

Blooms, Brews & Arts



JANESVILLE

Wisconsin's Great Outside

Visit for a day to enjoy a mix of these options or more to incorporate the full itinerary. Lori Johnson will work with your group to provide the ideal lodging options.



Rotary Botanical Gardens

Enjoy a tour through 20-acres of scenic walkways that wind their way through picturesque bridges, an ornate gazebo, and heavenly-scented flower gardens.



Rock County Brewing & Gray Brewing ©Full Spectrum Photography

Local Craft Breweries

Visit the tasting room of **Rock County Brewing**, Janesville's first nano brewery! They offer unique hand-crafted beers made in small batches. Experience a brewing tradition at **Gray Brewing**, the nation's oldest family owned bottling company.



Rock County Historical Society & Lincoln-Tallman House
Tour the **Lincoln-Tallman House**, an Italian villa style mansion where Abraham Lincoln was a guest in 1859. Today, the home, located on the grounds of the Rock County Historical Society (RCHS), has been restored and still houses 75% of the original furnishings from the Tallman Family. Take a traditional tour or one of their experiential tours: Help Wanted or Tallman Technology. Also located on the RCHS grounds is the **Helen Jeffris-Wood Museum Center**. It offers exhibit galleries that feature Pauline Pottery and Pickard China and Parker Pen, as well as rotating exhibits celebrating the history and heritage of Rock County and a gift shop. The RCHS grounds offer a variety of options for group activities.



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Outdoor Public Art, History & Architecture

Take a step-on tour with **Roaming Rich!** Explore some Janesville's most interesting outdoor public art, history and/or architecture.



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Janesville Performing Arts Center

The Center's 633 seat theatre is located in the historic Janesville High School/Marshall Junior High School building in downtown Janesville. JPAC offers performances of live music, theater, comedy, improv, dance, and more.



K & W Greenery

Tour this nearly 2 acre indoor greenhouse growing operation and a nursery that is widely considered one of southern Wisconsin's finest. Take a behind the scenes tour, shop their extensive gift shop, learn during a class or create something special to take home with you.

Abraham Lincoln's Adventures in Janesville

Join Janesville Historian, Pete Skelly, as he relives Abraham Lincoln's two visits to Wisconsin. During this step-on tour, Skelly will share stories about Abraham Lincoln's trips through Janesville, including why Lincoln ended up walking back to Illinois, and the mystery behind his overnight stay at the home of a wealthy Janesville businessman.



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Rock Aqua Jays Water Ski Show

Enjoy a performance by the most successful water ski show team in the world! They perform free water ski shows on Sunday and Wednesday evenings from Memorial Day through Labor Day weekend.



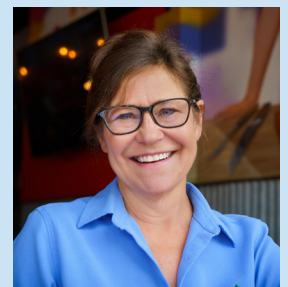
Janesville's Galleries

Soak in the arts at any or all of Janesville's galleries & exhibits: Hedberg Public Library, Janesville Performing Arts Center, Raven's Wish Gallery and the Woman's Club Gallery.



Local Wineries

Engage your senses with wine-tasting at any or all of the area's three wineries (Northleaf, Timber Hill & Fermenting Cellars). Make and take items, and dining options available.



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