crop growth and catch virtual raindrops by witnessing a state-of-the-art thunderstorm from beneath the ground. Dinner is included in the Farmhouse Restaurant before checking into our hotel in Merrillville, IN. **(D)**

FRIDAY OCTOBER 6

Today, we are "back on the farm," beginning with the **pig department and Pork Education Building**. We are introduced to past and present pig farming practices at the Welcome Center. The bus will take us to the pig farm and the Growing Barn to see how piglets grow up. Check out the Breeding and Gestation Barn to try the virtual sonogram. Before leaving,

don't forget to witness the miracle of life in the Farrowing Barn. We head to the Feed Barn for a box lunch provided by the Cowfe. There will be time to sample cheeses, enjoy ice cream and do a little shopping before boarding our motorcoach and traveling through Chicagoland, back to Wisconsin. **(B, L)**

MEAL CODE: B-Breakfast L-Lunch D-Dinner

ACTIVITY LEVEL: Average-You should be able to climb stairs, tolerate periods of standing, and walk reasonable distances.

TOUR PRICE: \$299 Per Person Double Occupancy \$365 Single

TOUR INCLUDES:



- * Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- * Hotel Accommodations for 1 Night
 * 1 Breakfast, 1 Lunch & 1 Dinner
- Sightseeing and Attractions Per Itinerary
- * Services of a Personalized Tour Director
- PEACE OF MIND" CANCELLATION PROTECTION: \$59

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

\$100 Per Person Deposit Due with Reservation

Final Payment Due August 4, 2017

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