



TANNENBAUM FOREST HOURS

AMANA COLONIES

THANKSGIVING WEEKEND

Friday, November 29: 11am-7pm

Santa: 1-4pm

Saturday, November 30: 10am-7pm

Santa: 11am-6pm

Sunday, December 1: 11am-4pm

Santa: 11am-3pm

PRELUDE WEEKEND

Friday, December 6: 10am-8pm

Santa: 4-8pm

Saturday, December 7: 10am-8pm

Santa: 2-8pm

Sunday, December 8: 11am-5pm

Santa: Noon-3pm

CHILDREN'S WEEKEND

Friday, December 13: 11am-5pm

Santa: Santa's day off

Saturday, December 14: 10am-7pm

Santa: Noon-5pm

Sunday, December 15: 11am-4pm

Santa: Noon-3pm

FINAL WEEKEND

Friday, December 20: 11am-5pm

Santa: Santa's day off

Saturday, December 21: 10am-7pm

Santa: Noon-3pm

Sunday, December 22: 11am-4pm

Santa: Noon-3pm

Live Reindeer 1-4pm

*Proceeds of Tannenbaum Forest
benefit the U of I Stead Family
Children's Hospital.*



Amana Colonies Convention & Visitors Bureau
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CANDLE-LIT STREETS,
TANNENBAUM FOREST,
SANTA VISITS,
& SHOPPING!

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7

Fireside Winery in the Village

Help us save the Cheese!
Catch 10 'mice' in our store and win a prize.
All weekend long.

Ox Yoke Inn: Open-Close

Saturday & Sunday
Kinder Gift Bags—Gift bags for children at their
tables with purchase from our Children's Menu.
(while supplies last)

Ox Yoke Inn: 11am-3pm

Face painting by Glitz & Glam

Ox Yoke Inn: 11am-3pm

Kids and "Big Kids" can decorate your own
snowman cookie. Minimum \$1 donation per
cookie. All proceeds go to Safe Haven of Iowa
County Adoption & Animal Shelter.

Amana Furniture Shop: 1-4pm

Make your own ornament.
Kids of all ages can decorate their own wood
ornament using colors, markers, glitter, and
of course imagination.
FREE

Amana Heritage Museum's Special Exhibit: A CENTURY OF DOLLS & TOYS AT CHRISTMASTIME

This special exhibit was created for Prelude to
Christmas. The museum auditorium will be
transformed into a child's dream with over
100 collectible dolls from 1900 to today featuring
many doll house miniatures and accessories from
our collection not seen for generations. Reminisce
with your family about your Christmas past and
enjoy a special video.
Last time to see this special exhibit!

FREE admission Prelude Weekend Dec 6-8.

Regular admission other
open days in Nov and Dec.

Go to: www.amanacolonyes.com for more info

OLD CREAMERY THEATRE

Not Another Christmas Letter

An original musical comedy that celebrates
everything that drives us crazy about Christmas...
and why we love it anyway!

Friday at 7:30 pm
Saturday at 7:30 pm
Sunday at 2:00 pm

Junior Claus

It's not easy being Santa's son! Can Junior find his
self-confidence and learn the true meaning of
Christmas in time to save the day?

Saturday at 10am & 1pm

Visit oldcreamery.com for tickets or call 319-622-6262.



FRIDAY, DECEMBER 6
(PRELUDE TO CHRISTMAS WEEKEND)

Bankhaus: 9am-6pm
Our annual Christmas open house with cider & treats, served up by the friendly Bankhaus staff.

Schanz Furniture & Refinishing Shop: 10am-4pm
South Amana. Enjoy holiday cookies and coffee, as you watch a seat-weaving demonstration and tour our workshop.

Amana Church Christmas Bazaar: Noon-7pm
Handmade and homemade Christmas treats, gifts and holiday decor, jellies, jams, preserves, yeast breads, candies, needlework, woodenwares, Christmas wreaths, holiday trimming and more! Created and sold by Amana Church volunteers to help support youth groups, Sunday School, and Vacation Bible Camp. Located on the west end of the Amana Church.

Chocolate Haus:
With any hot apple cider or eggnog latte order, get a FREE piece of soft caramel!

