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REMAINING FAITHFUL TO A DREAM

Amana Colonies

The history of the Amana Colonies, a National Historic Landmark and one of America's longest-lived communal societies, begins in 1714 in the villages of Germany and continues today in Eastern Iowa.

n turbulent 18th century Germany, in the midst of a religious movement called Pietism, two men. Eberhard L. Gruber and Johann F. Rock, advocated faith renewal through reflection, prayer and Bible study. Their belief, one shared by other Pietists, was that God, through the Holy Spirit, would inspire individuals to speak. This gift of inspiration, or prophecy, was the basis for a group that began meeting in 1714 and became known as the Community of True Inspiration. Though the Inspirationists sought to avoid conflict, they were persecuted for their beliefs. Eventually the Inspirationists found refuge on several estates in central Germany, including the 13th century Ronneburg castle.

SFFKING FRFFDOM

Persecution and economic depression in Germany forced the community to search for a new home. Led by Christian Metz, they sought religious freedom in America and left Germany in 1843-44. Community members pooled their resources and purchased 5.000 acres near Buffalo, New York. By working cooperatively and sharing their property, the community, then numbering 1,200 people, was able to carve out a relatively comfortable living. They called their community the Ebenezer Society and adopted a constitution that formalized their communal way of life.

When the growing community needed more farmland, the Inspirationists looked west where attractively priced land was available. One valley on the Iowa River seemed particularly promising with fertile soil, stone, wood and water enough to build the community of their dreams.

REMAINING TRUE

In 1855 they arrived in Iowa. After an inspired testimony commanded the people to call their village "Bleibtreu" or "remain faithful", the leaders chose the name Amana from the Sona of Solomon 4:8. Amana means to "remain true." Six villages were established, a mile or two apart, across a river valley tract of some 26,000 acres - Amana, East Amana, West Amana, South Amana, High Amana and Middle Amana. The village of Homestead was added in 1861, giving the Colonies access to the railroad

COMMUNAL LIFF

In the seven villages, residents received housing, medical care, meals, all household necessities, and schooling for their children. Property and resources were shared. Men and women were assigned jobs by their village council of brethren. No one received a wage. No one needed one.

Called to work before dawn by the gentle tolling of the bell in the village tower, the unhurried routine of life in old Amana was paced very differently than today. Farming and the production of wool and calico supported the community. Village enterprises, everything from clock making to brewing, were vital. Well-crafted products became a hallmark of the Amanas. Craftsmen took pride in their work as a testament of both their faith and community spirit. Amana churches, located in the center of each village, built of brick or stone, have no stained-glass windows, no steeple or spire, and reflect the ethos of simplicity and humility. Inspirationists attended worship services 11 times a week; their quiet worship punctuating the days.

Over 50 communal kitchens provided three daily meals, a mid-morning and a mid-afternoon snack to all Colonists. These kitchens were operated by the women of the Colony. They were well supplied by the village

smokehouse, bakery, ice house and dairy, by huge gardens, orchards and vineyards maintained by the villagers. Children attended school, six days a week, year-round until the age of 14. Boys were assigned jobs on the farm or in the craft shops, while girls were assigned to a communal kitchen or garden. A few boys were sent to college for training as teachers, doctors and dentists.

In 1932, amidst America's Great Depression. Amana set aside its communal way of life. A ruinous farm market and changes in the rural economy contributed, but what finally propelled the change was a strong desire among the residents to maintain their community. By 1932, the communal way of life was seen as a barrier to achieving individual goals, so rather than leave or watch their children leave, they changed. They established the Amana Society, Inc. a profit-sharing corporation to manage the farmland, the mills and the larger enterprises. Private enterprise was encouraged. The Amana Church was maintained.

AMANA COLONIES TODAY

Today the seven villages of the Amana Colonies represent an American dream come true: a thriving community founded by religious faith and community spirit. Declared a National Historic Landmark in 1965, the Amana Colonies attract thousands of visitors annually all of whom enjoy a place where the past is cherished and where hospitality is a way of life. Evocative of another age, the streets of the Amana Colonies with their historic brick, stone, and clapboard homes, their flower and vegetable gardens, their lanterns and walkways recall an Amana of yesterday. A vibrant community, celebrating both its past and its future, is here today for you to experience.



STOP AT THE MUSEUM

Discover History

We recommend you start your visit to the Amana Colonies with a stop at the Amana Heritage Museum. Understanding a little of our unique history will make your trip much more fun.



