



# The Indianapolis Hiking Club

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## SCHEDULE FOR JUNE AND JULY 2011

(PLEASE --- NO PETS ON HIKES)

### Celebrating 54 Years of Sponsoring Hikes and Outings

HIKE RATING SYSTEM - Shown in parentheses at the end of each hike

	<u>TERRAIN</u>		<u>SURFACE</u>		<u>SPEED</u>
H (Hilly)	Continuously	NS (Natural)	Primarily Soft		Walking Speed in MPH,
M (Mixed)	Hilly & Flat	HS (Hard)	Packed Dirt or Gravel		not including breaks
F (Flat)	Few Hills	PS (Paved)	Concrete or Blacktop		(e.g., 3.0 is 20 min/mile)

Hikers should arrive at the meeting location at least 10 minutes early, which will enable the leader to complete sign-ups and start the hike on time. Hike leaders are responsible for safety first. In adverse weather the leader may reroute, shorten or cancel a hike. If the weather is inclement call the leader to confirm a hike. Interested in leading a hike? Contact Pathfinders: Jean Ballinger (696-2120) [skierjean@yahoo.com](mailto:skierjean@yahoo.com) for weekend hikes or Ed Wright (219-5536) [ewright@indyhike.org](mailto:ewright@indyhike.org) for weekdays.

**SYMPHONY ON THE PRAIRIE:** Our annual Club evening at Conner Prairie will be on Saturday August 6. This year's concert is a fabulous tribute to the music of Billy Joel and Elton John with the Indianapolis Symphony Orchestra. We will need 30 people for a discounted group rate of \$17 per ticket. Make your check payable to Cheryl Conwell and mail to her by August 1 at 2444 Spring Hill Ct., Indianapolis, IN 46268 (872-2583). Tickets will be good for the remainder of the concerts if a conflict develops. Chairs, blankets and your picnic will complete the evening, oh and your dancing shoes. Look for meeting time and location in the August schedule.

**MAKE YOUR LABOR DAY RESERVATIONS:** Just a reminder that August 2nd is the cutoff for making your reservations at the Potawatomi Inn in Pokagon SP for the Club's annual Labor Day weekend. Look in the Upcoming Events section at the end of the schedule for complete details. If you have any questions please contact Mary Ann Layman at 881-8416 or [malayman@earthlink.net](mailto:malayman@earthlink.net).

#### PRESIDENTS CORNER:

June is "busting out all over"; don't forget to bust out the sunscreen. Nothing ruins a good day on the trail more than bad sunburn.

I'd like to take this opportunity to welcome the new Publications chairperson, Karen Zimmerman, to the IHC Board. Karen was appointed to the Board at the April meeting. Karen will do an excellent job of getting the schedule printed and mailed on time so that no one is late for a hike.

The Young Explorers Hike is scheduled for June 11th this year. This is an excellent opportunity to spend time with your young children or grandchildren and introduce or re-connect them to the adventures of the great outdoors.

A nominating committee of three Board members will be out and about talking with potential candidates to fill the position of Vice President next year. Please be open to their suggestion and if elected be proud to serve.

Hopefully, June will see an end to all the rain we've been dealing with lately.

"There is no such thing as bad weather, only inappropriate clothing" - Sir Ranulph Fiennes

Sue Bullock  
President

**HIKE SCHEDULE****Wednesday, June 1**

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD Note, earlier start time beginning in June. This will be an 8-mile hike in parks and neighborhoods in Greenwood. Take US 31 south to Main St in Greenwood. Go west on Main to the bottom of the hill and park in Westside Park next to the baseball diamonds. Hike repeats every Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Mary Lester (887-2826) and Mary Lang (882-7148, cell 509-8251)
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER Meet in the free parking lot ½ block south of Broad Ripple Avenue on Carrollton Avenue for a 6-mile hike, which will be 1/2 towpath and 1/2 neighborhoods. Shorter options available. Hike repeats on June 15 & 29 and July 6 & 20. (F,HS/PS,3) Leader: Cherie Voegel (848-7674)
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS This is a 7-mile brisk road and trail hike. Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside the 56th St entrance. Hike repeats each Wednesday in June and July. Join us for coffee at Starbucks afterwards. (M,NS/PS,3-3.5) Leader: Rich Peck (291-4873)
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE Sign-up sheet for this self-guided\* hike at Washington Square Mall will be in front of Target before mall opens and in the Target Coffee Shop after 9 AM. Take as many one-mile laps as you wish between the hours of 9-11 AM. Join us at the Target Coffee Shop after the hike. Repeats each Wednesday in June and July. Ever wonder why the hike is called Presidents' Promenade? A number of years ago Bob Pedigo gave the hike this name to honor all of the past Club presidents who have enjoyed this hike over the years. (F,PS) Leader: Bob Pedigo (891-1943)
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER Join us for a moderate pace 2-3 mile walk through Lockerbie, the Cultural Trail and other downtown locations. Hike will repeat every Wednesday morning in June and July. Meet in the front of the Indianapolis Senior Center, 708 E. Michigan St. Take Meridian St to North St and turn east. Go past College one block to Spring St and take a right. Park in any Senior Center lot right before you get to E. Michigan St. Alternatively, take I-465 to Michigan St exit on east side of Indy. Parking lot is right off of E. Michigan St. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Judy Donovan (263-6272)
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE This will be a 6-mile hike through quaint neighborhoods, the Zionsville Rail Trail and possibly Starkey Park. Meet in Zionsville Town Hall parking lot at 1100 W Oak St (SR 334) across from McDonalds. From I-465 N take Michigan Rd north and turn left (west) on 116th St to downtown Zionsville and take SR 334 west to the town hall. Repeats each Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES These weekly hikes will be 5-6 miles exploring different areas of Carmel. After the hikes we will enjoy the free concerts at the Gazebo starting at 7:30 PM, so bring your picnic basket, chair or blanket and enjoy the music and fellowship. From I-465 N, go north on Meridian St 1.5 miles to 116th St. Turn right (east) on 116th and go to Rangeline Rd. Turn left (north) on Rangeline and proceed .5 mile to Gradle St (just before Shapiro's). Turn left and park around the fountain or Carmel's City Hall. Hike repeats each Wednesday in June and July and will be somewhat different each week. (M,NS/PS,3) Leader: June Sergi (372-3018)
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE Meet in the northeast corner of the Marsh at Lockerbie parking lot at 320 N. New Jersey for a 5 or 7-mile self guided\* hike in downtown Indy. Repeats each Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS) Leader: John Lyghtel (578-9756 or 626-9117 cell)
- 6:00 PM HOME COMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK From I-65 S take exit 99 - Main St in Greenwood. Go east about one mile and turn right into a subdivision called "Homecoming in University Park". Go to the traffic circle and turn right. Park by the swimming pool. This hike is 5 miles with shorter options on sidewalks and blacktop footpaths through wooded areas. Hike repeats each Wednesday in June. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)

**Thursday, June 2**

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL Meet at Windridge Center at 5435 N. Emerson Way to the left of the pond for a 6-mile hike north on the Fall Creek Trail. Repeats each Thursday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Elaine Wright (753-5516)
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK Meet at the Earth Discovery Center parking lot in Eagle Creek Park (fee), which is located off of west 56th St just west of the Colts facility. Join us for a moderately paced 5-

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- mile trail hike or a 3-4 mile slower option. Repeats each Thursday in June and July. (M,NS,3)  
Leaders: Ed Wright (219-5536) and various other leaders.
- 5:30 PM SOUTH OF BROAD RIPPLE Meet in parking lot of Binkley's Restaurant, 5902 N. College Ave for a 5-mile hike in the area south of Broad Ripple. Plan to go to Binkley's First Thursday Beer Tasting afterwards. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
- 6:00 PM PACING ON THE PENNSY Enjoy a 10-mile hike with 4 and 6 mile options on the paved Pennsy Trail. From I-465 E take I-70 east to Greenfield exit. Turn right on New Road to Broadway, left on Broadway to US 40. Turn left to Center Street and right to the Pennsy trailhead. Repeats every Thursday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Julie Litten (765-663-2739 or 407-4652)
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE From I-465 E go east on 56th St and turn left on Lee Rd. Meet in the back parking lot of the YMCA on Lee Rd for 5-7 mile hike. Repeats every Thursday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leaders: Rick Braun (679-2972) and Allan Roberts (212-3004)
- 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS Meet at Southport Middle School at 5715 S Keystone Ave. Park your car by the basketball court on the south side for a 5-mile hike. Repeats each Thursday in June and July. (F,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)

