

Thanks for your interest in Folklore Village! Folklore Village sits on 94 acres of lovely rolling hills surrounded by beautiful prairie land. While the quietness makes it seem remote, it is easily accessed from Highway 18/151. Our main venue, Farwell Hall, is designed with the exterior characteristics of a country barn. Its features include:

- A beautiful 1,500 square-foot maple dance floor with an inlaid walnut Moravian star in the center of the room
- Vaulted ceiling with hand-forged wrought-iron chandeliers
- Unique oak stairway leading to the balcony
- Restaurant quality kitchen
- Two dressing rooms
- An outdoor porch overlooking an ample backyard
- Attractive, expansive grounds for setting up a tent or other outdoor recreational activities
- Visible playground for children
- Air conditioning
- Capacity for 100 people inside Farwell Hall
- If you choose to rent a tent for your special occasion, there is no maximum capacity at Folklore Village. We simply ask that you also rent additional restrooms (port-a-potty) to accommodate the larger crowd.

2019 Rental Rates and other information for Farwell Hall:

- \$1,500 per day (regardless of the day of the week), from 9am-midnight) or \$100/hour.
- \$750 (one half of the rental fee for Farwell Hall) and a signed contract are required to secure your event date.
- \$500 damage deposit
- Balance of rental fees and damage deposit are due two months prior to your event.
- \$100 per hour for additional set-up or clean-up time the day before or the day after your event. You must request this when making your reservation.
- \$300 rental fee for use of the Folklore Village kitchen in Farwell Hall. This fee is charged if you or your caterer use any equipment to prepare food for your event.
- If you or your caterer are using the kitchen to plate food, then there is no additional fee for use.
- Because you will be responsible for hiring your own caterer, please inform them that they will be responsible for providing coffee urns, linens, serving trays, etc.

We will provide at no additional charge:

- 17 eight-foot tables
- 4 six-foot tables
- 120 folding chairs
- Use of ladders for decorating/setup/cleanup
- Place settings for 120 (dinner plate, salad plate, dessert plate), tableware
- Approximately 80 (8oz) water glasses
- Approximately 115 (8oz) coffee mugs

The charming Plum Grove Chapel, listed on the National Register of Historic Places, sits just across the street and is accessible via a tree lined walking path. This quaint chapel is available to rent for \$300, with the rental of Farwell Hall, or \$400 if renting alone. The maximum capacity is 100 guests; and there is room to park up to 60 cars in the chapel lot.

Smoking is not permitted in any of our buildings. There are designated areas outdoors where smoking is allowed. Alcoholic beverages may be served at Folklore Village; however, the contract contains a clause that holds Folklore Village harmless, re: any repercussions from serving and drinking alcohol.

We also offer tent camping and two bunkhouses for our rental guests. If you would like more information on these options, please let me know.

Please email or call me to schedule a rental showing, or with questions. Congratulations and have fun planning your special day!

Best regards,

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