

CENTRAL IOWA TRAVEL MASTERS NCT CAMPOUT

October 2, 3, 4, 5, 2017

CUTTY'S CAMPGROUND GRIMES, IOWA

**Hosts: Ben and Jeaneen Kain
Betty and Jack Moorman**

Monday

Seven couples arrived in time for coffee, cookies, and bars. In the evening we had dinner at Pizza Ranch. Lots of great food — too much in fact. Carl and Joan Jackson joined us for dinner.

Tuesday



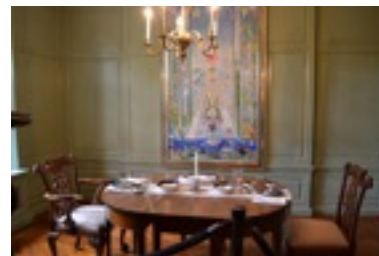
Today we toured Salisbury House. The house, patterned after an English tutor manor home, was built by pharmacist Carl Weeks and his wife Edith in the 1920s. Carl had made his



antique furniture, and other artifacts from all over the world.

fortune in cosmetics. The manor, home to Carl, Edith and their four boys, is filled with original art, rare books,

Pictured here is the Weeks' breakfast room. Edith was very fond of the color green which was seen throughout the house. To say the manor was awesome would be an understatement.



After our tour we ate lunch at Palmer's Deli and in the evening we enjoyed a pot luck supper with the hosts furnishing the beef burgers.

Wednesday

The activity that had been planned for today was to visit the Living History Farms. Since part of the group had recently toured the farms it was decided to visit the Blank Park Zoo.

Following the Zoo tour we ate lunch at The Machine Shed Restaurant before returning to Cutty's. In the evening we conducted the business meeting followed by finger food and conversation.

Thursday

We enjoyed coffee and pastries before departing for home. It doesn't seem possible that our camping season has come to an end.

See you next spring!!!