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AMANA HERITAGE MUSEUM

705 44th Ave., Amana, 52203

With an award winning 20-minute video, exhibits in three communal-era buildings and grounds recalling turn-of-the-century Amana life, the museum tells Amana's story from 18th century Germany to the present. It is among lowa's top historical attractions with special programs, exhibits, and a museum store.

Open Saturdays

Mar. 9 - Oct 31 Open Daily

Open Fri-Mon Dec. 1 - Dec. 22 Open Fri-Sun

AMANA COMMUNITY **CHURCH MUSEUM**

4210 V St., Homestead, 52236

To learn more about the Amana Church or to simply experience a setting uniquely suited to reflection, visit the 1865 Saal in Homestead. Tour guides discuss religious beliefs and practices of the Amana Church while explaining the unique history and architecture of this 140-year-old building.

Open Sat

Open Fri. Sat

June-Aug. Oct. Open Mon-Sat

*Hours are subject to change; please see amanaheritage.org for current hours. 319-622-3567

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May Open Fri, Sat Open Mon, Fri, Sat

June - Aug. Nov. Open Mon-Sat Open Fri, Sat

Sept. Dec.

Open Th-Sat, Mon Open Sat

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JANUARY

JAN 27 Winterfest

Celebrate winter in Amana, both indoors and out. Events include a 5k run, winter activities, and open fire chili. Stroll the Wine & Beer Walk. Enter the Best Beard Contest or compete in the Winterfest Games. amanacolonies.com



JAN 27 Wine & Dine

Enjoy a special meal complete with wine pairing whitecrosscellars.com · oxyokeinn.com

FEBRUARY

FEB 10 Bockfest

Say goodbye to winter blues at the Millstream Brewing Co. and Rock 108 Annual Bockfest at Price Creek Event Center. Live bands, bock poking, games galore, and German fare. Tickets at millstreambrewing.com.

Musical groups perform in the



Live Music in the **Amana Colonies**

Colonies throughout the year.

Check our online Calendar of Events at amanacolonies.com/ things-to-do/events/ or follow links to our business members' websites for more information.

FEB 9-11 Romance Weekend

Get away for a weekend in the Colonies. Special lodging package, sampling, dining, and more. amanacolonies.com

FEB 9-10 Death by Disco by James Daab

Dinner theatre presentation at Fireside Winery, 1755 P Ave., Marengo, Iowa 52301. Go back to the 70's for a comic murder mystery dinner theatre, Death by Disco. The evening comes complete with dinner fit for any disco king or queen. firesidewinery.com tkmtheatricalproductions.com

FEB 10 Wine & Dine

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FEB 25 Amana Colonies **Wedding Showcase**

All things wedding will be featured at this unique event celebrating the abundant Amana Colonies businesses that serve this special occasion. amanacolonies.com

MARCH

MAR 15 Illusionist Jack Green

Jack is known for his mystifying close-up card magic and is a self-proclaimed 'sleight of hand artist'. His mind-boggling illusions are so masterful that the audience is left to wonder what their eyes have seen is truly possible. tkmtheatrical productions.com

MAR 16 Millstream St. Patty's Party

Get lucky with your friends at the Biggest St. Patty's Day Party of the Year at Millstream Brewing Co.! Live bands, food trucks and the 2nd Annual Brau Haus POINT-5K "Run"! millstreambrewing.com

MAR 16 Vintner's Dinner

Enjoy a themed five-course meal with wine pairing, whitecrosscellars.com

APRIL

APRIL 12-14 Quilt Amana

A three-day quilting event at Price Creek Event Center. Quilt show, quilt sale, demos, and vendors; there's something for everyone. heritagedesignsquiltshop.com/event/quiltamana/

APRIL 12-14 Arts & Antiques Weekend

Celebrate our local arts and cultural heritage with a stroll through the many shops along our Vintage Stroll.

APRIL 13 Vintner's Dinner

Enjoy a themed five-course meal with wine pairing. whitecrosscellars.com

APRIL 27 Food and Wine Pairing 101

Take the tastiest class ever as we teach you how to correctly pair food and wine. whitecrosscellars.com



MAY 3-5 Maifest

The first weekend in May, this German festival features our famous Maipole dancers, a parade, special wine and chocolate walk and more as we celebrate spring in the Colonies. amanacolonies.com

MAY 10-12 A Trick of the Light by Peter Moore

Eddie, a middle-aged guy living a normal life, has just discovered he has the ability to vanish at-will. With his life in chaos, he reluctantly consults a young and slightly unorthodox counselor. Playing fast and loose with time, place and imagination, A Trick of the Light hilariously explores what constitutes a life well lived. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

MAY 18 Food and Wine Pairing 101

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MAY 25 Funkdaddies

Music and fun returns to the Amana Performing Arts Courtyard. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

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Amana Colonies Cell Phone Tour

Look for signs indicating a cell phone audio stop. This free self-guided tour through the seven villages highlights landmarks of history, culture, and landscape in the Amana Colonies. You can access audio files in any sequence by dialing the number indicated on the signs. Maps are available at any Amana Heritage Society site.

