

Iowa Beef Center Cow Caravan Bus Tour



A three-day bus tour across Iowa is planned for August 29 – 31 featuring some of Iowa's most successful grazing and confinement cow operations. The tour will originate from Ames each day and include stops in south central and southwest Iowa on day 1, eastern Iowa on day 2, and north central Iowa on day 3.

Dates and Locations

August 29

Southwest and south central Iowa

- ▶ Clark Brothers' Farm, Linden
- ▶ Werner Angus, Diagonal
- ▶ Dan Hostetler Farm, Grand River

August 30

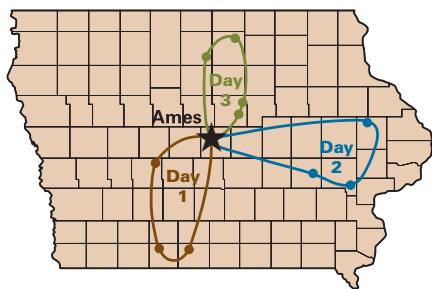
Southeast Iowa

- ▶ Veterinary Medical Center, Williamsburg
- ▶ Schneider Farms, Lone Tree
- ▶ Dave Lubben Farm, Monticello

August 31

North central and northeast Iowa

- ▶ Dan Cook Farm, New Providence
- ▶ Dave Petty Farm, Eldora
- ▶ Travis Steenhard Farm, Mason City
- ▶ Grieman Farms, Goodell



- Each day will feature at least one confined cow system as well as an extended grazing operation.
- Bus will depart Ames from hotel parking lots at approximately 7:30 a.m. each day and return by approximately 6:30 p.m.
- A full agenda will be shared with those who RSVP.
- For questions regarding the tour, contact your local beef specialist or Erika Lundy at 515-294-9881.

Producers can attend single days or all three days. The tour is free, but participants are required to RSVP to beefcenter@iastate.edu or 515-294-BEEF (2333) by Friday, August 18. Participants are not required to ride the bus in order to be a part of the tours.

Participants are responsible for evening meals and their own hotel. A block of rooms is reserved at the Quality Inn & Suites Starlite Center (515-232-9260) and Holiday Inn Express & Suites (515-232-2300) in Ames under Iowa Beef Center until August 11.

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