

# Kenosha Area: A Taste of History 2 Day Tour



## ARRIVAL DAY 1

10 AM – At the **Civil War Museum**, board a train bound for the battle front and hear personal stories of soldiers, nurses, doctors, and clergymen. Travel back home on a riverboat and see how life was forever changed. Don't miss the 360 degree movie "Seeing the Elephant". Extend the visit! Schedule a Civil War Theater Program or Coffee & Conversation with an Educator.

12:30 PM – Enjoy a taste of Deutschland hospitality, with a German lunch at **House of Gerhard**.

2:30 PM – Take a ride into yesteryear aboard an authentic **Electric Streetcar**.

3:00 PM – Take a step-on guide tour through **Kenosha's Four National Register Historic Districts** and also by these landmarks: Washington Park Velodrome, Franks Diner, the birthplace of Orson Welles, and the site of an Underground Railroad Station.

4 PM – Tour **Tenuta's Delicatessen**, a Kenosha tradition since 1950. Savor the aroma as you enter the Italian market that features many specialty groceries and spices. Don't miss the cannoli!

5 PM – Check into one of Kenosha's premier hotels for the evening.

6 PM – Enjoy an Italian-American dinner at **Casa Capri**, one of Kenosha's oldest and finest restaurants featuring steaks, seafood, and authentic Italian recipes.

## DAY 2

9 AM – Visit the **Southport Light Station Museum**, which is a maritime museum and a lighthouse. Climb to the top of the **1866 Southport Lighthouse**. While on Simmons Island, stop for photos of Lake Michigan - with the **North Pier Lighthouse** as your backdrop.

10:00 AM – See how Kenosha County developed and grew at the **Kenosha History Center**. Discover the incredible 108-year history of automobile manufacturing and engine assembly in Kenosha.

12:00 PM – Enjoy a lakeside lunch at **Boat House Dockside Pub & Eatery**.

1:15 PM – Tour **Durkee Mansion and Kemper Center**. The 1860's await you in great splendor and elegance in this lovingly restored Victorian mansion along Lake Michigan. Kemper Center used to be a boarding school for young women.

2:45 PM – Visit the **Pritzker Military Museum & Library** and go behind the stories that created history.

4:00 PM – Depart for home.

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For a list of accommodations, refer to the Kenosha Area Visitors Guide or VisitKenosha.com or consult with Kris Jensen.