

**ACTE Region III Tours on June 21, 2018 – 10:00 am 12:15 pm**  
**(Time allows for only one selection)**

- Pleasuring Seasonings – the Pleasuring Factory & Outlet Store is a local family owned business since 1952 featuring 36 different “Great Tasting” seasoning blends. 10% off outlet pricing! (40 max.)
- Pearl Street Brewery –Visit Western Wisconsin’s premier craft brewery! Since 1999, Pearl Street Brewery has produced award-winning Ales and Lagers. See how they do it with a brewery tour including a souvenir pint glass, pint fill, tour, and a bogo for a beer around town. (\$8.00)
- Riverside Museum/International Gardens - Riverside Museum exhibits chronicle the history of La Crosse, concentrating on the Mississippi River and its importance to the area. Exhibits range from prehistoric artifacts to a large collection of birds and fresh water clams. A video of the history of La Crosse is shown and artifacts of the steamboat “The War Eagle” are on display. (Walking Tour)

La Crosse enjoys thriving relationships with sister cities, business partners, students and people from around the world. To celebrate the success of these partnerships, and build a tribute to the culture and traditions of our worldwide friends, local volunteers have worked together to create the Riverside International Gardens in Riverside Park. The first gardens planted will represent the style of a typical garden in each sister city. They are: Epinal France, Luoyang China, Friedberg Germany and Dubna Russia. The Riverside International Friendship Gardens will be a place of beauty reflecting our appreciation for the diverse cultures that share the earth.

- ORC Industries - GoodGreens Aquaponics is a division of ORC Industries, Inc. This division started in December 2014 with the help of Nelson and Pade, Inc., who have decades of aquaponics experience in partnership with U.W. Stevens Point. ORC Industries’ work is as diverse as our customers. We are a Defense Department contractor, outdoor recreation product manufacturer, organic food grower, and we provide assembly and packaging for organizations and companies throughout the world. And we are proud of the fact that our production is entirely “made in the USA”. Aquaponics is a water-based agriculture system. The name derived from aquaculture (the raising of fish) and from hydroponics (growing plants in nutrient rich water). The idea focuses on growing both fish and plants at the same time.
- USGS - Providing the scientific information needed by managers, decision makers, and the public to protect, enhance, and restore the ecosystems in the Upper Mississippi River Basin, the Midwest, and worldwide. Welcome to the Upper Midwest Environmental Sciences Center (UMESC). We are proud to be one of the leading research centers conducting ecological research to support the Department of the Interior's and other local, state and federal resource agencies management of natural resources, fish, and wildlife. For more than a half century we've served the public and our partners by generating quality relevant scientific products and information for the improved management of our natural resources, including water, wildlife and land. We help protect these invaluable resources to improve our health and recreational opportunities for both today's and tomorrow's generations.