



# Les Amis Members



Please join us celebrating

## Pastille Day in Ste. Genevieve

Sunday, July 14, 2019

## Motor Coach Day Tour

**Check-in: 9:40 a.m. | Departure: 10:00 a.m. sharp**

Departing from Flemmings back parking lot (1855 S. Lindbergh Blvd. Frontenac, MO 63131)

Our host **John Karel** will tour us around his charming private properties consisting of:

*Lalumondiere* - A vertical log house built in 1829

*The Poyer House* - A late Victorian house built in the 1880's  
which is a work in progress at this time.

*Hillcrest* - Built-in 1858, John's private residence.

At Hillcrest, we will have a special catered lunch and toast with a French Bordeaux Rosé.

Beer, lemonade, and bottled water will be offered.

Next, we will board the tour bus and travel to

*The Green Tree Tavern (Janis - Ziegler House)*

The Janis-Ziegler House, more commonly known as the green tree tavern, 244 St. Mary's Road, is a large and well-preserved example of poteaux-sur-sole construction. It has the least altered interior of any french vernacular house in Ste. Genevieve, has been extensively documented, and retains a high degree of historical integrity. Nicholas Janis, a wealthy French Canadian, had lived in Kaskaskia under French, British, and American rule before relocating to Ste. Genevieve with his family and nineteen slaves. The building served as a home and inn, and the raised basement provided housing for slaves and storage. The property is important as a commercial building and residence that is closely associated with the transition from French to Anglo-American ascendance in Ste. Genevieve. In 1806, the English traveler Thomas Ashee stayed at Francois Janis' inn and later wrote that "the landlord, a lively Frenchman, looked after my horses and his wife made me a cup of coffee with as much perfection as ever I drank at the Palais Royale." In 1833, Janis' heirs sold the property to Mathias Ziegler, and the property remained in the Ziegler family for more than a century. Scholars have long agreed upon the significance of this property.

**Self Driving Prohibited. Estimated trip time 5 hours.**

Reservations are \$49.00/person | R.S.V.P by 7/3/19

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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