

*"Calling All Lions, Lionesses, and Leos ..."*

2011 MD-1 STATE CONVENTION  
May 13-15, 2011 • Effingham, IL



**Hilton Garden Inn • (217) 540-7777**

**Attached to the Convention Center**

\$89.00 plus tax • Suite \$109.00 plus tax

Rooms: All non-smoking rooms, free Wi-Fi, refrigerator, microwave, and coffee maker. A special made-to-order breakfast is available in the private dining room for a nominal fee.

The *Great American Grill* is located on the first floor and serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner.

**Holiday Inn Express • (217) 540-1111**

**Across the Street from the Hilton Garden Inn**

\$85.00 plus tax • Suite \$100.00 plus tax

Rooms: In-room data ports and microwave oven. Warm cookies at check-in. Deluxe **complimentary** breakfast available each morning in a private breakfast room. Indoor pool, whirlpool, and sauna.



**Country Inn & Suites • (217) 540-5555**

**½ Block from Convention Center, Across the Parking Lot**

\$80.00 plus tax • Suite \$90.00 plus tax

Deluxe **complimentary** breakfast with a make-your-own waffle bar each morning. Indoor pool and health spa.

**Nearby Restaurants:** Buffalo Wild Wings \$\$ • Cracker Barrel \$\$ • Denny's \$ • Firefly Grill \$\$\$ • Foxx's Den \$\$ • Great American Grill \$\$\$ • Lonestar Steak House \$\$\$ • Pizza Hut \$ • Ruby Tuesdays \$\$ • Steak 'n Shake \$ • T.G.I. Fridays \$\$ • McDonalds • Burger King • Wendy's • KFC

**Nearby Stores:** Walmart • Kohl's • Walgreen's • Legacy Harley Davidson • Village Square Mall

# AVAILABLE ACTIVITIES ... *HAVE FUN!*

## Golf Outing

### Cardinal Golf Course at Lake Sara

Effingham, IL

18 Holes, with Cart and Box Lunch, **Thursday**, \$22.75

18 Holes, with Cart and Box Lunch, **Friday**, \$22.75

**Total Package: \$45.50 per person**



## Firefly Grill • On the Shores of Lake Kristie

**Bus trip on Friday, \$15-\$20 per person for lunch.**

Oasis of French cuisine using local ingredients whenever possible and fresh herbs and vegetables straight from their very own garden! Experience Cooking Tips and Herb Garden Tour!!

## Bus Tour of the Heartland, Altamont, Illinois

**Wright House • Alwerdt's Garden • Ballard Nature Center**

**9:00 a.m. to 2:15 p.m. • Saturday • \$10.00 for Box Lunch**

(Minimum of 15 People Required)

### Dr. Charles M. Wright House

Effingham, IL (circa 1889)

This stately Renaissance Revival home holds three generations of Wright family furnishings. It is listed in the National Register of Historic Places



### Alwerdt's Gardens

Effingham, IL

Unusual Garden Center specializing in herbs, perennials and ornamental landscape plants. Over four acres of display gardens featuring over 1,000 plant varieties.

### The Ballard Nature Center

Providing high quality environmental education to students, educators, organizations, and individuals through visitor interpretation, educational displays, natural community restoration and management. Environmental education will emphasize the importance of natural communities and their associated ecosystems especially those communities typically found in southeastern Illinois.

