

Sipping Across Missouri

Day 1: Friday 20 September 2024

Arrive Blue Springs Lake Campground, 5400 NE Campground Road, Blue Springs, MO 64064

3 pm – Welcome meeting at campground

Present and discuss Travel Guide

4:30 – GAM #1

5:30 – Welcome dinner at campground (Jack Stack BBQ)

Day 2: Saturday 21 September 2024

10:30 – Bus departs for Weston MO

McCormick Distilling Company (Holladay Distillery) tour

Box lunch at McCormick

Whiskey 101 with Mike at The Whiskey Snug (already talked to him about this – cool little venue with over 1100 bottles to taste from)

Pirtle Winery tasting (pretty small place) not sure if we can do this – might be better off just doing the first two things.

4:30 – Depart Weston

5:15 Arrive at **J Rieger Company**, 2700 Guinotte Ave, Kansas City MO

Dinner and GAM#2

8:30 – Depart J Rieger

9:15 Arrive at campground

Day 3: Sunday 22 September 2024

Free day on your own

Things to do in KC: WW I Museum, Union station and a Free trolley from WWI through downtown ends at River Market/City Market where the Arabia Steamboat Museum is. There is a Beer District with 4-7 breweries just off of this trolley route.

5:30 – GAM #3

Dinner on your own

Day 4: Monday 23 September 2024

9:00 – Driver’s Meeting – note the trip is only 119 miles, approximately 2 hours.

Before 11 – Depart for Cottonwoods RV Park, 5170 N Oakland Gravel Road, Columbia MO

Check in is 1 pm

Columbia is the home of the University of Missouri and the Museum of Art and Archaeology, and the Boone County History and Culture Center. At the center of the university’s main campus, Francis Quadrangle comprises lawns, 6 stone columns, many landmark buildings, and Mizzou Botanic Garden flowerbeds. To the east, Stephens Lake Park has trails, picnic shelters, a beach, and a boardwalk. Downtown you will find a host of breweries, distilleries, and fine dining.

5:00 – GAM #4

6:00 – Catered dinner, game night, mixology demonstrations

Day 5: Tuesday 24 September 2024

12:15 – Depart for Warm Springs Ranch in Boonville tour is at 1:30

Budweiser Clydesdales Breeding Facility tour which also includes several glasses of beer. On your way back stop at The Blufftop at Rocheport where you will find lovely blufftop facilities for a picnic and wine tasting.

5:30 – GAM #4

Dinner on your own

Game night in the meeting room

Day 6: Wednesday 25 September 2024

9:00 – Driver’s meeting - note the trip is only 67 miles, approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes.

Before 11 – Depart for Hermann City Park campground, 118 13th St, Hermann, MO

Hermann is a quaint little German town that was established in 1837 and has a bar that states it is the longest operating bar west of the Mississippi.

5:00 – GAM #5

6:00 – Catered dinner – Fernweh Distillery

Day 7: Thursday 26 September 2024

8:30 – Group made breakfast at the campground

11:00 – Hermann Trolley will pick us up at the campground (636-575-6920) tours are from 10-5

Experience the beauty of Hermann, Missouri's wine country, with our expert drivers as your guide. You and your group can visit up to 7 wineries and several distilleries.

5:00 – Driver's meeting - note the trip is only 60 miles, approximately 1 hour and 15 minutes.

5:30 – GAM #6

Dinner on your own

Day 8: Friday 27 September 2024

Before 11 – Depart for 370 Lakeside Park campground, 1000 Lakeside Park Drive,
St Peters MO 63376 636-387-5253 (Stephanie)

6:00 – Catered dinner at the campground pavilion

Day 9: Saturday 28 September 2024

10:30 – Depart for Budweiser factory tour, Still 630 Distillery, Switchgrass Spirits

Box lunch on the bus

5:00 – Return to campground

Dinner on your own

Day 10: Sunday 29 September 2024

Free day on your own

Things to do in St Louis: Gateway Arch, zoo (free), park larger than central park in NYC, little Italy, attend a baseball game, hockey game, soccer game, 6 flags amusement park, St Louis union station, city museum, St. Louis science center.

5:00 Closing dinner at Liliana's Kitchen, 3891 Mid Rivers Mall Dr, Cottleville, MO 63376

Day 11: Monday 30 September 2024

Departure day

Safe travels and see you down the road!