### Friday, June 3

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE This will be a 6-mile hike with a 4 or 5-mile option, through quaint neighborhoods, the Zionsville Rail Trail and possibly Starkey Park. Meet in Zionsville Town Hall parking lot at 1100 W Oak St (SR 334) across from McDonalds. From I-465 N take Michigan Rd north and turn left (west) on 116th St to downtown Zionsville and take SR 334 west to the town hall. Join us for coffee in downtown Zionsville after the hike. Repeats each Friday in June and July. (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK Meet at food court near Dick's on the north side of Castleton Square for a self-guided\* hike of as many one mile laps as you wish between the hours of 8-10 AM. Repeats each Friday in June and July. (F,PS) Leaders: Rick Kinnaman (861-3979) and Dick Bacon (585-8742)
- 9:00 AM FEATHER COVE This 5-6 mile hike will include the Geist area Feather Cove subdivision, a large and lovely area with pretty homes and yards. If paths aren't flooded, we may hike back to the damn. At the 79th St and Fall Creek intersection, there is a CVS Pharmacy on the northeast corner. There is a short little shopping strip immediately behind CVS on 79th street. We will meet in this little strip at the very eastern end. The little shopping strip includes a Papa Murphy Pizza. You may want to use the bathroom at the McDonald's before the hike. (M,PS,3-3.5). Leader: Charlotte Lyle (842-2360, cell 457-4638)
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK This is a fast-paced 6, 8 or 10-mile road hike. Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside the 56th St entrance. Repeats each Friday in June and July. (M,PS,3.5-4) Leader: Joan Griffiths (297-7312)
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL In downtown Indy exit I-65 at Raymond St (exit 109) and go right (west) about 1/2 mile. Turn left (south) onto Pleasant Run Pkwy N Dr and go to the next stoplight. Turn left onto Pagoda Dr, then turn left again and park by the swimming pool. This is a 5-6 mile hike on the Pleasant Run Trail. Repeats each Friday in June and July. (F,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)
- 9:30 AM BROWN COUNTY STATE PARK From I-465 S take I-65 south to Columbus exit and SR 46 west to Brown County SP (fee). Or take SR 135 south to Nashville and turn left (east) on SR 46 to the park entrance. After entering the park follow signs to the campground. Turn right when you see the sign for the campground registration. On your immediate right and just before you go through the campground gate is the parking lot for the Rally Campground and Ogle Hollow Nature Preserve. Meet there for an 11-mile hike on trails. Bring snacks and water. Join us at the Corn Crib Lounge in Nashville after the hike. (M,NS,2.5) Leader: Narcisso Povinelli (784-9384 or 874-6212-cell)
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS This is a 6-mile hike through the Butler campus, on the canal and nearby neighborhoods. Meet near the front door of Hinkle Field House on 49th St east of Boulevard Place. Hike repeats every Friday in June. (M,PS/NS,3.5) Leader: Jim Griffin (294-1121)

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**Saturday, June 4*****National Trails Day***

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE Meet in Broad Ripple at the free parking lot ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a 8-10 mile guided hike. Repeats each Saturday in June and July. (F,P/NS,3.5) Leaders: Rick Braun (679-2972) and Allan Roberts (549-6909 or 212-3004 work)
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES Follow US 31 south through Franklin past the intersection of SR 44 & 31. Go over Young's Creek and turn left at the Indiana Masonic sign. Go 0.8 miles to the Beeson Recreation Ctr. (396 Branigin Blvd) on left. Park on west side of building. Hike is 12 miles with shorter options. Repeats each Saturday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)
- 9:30 AM LINDA WRIGHT'S 70th BIRTHDAY HIKE Come help celebrate Linda's 70th birthday (it's today) with a 6-mile hike, with shorter options, through the Del Webb community in northeast Fishers, followed by a complimentary lunch and birthday cake at the Wrights. Take I-69 north to exit 10 and follow Southeastern Pkwy (SR 238) south toward Fortville. Go through the roundabout and take SR 238 and then the first left onto 136<sup>th</sup> St heading east. Go ¼ mile on 136<sup>th</sup> St to the stop sign. Turn right on Cyntheanne Rd and go 1/3 mile to the entrance to Del Webb - Britton Falls on your left (by the big waterfall). Park on the left side of the Chateau by the tennis courts. If you plan to attend the lunch please RSVP so we know how many to plan for. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Ed and Linda Wright (219-5536, 371-2485 cell)
- 9:30 AM NATIONAL TRAILS DAY - SALAMONIE RESERVOIR BLOODROOT HIKE To celebrate National Trails Day, we will hike the Bloodroot Trail at Salamonie Reservoir. If interested, a Bloodroot Patch is available at the Interpretive Center for \$3. Allow 2 hours travel time. Take I-69 north and exit on SR 5 (Huntington/Warren exit). Go north 1 mile and turn west on SR 124. Go through Mt. Etna (approx. 6 miles) and continue on SR 124 across SR 9. Go 0.4 mi. beyond SR 9 and turn at Mt. Etna SRA sign. Go 0.3 mi. and turn left on first road beyond trailer park to parking lot. Bring lunch and water for a 12-mile hike. (M,NS,3) Leader: Karleen Huneck (765-480-1570)
- 9:30 AM MIAMI WHITEWATER FOREST Allow 2 hours (85 miles) from I-465 and I-74 on the south side. Take I-74 toward Cincinnati. Take exit 3 in Ohio. Turn left on Dry Fork Rd and go to West Rd (first street) and turn right. Turn left into park (\$2 fee). Take park road all the way to the lake. Follow signs to "Golf Course/Bike Trail". Park on left side of parking lot where sign says "Frisbee Golf". Hike is 8-mile loop on asphalt multiuse trail. There will be three water fountain stops and a bathroom at the halfway mark. (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593 or 224-6541 cell).
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON STATE PARK FROM DELAWARE LAKE From I-465 E go east on 56<sup>th</sup> St to Post Rd and go left (north). Park entrance (fee) is located at 59th and Post Rd. Meet at Delaware Lake lot for a 5-mile hike with a shorter option. Repeats June 25 and July 9. (M,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or 439-1468 cell)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN Meet in the free parking lot ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a self-guided\* 6 or 10-mile hike. Repeats each Saturday and Sunday in June and July, except July 30. (F,PS) Leader: Donna Maurer (328-1974 or 413-5709-cell)
- 7:00 PM OUT RUN THE SUN Come to Ft. Harrison and support a great cause working to find a cure for melanoma. Sign up will be between 6:30-6:45 PM by the CVS on 56th St. Participate in a 1 mile, 5K non-competitive run/walk or a 5K competitive walk/run and earn Club miles. Bring the family. Location is 5626 Lawton Loop East Dr., Indianapolis, IN 46216-1013. Go to the website to register [www.outrunthesun.org](http://www.outrunthesun.org). All the details, including directions, are there. The cost is \$22 per entry. (F,PS) Leader: Julie Litten (407-4652 cell)

**Sunday, June 5**

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL AT 96TH STREET From North Meridian St (US 31) go east on 96th St just past the Monon Trail and turn left into the trailhead parking lot. This will be a 7-mile self-guided\* hike on the Monon Trail to Main St in Carmel and back, with shorter and longer options (1-30 miles). Repeats June 19 and July 17. (F,PS) Leader: Rick Kinnaman (861-3979)
- 9:00 AM WALK THE WILD SIDE This will be an 8-mile hike on the more rustic and rugged west side of Eagle Creek reservoir. Follow 56th St west past the entrance to Eagle Creek Park and across the causeway over the reservoir. Take first right after causeway into the parking lot beside the large iron sculpture of a bear (no fee). Wear boots and bring water. Poles may be helpful on some steep parts of the trail. (M,NS,2.5) Leader: Ed Wright (219-5536)

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- 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP From I-465 N exit on Michigan Rd heading south, turn left at first light (92nd St) and go ¼ mile to the Pyramids. Meet in the parking lot for the Pyramids. This will be a 4-5 mile walk on paved roads followed by an optional 45-minute non-denominational and contemporary religious service inside Beef & Boards. Walking clothes are fine and there will be coffee, bagels, donuts, etc. Hope you stay for the inspirational service at the Garden. Bring the kids. Repeats each Sunday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