Produced by the Amana Heritage Society and we welcome your feedback. You can leave a message by entering (*0) at the end of any audio stop.

Village Voyage **Guided Driving Tour**

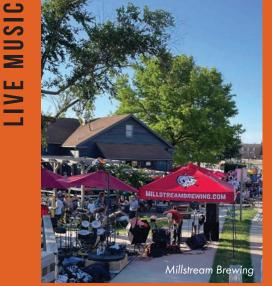
Our 2.5 hour guided tour visits 4 significant historical sites and offers insight into our communal history. Offered May - October. Space is limited. Call 319-622-7622 or stop into the Visitors Center to make reservations.

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MAY 25-27 Iowa Renaissance Festival

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JUNE

JUNE 1-2 Iowa Renaissance Festival

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JUNE 8 Food and Wine Pairing 101

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JUNE 14 Amana Youth Theater Camp Performance

See Amana Youth Theatre Campers (ages 7 and up) in action at the Amana Performing Arts Center. Join us for a night of fun and imagination with this original musical by Deb Kennedy. tkmtheatricalproductions.com



JUNE 15 Food and Wine Pairing 101

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JUNE 14-15 Amana Colonies Wurst Festival

Held on the Saturday of Father's Day weekend, the Amana Colonies Wurst Festival is all about the meat! Enroll in Wurst University, and graduate with the "Wurst Education in Iowa." Vote for your favorite sausage with People's Choice or "First in Wurst." Festive live music and Dachshund races make this fun for the whole family.

JUNE 14-16 Allis Chalmers Reunion

A Father's Day weekend tradition! The festivities include tours, a tractor ride, swap meets and great conversation.

amanarypark.com

JUNE 14-15 Wurst Brass Festival

The Wurst Brass Festival returns to Amana for two days in 2024! It's an electrifying clash of bands competing at Millstream Brewing Co. and the Amana Festhalle Barn. Details at millstreambrewing.com

JUNE 29 Colonies in Bloom / Garden Party

On June 29th tour the beautiful private gardens of early summer flowers.

amanacolonies.com

JULY

JULY 3-4 Firecracker 4th Antique Show

An annual antique vendor show with over 70 dealers held at the Amana RV Park & Event Center. amanarvpark.com

JULY 12 Pairings: An Evening of Wine & Appetizers

An evening of wine and specialty appetizer pairings from three award-winning lowa wineries. Keepsake wine glass included.

*Space is limited for this special event.

ackermanwinery.com

JULY 13 Kinderfest

A day dedicated to children; you'll find special games, crafts, and events for all ages of kids! amanacolonies.com

JULY 13 Tour de Brew

Bikes, Bands & Beers at Millstream Brewing Co.'s Tour de Brew 2024! The 23rd annual tour rolls through Iowa County and ends with a huge daylong block party. Get your tickets at millstreambrewing.com

JULY 27 Colonies in Bloom / Garden Party

On July 27th, tour the beautiful private gardens of early summer flowers. amanacolonies.com

AUGUST

AUG 4 Millstream Oktoberfest Release Party

Don your lederhosen and grab the first pint of 2024 Millstream Oktoberfest at the rocking release party! Dance to the talented DTKK polka band and enjoy Brau Haus brats and pretzels. Prost! millstreambrewing.com



AUG 10 Bike Ride of Iowa County BRIC

Join us for a 28-mile bike ride through Northeast lowa County with numerous fun stops along the way. amanacolonies.com

AUG 10 Amana Arts Guild Festival of the Arts

amanaartsguild.com

AUG 16-17 Iowa Model A Day

The 15th anniversary of Model A Day features over 70 Model A vehicles lining 47th Avenue in Amana. As we step back in time, join us for antique cars and special events in the Colonies. hawkamodelaclub.org

