

**THE CIVIL WAR**  
UPPER MIDDLE WEST EXPERIENCE



## **Civil War Museum & Mars Cheese Castle**

The accredited Civil War Museum opened in 2008 on Kenosha Wisconsin's scenic lakefront campus. 57,000 Sq Ft covers American Civil War history like no other, offering the enthusiast a chance to learn about the contributions of the Upper Middle West. Already acclaimed for their permanent exhibit featuring life-scale, interactive exhibits, and audio and video technology. Introduced in 2013, the award-winning 360 degree film "Seeing the Elephant" is a 10 minute long glimpse into the life of a mid-western soldier, from recruitment, to training, through battle and finally returning home. You will also be able to see the Veterans Gallery commemorating soldiers from each war fought by the U.S.

**Date: Thursday, February 6, 2025**

**Depart from the Biela Center: 9:00 a.m.**

**4545 Midlothian Turnpike, Crestwood**

**Return: approx. 4:15 pm**

**Cost: \$65**

**Includes: transportation, museum admission**

**Lunch will be on your own at the Mars Cheese Castle.**

**Full payment is due upon reservation.**

**Call the Biela Center at 708-371-4800 ex. 6000 with any questions.**

**There will be a fee of 3.25% when using a debit or credit card (minimum of \$1.95), assessed by Invoice Cloud, the Village of Crestwood's electronic vendor.**