**Monday, June 6**

- 9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER Meet in the northeast corner of the Super Wal-Mart parking lot near the Garden Center at the intersection of 74th St and Keystone Ave. This will be a 6-mile hike. Repeats on June 13 and July 11 and 25. (F,PS,3) Leader: Cherie Voegel (848-7674)
- 9:00 AM MORNING CONSTITUTIONAL Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside 56th St entrance for a 6-mile road hike. Repeats on July 4. (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Kate Curtiss (247-0283)
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO WILLIAMS CREEK Park in free lot ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for an 8-mile hike through Williams Creek. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Ellen Mutzl (769-3220 or cell 490-5478)
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE Meet in free parking lot that is ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a hike of 5-6 miles. Repeats on June 27. (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Tom Hollett (733-8448)
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS Meet at Mamma Bears parking lot at the northwest corner of Fall Creek Rd and Brookschool Rd for a 6-8 mile hike through neighborhoods. Repeats each Monday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leaders: Allan Roberts (212-3004) and Rick Braun (679-2972)
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL Sign in at the food court for this self-guided\* hike. Take as many one-mile laps as you want between the hours of 6-7:30 PM. Repeats each Monday in June and July and Wednesday's in July. (F,PS) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)

**Tuesday, June 7**

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around Central Park or a self-guided\* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. From N. Meridian St (US 31) go east on 106th St 1.5 miles to Westfield Blvd. Turn left (north) on Westfield and go about 0.7 miles. Park entrance (look for sign) will be on your left just past 111th St. Meet on the Monon Trail under the bridge between the two buildings near the skateboard park. Hike repeats on June 14, 28, and every Tuesday in July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS Meet at the southwest corner of the Plainfield Recreation and Aquatic Center parking lot at 651 Vestal Rd. From I-465 W take the Washington St (US 40) west 8.4 miles through Plainfield. Turn right at the first stoplight west of town onto Vestal Rd. Go .5 miles to the parking lot that is on the right. Hike is 6 or 10 miles. Repeats on June 13, 14, 21 and July 5, 11, 12 & 19. (F,PS,3.5-4) Leader: Lucy Neal (517-315-9200 cell; 765-653-1502)
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON AND LAWRENCE From I-465 E go east on 56th St to Post Rd. Turn left (north) and go one block to Otis Ave. Turn right and meet at parking lot to left of barricade. Please park in front of the Veterinarian's office not the closed bank. This is a 6-7 mile hike (no fee) with shorter options. Repeats on July 5. (F,PS,3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)
- 9:30 AM HOLLIDAY PARK & BEYOND Enter Holliday Park via north entrance located at 64th St and Spring Mill Rd. Take the road to the left and meet at northwest end of Nature Center lot for a 5-mile hike with a shorter option. Repeats on July 5. (M,NS/HS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 10:00 AM GREENWOOD From I-465 S go south on I-65 to Greenwood exit. Go west to US 31. Turn left (south) to Southern Bowl parking lot (1010 US 31) and park in northwest corner of the parking lot for a 5-6 mile hike on a paved trail and city streets. Eat lunch afterward at the new Jockamo pizza place in Greenwood. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Mary Williams (422-9384 cell, 919-8574) and Reba McFarland (888-9035)
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK Meet in the parking lot of Mama Bears at the northwest corner of Brook School Rd and Fall Creek Pkwy. This will be an 8-10-mile hike with shorter options. Repeats every Tuesday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Marge Braun (842-0584 or 331-0570 cell)
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE Meet at the Marott Park parking lot on College Ave across from Park Tudor between 71st and 75th St for a one-hour hike of 3 to 4 miles. This hike covers the 4 sections of

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- Marott Park or surrounding neighborhoods if the trails are muddy. Hike repeats each Tuesday in June and July. (M,NS/PS,3.5) Leader: Kathy Oguss (523-8995)
- 6:00 PM BEECH GROVE Meet at southeast corner of Emerson and Churchman in Beech Grove near the Salvation Army store (former site of Kroger store) for a 5-mile hike. Repeats each Tuesday in June. (F,PS) Leader: Ricki Jo Hoffmann (782-8147)
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL Meet at CFI Indiana, 350 Canal Walk, Suite A for a walk along the downtown Canal and White River SP. CFI Indiana is located on the west side of the canal walk between Vermont St and New York St. There is parking along the street on New York just east of West St and around the corner on Senate. Come down the stairs at the west end of the New York St bridge that spans the canal and walk straight ahead about 1/2 block. This will be a guided walk of 6 miles with shorter options. Repeats each Tuesday in June and July. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Reba Boyd Wooden (797-5892)

**Wednesday, June 8**

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1.
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
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- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.
- 6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 1.

**Thursday, June 9**

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.
- 6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.
- 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

**Friday, June 10**

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.
- 9:30 AM BROWN COUNTY – LODGE LOOPS AND THE FARMHOUSE CAFÉ From I-465 S go south on I-65 to Columbus exit and then go west on SR 46 to Brown County SP entrance (fee). Or go south on SR 135 to Nashville and east on SR 46 to the park. Meet at the Abe Martin Lodge for a 5-6 mile hike. Afterwards, plan to go to The Farmhouse Café in Nineveh for lunch. (M,NS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See June 3.
- 6:15 PM DORSET ST/ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile group hike in the Dorset St area, or a self-guided\* walk along Illinois St and Oak Ridge (1-8 miles). Go north on Meridian St (US 31) and turn left on Carmel Dr. Meet in the Meridian Park Shoppes lot near Bellacino's restaurant (12590 N. Meridian). Join us in Bellacino's for a bite after the hike. Hike repeats on June 24 and July 1, 8, 22, and 29. (F,PS3-3.5) Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)

**Saturday, June 11**

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.
- 10:00 AM THIRD ANNUAL YOUNG EXPLORERS HIKE AT HOLLIDAY PARK Bring your children, grandchildren, nieces, nephews, neighbors' child or any little rascal! The hike will be 3-4 miles with shorter options. Strollers and wagons are welcome. After the hike we will gather near the playground area for lunch and playtime. Please bring a sack lunch, drinks will be provided. All children must be accompanied by an adult. Meet at the west end of the Nature Center parking lot.

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10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

3:00 PM PIRATE HIKE Join us for a fun pirate themed hike followed by a party (see below). Argh! You are encouraged to wear pirate garb and use pirate jargon. The 9-mile hike sets sail from Liz Meyer's house, 6155 E. Rinker Rd, Mooresville. Expect some gentle hills, a stream and a llama. From I-465 SE take SR 37 south to CR 144. Turn right (west) on CR 144. Turn left (south ) onto Centenary Rd; road curves west. Turn left (south) on Kitchen Rd and go to Rinker Rd. Left on Rinker to near dead end. (M,PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Mary Lester (887-2826) and Mary Lang (882-7148, cell 509-8251)

5:00 PM PIRATE PARTY After the hike join us at a Pirate Party from 5-11 PM at Liz Meyer's house. No civvies savvy? (I.e., Wear pirate costumes.) There will be \$5.00 fee for grub at 6:00 PM and includes all you can drink (non-alcoholic), activities, entertainment, music & dancing. Family friendly atmosphere, however no one under 14 admitted. You do not have to hike to attend the party. For more information call Liz Meyer (750-4967). For a video invitation and costume ideas access <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LXByuGhkIpY>. To brush up on your pirate jargon go to [www.maritimepirates.com/jargon.html](http://www.maritimepirates.com/jargon.html).

6:15 P.M. EMERALD CREST HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the Emerald Crest area or a self-guided\* walk along Hazel Dell (1-19 miles). Hike starts at Main St and Hazel Dell Pkwy in Carmel. Meet in the Carmel Burgers parking lot at the northwest corner of Hazel Dell and 131st St (Main St). Join us for a bite at Carmel Burgers after the hike. Hike repeats on June 25. Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015 cell or 587-0066 home)

### Sunday, June 12

7:30 AM SHERWOOD FOREST/MONON TRAIL OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the Sherwood Forest area, or a self-guided\* walk along the Monon Trail (1-30 miles). Meet at 96th St at the Monon trail. From north Meridian, go east on 96th St. just past the Monon trail and turn left into the parking lot. Repeats June 26. (F,PS) Leader: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066 home)

8:00 AM HIKE, BIKE AND COFFEE Meet at the downtown Shapiro's at 808 S Meridian St for a 6-mile hike to IUPUI followed by a bike ride. Ride will start at 10:00 AM. We will ride to Garfield Park and then have coffee downtown. Ride will be at a social pace and will cancel if it rains. (F,PS,3) Leader: Rick Maxwell (695-6425 cell)

9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.