AUG 17 Vintner's Dinner

Enjoy a themed five-course meal with wine pairing. whitecrosscellars.com

AUG 30 - SEPT 1 Amana Arts Guilds Iowa Plein Air

amanaartsguild.com

AUG 30 - SEPT 1 AKC Cluster Dog Show

Watch hundreds of dogs strut their stuff to win top prize at one of the Midwest's most acclaimed dog shows. amanarvpark.com

SEPTEMBER

SEPT 1 Iowa Craft Beer Bash

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SEPT 14 Apfelfest

Our apple festival with special events, a local apple vendor, and special apple treats. amanacolonies.com

SEPT 14 The Roosevelts Meet Ding Darling

At the Amana Performing Arts Center. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

OCTOBER

OCT 4-6 Oktoberfest

Iowa's original and most authentic Oktoberfest! Enjoy live music, food and cold drinks in the Amana Colonies. Join the official keg tapping ceremony and parade to the Amana Festhalle Barn. Tickets will be available online. amanacolonies.com



OCT 9 Grant Wood: Prairie Rebel

Dinner theatre presentation at Price Creek Event Center. Artist Grant Wood chats with the audience as if talking to old friends, telling about his life and how he changed the art world forever with his work. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

OCT 7-8 Iowa Fall Renaissance Festival

A village of entertainment, jousting, music, and much more! iowarenfest.com

OCT 19 Vintner Dinner

Enjoy a themed five-course meal with wine pairing. whitecrosscellars.com

OCT 25-27 Fall Find & Flourish Market

A carefully curated collection of vendors gathering in the heart of eastern lowa for a beautiful weekend. amanarvpark.com

OCT 25 Halloween Party with Winifred & The Undeads

An evening of music and Halloween fun at the Amana Performing Arts Center. Winnie and The Undeads sing your favorite classic rock and blues, as well as ghoulish party songs. Wear your best (or worst) Halloween costume for a costume contest. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

NOVEMBER



NOV 1-3 Girls Getaway Weekend

Come to the Amana Colonies for a weekend of shopping, relaxation, and special events for this women-centered weekend.

amanacolonies.com

NOV 1-3 It's a Girl Thing by Deb Kennedy

Six different women. 6 hilarious and touching stories all told from a feminine perspective, mixed with a splash of music at the Amana Performing Arts Center. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

NOV 16 Vintner Dinner

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NOV 29-DEC 22 Tannenbaum Forest

Get in the spirit each weekend at our forest of over 80 decorated pine trees. Delight in the nativity scene, a 17-foot German Christmas pyramid, and holiday cheer. Watch for a schedule of when Santa will be in the Forest visiting, when live reindeer will be outside the Festhalle Barn, and when live entertainment will take place inside the barn. amanacolonies.com



NOV 29-DEC 22 Prelude to Christmas

A celebration of the holiday season filled with tradition and charm. Each weekend will have a different theme. amanacolonies.com

DECEMBER

DEC 1 A Swinging Christmas

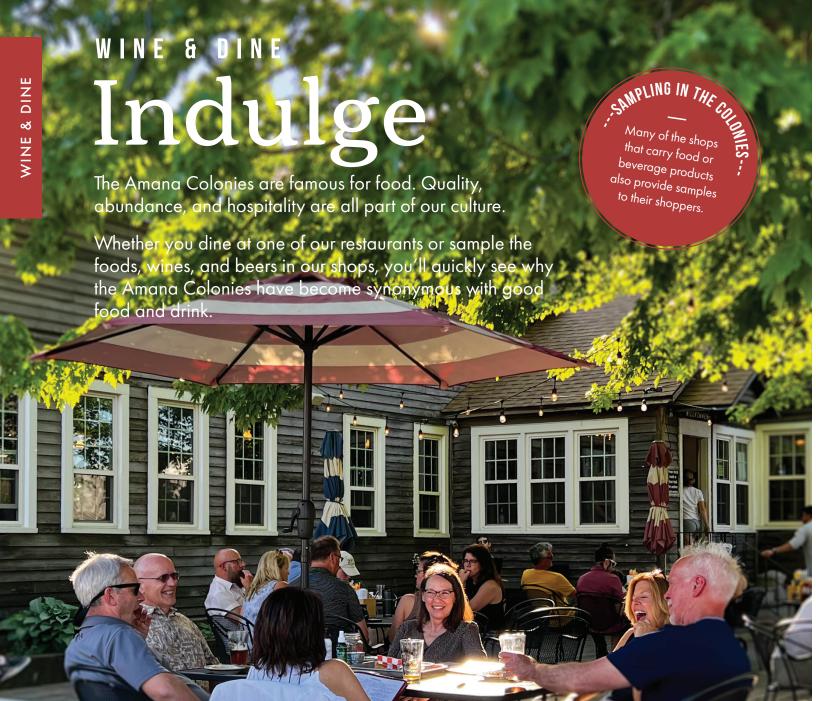
With the Rod Pierson Big Band featuring Craig Boche at the mic at the Amana Performing Arts Center. tkmtheatricalproductions.com

