

VALLEY CITY, NORTH DAKOTA

1 DAY ITINERARY

FIRST THINGS FIRST - COFFEE!

Start your day off on the right foot with a warm cup of coffee and a bite to eat at one of many coffee shops including Alley Beans, Dutton's Parlour, Epworth's Holy Grounds kiosk, or Vicky's Viking Room. (1.5 hours)

ROSEBUD VISITORS CENTER

The Rosebud Visitor Center on Main Street in Valley City has all of the maps for the area and is the hub for information and railroad history. Inside you will find an 1881 Superintendent's railcar with the original furnishings- one of a kind! The North Dakota Agriculture Hall of Fame honors the pioneers that made agriculture the mainstay of North Dakota. (1 hour)

HISTORIC BRIDGE TOUR

Start the Historic Bridge Tour at the Visitor Center. There are 8 interpreted bridges that you can view by walking or driving. (1.5 hours driving, 4 hours walking tour)

VISIT DOWNTOWN VALLEY CITY

Downtown Valley City has many Specialty Shops like Blush and The Vault. Railroad enthusiasts will want to stop at the Barnes County Museum and listen to the area's rich history. This is another great opportunity to get a cup of coffee or ice cream from Dutton's Parlour. (2-4 hours)

HISTORICAL BUILDINGS

See an Andrew Carnegie library with original furnishings and woodwork downtown. Two blocks north of the library is the first Episcopal Church in North Dakota. At the end of Central Avenue across the footbridge is Valley City State University. It is a historical district- history buffs will enjoy the architecture inside and out. (1 hour)

MEDICINE WHEEL PARK

Medicine Wheel Park is named for the replica of a Native American solar calendar. Learn about Native American burial mounds found in the park. Take a tour of the solar system on a walk of the planets starting with the Sun in the middle of the wheel and all the way to Pluto. (1 hour)

NIGHT LIFE

Grab a bite to eat at one of the many restaurants in town before heading out to explore the city's night life, including tasting the fresh brewed beer at Brockopp Brewery. Catch karaoke or live music at one of the bars on Main Street and its surrounding areas.