10:00 AM LET'S FALL IN LOVE with Cole Porter's hometown of Peru, Indiana. We will *Beguine* this 6-8 mile hike at the end of the road for Cole Porter, specifically his resting place. We will *Experiment* walking through the town of Peru visiting highlights of Cole Porter's life and Peru itself. There won't *Be A Clown* but we will go by the Circus City Festival Office. Our tour will end at Cole Porters birthplace and we will navigate the Nickel Plate rail trail to complete the mileage. The Annual Cole Porter Festival will be going on in the downtown area. After the hike is over you may visit the festival and then *Anything Goes*. Peru is located approximately 70 miles north of Indianapolis. Follow US 31 north through Kokomo and past Grissom Air Force Base. About 17 miles north of Grissom is the first turn off for Peru - US 31 Business East. Follow US 31 B East (1.5 miles) and turn right on West Main St. Turn left on North Broadway (.07 miles). Drive approximately 7 blocks (under train trestle) to Logan St, across from Peru High School. Turn left on Logan and proceed to Mt. Hope Cemetery. Turn left on Fremont St (across from cemetery entrance) and park on both sides. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Sue Bullock (550-9032 cell)

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

1:00 PM SUNDAY STROLL AT SAHM PARK From I-465 N, go north on Allisonville Rd to 91st St. Turn right (east) and go 0.8 mile to park entrance. Meet in the parking area near the Aquatic Center. This is a 5-6 mile walk in and outside the park to Culvers and back. Repeats on July 10 and 31. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)

4:00 PM COXHALL GARDEN HIKE AND CONCERT This will be a 5-6 mile hike in and around Coxhall Garden Park and near by neighborhoods. Bring chairs, picnic, drinks and stay and enjoy the free summer concert at 6:00 PM. Go north on Meridian (US 31) to 116th St. Turn left (west) on 116th

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and go about 2 miles. Turn right (north) onto Towne Rd and go to entrance of the park. We will meet in the middle parking lot. Repeats on July 24. (F,PS/HS,3) June Sergi (372-3018)

**Monday, June 13**

8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.

9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See June 6.

9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside 56th St entrance for a fast-paced 6 or 8-mile road hike. Repeats every Monday in June and July except July 4. (M,PS,3.5-4) Leader: Joan Griffiths (297-7312)

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 6.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE Meet in free parking lot that is ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a hike of 5-6 miles. Repeats on June 20. (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

**Tuesday, June 14****Flag Day**

7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 7.

8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.

10:00 AM OLD NORTH SIDE Take Meridian St to 16<sup>th</sup> St and go east a few blocks. Meet in the southeast corner of Kroger's on 16<sup>th</sup> St and Park Ave. We will view renovated homes and gardens on New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Talbott and Alabama streets in Indy's Old North Side. We will also see the newly renovated Methodist church at 12<sup>th</sup> and Central, which has been restored to glory as an event and office site for nonprofit Indiana landmarks. This will be a 5-mile leisurely paced hike. Join us for lunch at Aesops Table after the hike. Hike repeats on July 12. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marthene Kohlmeyer (850-1291)

3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.

5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.

6:00 PM BEECH GROVE See June 7.

6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.

**Wednesday, June 15**

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1

9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.

9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See June 1.

9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.

4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.

5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.

6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.

6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 1.

**Thursday, June 16**

9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.

9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.

6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2

6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.

6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

**Thursday, June 16 - Saturday, June 18**

MACKINAW CITY/MACKINAC ISLAND, Michigan If you have not already made arrangements to attend this trip it is not too late. Rooms are still available at the Clarion Hotel in Mackinaw City (800) 517-0043. Make your own reservations but be sure to ask for the Hiking Club discount. Check in date on 6/15 and out on 6/19. You can upgrade to a lakeside room for an additional \$30 per night. Allow 8+ hours driving time. From I-465 N take I-69 northeast to Michigan. Stay on I-69 to exit 95 and follow I-496 toward E Lansing. Leave I-496 at exit 8 and go north on US 127 to I-75.

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Continue north on I-75 to exit 338 Mackinaw City, turn left at Nicolet St. Take the 1st right to Mackinaw Crossing Dr, then a left on S. Huron Ave and follow it to the Clarion Hotel, 905 S. Huron Ave, Mackinaw City, MI 49701.

Thursday June 16 Hike meets at 8:00 AM at hotel parking lot. Bring a sack lunch. We will car pool to Wilderness SP (limited parking and \$8.00 car fee). There will be a 6-mile hike in the morning and in the afternoon, with shorter options.

Friday, June 17<sup>th</sup> We will take the 8:30 AM ferry to Mackinac Island from Arnold's Ferry Dock located next to our hotel. You may purchase ferry tickets online at [www.arnoldline.com](http://www.arnoldline.com) and save \$3. Ticket is good on any date in 2011. Rental lockers are available at the dock. On Mackinac Island there will be an 8-mile self-guided\* hike around the island with a 4-mile option. Bring your lunch or you may purchase lunch on the island. Plan to spend the day on Mackinac Island, visiting the shops, sightseeing and bike riding. The last ferry leaves Mackinac Island at 11:00 pm.

Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup> Meet at hotel parking lot at 8:30 AM for a 5-mile hike through Mackinaw City. There is an optional 5-mile hike in the afternoon on the Mackinaw City rail trail. For more information please contact Tim & Kathy Braun at Tim's cell: 317-408-3051, Kathy's cell: 317-625-3486 or [tbraun@callcarpenter.com](mailto:tbraun@callcarpenter.com).

### Friday, June 17

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See June 3.

### Saturday, June 18

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.
- 3:00 PM OLDENBURG TO ENOCHSBURG Take I-74 SE to Exit 149 (SR 229) and turn north driving 2.6 miles to Oldenburg (66 miles from I-465). Park at corner of Rudolf Strasse (Pearl St) and Wasser Strasse (Water St) behind the church. We will hike secondary roads to Enochsburg where we'll eat dinner at the Fireside Inn (Home of the King Khic) and return to Oldenburg by a different route, 10-12 miles in all. (M,PS,3) Leader: Julie Litten (765-663-2739 or 317-407-4652-cell)

### Sunday, June 19

#### *Happy Father's Day!*

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL AT 96TH STREET See June 5.
- 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

### Monday, June 20

- 9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See June 13.
- 9:30 AM SHORT SLOW WALK ON FALL CREEK TRAIL From about 5400 N. Emerson Way, just north of the bridge over Fall Creek go east on Fall Creek Parkway. Park in the shade alongside the road across from the pond for a 3-mile walk. Repeats on June 27 and July 4 & 18. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 13.
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

### Tuesday, June 21

#### *First Day of Summer*

- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.
- 9:30 AM POTTERS BRIDGE IN NOBLESVILLE We will walk 5-6 miles along the White River from Potters Bridge and visit Forest Park and part of Noblesville. From I-69 go north on SR 37 to 191st St and turn left. Go west on 191st St to the second stop sign (10th St/Allisonville Rd). Turn right (north)

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and proceed approximately 1/4 mile. The entrance the Potters Bridge will be on your left. Hike repeats on July 26. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Bob Hackenberg (773-2934)

- 9:30 AM ARTSPARK & MAROTT PARK FROM MONON SHELTER From College Ave go east on 65th St a few blocks to Cornell. Turn left and park near the shelter for a 5-mile hike. (F,PS/NS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.
- 4:00 PM DOWNTOWN AND GROOVIN IN THE GARDEN Meet in the NE corner of Marsh at Lockerbie parking lot at 320 N. New Jersey St for a 5-mile hike that will end a few blocks from the starting point, at Easley Winery, 205 N. College Ave. Enjoy Groovin in the Garden, featuring a free live concert by local musical talent paired with great wine. Groovin in the Garden is scheduled from 5-7 PM featuring Acoustic Catfish (current folk & blues). (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.
- 6:00 PM BEECH GROVE See June 7.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.

