

## “KEY INGREDIENTS” WISCONSIN TOUR A Brief Summary



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community through conversation

### *About the Exhibition:*

How have culture, ethnicity, landscape, and tradition influenced the foods and flavors we enjoy across the state and the nation? The *Key Ingredients* exhibition, brought to Wisconsin by the Wisconsin Humanities Council in partnership with six rural communities, invites visitors to think about the food on our tables and how it has arrived there through centuries of borrowing and sharing—between people and across generations, cultures, and the land itself.

In addition, each of the community host organizations has been working for more than a year to plan exceptional public programs, such as recipe collections, farm tours, and programs for families and children, as well as locally-produced exhibitions, to celebrate their regional food specialties. All *Key Ingredients* events and programs are FREE and open to everyone!

The Wisconsin Humanities Council is bringing *Key Ingredients* to six small towns across the state for six weeks each from October 20, 2010, through August 5, 2011. The Wisconsin Humanities Council supports and creates programs that use history, culture, and discussion to strengthen community life for everyone in Wisconsin. The *Key Ingredients* exhibition was produced by Museum on Main Street, a division of the Smithsonian Institution Traveling Exhibition Service.

For more information, or to get contact information for any of the six hosting organizations, please call the Wisconsin Humanities Council at 608-262-0706 or email Jessica Becker at [jebecker2@wisc.edu](mailto:jebecker2@wisc.edu).



Wisconsin Humanities Council presents  
The Smithsonian's Key Ingredients:  
America by Food  
Exhibition Tour

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tour stops	
1. Reedsburg	Oct 20 - Dec 3, 2010
2. Rhineland	Dec 10 - Jan 21, 2011
3. River Falls	Jan 28 - Mar 11, 2011
4. Westfield	Mar 18 - Apr 29, 2011
5. Brodhead	May 6 - June 17, 2011
6. Osseo	June 24 - Aug 5, 2011

[www.wisconsinhumanities.org/KeyIng.html](http://www.wisconsinhumanities.org/KeyIng.html)