

IANR Roads Scholar Tour

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Attire: Casual dress. Some of the tour stops will involve walking outdoors, so be prepared for Nebraska weather. You may want to bring a light jacket, hat, and umbrella.

Day 0 – Monday, July 29

6:00 pm **Night at the Museum at Morrill Hall**

Day 1 – Tuesday, July 30

6:45 am Board Bus, Hardin Hall North Parking Lot

7:15 am Depart for Mead [*est drive time 45 mins*]

8:00 am **Eastern Nebraska Research and Extension Center (ENREEC)** – Mead, NE

9:30 am Depart for Columbus [*est drive time 1 hr, 30 mins*]

11:00 am **Lunch at The Evans House** – Columbus, NE

12:15 pm Depart for Orchard [*est drive time 1 hr, 45 min*]

2:00 pm **Sht'uh Farm** - Orchard, NE

3:00 pm Depart for Royal [*est drive time 15 min*]

3:15 pm **Ashfall Fossil Bed, State Historical Park** – Royal, NE

4:30 pm Depart for Valentine [*est drive time 2 hr, 30 min*]

7:00 pm **Dinner at Bolo Beer** – Valentine, NE

8:45 pm **Check into hotel at Comfort Inn** – Valentine, NE

Day 2 – Wednesday, July 31

7:00 am Depart for Fort Robinson State Park [*est drive time 2 hr, 45 min, minus one hour*]

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- 8:45 am MT **Fort Robinson Visit** – Crawford, NE
- 10:30 am MT Depart for Scottsbluff [*est drive time 1 hr, 30 min*]
- 12:00 pm MT **Lunch at Panhandle Research and Extension Center** – Scottsbluff, NE
- 1:00 pm MT **Panhandle Research and Extension Center Tour** – Scottsbluff, NE
- 3:00 pm MT Depart for Scotts Bluff Monument [*est drive time 15 min*]
- 3:15 pm MT **Scotts Bluff National Monument Tour** – Gering, NE
- 5:00 pm MT **Check into hotel at Hampton Inn & Suites** – Scottsbluff, NE
- 6:00 pm MT Board bus
- 6:15 pm MT **Dinner at Legacy of the Plains Museum** – Gering, NE
- 7:15 pm MT **Legacy of the Plains Museum Tour**
- 9:00 pm MT Board Bus/Return to hotel

Day 3 – Thursday, August 1

- 7:30 am MT Depart for Ogallala [*est drive time 2 hrs*]
- 9:30 am MT **Lake McConaughy Tour** – Ogallala, NE
- 11:00 am MT **Ceder Point Biological Center** – Ogallala, NE
- 11:45 am MT **Lunch at Cedar Point** - Paxton, NE
- 12:30 pm MT Depart for Jeffrey Reservoir/Brady [*est drive time 1 hr, 30 mins; new time zone*]
- 3:00 pm CT **Visit Central Public Power and Irrigation District, J-2 Hydro Power Plant** – Brady/Johnson Lake, NE
- 4:00 pm Depart for Lincoln, NE [*est drive time 2 hr, 30 mins*]
- 6:30 pm Return to Lincoln