### Wednesday, June 22

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1
- 9:00 AM DOWN BY THE RIVERSIDE This 5-6 mile hike will take us along the White River south of Washington St and other parts of downtown Indy. Meet in the front of the Indianapolis Senior Center, 708 E. Michigan St. Take Meridian St to North St and turn east. Go past College one block to Spring St and take a right. Park in any Senior Center lot right before you get to E. Michigan St. Alternatively, take I-465 to Michigan St exit on east side of Indy. Parking lot is right off of E. Michigan St. (F,PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
- 5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.
- 6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 1.

### Thursday, June 23

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.
- 6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.
- 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

### Friday, June 24

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See June 3.
- 6:15 PM DORSET ST/ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See June 10.

### Saturday June 25

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON STATE PARK FROM DELAWARE LAKE See June 4.
- 10:00 AM PURPLESTRIDE Join this charity walk to fight pancreatic cancer. Register online (fee required) at <http://pancan.kintera.org/faf/home/default.asp?ievent=463226&lis=0&kntae463226=083BAEBF8FE643EDA8FED347148075FC>. The family friendly 5K walk starts at 10:30 AM. Sign-up for Club mileage between 10-10:20 AM. Look for Jan Stevens who will be wearing a bright green Hiking

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- Club t-shirt. Call before or after the walk if you can't locate her. Walk will start from Celebration Plaza at White River State Park, 801 W Washington St. (F,PS) Leader: Jan Stevens (418-5685)
- 10:00 AM FORT HARRISON AND LAWRENCE From I-465 E go east on 56th St to Post Rd. Turn left (north) and go one block to Otis Ave. Turn right and meet at parking lot to left of barricade. Please park in front of the Veterinarian's office not the closed bank. This is a 6-7 mile hike (no fee) with shorter options. (F,PS,3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.
- 6:15 P.M. EMERALD CREST HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See June 11.

### Sunday, June 26

- 7:30 AM SHERWOOD FOREST/MONON TRAIL OPTIONS See June 12.
- 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.
- 9:30 AM TWIN VALLEY TRAIL Allow 2+ hrs (98 miles) from I-465 E. Take I-70 east to 1st Ohio exit (US 35). Go right on US 35 into Eaton. In downtown Eaton follow SR 122 southeast. In Gratis turn left onto SR 725. In Germantown turn right (south) on Main St. Park in the dirt parking lot at the very end of the street. This will be a self-guided\* 14-mile hike, with a 7-mile option. We will take Twin Valley Trail to Germantown Park loop. Bring trail lunch and water. (M,NS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.
- 4:00 PM COXHALL GARDEN HIKE AND CONCERT This will be a 5-6 mile hike in and around Coxhall Garden Park and near by neighborhoods. Bring chairs, picnic, drinks and stay and enjoy the free summer concert at 6:00 PM. Go north on Meridian (US 31) to 116th St. Turn left (west) on 116th and go about 2 miles. Turn right (north) onto Towne Rd and go to entrance of the park. We will meet in the middle parking lot. Repeats on July 10. (F,PS/NS,3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)

### Monday, June 27

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK TRAIL Meet at Windridge Center at 5435 N Emerson Way for an 8-mile hike with shorter options. Use the lot to the right of the pond. The 8-mile option includes a mile loop through the State Fair grounds. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Tish Brafford (251-8907, 531-6700 cell)
- 9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See June 13.
- 9:30 AM SHORT SLOW WALK ON FALL CREEK TRAIL See June 20.
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 6
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

### Tuesday, June 28

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 7.
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON & SKILES TEST NATURE PARK From I-465 E go east on 56th St. Turn left (north) on Post Rd and turn left into Fort Harrison SP (fee). Meet at Cherry Tree parking area for a 6 to 8-mile hike with shorter options. Repeats on July 19. (M,NS/PS,3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)
- 9:30 AM CROWN HILL CEMETERY From the 700 block of W 38th St, go north on Clarendon Rd less than a block to the cemetery entrance. Meet just inside the gate for a 5-mile walk (shorter option). Hike repeats on July 26. (M,PS/NS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.
- 6:00 PM BEECH GROVE See June 7.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.

### Wednesday, June 29

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1
- 9:00 AM YET ANOTHER PART OF THE EAGLE CREEK LEVEE This is a 6-7 mile hike heading south east on the levee. Be prepared for a bit of adventure. From I-465 W exit on Rockville Rd heading east. At the 3rd stoplight turn left (north) on Gasoline Alley. Turn left on Vermont St and go one block. Meet in Thatcher Park on your left. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.

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- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.  
9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See June 1.  
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.  
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.  
5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.  
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.  
6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 1.

**Thursday, June 30**

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.  
9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.  
6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2  
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.  
6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

**Friday, July 1**

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.  
8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.  
9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.  
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.  
6:00 PM WHITE RIVER RETURNS This is a 7-mile self-guided\* hike on the White River Trail with shorter options of 1 to 6 miles. Meet in the back of the parking lot at the SE corner of 10<sup>th</sup> St and Indiana Ave past all of the restaurants. Join us for dinner afterwards at a nearby restaurant. Hike repeats each Friday in July. (F,PS) Leaders: Jim Griffin (371-8797 or 294-1121)  
6:15 PM DORSET ST/ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See June 10.

**Saturday, July 2**

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.  
8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.  
9:30 AM MOUNDS STATE PARK Go northeast on I-69 to Exit 26 (second Anderson exit), north on SR 9, and east on SR 232. Then watch for where SR 232 goes left off the main road and continues on to the park entrance (fee). Meet in Pavilion parking lot for a 5-mile hike. (M,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or 439-1468 cell)  
10:00 AM WHITewater MEMORIAL STATE PARK Allow about 2 hours from I-465 (84 miles). Take I-70 east to Richmond, Exit 151. Go south on SR 27 to Liberty. Continue south on SR 101 a couple of miles to park entrance (fee) on right. Follow park road toward boat rental. There is a parking area just across the dam but go another half mile to parking area with restroom and picnic table. Bring a picnic lunch. Hike is 7 miles with shorter and longer options. We will do a 3-mile loop, eat lunch and then do a 4 mile loop with an option of 2 additional miles. (F,HS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593 or 224-6541-cell).  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.  
6:15 P.M DELAWARE TRACE HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the Delaware Trace area or a self-guided\* walk along Hazel Dell (1-19 miles). Hike starts at Main St and Hazel Dell Pkwy in Carmel. Meet in the Carmel Burgers parking lot at the northwest corner of Hazel Dell and 131st St. Join us for a bite at Carmel Burgers after the hike. Hike repeats on July 9. Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)

**Sunday, July 3**

- 7:30 AM RETREAT/MONON TRAIL OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile hike group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the Retreat area, or a self-guided\* walk along the Monon Trail (1-30 miles). Meet at 96th St at the Monon trail. From north Meridian, go east on 96th St. just past the Monon trail and turn left into the parking lot. Repeats July 10. (F,PS) Leader: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)  
9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

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- 1:00 PM ROCKSHELTER & MORE AT MORGAN MONROE STATE FOREST Allow 1¼ hours travel time from I-465. Take SR 37 to about 4 miles south of Martinsville. Where highway sign for Paragon points right, you go LEFT and follow road to "T", turn right on to old highway 37 and continue to forest entrance, approximately 4 miles. Turn left into the state forest and continue about 5 miles to the parking area at Mason Ridge Campground entrance (at Fire Tower). This will be an 8-9 mile hike with shorter option. (M,NS,2-2.5) Leader: Mary Ann Layman (881-8416 or 306-5306 cell)
- 4:00 PM AVON TOWN HALL AND PARK Enjoy a 5 to 6-mile walk on trails around a scenic lake and the Town Hall Park. The park is located at 6570 E. US 36. Meet in the parking lot up the hill by the picnic shelter and playground. From I-465 W exit on US 36 (Rockville Rd) and travel west about 8.5 miles. Turn right into the Town Hall. (F, MS, 3-3.5) Leader: Terry Roesch (Cell 910-2943)

**Monday, July 4** *Independence Day*

- 9:00 AM MORNING CONSTITUTIONAL See June 6.
- 8:30 AM CARMEL LOOP Before celebrating the holiday, join us for a spirited 6-7 mile hike on wooded pathways along the White River and through pretty neighborhoods. Park up the hill behind the Starbucks at the NW corner of 131 St (Main St) and Hazel Dell Pkwy in Carmel. Meet at Starbucks. (F,PS/NS,3.5) Leader: Ed Wright (219-5536)
- 9:30 AM SHORT SLOW WALK ON FALL CREEK TRAIL See June 20.
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE Meet in free parking lot that is ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a hike of 5-6 miles. (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: mystery leader
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

**Tuesday, July 5**

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 7.
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON AND LAWRENCE See June 7.
- 9:30 AM HOLLIDAY PARK & BEYOND See June 7.
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.
- 6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK Meet at Baxter YMCA on Shelby St at Stop 11 Rd (south entrance). This is right off US 31 on Indy's south side. This is a neighborhood hike of 6 miles with a 5-mile option. Repeats each Tuesday in July. (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)

**Wednesday, July 6**

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See June 1.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
- 5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

**Thursday, July 7**

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.
- 6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.
- 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

**Friday, July 8**

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.

