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Tour registration fees are non-refundable and must be received one week prior to the tours.

A confirmation letter outlining the schedule and departure location will be sent to registrants one week prior to each tour.

Please indicate the number of people attending each tour:

- ___ From Pivots to Potatoes: Tuesday, June 11
- ___ Devils Lake Basin Tour: Thursday, June 20
- ___ Hidden Gems of the Northeast: Tuesday, June 25
- ___ Small But Mighty: Thursday, July 11
- ___ Quality Water in the Southwest: Wednesday, July 31

Total people_____ \$30/person per tour = Total \$ _

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From Pivots to Potatoes – Tuesday, June 11 Hot, crisp, salty fries are a favorite restaurant staple. Join us to learn how Jamestown, with its rich, nutrient-packed soil, produces potatoes ideal for the perfect French fry (with the help of irrigation and good farming practices). Cavendish Farms and VanRay Farms will share why Jamestown is the "Pride of the Prairie." Participants will also hear presentations at the Jamestown Reservoir, which boasts seven boat launches, seven picnic shelters, two swimming beaches, and 2,492 acres of water surface area. This tour will begin and end in Jamestown.

Devils Lake Basin Tour – Thursday, June 20 The Devils Lake Basin Joint Water Resource Board represents seven counties in Northeastern North Dakota dealing with water management issues in the Devils Lake Basin area. This year's tour will look at the other areas of the Devils Lake Basin, visit water projects, and learn how they affect Devils Lake. Participants will visit the Dale & Martha Hawk Museum in Wolford and learn about irrigation, sub-surface drainage, rural water distribution, and water conveyance. The tour begins and ends in Rugby.



North Dakota Water Education Foundation 2024 Summer Water Tours

North Dakota Water Education Foundation tours offer a firsthand look at North Dakota's critical water issues and initiatives. Visit sites across the state in a series of one-day tours which include a variety of professionals and local leaders representing different viewpoints. Tour participants learn about water supply, fish and wildlife conservation, water quality, flood protection, water conservation, irrigation, and beneficial water use. Individual registration is \$30 per person per tour and includes tour transportation, lunch, refreshments, informational material, and a one-year subscription to the North Dakota Water magazine.



³Hidden Gems of the Northeast – Tuesday, June 25

Head to the Rendezvous Region for a tour that begins and ends in Cavalier, the hub for Pembina County communities. The Northeast Regional Water District will share the importance of providing quality water to more than 2,300 customers – in a coverage area of more than 2,000 square miles! The Vivatson Farm will showcase their innovative approaches in irrigation. Learn about flood protection in Neche, situated along the meandering path of the Pembina River. Explore another world within North Dakota at the Pembina Gorge State Recreation Area, which offers year-round recreation on 12,500 acres.



Small But Mighty – Thursday, July 11 Don't call it the Souris! The river, beginning in Saskatchewan, winding its way through north-central North Dakota and finally returning to Canada, is known by multiple names, but it is usually referred to as the Mouse River. Do not let the name fool you; while a mouse may be small, the Mouse River is a force to be reckoned with. Containing it in its banks has been the work of the Souris River Joint Board and its partners for 14 years; this flood protection is essential in Minot and the surrounding region. Join us for a tour of this important flood protection project. The tour will travel to Lake Darling to view the dams and reservoirs on the U.S. side of the Mouse River. Next travel to Burlington where flood control has been completed and the city is completely protected from 500year flood levels. We will then travel through the Minot flood system getting to see some of the largest pump stations within the state and multiple phases of flood protection, some completed and some in construction. This is a tour you do not want to miss! This tour begins and ends in Minot.

Quality Water in the Southwest – Wednesday, July 31

Drinking water in southwest North Dakota is in short supply, but the Southwest Pipeline Project packs a punch as it brings clean, affordable water to 33 communities and thousands of rural water customers in the region, in addition to supplying water to the Missouri West Water System in state and Perkins County Rural Water System in South Dakota. New demands for water continue to challenge the region, as projects like the Theodore Roosevelt Presidential Library in Medora are scheduled to open in the next few years. Learn about how quality water is essential to the operation of Odermann Organics, a familyowned farm producing organic beef in Billings County just north of Belfield. This tour begins and ends in Dickinson.