Bierstube at the Ox Yoke Inn: 4-9pm
Holiday appetizers & drinks. A special selection of warm appetizers including cheese and chocolate fondue, our Bavarian Pretzel Snack Platter, plus holiday inspired beverages.

White Cross Cellars: 5-7pm
An informal wine and cheese pairing. Learn some basics of pairing wine and cheese and discover which combination is perfect for your palette.

Festhalle: 7pm
A 20 minute Advent service in the Forest amidst the trees featuring contemporary carols and those from Amana's traditional celebration of Christmas, presented with a joyful perspective for young children and the young at heart. Hosted by the Amana Church with Elder Jon Childers and members of the Amana Church Choir.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7
(PRELUDE TO CHRISTMAS WEEKEND)

Amana Church Cookie Walk: 9am
Select your own delicious box full of homemade cookies, bars, and candies. Thousands and thousands of cookies and candies to choose from! \$25 for a generously sized box. In support of the Amana Church youth groups, Sunday School, and Vacation Bible Camp. Enter at the west end of the Amana Church.

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Amana Woolen Mill: 10am-3pm
Come sample Patti Jones' famous Wassail, while watching Brett demonstrate weaving on our studio loom.

Chocolate Haus: 10am-1pm
Come sample our eggnog fudge! (while samples last)

Fireside Winery in the Village: 10am-4pm
Come over and try a cheese & wine flight! A fun way to try different cheese with our Fireside line of wine. 1 flight is \$3, and 2 flights for \$5.

Amana Arts Guild: 10am-4pm
Villages of Amana Christmas Haus Tour, \$10 per person. Please join us for this year's tour, an event filled with lovely traditions and whimsical surprises. The tour includes 4 homes, and the Amana Arts Guild Kristsmarkt. Tour private homes decorated for the holidays, visit with the homeowners, and take part in the ambience of Christmas in the Amana Colonies.

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Amana Furniture Shop: 11am & 1pm
Guided Workshop Tours—Take a guided tour of our workshop and get a closer look at how we handcraft Amana furniture and clocks. There will also be cookies and ornament making crafts for the kids.

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Millstream Brau Haus: 6-9pm
Ugly sweater Christmas Party! Wear your ugliest holiday sweater proudly tonight at the Brau Haus. Live music performed by Billy Heller, supper, and holiday cheer!

GERMAN CHRISTMAS PICKLE HUNT!

We invite you to search for the German Pickle Ornament at participating shops.

Find the Pickle in 10 shops and enter to win a \$100 Gift Certificate!



SUNDAY, DECEMBER 8
(PRELUDE TO CHRISTMAS WEEKEND)

Ox Yoke Inn: Open-Close
Kinder Gift Bags—Gift bags for children at their tables with purchase from our Children's Menu. (while supplies last)

Ox Yoke Inn: 9am-1pm
Brunch with Santa! Kids ten and under eat FREE with corresponding adult brunch purchase. No other discounts apply. Reservations recommended.

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for more Amana Festival info!

★ ON-GOING EVENTS

Ackerman Winery
Nutcracker Scavenger Hunt. Find 12 of the 24 hidden Nutcrackers around the store. Write down their names and enter to win a special gift basket!

Ackerman Winery
Try our "Jingle All the Way" Christmas beverage in our store to really get into the holiday spirit.

Fireside Winery in the Village
Come in to enjoy our Christmas Cheer Sangria, getting into the spirit all weekend long!

Broom & Basket Shop
West Amana: 10am-4pm.
Sit in the decorated giant rocker for a fun Holiday photo.
(Closed on Sundays).

The Noble Stone
All day, indoor, mining sluice!!
Yes, mine for your own treasures and take home a bag of goodies with a flyer to identify your collection. Fun for kids of all ages! Outdoor FREE pebble dig! 1 FREE treasure per person.

Catiri's Art Oasis
The artists have been busy elves!
Come in and enjoy the great collection of unique gift ideas. Enjoy some hot spiced cider while taking in the color & creativity!
It is a great way to get into the holiday spirit!

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Open Friday Noon-7pm
Open Saturday 10am-7pm
Open Sunday 11am-3pm

High Amana General Store
Open Saturday 10am-7pm
Open Sunday 10am-3pm