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- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.  
9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.  
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.  
6:00 PM WHITE RIVER RETURNS See July 1.  
6:15 PM DORSET ST/ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See June 10.

**Saturday, July 9**

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.  
8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.  
9:30 AM FORT HARRISON STATE PARK FROM DELAWARE LAKE See June 4.  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.  
6:15 P.M. DELAWARE TRACE HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See July 2.

**Sunday, July 10**

- 7:30 AM RETREAT/MONON TRAIL OPTIONS See July 3.  
9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.  
1:00 PM SUNDAY STROLL AT SAHM PARK See June 12.  
2:00 PM MICHELE KESTLE'S BIRTHDAY HIKE - CLEARWATER SYLVAN RIDGE LAKES This will be a 6-mile hike celebrating Michele's 68th birthday. Half way through we will stop at Michele's new home to enjoy cupcakes from The Sweet Life in Fishers. From the intersection of Keystone Ave and 86th St go east on 86th St about 0.8 mile to Dean Rd. Turn right (south) onto Dean Rd and take the next right into the northwest corner of Joe's Crabshack parking lot. (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Michele Kestle (251-7157)  
4:00 PM COXHALL GARDEN HIKE AND CONCERT See June 26.

**Monday, July 11**

- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.  
9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See June 6.  
9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See June 13.  
1:00 PM CHAPEL HILL From I-465 W go west on 10th St about a mile to Girls School Rd and turn left. Meet in the northeast corner of the Chapel Hill Shopping Center lot on the SW corner of 10<sup>th</sup> St and Girls School Rd. On this new 6-mile hike we will explore the adjoining neighborhoods including the Ben Davis High School campus. (F,PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779, 652-2779 cell)  
6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE Meet in the free parking lot that is 1/2 block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave, for a 5-6 mile hike in and around Broad Ripple. (M,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leaders: Patty Cochran (755-8190) and Steve Dlugosz (432-5562)  
6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.  
6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

**Tuesday, July 12**

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 7.  
8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.  
9:30 AM FARM HIKE IN DURBIN TOWNSHIP This will be a 5-mile hike in Durbin Township, east of Noblesville. It will start and end at the Hackenberg farmstead and will skirt a number of farmers' fields along a creek line and along sparsely traveled country roads. After the hike you can commune with goats and chickens. Meet at 13610 E. 186th St, Noblesville. From I-69 take SR 37 north to Noblesville. At the intersection of SR 37 and SR 32, turn right (east) on SR 32 and go 3.5 miles to Pennington Rd. Turn left onto Pennington Rd and travel .5 miles to where it T's into 186th St. Turn right on 186th St and go .3 miles to the farm. The house will be on the left at the top of the hill just past the wooden horse fence. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Bob Hackenberg (773-2934)  
10:00 AM OLD NORTH SIDE See June 14.  
3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.  
5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.  
6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.  
6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 5.

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**Wednesday, July 13**

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1  
9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.  
9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.  
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.  
1:00 PM CHAPEL GLEN NEIGHBORHOOD Meet in the lower parking lot on the south side of Chapel Glen Elementary School; 701 Landsdowne Rd for a 5-6 mile hike in and around the adjoining neighborhood. From I-465 W take 10 St west approximately 3.2 miles to Landsdowne Rd (not far past Country Club Rd). Turn south on Landsdowne and go several blocks to Chapel Glen School on your left. (F,PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)  
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.  
5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.  
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.  
6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

**Thursday, July 14**

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.  
9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.  
6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2  
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.  
6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

**Friday, July 15**

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.  
8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.  
9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.  
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.  
6:00 PM WHITE RIVER RETURNS See July 1.

**Saturday, July 16**

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.  
8:00 AM OLDENBURG FREUDENFEST 10K WANDERUNG Wear your lederhosen and alpine hat and join us for this fun annual Club tradition. Oldenburg's Freudenfest has been described as "the biggest little German festival in Indiana," Take I-74 southeast to Exit 149 (SR 229 - Batesville) and turn north driving 2.6 miles to Oldenburg. Park your car at any legal location on the streets and proceed to the Town Hall where the Wanderung will start. Course will be open from 7-11 AM. This is a self-guided\* loop hike of 6 or 12 miles (twice around). We plan to be there at 8:00 AM with the sign-up sheet, which we will leave at the start area until 11 AM for those coming earlier or later. The walk is free, however contributions to the Wanderung are appreciated. Enjoy the German food, music and festivities of the Freudenfest after the hike. Festival starts Friday evening. (M,NS/PS) Leader: Mary Ann Layman (881-8416 or 306-5306 cell)  
8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.  
9:30 AM SOUTHEASTWAY PARK Go southeast on US 52 (Brookville Rd) to Carroll Rd (stoplight) on the Marion-Hancock county line. Turn right (south) and go 3.2 miles to park entrance. Meet at Activity Center lot for a 5-mile hike with a shorter option. (F,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or 439-1468 cell)  
10:00 AM FORT HARRISON & SKILES TEST NATURE PARK From I-465 E go east on 56th St. Turn left (north) on Post Rd and turn left into Fort Harrison SP (fee). Meet at Cherry Tree parking area for a 6 to 8-mile hike with shorter options. (M,NS/PS,3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

**Sunday, July 17**

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL AT 96TH STREET See June 5.  
9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

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- 8:00 AM HIKE, BIKE AND COFFEE Meet at Windridge Center at 5435 N Emerson St for a 6 mile hike on the pathway. Bike ride will start at 10:00 AM. We will ride to Fort Harrison and have coffee. Ride will be at a social pace and will cancel if it rains. (F,PS,3) Leader: Rick Maxwell (695-6425-cell)
- 2:30 PM ZIONSVILLE PARKS This will be a 10 mile hike with shorter options. We will hike Creekside, Lion's Club, Elm, Turkey Foot and Starkey parks. From I-465 N go north on Michigan Rd and left (west) on 116<sup>th</sup> St to Lion's Club Park, on your right just before you enter the village. Meet in the south area of Lion's Club Park. We could eat at OOBATZ's after the hike. (F,PS) Rena Elsner (873-6526).

**Monday, July 18**

- 8:30 AM HAGAN BURKE TRAIL AND MONON Going north on US 31 (Meridian) turn west or left onto Greyhound Pass. This is the first stoplight after you go through the 146th St underpass. There is a Regions Bank on one corner and on the left in the shopping center is Barnes and Noble. Meet at the Monon trailhead parking lot 0.6 miles from US 31 for a 6-8 mile hike with shorter options. (F,PS, 3.5) Leader: Ellen Mutzl (769-3220 or cell 490-5478)
- 9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See June 13.
- 9:30 AM SHORT SLOW WALK ON FALL CREEK TRAIL See June 20.
- 1:00 PM EXPLORING CLERMONT WOODS AND DAIRY QUEEN From I-465 W take the Speedway exit (16A) and immediately turn right at the first light onto 136 (Crawfordsville Road). At the 5<sup>th</sup> stoplight turn left (south) on Tansel Road. Go .3 mile to Clermont Lion's Club Park and turn left. On this 5-6 mile hike we will walk through the Clermont Woods, nearby neighborhoods and have a mandatory stop at a local Dairy Queen. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779)
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE Meet in free parking lot that is ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a hike of 5-6 miles. (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Michele Kestle (251-7157)
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

**Tuesday, July 19**

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 7.
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See June 7.
- 9:30 AM NORTHWOOD HIKE Meet at Northwood Christian Church for a 5-6 mile hike. We will explore some beautiful neighborhoods on Indy's Old Northside. From N. Keystone Ave turn west on 46th St and go 1.4 miles. The church is on the corner of 46th and Central. We will meet in the parking lot behind the church. (F,PS,3) Leader: June Sergi (372-3018)
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON & SKILES TEST NATURE PARK See June 28.
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.
- 6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 5.

