

2017 NAITC Conference

Traveling Workshops

7:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., Wednesday, June 21, 2017

Included with the NAITC conference registration. We will start with a buffet breakfast opening at 6:15 a.m. Come in time to eat before your tours depart at 7:00 sharp.

Traveling Workshops are reserved for full conference registrants only. Sorry, no guests. Traveling workshops are subject to change or cancellation. Check the website for updates. Minimums (20) and Maximums (48) apply. Cancellations that fail to meet the minimum will be announced on 5/1/17.

☐ **TW1: Corn is King!**

Ingredion, a leading global ingredients solutions company, turns corn, tapioca, potatoes, strawberries and other crops into ingredients that make crackers crunchy, candy sweet, yogurt creamy, lotions and creams silky, plastics biodegradable and tissues softer and stronger. ***Closed toe shoes and long pants required.**

☐ **TW2: 4-Cs...**

Commute, Cash, Cards, Cook!*

Join us on a walking tour. Visit historic 100 year-old Union Station, Hallmark Visitor Center and the Federal Reserve Money Museum. Each offers a unique view related to agriculture. The almost 2-mile walking tour will conclude back at the hotel for a behind the scene glimpse of large scale food service. Wear comfortable walking shoes for this rain or shine walking workshop! ***walking workshop**

☐ **TW4: Making Science Make Sense®** Bayer Animal Health Science's national award-winning program is helping to improve science education and ensure that all individuals are scientifically literate. Bayer demonstrates this commitment with a company-wide initiative that advances science literacy across the U.S. through hands-on, inquiry-based science learning, employee volunteerism and public education. ***Closed toe shoes, long pants, and no jewelry other than wedding rings required.**

☐ **TW5: Daily Grind!**

What would breakfast be without pastries and coffee? Follow wheat through processing at ADM and then drop by the Roasterie for an up-close and personal experience with coffee.

☐ **TW6: Yee Haw!**

The American Royal, a Kansas City tradition since 1899, evolved to include livestock shows, rodeos and educational programs. Partnering with the MO Agriculture in the Classroom program, they reach some 10,000 students and teachers annually. Visit one of the urban schools that partners with the neighborhood schools program to include agriculture in their curriculum.

☐ **TW7: Zoom Zoom Buzz Buzz**

Tour the Kansas City Speedway! Experience the track on curves 1&2, tour the pit section, receive lesson plans for math and geography! Tour the Agriculture Hall of Fame – experience interactive lesson plans about pollinators.

☐ **TW9: Picture Perfect Gardens: A Blueprint for Success!**

Tour the K-State Research and Extension Horticulture Research Farm. Learn about raised garden beds and low tunnels to extend the growing season. Discuss vegetable crops that grow within school year in different climates. View vegetable plots using trellises. Discuss marketing options for school garden produce. Receive a list of school garden planning and curriculum guides.