

AVSA/AVSC 2012 Detroit Convention Tours

NOTE: Tours for the 2012 Detroit Convention have some changes: For Tour 1 — Henry Ford Museum, Tour 2 — Frankenmuth and Tour 3 — Edsel & Eleanor Ford House, there must be a minimum of 15 reservations for each tour by May 1, 2012. Tours not meeting the minimum will be cancelled. The maximum for each tour is 25. **THIS DOES NOT APPLY TO TOUR 4 — THE DETROIT PRINCESS RIVERBOAT DINNER CRUISE.**

Tour 1: Henry Ford Museum/Greenfield Village: Tuesday, June 5, 2012 9:00AM – 4:30PM

The Henry Ford Museum is a destination to explore what Americans past and present have imagined and invented. The sweeping single-floor space with its 40-foot ceilings covers nine acres. The newly renovated automotive exhibit will be open in 2012. Greenfield Village takes you back to the sights, sounds and sensations of America's past. You will be able to tour the attractions at your own pace. There are several dining facilities for lunch on your own. Wheelchairs and electric scooters are available to rent on a first-come, first-served basis. However, there may be limited access at some buildings in the Village. The one-day ride pass includes the historic rides and transportation in Greenfield Village: Weiser Railroad Train, Vintage Model T, 1931 Ford Model AA Bus, Greenfield Village Omnibus Village and Herschell-Spillman Carousel. www.thehenryford.org/museum and www.thehenryford.org/village

Tour cost includes minibus transportation, admission to the Henry Ford Museum/Greenfield Village and a one-day ride pass. Minimum: 15 reservations by May 1, 2012; Maximum: 25 reservations.
Tour cost per person: \$68.00



**Tour 2: Frankenmuth/Bronner's Christmas Wonderland:
Wednesday, June 6, 2012 8:00AM – 4:30PM**

We will travel north of Detroit on I-75 through the Michigan countryside to visit and shop. The first stop is Bronner's Christmas Wonderland featuring a selection of everything Christmas from ornaments and trim, to lights and other Christmas collectibles — everything imaginable. So plan ahead and bring your list. www.bronners.com

We will then continue about 2 miles to Frankenmuth, Michigan's Little Bavaria. The town features a rich historical beauty and culture, an eclectic shopping experience and dining on the world-famous chicken dinners. You will be able to tour, shop and have lunch on your own at your own pace. www.frankenmuth.org

Tour cost includes minibus transportation. Minimum: 15 reservations by May 1, 2012;
Maximum: 25 reservations.

Tour cost per person: \$44.00

NOTE: Travel to Frankenmuth is 1 ½ hours minimum, one way. There is a rest area on the way, if needed.



**Tour 3: Edsel & Eleanor Ford House:
Thursday, June 7, 2012 8:30AM – 12:30PM**

Since opening to the public in 1978, thousands of visitors have visited the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House to marvel at the extraordinary home and collection of original antiques and art. You can stroll through the house and grounds to see the importance design excellence played in the family's lives. You will have an opportunity to have lunch on your own at Cotswold Café on this half-day tour and return in time for opening of the Sales Room at convention. www.fordhouse.org

Tour cost includes minibus transportation and admission to the Edsel & Eleanor Ford House. Minimum: 15 reservations by May 1, 2012; Maximum: 25 reservations.

Tour cost per person: \$37.00



**Tour 4: Detroit Princess Riverboat Dinner Cruise:
Friday, June 8, 2012 6:15PM – 10:00PM**

Enjoy a relaxing dinner aboard the Detroit Princess after busy days at convention. The dinner is an all-you-can-eat dinner buffet featuring Prime Rib, Crab Stuffed Salmon, Chicken Piccata, Vegetarian Alfredo Lasagna, Potato Dauphinoise, Cheese Tortellini w/ Pesto Cream sauce, Wild Rice, Caribbean Vegetable Medley, assorted chilled salads, rolls, dessert, coffee, and iced tea. A CASH BAR WILL BE AVAILABLE. There will be live entertainment—Motown Revue with music from the '60s, '70s, and '80s.

The dock is a 10-15 minute walk from the hotel. www.detroitprincess.com. Those needing a ride to the boat need to sign up at the convention registration table. An estimate cost would be \$5.00 each way.

Tour cost includes cruise, dinner buffet, entertainment, taxes and gratuity. No minimum/maximum reservations.

Tour cost per person: \$52.00