**Wednesday, July 20**

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See June 1.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.
- 1:00 PM INSIDE INDY Although some of this 5-mile hike will be outside, the goal is to beat the summer heat by seeking out tunnels, malls, sky bridges and other air conditioned indoor routes throughout downtown Indy. Meet in the front of the Indianapolis Senior Center, 708 E. Michigan St for a hike of 6-7 miles through downtown Indy. Take Meridian St to North St and turn east. Go past College one block to Spring St and take a right. Park in any Senior Center lot right before you get to E. Michigan St. Alternatively, take I-465 to Michigan St exit on east side of Indy. Parking lot is right off of E. Michigan St. (F,PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
- 5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

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**Thursday, July 21**

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.  
9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.  
6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2  
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.  
6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

**Friday, July 22**

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.  
8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.  
9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.  
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.  
6:00 PM WHITE RIVER RETURNS See July 1.  
6:15 PM DORSET ST/ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See June 10.

**Saturday, July 23**

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 4.  
8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 4.  
8:30 AM MORGAN MONROE STATE FOREST Allow 1 1/4 hours travel time from I-465 and SR 37. Take SR 37 south to about 4 miles south of Martinsville. Turn left at the sign for Morgan Monroe State Forest and go about 4 miles to the forest entrance. Meet at the Forest Office parking lot. We will do the 10-mile Three Lakes Trail first and then (if you wish) the 10-mile Low Gap Trail. Bring snacks and water. (H,NS,3) Leader: Cathy Bridge (201-6551)  
9:30 AM BROWN COUNTY From I-465 S take I-65 south to Columbus exit and SR 46 west to Brown County SP (fee). Or take SR 135 south to Nashville and turn left on SR 46 (east) to the park entrance. After entering the park follow signs to the campground. Turn right when you see the sign for the campground registration. On your immediate right and just before you go through the campground gate is the parking lot for the Rally Campground and Ogle Hollow Nature Preserve. Meet there for an 11-mile hike on trails. Bring snacks and water. Join us at the Corn Crib Lounge afterwards. (M,NS,2.5) Leader: Narcisso Povinelli (784-9384 or 874-6212-cell)  
9:30 AM HOLLIDAY & MAROTT PARKS Enter Holliday Park from Spring Mill Rd at 64th St. After entering, take road to the left. Meet at northwest end of large parking lot for hike of 5-6 miles. (M,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or 439-1468-cell)  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.  
6:15 PM PLUM CREEK FARMS HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the Plum Creek Farms area or a self-guided\* walk along Hazel Dell (1-19 miles). Hike starts at Main St and Hazel Dell Pkwy in Carmel. Meet in the Carmel Burgers parking lot at the northwest corner of Hazel Dell and 131st St. Join us for a bite at Carmel Burgers after the hike. Hike repeats on July 30. Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)

**Sunday, July 24**

- 7:30 AM COLLEGE CREST/MONON TRAIL OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile hike group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the College Crest area, or a self-guided\* walk along the Monon trail (1-30 miles). Meet at 96th St at the Monon trail. From north Meridian, go east on 96th St just past the Monon trail and turn left into the parking lot. Repeats July 31. (F,PS) Leader: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)  
9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.  
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.  
4:00 PM COXHALL GARDEN HIKE AND CONCERT See June 12.

**Monday, July 25**

- 9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See June 6.  
9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See June 13.  
6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE AND BIRTHDAY BASH Meet in the free parking lot that is 1/2 block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave, for a 5-6 mile hike in and around Broad Ripple. This hike will

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never repeat. This is the 29th anniversary of the hike leaders 29th birthday. Birthday bashing will be done at La Piedad after the hike. (M,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Sue Bullock (550-9032).

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 6.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

### **Tuesday, July 26**

7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 7.

9:30 AM CROWN HILL CEMETERY See June 28.

9:30 AM POTTERS BRIDGE IN NOBLESVILLE See June 21.

3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 7.

5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See June 7.

6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See June 7.

6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 5.

### **Wednesday, July 27**

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 1

9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See June 1.

9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See June 1.

9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See June 1.

1:00 PM AVON'S WASHINGTON TOWNSHIP COMMUNITY PARK From I-465 W go west on Rockville Rd (SR 36) 8.2 miles. Watch for a brown sign on the right side of the road indicating the entrance to the park. Turn left (south) into the park and meet in the lot at the back of the park. On this 5-6 mile hike we will see two ponds, a fountain and a haunted bridge. Luckily most of this hike will be in the shade. (M,NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or cell 652-2779)

4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 1.

5:30 PM CARMEL CONCERT HIKES See June 1.

6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 1.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

### **Thursday, July 28**

9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See June 2.

9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See June 2.

6:00 PM PACING THE PENNSY See June 2

6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 2.

6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See June 2.

### **Friday, July 29**

7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 3.

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 3.

9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See June 3.

9:30 AM AVON TOWN HALL AND PARK Enjoy a 5-mile walk on trails around a scenic lake and the Town Hall Park. The park is located at 6570 E US 36. Meet in the parking lot up the hill by the picnic shelter and playground. From I-465 W, exit on Rockville Rd (US 36) and travel west about 8.5 miles. Turn right into the Town Hall. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Terry Roesch (cell 910-2943)

9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 3.

6:00 PM WHITE RIVER RETURNS See July 1.

6:15 PM DORSET ST/ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See June 10.

### **Saturday, July 30**

6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 5.

8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See June 5.

10:00 AM ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC The Club has reserved Shelter "A" at the north end of Eagle Creek Park, which is located just off W 56<sup>th</sup> St across from the Colts complex. This is the same shelter we used last year. Ask for a map at the entrance, and follow signs to the shelter. As always, there will be a moderate pace 5-mile hike starting at 10:00 AM. We will eat shortly after the hikers return. If you are coming just for the picnic, plan to arrive by noon. Come prepared for a good time and bring

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enough food to contribute to an old fashioned pitch-in dinner: an entrée, your favorite vegetable, salad, bread, dessert or snacks (take your choice). Drinks will be provided. Don't forget to bring your plates and utensils. Expect it to be warm so use coolers to protect your food. You might want to bring folding chairs. If you have questions, please contact Tim Braun at 408-3051 or June Sergi at 372-3018.

6:15 P.M. PLUM CREEK FARMS HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See July 23.

### **Sunday, July 31**

7:30 AM COLLEGE CREST/MONON TRAIL OPTIONS See July 24.

9:00 AM CULTURAL TRAIL Join us for a 6-mile hike on the completed and planned sections of the Indianapolis Cultural Trail through downtown. Meet in the front of the Indianapolis Senior Center, 708 E. Michigan St. Take Meridian St to North St and turn east. Go past College one block to Spring St and take a right. Park in any Senior Center lot right before you get to E. Michigan St. Alternatively, take I-465 to Michigan St exit on east side of Indy. Parking lot is right off of E. Michigan St. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Ed Wright (219-5536)

9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See June 5.

9:30 AM CLIFTON GORGE & JOHN BRYON STATE PARK Allow 2½ hours from I-465 E (130 miles). Take I-70 east to SR 72 (Exit 54) in Ohio. Go south (right) on SR 72 to Clifton. Turn right at the mill on Water St. Go to curve at end of street and meet in Park parking lot. This is a 6-8 mile woods hike along the Little Miami river. Listen to rushing water in western Ohio's most scenic state park. After the hike, tour, shop and eat lunch at an operational gristmill. You can check out the mill and view the menu at [www.CliftonMill.com](http://www.CliftonMill.com). (M,HS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 4.

1:00 PM SUNDAY STROLL AT SAHM PARK See June 12.