DEC 7 Communal Meal: Traditional Christmas Dinner

Enjoy a traditional Christmas Dinner of creamed chicken, mashed potatoes, noodles, cabbage slaw, stewed peaches and prunes, and a special Christmas dessert. \$35 per person, space is limited. amanaheritage.org

DEC 6-8 & 13-15 A Murder for Christmas by Karen and Alex Schaeffer

In this hilarious, breakneck whodunit, a small community theatre group's annual performance of A Christmas Carol goes horribly awry when Scrooge is murdered. Performance at the Amana Performing Arts Center. tkmtheatricalproductions.com



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last meal was served on April 11, 1932.

How does Hühnersoße and Kartoffelklöße

The Amana Heritage Society will offer a series of unique communal dining experiences at the Communal Kitchen Museum in Middle Amana. Join us each month from April through September for an authentic communal meal as it was prepared and eaten during communal times in the Amana Colonies.

Learn about Amana's traditions and food culture through this one-of-a-kind dining experience. Diners gain insight how village life worked over a century ago. Middle Amana boasts dozens of historic homes built between 1862 and 1875.

Learn where and how the villagers worked, ate, and worshipped.

Menus and registration information are available online at amanaheritage.org. Call the Amana Heritage Museum for general questions at 319-622-3567.

Online reservations and prepayment are required and seating is limited to 24 guests. Groups of 20 or more may schedule their own time, day, and menu

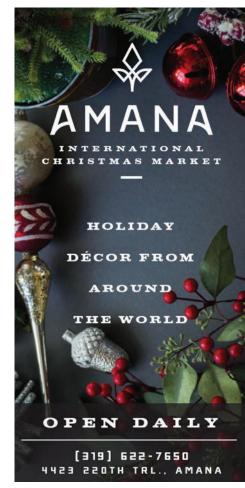




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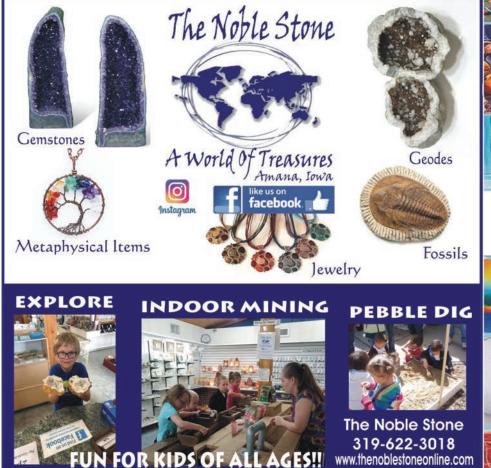


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319-622-6330 or 319-249-4524 maringmillergallery.com Gallery features the works of watercolorist Michelle Maring-Miller and the photography and mixed-media work of her two daughters. Experience the Amana Colonies through the brushstrokes and lens of this talented family of artists. Also find on-site several rooms of antiques for sale.

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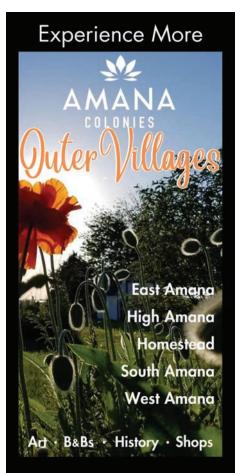


