

In lowa, memories are everywhere you turn. Like when you and your family hop on the Wabash Trace Nature Trail and pedal through small towns with cafés and shops that will welcome you with open arms. Or when you revel in the beauty of the Mighty Mississippi while cruising on a 19th century replica paddleboat. Or even when you just sit back and share some laughs at one of the picturesque cabins in our state and county parks. You can practically feel the memories being made, can't you?



See what our great outdoors has in store for you at traveliowa.com.





CEDAR FALLS / WATERLOO

Trails upon trails wait for you in Cedar Falls and Waterloo, including single track, paddle and more than 100 miles of hard-surfaced trails. Our two vibrant historic downtown districts offer museums, locally owned restaurants and uniqu shopping for your entertainment pleasure. And did we mention we're home to Lost Island Wate Park? It's lowa's largest!

visitthecedaryallev.com | 800.845.1955



CHARLES CITY WHITEWATER

Avid kayakers, paddle boarders and tubers will love Charles City Whitewater. Located at Riverfront Park, the one-quarter mile rodeo course is rated at Class II/III levels with three distinct features. The park also offers fishing, disc golf, play area and more!

ccwhitewater.com I 641.228.4234



CLAY COUNTY

Fishing, swimming and camping aficionados know Clay County's best-kept outdoor secret -Scharnberg Park, whose beautiful cabins book months in advance. While you're visiting, don't forget the "World's Greatest County Fair" held each September. We hope you Explore, Stay, Do Clay!

exploreclaycounty.org | 712.580.TOUR (8687)



CLEAR LAKE

Spend a delightful day on the lake, explore the beauty of Central Gardens of North Iowa, and bask in glow of beautiful sunsets as you cruise aboard the Lady of the Lake. Complete your visit with a pilgrimage to the Surf Ballroom – a stage that brings music and history together unlike anywhere else.

clearlakeiowa.com | 800.285.5338



CRESTON / UNION COUNTY

Have fun and enjoy our Three Mile and Twelve Mile Lakes, Green Valley State Park, our trail system and shooting range - along with festivities like our 4th of July Celebration and Annual Hot Air Balloon Days (3rd weekend in September). Fun for the entire family.

unioncountyiowatourism.com I 641.782.7022



DECORAH / WINNESHIEK COUNTY

Enjoy more than 18 miles of off-road, single track trails. Groomed, marked and ready for the more adventurous types. Towering bluffs, treescape rugged terrain, and the invigorating smell of the wild all add to ambiance of a real

visitdecorah.com I 800.463.4692



DES MOINES

Catch Des Moines active. Outdoor exploration. Biking trails and water slides. Experience edgeof-your-seat sports action. The thrill of crossing the finish line. The connection with nature. Choose your journey. Watch. Do. Engage. It's all here in Greater Des Moines!

catchdesmoines.com I 800.451.2625



FORT MADISON

Watch a battle reenactment from the War of 1812 at Old Fort Madison. Catch a glimpse of the oldest prison west of the Mississippi. Saddle up for the TriState Rodeo. Enjoy unparalleled dining & shopping. And witness the beautiful views of the Great River Road. This is where lowa began.

visitfortmadison.com | 800.210.TOUR



GREATER DES MOINES BOTANICAL GARDEN

The Greater Des Moines Botanical Garden is a 7-acre public garden in the heart of Des Moines featuring (among others) a water garden, conifer garden, rose garden, an indoor tropical geodesic conservatory, a unique garden shop and Trellis Café.

dmbotanicalgarden.com | 515.323.6290



HOTEL PATTEE

Built in 1913, the fully renovated historic Hotel Pattee has been called one of the finest boutique hotels in the world. Each of its 40 rooms is decorated in a unique way that tells its own story. Located close to the High Trestle and Raccoon River Valley Trail, Hotel Pattee serves as the perfect weekend getaway. Just north of Des Moines.

hotelpattee.com | 515.465.3511



IOWA FALLS

Cruise on the Empress Riverboat, kayak or canoe down the beautiful lowa River. Then explore the Calkins Nature Center, ride the recreational trails and shop in our Historic District. And recharge your batteries at our local B & B's or motels.

iowafallschamber.com | 877.648.5549



IOWA GREAT RIVER ROAD

Come alive outside along the Iowa Great River Road. Boat, fish, hike, paddle, bird and bike on/ along the stunning Mississippi River. Explore, dine and stay in our historic and charming byway towns. We're lowa's most visited coast and byway!

iowagreatriverroad.com



IOWA'S COUNTY PARK SYSTEM

lowa's 1,833 parks are ready for your next outdoor adventure. Explore more than 1,560 miles of trails. Discover one of 70 nature centers. And rest up at one of the many campsites and cabins along the way.

mycountyparks.com | 515.963.9582



JONES COUNTY

What do Grant Wood and motorcycles have in common? You can experience both in Jones County, because we're the birthplace of artist Grant Wood and home to the National Motorcycle Museum. We also have the Starlighters II Theatre where you can watch a show. Come for sights - stay for the stories!

traveljonescounty.com I 800.393.0831



LOESS HILLS

Experience majestic views, fascinating landforms and rare natural wonders at the Loess Hills. which were formed at the end of the last ice age. At strategically placed scenic overlooks, you'll witness magnificent panoramas of the fertile Missouri River Valley farmland, forested hills and vast grasslands.

visitloesshills.org | 888.623.4232



OKOBOJI

With abundant water recreation activities like boating, fishing and parasailing, our vast trails system, Arnolds Park Amusement Park, golf courses, museums, shopping, unique dining and more, it's no wonder we're called lowa's #1 Vacation Destination! Make plans to bring the whole family to Okoboji, where memories are waiting to happen!

vacationokoboji.com | 800.270.2574



Visit TRAVELIOWA.COM for more trip ideas.





PELLA

Find your outdoor fun! Enjoy biking through our Historic Dutch District out to Lake Red Rock where outdoor opportunities are everywhere: birding, boating, camping, fishing, geocaching, hiking, picnicking, snowshoeing, swimming, trail riding — something for all ages!

visitpella.com | 888.746.3882



RIVERBOAT TWILIGHT

Offering one and two day Mississippi River Cruises on the Victorian-styled Riverboat Twilight. Come aboard and experience traveling in style on the most elegant riverboat to be launched in the past 100 years. Let our Captain be your guide to majestic eagles, towering bluffs and historic river towns.

riverboattwilight.com I 800.331.1467



VILLAGES OF VAN BUREN

You'll love the outdoor adventures that you'll discover in scenic Southeast Iowa. Lake Sugema is one of lowa's premier fishing lakes, with 574 acres of outstanding fish habitat and 3600 acres of public hunting. Year-round cabin rentals and full-service campground.

villagesofvanburen.com | 800.868.7822



WATTA WAY

Watta Way To See Pottawattamie County is a route that explores the county's treasures. Experience hiking trails in the Loess Hills, culinary delights, fine artisans, museums, and wine. Thrill to a zip line, water adventure, and photo worthy sunsets.

wattawayiowa.com I 844.271.6909