4:00 PM PLAINFIELD TRAILS Enjoy a 6-mile hike on the White Lick Creek Corridor to Friendship Gardens and Hummel Park. Meet at the southwest corner of the Plainfield Recreation and Aquatic Center parking lot located at 651 Vestal Rd. From I-465 W, exit on Washington St and travel west 8.3 miles through Plainfield. Turn right at the first stop light west of town onto Vestal Rd. Travel 0.5 mile to the Recreation Center parking lot. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Terry Roesch (cell 910-2943)

**PLAN FOR THESE UPCOMING EVENTS:** Contact a Pathfinder if you would like to preview a future event.

**SYMPHONY ON THE PRAIRIE - August 6** Plan to attend this fun annual evening event. See write-up on the first page of this schedule. Cutoff for reduced rate ticket purchase is August 1. Look for more details in the next schedule.

**LABOR DAY WEEKEND - POKAGON STATE PARK, ANGOLA, IN - September 3-5** We have a block of rooms and cabins at beautiful Potawatomi Inn and Resort on Lake James in northeastern Indiana. Pokagon State Park is located just west of I-69 at exit 154 north of Ft. Wayne, IN. Go to [www.indianainns.com](http://www.indianainns.com) to check the rates and view the rooms at Potawatomi Inn. You will need to make your own reservations selecting the type of room you desire (from our block), assuming it is still available. This can be done by calling Indiana Reservations at 1-877-768-2928 requesting the Potawatomi Inn at Pokagon and give our Group Code # 0902IH. Unconfirmed rooms will be released on August 2. If you would like more information please contact Mary Ann Layman at 881-8416 or [malayman@earthlink.net](mailto:malayman@earthlink.net).

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND ELECTION OF OFFICERS - September 8** Please join us for our semi-annual General Assembly which be held at the Earth Discovery Center in Eagle Creek Park. This is a great time to meet your new Club board members. There will be refreshments for all to enjoy and a guest speaker.

**ASPEN, COLORADO - September 10-17** Jean Ballinger will be leading a weeklong trip to Aspen, CO. September 10 is a travel day with hikes planned for Sunday, September 11 through Friday, September 16. Jean distributed information packets at a planning meeting back in November. The packet included details about the planned hikes and sightseeing options, lodging, restaurants, driving directions, pricing and much more. Jean has reserved a block of airspace and condos. The condos have one space available, and there are a few air spaces still available. And you can also make your own arrangements to join this trip. If you did not attend the meeting and are interested, it is essential that you email Jean soon at [skierjean@yahoo.com](mailto:skierjean@yahoo.com) and request an information packet, which she will send you via email. If you have questions, call Jean at 696-2120.

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**OCTOBERFEST AT GNAW BONE CAMP – October 8** Did you enjoy the orienteering hike at Gnow Bone Camp last fall? We had over 80 participants and rave reviews. Well we are going to do it again this year along with a slow and easy non-orienteering hike. Come join your friends for a wonderful fall day of hiking in a beautiful setting followed by a lunch. Look for more details in the next schedule.

**CHRISTMAS PARTY – December 4** We have some exciting news for this year's Christmas party! First we have a new location, the party will be held at Nativity Catholic School on Southeastern Ave, which is on the southeast side of Indianapolis and we are planning to have the dinner catered with a traditional dinner menu. We are looking forward on trying out this new location and going with a caterer. More information will be available in the fall issue of the hiking schedule.

**WINTER WEEKEND – March 16-18, 2012** We have decided to try a new location for next year's winter weekend, although we expect to be back at Spring Mill in the future. In 2012 we will be visiting McCormick's Creek SP and their beautiful Inn. There are many excellent hiking trails in this park and it is closer to Indy. Mary Ann Layman will be coordinating this event. Look for more details in future schedules.

**15<sup>th</sup> ANNUAL SMOKY MOUNTAINS GETAWAY – April 19-21, 2012** Not too soon to note the dates for next year's Smoky Mountains trip to Gatlinburg, TN.

**PLEASE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS VOTED IN AT RECENT BOARD MEETINGS:**

3/17	Rebecca Young	13827 Plantree Dr, Carmel, IN 46033	442-4937
4/21	Larry Dierkes	5633 Forest Rise Ct, Indianapolis, IN 46203	783-3860
4/21	Janet Guildenbecher	720 S Rangeline Rd, Carmel, IN 46032	571-0360
4/21	Mary Johnson	3144 Mooresville Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46221	244-6931
4/21	Marcia Kohn	7161 Knollvalley La, Indianapolis, IN 46256	288-0160
4/21	Cathy Ladd	3921 Bent Tree La, Greenwood, IN 46143	331-3952
4/21	Judy Pike	5855 Countryside Ct, New Palestine, IN 46163	861-1852
4/21	Cindy Richardson	4632 Northeastern Ave, Indianapolis, IN 46239	862-6471
4/21	Angie Terry	420 E 103 <sup>rd</sup> St, Indianapolis, IN 46280	571-8549
5/19	Marilynn Edwards	16334 Quartz Dr, Noblesville, IN 46060	770-9788
5/19	Connie Kelley	1725 Beam Rd, Columbus, IN 47201	812 209-8838
5/19	Shari McCormick	6104 Franklin Villas Way, Indianapolis, IN 46237	809-9264
5/19	Michelle Weiss	1148 Laurelwood, Carmel, IN 46032	705-0470

**REINSTATEMENTS:**

Paula Chappell	427 1 <sup>st</sup> Ave, SE Carmel, IN 46032	
John Miller	3095 Coventry Ln, Greenwood, IN 46143	373-1118

**CHANGES OF ADDRESS, PHONE, SPELLING, ETC. (changes are underlined):**

Rose Dearing		<u>374-8951</u>
Joe Scherrer		<u>691-9169</u>
Larry and Susan Sievers	<u>4634 Summersong Rd, Zionsville, IN 46077</u>	<u>344-2635</u>

**THE MILEAGE OFFICER IS PROUD TO ANNOUNCE THE FOLLOWING MILEAGE AWARDS:**

Allan Roberts	24,000	Jeff Edmondson	7,000	Jan Stevens	1,000
Glee Crowder	21,500	Bob Layman	7,000	Anne Polk	400
Rick Kinnaman	20,500	Rich Peck	7,000	Louise Stegerman	400
Mary Lester	20,500	Martin Dadel	6,500	Bill Thomas	400
Cherie Voege	15,500	Phil Slaughter	6,500	John Wagner	400
Marsha Hutchins	13,500	Valan Magnabosco	5,000	Judi Johnson	300
Charlie Brunette	10,500	Rick Braun	4,500	Ella Spreckelmeyer	300
Donna Chastain	9,500	Sue Bullock	4,500	Bill Dowling	200
Anna Gehring	9,500	Rena Elsner	4,500	Lori Showley	200
Mary Ann Layman	9,500	Marti Applegate	4,000	Dave Crisler	100
Cheryl Conwell	9,000	Marge Braun	4,000	Nancy Crisler	100
Joanne Applegate	8,500	Edeltraud Evans	2,000	Liz Meyer	100
Jean Ballinger	8,500	Richard Evans	2,000	Kathleen Ortiz	100
Julie Litten	7,500	Don Hayes	2,000	Will Snyder	100
Lucy Neal	7,500	Charlotte Lyle	2,000	Karen Zimmerman	100

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Phil Short	7,500	Sharon Klusman	1,000	Larry Zimmerman	100
Rita Bymaster	7,000	Beth Maschino	1,000	Karen Hewitt	100

**MEMBER NEWS:**

The Indianapolis Hiking Club extends its sympathy to the family and friends of the following members: Dorothea Powers, member since 1994, who passed away on April 3.  
Janet Lake passed away in late April.

Also, all the best and hopes of a speedy recovery to:  
Lee Kestle who had back surgery.  
Sukhbir Singh who had spinal surgery on April 19.

**HIKING CLUB INFORMATION:** For more information about our Club please visit our website at [www.indyhike.org](http://www.indyhike.org) or contact Mary Williams, 695 Old Plank Road, Franklin, IN 46131 (422-9384 or marylynnw2@yahoo.com). To become a member you must be at least 18 years old and have hiked with us at least twice as a guest. Application forms may be printed from the "forms" page on the website or ask Mary to send you one. You do not need an invitation to hike with us as a guest and there is no fee, simply show up for any hike 10 minutes before the published start time.

Note: This is the first schedule in over 40 years that Bill Larrison's name has not appeared. Now it has.

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