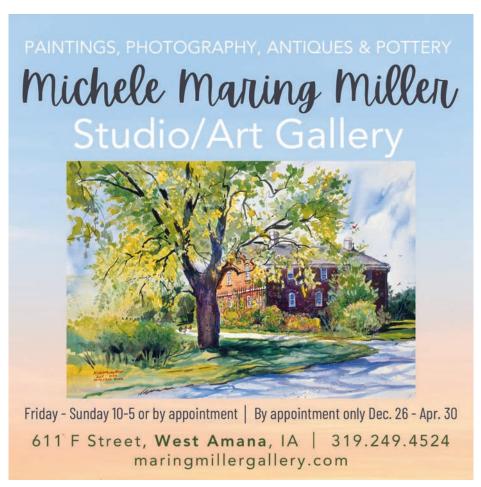
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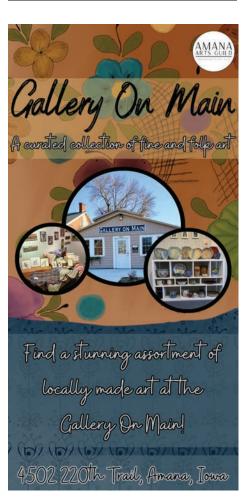
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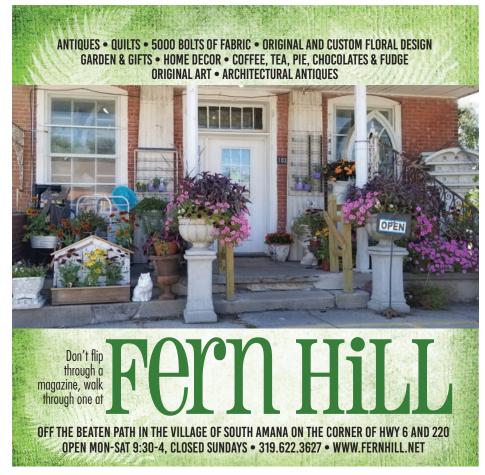
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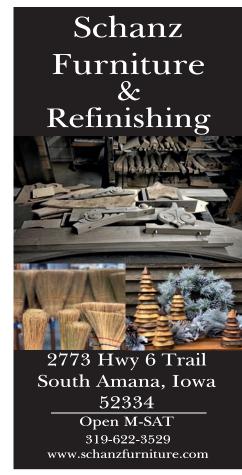
















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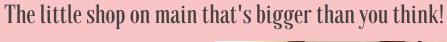






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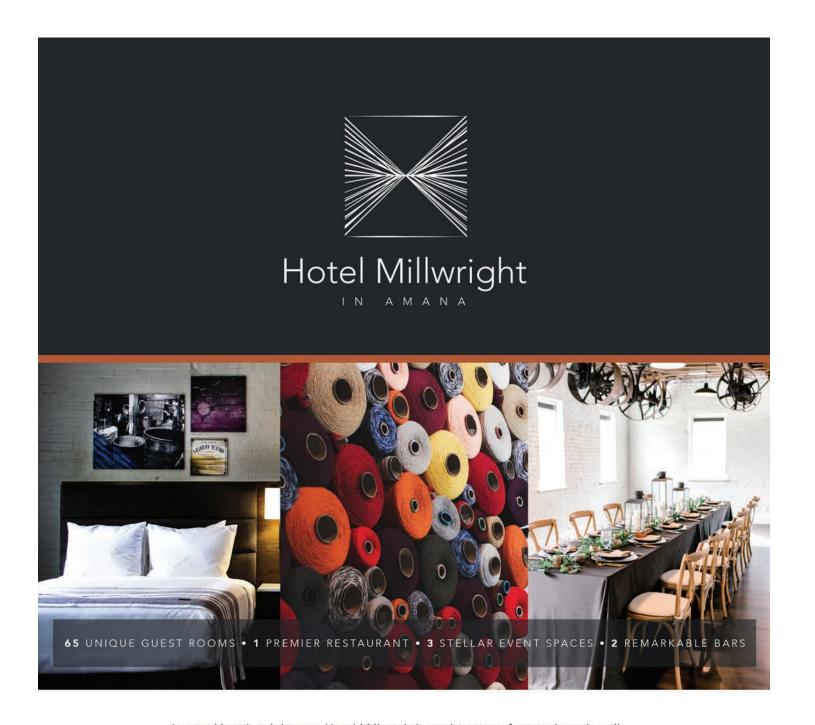


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Amana Nature Trail

Kayaking on lawa River

CAMPING

The Amana RV Park & Event Center is a perfect spot to call home while visiting the Seven Villages. Located along beautiful Price Creek, the Amana RV Park has full or partial hookups, showers, Wi-Fi, on-site laundry and dump stations. The 450 RV and tent sites, onsite convenience store, and three climate-controlled facilities for meetings and events are all open April-October.

Middle Amana Park, also operated by the Amana RV Park & Event Center, offers self-registration, electrical hookup, and fresh water in a quiet and lush setting. A public restroom with showers is located at Middle Amana Park along with a pavilion and open grass spaces for relaxing and playing.

