



# *An Evening with the Cranes*

## Frequently Asked Questions

For more information, visit our event website at [www.savingcranes.org/ewtc/](http://www.savingcranes.org/ewtc/)

### **Will you mail me a printed ticket?**

No, our registration is 100% electronic, so we do not mail tickets. Simply arrive at 5 p.m. and check in with your names at our registration station!

### **What's new this year?**

This year's historic event features hard-hat tours of our \$10 million renovation. Guests will see a special glimpse of our much anticipated transformation – a sneak peek at the major renovations to our visitor experience. In 2019, you can only visit the site during two opportunities. One is *An Evening with the Construction Cranes* and the other is Member Appreciation Day, Saturday, Sept. 21.

### **What can I expect if I attend *An Evening with the Cranes*?**

Each guest receives their choice of one commemorative wine or pint glass. Stations with gourmet food, wine, craft beer and non-alcoholic beverages are placed among our courtyard site. Along the way, meet International Crane Foundation staff and learn about our work to save cranes around the world. With our site closed and cranes not on display, rather safely and comfortably housed in new crane condos in Crane City, staff will share information about crane habitats including forested areas, prairies and wetlands, landscapes all found on our site.

### **Who should I contact about sponsoring *An Evening with the Cranes*?**

It is possible to purchase a sponsorship on the event web page. For more information, please call Demetra Toniolo at 608-356-9462 ext.101 or email [dtoniolo@savingcranes.org](mailto:dtoniolo@savingcranes.org).

### **Are children allowed at *An Evening with the Cranes*?**

This event is designed for adults over the age of 21, but no one will be excluded. Everyone, including those under the age of 21, is required to purchase a ticket for the event (\$75 for Members, \$100 for Non-Members).

### **Where should I stay in Baraboo?**

Our event web page has a Lodging tab with lots of links. Note that the Best Western Hotel in Baraboo offers a special rate for visitors to the International Crane Foundation. Guests can call the Baraboo Best Western at 608-356-1100, and mention the International Crane Foundation when they make their reservation.

### **Can I bring a pet to *An Evening with the Cranes*?**

Pets are not allowed. Service animals are permitted but must remain leashed and under control at all times. If you plan to bring a service animal to the event, please contact us in advance at 608-356-9462 ext. 151.

### **I'm a member, but my friend isn't. Can I purchase a guest ticket at the \$75 member rate?**

Yes. You may purchase tickets for your guests at the member rate of \$75 per ticket.

### **What if I have special dietary issues?**

Restaurant staff will be present at each station to provide information about the food they are serving.

**What about inclement weather?**

The event is held rain or shine, and tickets are non-refundable.

**What should I wear?**

Please wear whatever is comfortable for you, dressy or casual! Comfortable shoes are recommended. Remember! If you wish to go on a hard-had tour, wear appropriate shoes.

**When should I arrive?**

*An Evening with the Cranes* begins at 5 pm.

**What if I have mobility issues?**

Most public areas during the event are ADA accessible, and paths are paved. The behind-the-scenes tours will be on unpaved paths, and may be muddy. The International Crane Foundation has a limited number of wheelchairs and electric scooters available for guests on a first-come, first-served basis. Sorry, no reservations. You may also bring your own wheelchair or scooter.

**Do you have more questions?**

Please call us at 608-356-9462 ext. 151, or email [membership@savingcranes.org](mailto:membership@savingcranes.org).