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## August Tour Highlights

Friday, August 30th from 10am to 3:30pm

Meet at the Stillwater Trolley Stand  
400 Nelson Street South  
Stillwater, MN 55082  
Public Parking Lot Available

All tours are accompanied by Heather Rutledge, Executive Director of ArtReach St. Croix. Along with her wit and knowledge of “all things creative”, Heather will ensure we have fun and learn a little something along the way!

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- ≈ Our first stop will be just a short trip from Stillwater as we find this 1840's Greek revival mansion and sawmill hidden in the now defunct village of Arcola. Now called [Arcola Mills](#), we will be able to roam the grounds, trails, and tour the house, and envision the future renovation of the riverside sawmill.
- ≈ Thanks to the [Stillwater Zephyr Theatre](#), we will be entertained on the Arcola Mills lawn by a group of Stillwater High School actors who will present a mini version of “Newsies” just for our group while we enjoy our locally sourced picnic lunch and glass of wine.
- ≈ Our trolley will continue to take us back in time to visit a Swedish immigrant homestead. The buildings at [Gammelgarden](#), the “old farm” have been beautifully restored as our guide shares the history and traditions of this group of hardworking people with their own unique building style. Visit the gift shop and take home your own dala horse. 10% discount for our group today.
- ≈ Have you ever wondered what the heck Kombucha is?? Today, staff of the [Marine Folk School](#) will share with us all about bacteria, yeast, flavoring Kombucha and other healthy “make at home” beverages and what makes them so good for us. We get to hear, see, and taste during this Kombucha 101 class.

We apologize, that this tour is not wheelchair accessible due to stairs and uneven surfaces throughout the day.



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