HIKING & WII DI IFF

For nature lovers, meander the **Kolonieweg** (Colony Way) Trail circling the Lily Lake. It offers great opportunities to spot a large and changing variety of birds and wildlife. Eagles are common in the spring, as are pelicans. Canada geese and trumpeter swans are in the area year-round.

Or try the Amana Colonies Nature Trail located near the village of Homestead at the junction of Highways 6 and 151. It features three different trails (the longest being three miles) and is open most of the year, except during deer hunting season. It's perfect for hiking and in the winter cross-country skiing. The trail winds through the timber to a bluff overlooking the lowa River. Expect to see a variety of wildflowers, shrubs and hardwood trees, along with a large number of birds, including wild turkey, and quite a few deer.

From an archaeological standpoint, there are three Indian burial mounds just off the trail that date back about 1,000 years. The river below is the location of an Indian fish weir that is made of rocks. It was used to trap fish during the shallow times of the river. Sadly, due to the change in course of the river, it is no longer visible. In 2018, a grant from the State Historical Society of Iowa Historical Resource Development Program funded a survey of the area to locate the fish weir. It determined the weir to be intact but buried under about 8 feet of silt and sand.

WATER SPORTS

The Iowa River winds itself through the length of the Amana Colonies and provides a very pleasant place to fish or paddle. Bring your canoe or kayak, and drop in upstream near South Amana. Float or paddle your way to Homestead and the Highway 151 bridge where you'll find a rustic spot to end your journey. Along the way you might even get out at one of the sand bars during low water for a little sun tanning.

Paddle the Iowa is a paddle trip in August on the Iowa River. Hop in the river with your kayak or canoe in South Amana and paddle down the river to Homestead. A free shuttle is offered from 9:00-11:00am between South Amana and Homestead to allow you to drop your kayak off in South Amana and park your vehicle in Homestead, getting a shuttle back to the start in South Amana. This event is self-guided and requires each person to wear a life jacket. Pack a picnic lunch to enjoy on one of the many sandbars along the way.

If you have your fishing gear and a license, drop a line into the river. Catfish and an occasional walleye might take the bait. Check the water level before you come, as the Coralville Dam and rain upstream can make the river rise very quickly and can create a swift current at times.

GOLF

The Amana Colonies Golf Club is a championship golf course carved out of 500 acres of white oak timber, just north of Middle Amana. The 18-hole course, with views of the Lily Lake, consistently ranks as the top lowa golf course by Golf Digest and Golf Magazine. The Amana Colonies Golf Club can also host events. For information, visit their website amanagolf.com.

KING

There are several ways to enjoy the Amana Colonies by pedal power. Join cyclists from all over for the **Bike Ride Across Iowa County (BRIC)** event in August. This 28-mile ride through the northeast portion of Iowa County stops at several fun places in the Amana Colonies. Or simply find your own path through the bike lanes in Amana or on the other 20 miles of bike routes marked on area roads.

For a relaxing family friendly ride, try the Kolonieweg (Colony Way) Trail. It is a 3-mile hard surface trail connecting Amana and Middle Amana. It circles Lily Lake, which

blooms from July to August with yellow lotus lily flowers, and provides access to many favorite tourist destinations in the Amana Colonies.

For a more vigorous ride, our **gravel bike routes** are ready for use. The route begins in Middle Amana, then heads north into the timberland past the golf club. This ride offers two options; one that is a shorter ride from Middle Amana to High Amana and a longer ride that extends to West Amana.

The longer ride offers some changes in elevation, so be ready to exhort some energy.



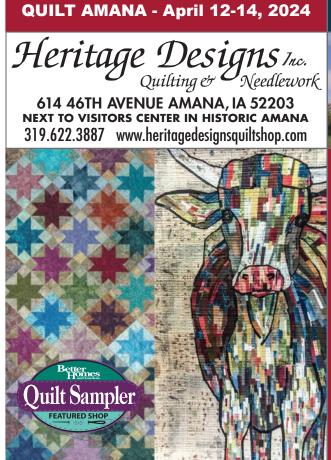


While on the gravel routes, the riders will experience historical points of interest in Middle Amana, High Amana, and West Amana. This ride takes you past the area that inspired Grant Wood to create his painting entitled "Young Corn".











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THE CARDING STUDIO

Private and versatile with eclectic charm. Located in Hotel Millwright's original millwright workshop, this unique space with original industrial elements holds up to 50 people with tables and chairs. On-site, but just steps away from the main hotel, the Studio offers a private space perfect for any gathering. Make the space your own, plan a private dinner, or customize a happy hour.

