



2024 Southern Iowa Nut Tour & Field Day

Saturday, October, 5th 2024

Start Time is 10:00 am

Starting Location: Indian Hills Community College, 721 N 1st St., Centerville IA 52544

Iona Strovers Farm: 54863 250th Ave. Chariton IA

Schedule

- 9:45 am Coffee, refreshments, fellowship
- 10:00 am Tour of Nut Research Site – Gathering and Introductions
- Take a tour on the “Chestnut Express” our people mover wagon that will make getting around the planting much easier.
 - Nuts growing at the research planting include black walnut, hickory, pecan, hazelnut, chestnut, heartnut, and some persimmons as well.
- 11:15 pm Tour of New Campus & Facilities.
- Join our hosts for a walk through the new campus and facilities
 - Lunch to follow the tour, lunch is free but please RSVP for lunch count
- 1:00 pm Depart for Strovers Farm north of Chariton
- Address is 54863 250th Ave. Chariton IA
 - See below for directions and look for the signs
- 2:00 pm Strovers Farm Tour Begins – Gathering and Introductions
- The “Chestnut Express” wagon will take us on a guided tour of the property
 - DNR District Forester Jeremy Cochran will talk about the programs and practices Iona and Wayne used to develop the farm.
- 4:00 pm Wrap up and adjourn

** Please RSVP at this link <https://forms.office.com/r/n2fNzZ1CaK>

Directions from Chariton Iowa: *Directions: head north of Chariton on Hwy 14 about 10 miles to 250th Avenue (turn west on 250th half mile past Williamson sign, then 1.5 miles gravel, follow signs)*