

NEWTON

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Sugar, Spice and Everything Nice...
Lizards, Snails and Puppy Dog Tails...
-Enjoy a day filled with appealing attractions for both genders-
(pricing subject to change)

- 10:00 a.m. Arrive at the **Newton Arboretum and Botanical Garden** for a morning break and program. *While your bank club members relax over a cup of coffee and enjoy the beauty of the garden, they have the opportunity to enjoy a program on the history of coffee.* (\$3.00/person)
- 11:30 a.m. Depart the Newton Arboretum and Botanical Garden for LaCorsette Maison Inn.
- 11:35 p.m. Arrive at **LaCorsette Maison Inn** for a delightful gourmet lunch and tour. *This opulent, mission-style mansion, built in 1909 by early Iowa State Senator August Bergman, is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Amid the charm of the original mission oak woodwork, art nouveau stained glass windows, and brass light fixtures, visitors enjoy gourmet dining.* (\$17.50 plus beverage, tax and gratuity)
- 1:35 p.m. Depart LaCorsette Maison Inn for Pappy's Antique Mall / shopping on the Newton Square.
- 1:40 p.m. Arrive in **Downtown Newton** for an hour of shopping. **Pappy's Antique Mall**, located on the South side of the Newton Square is filled with quality antiques and collectibles. *Bank Club members could spend more than an hour in this store alone! The entire downtown area is covered with a canopy in case our Iowa weather isn't cooperative. Newton's Downtown area is thriving with many stores including specialty shops for music, crafts, books, shoes, floral, and antiques.* (FREE)
- 2:40 p.m. Depart Downtown for Trainland USA

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- 3:00 p.m. Arrive at **Trainland USA** in Colfax, Iowa for an afternoon filled with toy trains operating in exceptional background displays. *This operating toy train museum depicts a cross-country tour of the USA, featuring 25 Lionel "O" gauge trains running on 4,000 square feet of track, covering 2,600 square feet of display area.* 55 and over - \$4.50, 13 and above - \$5.00, 12 and under - \$3.00, Under 2 - Free. For groups of 15 or more, please call for special pricing.
- 4:00 p.m. Depart Trainland for Newton to check in and freshen up for the evening meal at one of our wonderful **hotels**.
- 5:30 p.m. Depart the Hotel for the Sugar Grove Vineyards & Gathering Place
- 5:40 p.m. Arrive at **Sugar Grove Vineyards & Gathering Place** for an elegant evening of dinner and dinner theater show. (please call for menus and pricing)
- 7:30 p.m. Depart Sugar Grove for the hotel.

Day 2

- 8:00 a.m. Wake up to a **free breakfast** at your hotel. *All Newton hotels/motels offer a continental breakfast, breakfast bar, or full breakfast at no additional charge.* (FREE)
- 9:00 a.m. Depart the hotel for the Neal Smith Wildlife Refuge and Prairie Learning Center in Prairie City.
- 9:30 a.m. Arrive at the **Neal Smith Wildlife Refuge and Prairie Learning Center** located southwest of Newton. *The refuge is the largest ecosystem reconstruction project in the United States. Here, on nearly 6,000 acres is a protected habitat. An auto-tour route, walking trails and an award-winning Prairie Learning Center awaits you and your group. Experience state-of-the-art audiovisual programs, a walk-through underground prairie rootscape, interpretive displays and much more.* (FREE) + \$50 for guide service
- 11:30 a.m. Depart for home.