

Optional Preconference Outing (Thursday, October 26th, 2017)

--9:45-10:00 am: Vans will pick up at hotel(s) for travel to first destination in Booneville, MO

--10:30 am **Warm Springs Ranch V.I.P. Tour** begins

(Headquarters of the Budweiser Clydesdales' Breeding Operation)



The VIP Tour includes the following:

- Tour the facility in a personal, custom-built vehicle
- Interact with Clydesdales across 300-plus acres of rolling pastures
- Take a private walking tour of the 25,000 square foot breeding facility
- Talk to a Clydesdale handler and visit the foaling area
- View the traveling hitch equipment
- Take a photo with a Clydesdale – cameras permitted throughout the tour
- Sample Budweiser beer (Guests 21+ only)
- Cost per person (if 16 people book) = \$50/person including transport to and from hotel(s)

For more information visit: <http://www.warmspringsranch.com/tours.html>

--12:15-12:30 pm: Vans load for trip to the **Katy Trail** in historic, Missouri River town of Rocheport, MO

--12:45-around 1:30 pm: Lunch in Rocheport, MO

Choices include (Average Lunch Cost = 9-12\$):

➔ Meriwether Cafe' and Bike Shop: <https://meriwethercafeandbikeshop.com/>

- Abigail's: <http://www.rocheport-mo.com/abigails.html>
- Mulberry Grill and Bakery: <http://mulberrygrill.weebly.com/>

--1:30 pm:

Option A: Rent bicycles at Meriwether Bike Shop and ride for 2-3 hours on the **Katy Trail** (Bike Rental Cost = 2 hrs/20\$; 4 hrs/30\$ for Adults)



Option B: Check out small local shops, walk the **Katy Trail**, and/or grab a beer at the local hotspots in the small, historic town of Rocheport for 2-3 hours



For more information about Rocheport, MO visit: http://rocheport.com/visitors_guide.pdf

--3:30-4:30 pm: Vans load to travel back to hotel(s)

--4:50-5:45 pm: Hotel down time before reception starts at 6 pm