

## **2014 MEN'S GROUP ACTIVITIES**

Restaurant Week, Smokeys

Flash Dance at the Overture Center

Fire station visit to the one on Lacy Road

Badger Women's Hockey

Wednesday Night at the Lab

Wisconsin Brewing Company

Biking the Capital Loop

Visit to Experimental Aircraft Association annual fly in in Oshkosh

Smokey Joe's Cafe at the Overture Center

Special speakers at our monthly meetings included:

Todd Berge telling us of his experiences piloting the Stealth Bomber

Meditation with Mandi

Old World Wisconsin barns with Bill Tesch— design and construction

The Fitchburg Mayor, Sean Pfaff covering nine points suggested by Jim

## SUGGESTED MEN'S GROUP ACTIVITIES 2014

*(numbers indicate how many were interested at our December meeting)*

### Potential Activities

11 - Camp Randall and Kohl Center tour --Bob H.

11 - Winery/brewery/distillery tours

11 - Kohler Toilets tour—John

10 - Manufacturing/business in general

10 - Tour of Land's End

10 - Cheese factory

10 - Oscar Mayer/Kraft tour

10 - Epic (second visit)

9 - Arboretum tour

9 - Pontoon Ride—Jim S.

8 - EAA Museum—Jerry S. ?

8 - Museum of the Mississippi in Dubuque

8 - Walking (historic, architectural ) tours

7 - Senior Center day trips

6 - Tour of State Capitol

6 - Fish hatchery/DNR

6 - Alliant Expo- Model RR layout—Ewing R.

6 - M. Kenseth Car Museum in Cambridge

- 6 - Aztalan
- 6 - Cave of Mounds
- 6 - WI Wagon Company
- 5 - Maritime museum WWII submarine
- 5 - Little Norway
- 5 - Green Bay Railroad Museum
- 5 - Talliesen tour
- 5 - Tour of Harely Davidson
- 4 - Tour of Overture
- 4 - Outboard Marine tour
- 4 - Auto museum - Volo
- 3 - Railroad Museum in Freedom WI
- 1 - House on the Rock

WI Veterans Museum in Madison

WI Historical Museum in Madison

Horicon Marsh Tour

Sturgeon Bay Ship building tour

Civil War Museum (Kenosha)

American Motors Museum

Paine Museum in G. Bay

Rustic Roads (use these where possible to get to some activities) Hartford  
Car Museum

Galena Trip

Old World Wisconsin

Participatory Activities

Biking trips

Bowling

Golf

Tennis

Bocce Ball

Walking/Hiking

Pickle Ball

Fishing

Gardening

Snowshoeing

**MEN'S GROUP ACTIVITIES - 2013**

Restaurant week

Bowling

Foundry tour

Circus World Museum

Many Wednesday Night at the Labs

Tour of the Overture Center for the Arts

Broadway musical "CHICAGO"

UW Athletics facilities tour

Overture show "Masters of the Fiddle"

Bocce ball

Ging to the Corn Maze

### **Men's Group 2012 ACTIVITIES**

- Nanotechnology Lab at UW
- "Fiddler on the Roof" - Overture
- Buddhist Lecture
- Yaharra Distillery
- ETC - Electronic Theater Controls
- Numerous Wednesday Night at the Lab - UW
- Festa Italia
- Mallards Game
- Monestary - Icons
- Potosi Beer Museum
- Truax Field Tour - fighter jets
- Tour of Fitchburg Police Department
- "Jersey Boys" - Overture

### **2011 Men's Group Activities**

#### Men Only:

Harley Davidson Museum tour

Hoard Museum, Farm, and Dairyman Magazine tour

Dr. Evermore Metal Sculpture tour /Delaney's Surplus store

Fitchburg Library tour

UW Nanotechnology tour

Corn Maze

Early tour of Sr. Center Expansion

Private showing of model railroad layout

Men/Women Activities:

Cubs game at Wrigley Field/Chicago trip

Bike ride to Riley's Tavern

Fiesta Italia celebration at McKee with Botcee Ball

Jazz Festival at Union Terrace

Madison Restaurant Week dinners

Dairyland Walkers event at McKee Park

Dorf Haus dinner at Roxbury

Devil's Lake Walk

Botham Winery event

Concerts at McKee Park

Madison Waterskiing Event

Historical Walking Tours

Overture "after work" music events

Spin-Off Groups:

Financial/Investment Group

2009-2010 Men's Group activities

1. Fish hatchery tour
2. Monona Terrace tour
3. State Capitol tour
4. Overture tour
5. Promega genetic engineering lab (bioluminescence)
6. UW boathouse
7. UW Allen Botanical Gardens
8. International Crane Foundation
9. Wollersheim Winery tour
10. Trek bicycle tour
11. EPIC Tour
12. Babcock Dairy Tour
13. Tour of the new Fitchburg Library