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## **Experience Adams County's Educational Heritage with Historic School House Tours**

**Adams Co, IL** – As part of the Adams County Bicentennial celebrations, residents and visitors are invited to participate in a series of Historic School House Tours all across the county. These tours offer a rare glimpse into the one-room schoolhouses that were once the cornerstone of education in the region.

Each tour is free to attend, for ages 14+, but reservations are required to receive meetup instructions and informational material. Transportation will be conducted via school bus, providing an authentic experience of the past.

**Tour Dates and Locations:**

- **Payson Unit #1:** Saturday, July 12, 1:00 – 5:00pm
- **Mendon Unit #4:** Saturday, July 19, 1:00 – 5:00pm
- **Quincy Parochial Schools:** Saturday, August 16, 1:00 – 5:00pm
- **Liberty Unit #2:** Saturday, August 30, 1:00 – 5:00pm
- **Camp Point Unit #3:** Saturday, September 6, 9:00am – 12:00pm
- **Quincy Public Schools:** Saturday, September 27, 1:00 – 5:00pm

**For Reservations:** Contact Jane and Paul Moody at 217-653-1918 or [jpmoody@adams.net](mailto:jpmoody@adams.net). Instructions for tours will be learned upon registering. Don't miss this opportunity to connect with the roots of Adams County's educational history.

**About Adams County Bicentennial:** The Adams County Bicentennial celebrates 200 years of history, resilience, and community spirit in Adams County, Illinois in 2025. Through a diverse range of events and initiatives, the Bicentennial aims to honor the county's heritage and engage residents and visitors alike in celebrating its contributions to the region.

For more info about Adams County Bicentennial visit our website at [AdamsCo200.org](http://AdamsCo200.org). You may also contact the Adams County Bicentennial Committee at [AdamsCo200@adamscountyil.gov](mailto:AdamsCo200@adamscountyil.gov).

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