THE INDIGO ROOM

Located in the center of it all, The Indigo Room is the heartbeat that hosts breakfast, lunch, and dinner. With room for up to 60 guests, this unique space is perfect for small groups, meetings and gatherings. The restaurant features a casual and comfortable service for breakfast and lunch while dinner offerings will feature an upscale style, boasting of flavors that celebrate the regional area. Stay in and enjoy or take it on the go.

ELECTRIC THREAD SOCIAL CLUB

Quaint, cool, and whiskey for days. This unique space, located next to Hotel Millwright's lobby along the millrace stream, is an electric building turned lounge and the ultimate hang-out in Amana. Designed with a nod to its beginnings, the Electric Thread's modern industrial atmosphere, outdoor patio with fireplace, and signature craft cocktails make it the ideal spot for intimate private parties up to 30 people.

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American Gothic grew up, painted, and taught in the area. Many subjects of his art can be found in eastern lowa. A collection of his work is featured in the Cedar Rapids Museum of Art, only a 30-minute drive from Amana.

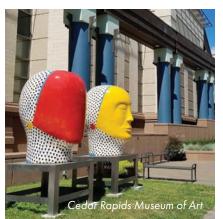
CULTURE AND MUSEUMS

Just 30 minutes north of Amana, the National Czech and Slovak Museum in Cedar Rapids offers exhibits on the Czech and Slovak peoples. While Cedar Rapids is home to many Czech and Slovak descedents, the museum offers more than their story. It chronicles the struggle for independence for these countries.

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Brucemore, a Queen Anne style mansion, is also located in Cedar Rapids. Open for tours, the 26 acre property and 19th century mansion gives a glimpse of the lifestyle of its three previous owners. Today the grounds host a variety of cultural events throughout the year.

East of Amana and less than 40 minutes away. West Branch is the birthplace of Herbert Hoover and is home to his Presidential Library and Museum. The museum tells the Hoover story in a factual and entertaining way.

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MARENGO

Marengo, located seven miles west of the Amana Colonies on Hwy 6, is home to the historic Iowa County Courthouse and a beautifully renovated Carnegie Library. It also hosts the Iowa County Fair each year.

Other communities in Iowa County include: Parnell, North English, Millersburg and

shops and touring options that will get you closer to this unique style of life.

FOOD AND ENTERTAINMENT

A 30 minute drive in any direction will get you a variety of regional and international cuisines. If your tastes are farm to table, Asian, Indian, European, classic American,

Entertainment comes in a variety of forms. The University of lowa's Hancher Auditorium hosts numerous touring companies and musical events throughout the year.

Kinnick Stadium and Carver-Hawkeye Arena are home to the Hawkeyes of the Big Ten.

Victor, Each offer small town charm, historical buildings and downtowns, services and

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Cedar Rapids offers minor league baseball along with hockey and indoor football. Bike trails and walking trails are numerous.

SHOPPING

Looking for shopping bargains and national brands? Drive 10 minutes southwest of the Colonies and you'll find Outlets and Marketplace Williamsburg just off of I-80 in Williamsburg with over 30 brand name stores. Just 20 minutes east of the Amana Colonies is Coral Ridge Mall in Coralville, featuring over 100 specialty shops and a regulation ice rink where you can practice your skating.

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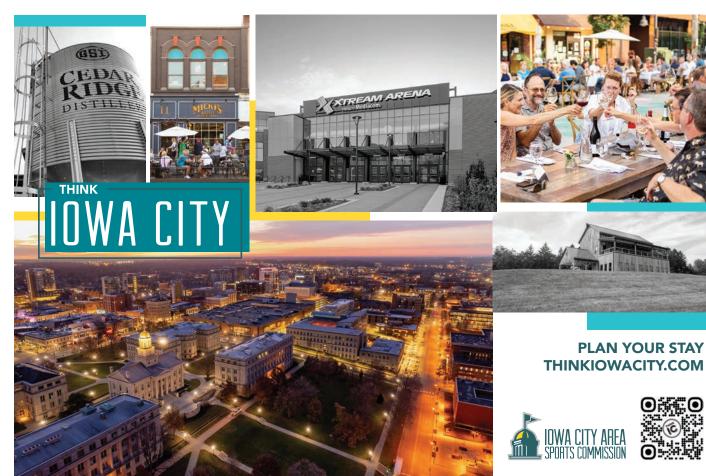
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