



CARGILL CARES ALUMNI - ST. CROIX RIVER CRUISE TUESDAY, AUGUST 31, 2021 \$70.00 PER PERSON

Registrations due Saturday, July 31, 2021 – Minimum 30 registrations

Call or text Ceal at 612-309-5164 or email at ceal2987@gmail.com with questions

- 9:45 a.m. Leave from Cargill – Former Cargill Research Building – 2301 Crosby Road, Minnetonka.
- 11:00 a.m. Arrive in Stillwater, the birthplace of Minnesota. It is former lumbering center located on the St. Croix River. This distinctive community has a wealth of 19th century Greek Revival, Queen Anne and Italianate architecture. It offers an excellent blend of history, scenery, shopping and culture. Unload at the docks of the St. Croix Boat & Packet Company to board the scheduled cruise.
Note: The boat staff is available to help guests who need assistance. Group Leader will need to advise the boat staff if someone needs help. They do have wheelchairs in the office to transport passengers. Depending on water levels, there may be considerable walking from the bus parking area to the boat landing. Depending on which boat is used, the gangplanks could be narrow and are often steep, but there are railings.]
- 11:30 a.m. Depart for a cruise on the St. Croix River aboard one of the modern vessels from the St. Croix Boat & Packet Company fleet. It is climate controlled and fully accessible. Table seating is available on the first floor. Relax and enjoy the sights and sounds of the St. Croix River. [This cruise is not narrated. Guests can bring cards, bingo or other games to play while cruising.]
- 11:45 a.m. A deli luncheon is served buffet style as you cruise the St. Croix River. Menu: The Deli Luncheon has a variety of meats and cheeses, salads and dessert bars. Coffee and soft drinks are included in the price. [Because this is a schedule cruise, everyone on the bus should have a sticker or name tag to indicate they have prepaid for the for the lunch and a beverage.]
- 1:30 p.m. Boat will return to the Stillwater Docks.
- 1:45 p.m. Meet a step-on-guide for a narrated tour of the history, folklore & old mansions of Stillwater. Journey back in time to the era of Victorian finery and turn-of-the-century charm. Nestled in the wooded hills and bluffs of the beautiful St. Croix River, Stillwater is a treasure that time forgot. Multicolored Victorian homes dot the landscape. This distinctive community has a wealth of 19th century Greek Revival, Queen Anne and Italianate architecture. See the historic Stillwater Lift Bridge, constructed in 1931. Hear about Stillwater's Founders and the influential Lumber Barrons. There are beautiful views of the St. Croix River.
- 2:45 p.m. Drop off guide.
- 3:00 p.m. Arrive at St. Croix Winery Store in Stillwater. Purchase award-winning local wines, grown and vinted at the orchard. The store is adjacent to the Aamodts Apple Farm. You can purchase Minnesota apples inside the nostalgic apple barn. The bakery has pies featuring JoAnn Aamodt's secret recipe, the famous cider donuts, fresh apple cider, locally produced honey and other tasty products and gifts.
- 3:45 p.m. Leave St. Croix Winery Store & Aamodts Apple Farm.
- 5:00 p.m. Estimated return time to Cargill.

Please return your check with this form no later than Saturday, July 31, 2021

Registration for St. Croix Boat Cruise, Tuesday August 31, 2021

Name: _____ Guest: _____

Add additional names on the back. Please make checks payable to **Medicine Lake Tours.**

Mail registration and check to: Ceal Regnier, 336 Roosevelt St. S, Cambridge, MN 55008

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