



# Community



*In this issue: Details for our Christmas Party!  
Come and enjoy a wonderful meal with entertainment!*



Sally Duke

Call 765-456-4280 to speak with Sally about the trips!



October/November/December 2024

**Happy Fall Y'all! Make plans now for travel in 2025!**

Dear Journey Club -

We would love to have you join us for one of the trips we have scheduled for 2024 or 2025! Here is a list of the ones which may have room for you:

Frankenmuth & Dearborn, MI on October 15-18, with a stop in Detroit for the Motown Museum! We will visit Bronner's Christmas store, plus the Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village! (call for availability)

A one day MYSTERY TRIP on November 13 to who knows where?! (call for availability)

Yuletide Celebration at the Hilbert Theater on December 7th with the Indianapolis

Symphony and special host Sandy Patti, including lunch at Hollyhock Hill! (call for availability)

Our annual St. Patrick themed Mystery Trip on March 19 to who knows where?!

Dayton, OHIO, April 17-18, for the Wright Patterson National US Air Force Museum, a dinner and show at La Comedia, plus the Packard Museum and lovely Carillon Historical Park.

Kentucky on May 13-15 for a dinner show, a boat ride in a cave, the Corvette Museum and the Paducah Quilt Museum, plus more fun.

June 21-28 will be our trip to the Canadian Rockies! We will have the flyers and price soon!

As we move into the fall season and start looking into trips for the new year, I want to encourage you to sign up EARLY for trips you are interested in. Some of our trips sell out rather quickly, and people are disappointed that we could not include them. Others times we find that folks wait until it's really late to tell us they want to go and it causes a lot of extra work for us to get the last minute hotel rooms, meals, etc.

Also, please remember to RSVP for the seminars and events. We need to have the proper seating and food for those who attend. Call before you come. Thanks! *Sally*



### Things to know:

**Membership in the Journey Club is for those with a Community First Bank checking and a deposit relationship of at least \$5,000.**

- Motorcoach trips leave from the Wal-Mart parking lot in Kokomo.
- Trips are 1st come, 1st served, when money and a completed trip reservation form are received by Sally.
- A final itinerary is mailed to your home 2-3 weeks prior to the departure date.
- We provide transportation to the airport for fly trips, with at least 10 travelers.
- Non-member guests may travel with you one time before joining the club.
- Non-member guests may attend the monthly seminars for \$10 per person.
- If you do not have a roommate, we will try to find someone for you, but this is not guaranteed.

**Our Locations- Kokomo:** 1308 E. Hoffer St 2101 S. Dixon Rd 201 W. Sycamore  
**Noblesville:** 17661 Village Center Dr **Indianapolis:** 9333 N Meridian St  
**Westfield:** 381 S. Junction Crossing & 707 E St Rd 32  
One Concourse (Fishers) Branch: 9998 Crosspoint Blvd Suite 100, Indianapolis

**You must RSVP to Sally at 765-456-4280 prior to attending the following events held at Elite Banquet & Conference, 2820 S. LaFountain St., Kokomo, IN 46902**

**Wednesday, Oct 2 at 9:30 a.m.**—We are pleased to have Dr. Mark Canada doing a presentation about Benjamin Franklin. He has given this presentation on behalf of Indiana University Kokomo and it has rave reviews. Dr. Canada is the current chancellor at the Kokomo campus of IU and he is a gifted speaker and historian. Come and enjoy hearing this fascinating subject.

**Wednesday, Nov 6 at 9:30 a.m.**— Sally will have fliers for the June 2025 Canadian Rockies trip and Wendy from Nowak Tours will discuss the itinerary and how to sign up. We will honor our Veterans with a special gift and with a program of patriotic songs.

**Please let us know if you are a Veteran when you RSVP.**

**Wednesday, Dec 4 at 4:30 p.m.**—**Please join us for our annual Christmas Party!** Come for a lovely evening filled with yummy food, great music and a special visit from "Ima Pane" for fun comedy! We are pleased to have pianist Matt Gerhard performing Christmas music for us! Cost is \$25 per person, please use RSVP form on opposite side of this letter.

### Upcoming Trips:

<b>Frankenmuth/Dearborn, MI—Oct 14-18</b>	\$925
Stay at the famous Bavarian Inn, have a trolley tour, Pretzel rolling activity, visit the history museum and Bronner's famous Christmas store. Visit Greenfield Village, the Henry Ford Museum, with a ride in a model T, a steam locomotive & a carousel!	Per person double \$1,111 single
<b>YULETIDE CELEBRATION—Dec 7</b>	\$199
Join us for the Indianapolis Symphony's world-class concert at the Hilbert Theater on Monument Circle. This year's host is Sandy Patti, winner of multiple Grammy awards. Prior to the concert, we will enjoy lunch at Hollyhock Hill.	per person
<b>Mystery Trip on November 13, 2024</b>	\$125
<b>Mystery Trip on March 19, 2025</b>	\$198
Bus Trip Without the Bus—October 3, 2024 still has space available! Come and enjoy the amazingly talented comedian, pianist, ventriloquist -TAYLOR MASON! Appetizers at 4 p.m., dinner at 4:30 p.m., followed by the show from 5:30-6:30!	\$55 Elite Banquet Center



**I want to quit telling Thanksgiving jokes, but I can't stop cold turkey! How do you start a Santa race? Yell "ready, set, HO"!**



**Please use this reservation form for enclosed trips & party and mail to: CFB Attn: Sally Duke, 1308 E. Hoffer St., Kokomo, IN 46902**

*(Checks payable to GNT for Michigan, Yuletide, March Mystery, and to CFB for the Nov Mystery & Christmas Party.)*

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

(Street/PO Box) (City) (State) (Zip) (Phone)

TRIP NAME \_\_\_\_\_ AMOUNT ENCLOSED \_\_\_\_\_

\*Reservations taken on first come, first served basis, with reservation form and full payment required to hold the spot. Seating is limited. In the event you must cancel a reservation for a trip or party, a complete refund will be issued if a replacement is available. We offer trip cancellation insurance on our trips, and highly recommend it. Community First Bank reserves the right to decline, accept or retain any traveler.



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As we enter into the holiday season, there are a couple of things our Fraud Prevention Team want to remind you of:

*If you plan to go away for the winter, please give the bank your new address. The post office WILL NOT forward mail from the bank, which includes your statements and important documents.*

BEWARE OF PHONE AND EMAIL SCAMS REGARDING PURCHASES. If you receive a message regarding an online purchase:

- Stop and think – “Did I buy this product or service? Does this make sense?”
- Check your Amazon account. (Log in from a new browser, not from a link in the text/email.) Was there a purchase made?
- Check your bank accounts or call in to check and see if there is any unusual activity.
- *If a family member or friend calls you asking for money or help, check the number and then call them back on a trusted **known** number.*

Do not EVER do any of these three things:

- 1) Click links or call any of the phone numbers in suspicious emails or texts.
- 2) Give out debit card or other personal information.
- 3) Give money to, or receive money from, anyone you do not personally know.



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If you have any questions, please call Justin Van Zuiden at 765-865-8549, or speak with your local branch banker!