

19th Annual Pre-World Pork Expo Tour

Des Moines, IA JUNE 6 & 7, 2011

The purpose of the tour is provide to our friends and customers visiting the World Pork Expo(June 8,9,&10) an opportunity to see more than the airport, hotel and the show grounds. By visiting farms and places of interest you will have a much more complete and enjoyable experience. The tour is non commercial. The cost is only the cost of arranging the bus and the cost associated with it (\$90.00). Each participant pays his own hotel and meals where needed. AM-CAN, Inc. will make the hotel reservation for all those persons giving a credit card guarantee and participating in the tour for the time of the tour plus the WPX. Arrangements made by AM-CAN, Inc., 18813 Greendale St., Bloomington, IL 61705, phone 309 663 5153, cell 309 531 1540, fax 206 984 3893, email- cowboyexports@yahoo.com, www.cowboyexports.com

June 5, 2011

SUNDAY arrive Des Moines, IA and check in Hotel (same hotel for all days)

go to **Days Inn Airport**--Mang. Pat (free Airport Shuttle to hotel) Days Inn, 1901 Hackley Ave, Des Moines, IA 50315 ph. 515 256 0603 fx. 515 256 0418 Cost of room with two double beds for 1, 2, is \$61.46 plus tax. = \$68.00. (3-\$68.46, 4-\$75.46 plus tax)

June 6, 2011 MONDAY -FIRST DAY OF TOUR

6:00 AM Breakfast starts

7:30 AM Start Loading Bus

8:00 AM Bus Leave Hotel (*note do not check out – you will return to the same hotel*)

9:00 AM Visit Iowa State University Meats Lab

194 Meats Lab University Blvd.

Ames, IA

ISU Meats Labs is a world leader in meat research and teaching. The Lab is Federally Inspected and set up for teaching but fully equipped in every stage of the commercial process of meat animals and poultry, slaughtering, cutting, packaging, freezing, meat particle reduction, stuffing and linking, smoking and drying, cooking, mixing and blending, curing and slicing. They have a radiation lab for research of radiation treatment of meat. **REQUIRES** no open toe shoes, no men's shorts Pictures may or may not be allowed.

11:00 AM Visit ISU Swine Teaching Farm

Nick Siedelmann, manager

South State Ave

Ames, IA

Viewing windows for Breeding & Gestation, Farrowing, Nursery, Finisher

The Iowa State University Teaching Farm provides animals and facilities to support University classes, course work, education and research as well as and visiting groups. Students have an opportunity to learn about the swine industry from A to Z including production, management and marketing. Animals from the farm have been shown and sold successfully in national events for many years.

12:30-1:30 Lunch

King Buffet

(515) 233-5252

1311 Buckeye Avenue Suite B,
Ames, IA 50010

2:00 PM **Lincolnway Energy LLC**

Lincolnway Energy LLC started production in May of 2006. It is a coal fired dry mill ethanol plant. The plant is located in a prime corn producing area on Interstate Highway 35 and US Highway 30 at Nevada, IA near Ames and on Union Pacific Railroad. The location is ideal for efficient use low cost inputs and easy movement of ethanol and resulting bi-products to market.

3:45 PM

Swine Genetics International, Ltd.

30805 595th Ave.

Cambridge, IA 50046

Swine Genetics International, Cambridge, IA is a world leader in the production and sales of liquid and frozen swine semen from Duroc, Yorkshire, Landrace, Chester White, Berkshire, Pietrain, and Crossbred Terminal Lines. SGI is the largest seller and exporter of swine semen from North America.

If group wants to stop at shopping mall.

6:00 PM Return to Days Inn, Des Moines AP

June 7, 2011 TUESDAY-- SECOND DAY of TOUR

6am Breakfast

6:30 am start loading Bus

7:00 am Bus depart Hotel

9:30 am **Stewart's Duroc Farm**

Doug Stewart

1750 212th St.,

Waverly, IA 50677

<http://www.stewartsdurocfarm.com/index.php>

The Stewart Duroc Farm has been a long time leader in the performance testing and production of quality Duroc breeding stock. Doug and his father, Dave have won every major show. The Stewart Duroc blood lines have probably had a greater influence of the development of the Modern Duroc breed than any other breeder in the world. The Stewart Durocs are leaders in the selection of Durocs lines to improve meat quality.

11:30-12:30 Lunch

Bishops Buffet

101 Crossroads Shopping Ctr (La Porte Road)
Waterloo, IA 50701
319 233 5254

1:00 pm **John Deere Engine Works Tour**, 3801 W. Ridgeway Avenue, Waterloo, IA,
319-292-5347 Dale 1 ½ hrs

John Deere Engine Works to watch an engine being built from start to finish. Tour times are: 9:30 am, & 1:00 pm weekdays. Children must be 13 years of age or older to go on tour. No open toed shoes, no video or still cameras, and no cell phones allowed. **REQUIRES** no cameras or cell phones or small children allowed in the factory

3:00 pm

Hansen's Farm Fresh Dairy

Jay and Jeanne Hansen
8617 Lincoln Rd
Hudson, IA

The Hansen Family dairy is a medium size dairy with 150 Holstein Cows near Waterloo-Cedar Falls, IA. In order to increase income without dramatically increasing scale, they are processing their own milk to produce ice cream and other dairy products. They have their own Ice Cream Store and a Country Store. This farm is a model for the survival of the family farm.

6:30 pm Return to Days Inn Hotel in Des Moines, IA

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Arrive Des Moines, Iowa on June 5, 2011,
Tour June 6 & 7, 2011
WPX June 8, 9, 10, 2011
REGISTRATION FORM
tour & hotels

Cost of tour only \$90.00 to be paid in cash June 6, 2011 (first day of tour), to cover the expense of the Bus. etc. Each person pays his own hotel and meals. Please fill out the form below and return to AM-CAN, Inc. by May 15, 2011. AM-CAN will make all hotel reservations starting June 5 at the Days Inn Air Port Des Moines, Cost of rooms with two double beds for 1 or 2 is \$68.00 inc tax, if check in Jun 5 and check out Jun 10. You must guarantee room with a credit card. Any reservation not guaranteed to a credit card will be canceled. Hotel reservations will be made for tour participants only.

NAME (first) _____ (middle) _____ (last) _____

Farm or Company name: _____

Mailing address _____

City _____ State _____

Postal code _____ Country _____

Telephone _____ Fax _____ Email _____

number rooms required _____ Double ___ Single --- Beginning May 31, 2009

Arriving Des Moines via _____ Flight No. _____ Time _____

The whole Hotel is non smoking.

date of departure from Des Moines _____

Guest Names (First, Middle and last)

1.) _____ 2.) _____

3.) _____ 4.) _____

ALL ROOMS MUST BE GUARANTEED WITH VALID CREDIT CARD.

Credit Card Guarantee Credit Card No _____

Type of Card _____ (MC,VISA,AMEX)

Expiration Date of Card _____

Name of Card Holder, exactly as it appears on the card

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