



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

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Happiness - A Step at a Time



SCHEDULE FOR JUNE AND JULY 2018

(Please – no pets except on designated pet hikes)

Celebrating 61 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)

Guests are welcome on all hikes - no fee. 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. Interested in leading a hike? Contact Pathfinders: Jean Ballinger (317-696-2120) jeanballinger77@gmail.com for weekend hikes or Ed Wright (317-445-5646) ewright@indyhike.org for weekdays. Note, a reference at the end of a hike description in the following format (Map #24) indicates that you can access a Google map pointing to the hike meeting location at www.indyhike.org/locations.shtml.

ITEMS OF NOTE IN THIS SCHEDULE: Phil Coons will lead a Book Club hike on Friday, June 22 at 11:00 AM and Phil Smith will lead one on Friday, July 20 at 1:00 PM. Mary Williams has scheduled Pet hikes on Friday, June 8 and Tuesday, July 10. There are three Trail Maintenance hikes in this schedule, on Tuesday, June 5, Friday, June 8 and Tuesday, July 10. Jim Shoufler will lead a Dick Underwood memorial hike on Tuesday July 3. There will be a Picnic at Pat Lawler's house after the Thursday Eagle Creek hike on June 7. Finally, if you are up for something very different; Chuck Turner has scheduled a Night Hike in the woods on Wednesday, June 13. See write-ups on the appropriate date for details.

FREE ENTRY TO EAGLE CREEK PARK FOR THE PICNIC: Thanks to the efforts of Chuck Turner and his trail maintenance volunteers, Club members and guests will not have to pay to enter Eagle Creek park to attend the Club picnic on Saturday, July 28. If you have not purchased an annual park pass, entry would normally cost \$6 per car. When you enter the park simply present the gate attendant the authorization form that is attached as the last page in this schedule. If you misplace the authorization you may print one from the website forms page (www.indyhike.org/forms.shtml).

REQUESTED DONATIONS AT THE CLUB PICNIC: Like we did last year, we are encouraging everyone to bring school supplies for immigrant children to this year's Club picnic on Saturday, July 28 at Eagle Creek Park. See the description on July 28 for a list of the supplies that are needed or contact our Social Chairperson Pat Lawler (317-652-2779 cell, 317-329-2779). We look forward to another big turnout at this year's picnic.

CONGRATULATIONS: On Wednesday, May 9 Glee Crowder broke the Club's all time mileage record of 42,590 miles set by Tom Patterson's in 2007. More accurately, Glee, who hikes about 60 miles a week, blew by Tom's record. Who knows when and if she will slow down? Please join us on Thursday, June 7 at 9:20 AM, just before the start of the popular Easy at Eagle Creek hike, to congratulate Glee on her major accomplishment.

Congratulations also to Rita Bymaster and Theresa Ray and four new IHC members (Therese Cokain, Sara Winegate, Missy Wymer and Maddie Zook) who all completed the 100K (62 miles) single day hike from Washington DC to Harpers Ferry, WV on April 21. This was Rita's ninth time, Theresa's third time and Therese, Sara, Missy and Maddie's first time completing this remarkable distance. These ladies are incredible.

PRESIDENTS CORNER: Greetings all hikers! I hope you are all getting out and enjoying the beautiful weather. I feel sympathy for those who are pollen challenged. Soon, I hope you will be breathing easier.

Spring is also the time for answering the call to serve on the Club Board of Directors. There are various spots open, board member at large, vice-president and perhaps committee chairs. Please consider volunteering to serve if you are approached by a member of the nominating committee, who are Jean Ballenger, Tammy Matthews and Cherie Voege. There is so much to learn about our awesome club and you will also meet the small group of very dedicated people who work every day to make the club run smoothly. Please say yes when asked or volunteer otherwise when needed.

Put September 13 evening on your calendar for the election of officers and hearing a great speaker at our annual General Assembly, which will be held again at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Indianapolis.

Jackie King
IHC President

HIKE SCHEDULE:

Friday, June 1

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK Meet at food court near Dick's on the north side of Castleton Square between the hours of 8-10 AM for a self-guided hike of up to 12 miles with shorter options. Hike repeats each Friday in June and July. (F,PS) Leaders: Rick Kinnaman (317-407-9746) and Dick Bacon (317-585-8742)
- 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE Susan will lead a brisk 6-mile road hike. Janet will lead a slower 4-5 mile option. Expect a different route each week through scenic Zionsville. From I-465 N take Michigan Rd north to 116th St. Turn left (west) and go to downtown Zionsville and turn right on 1st St (one block past Main) and then left on Oak St. Take Oak St to the Zionsville Town Hall parking lot at 1100 W Oak St across from McDonalds. Join us for coffee after the hike. Hike repeats every Friday in June and July. (Map #34) (M,PS,4 or 3) Leaders: Susan Sievers (317-344-2635, 317-513-5239 cell) and Janet Cohen (317-873-6586)
- 9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK Join us for a 6 or 8 mile road or trail hike. Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside 56th St entrance that is just west of the Colts facility. Hike repeats on all Fridays in June and July. (Map #40) (M,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Phil Smith (317-443-3955)
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL From I-70 in downtown Indy go south on I-65. Exit on Raymond St (exit 109) and go right (west) on Raymond about 1/2 mile to Pleasant Run Pkwy N Dr and turn left (south) go to the next stoplight. Turn left onto Pagoda Dr, then turn left again and park next to the swimming pool. This is a 5-6 mile hike in various neighborhoods surrounding Garfield Park. Hike repeats every Friday in June and July. (Map #52) (F,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Glee Crowder (317-859-8159)
- 1:00 PM THE FOUNTAINS OF INDY Join us for a tour of the many (14) fountains in downtown Indianapolis on this 5 mile hike. Meet at Shapiro's Deli at 808 S Meridian St. Please park on the southwest portion of the lot away from the building. (Map #41) (F,PS,3) Leader: Harold Crooks (317-730-4850)
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS This is a 5-mile hike through the Butler campus, the Canal Towpath and nearby neighborhoods. Meet near Door #1 at the front of Hinkle Fieldhouse, which is located on 49th St, west of Boulevard Place. Hike repeats every Friday in June and July. (Map #32) (M,PS/NS,3.5) Leader: Jim Griffin (317-294-1121)

Saturday, June 2

National Trails Day

- 7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE Meet in Broad Ripple at the free parking lot ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for an 8 mile guided hike. Hike will be done in time for those that wish to do the Ten at Ten. Hike repeats each Saturday in June and July. (F,P/NS,3.5-4) Leader: Rick Braun (317-679-2972)
- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD This will be an 8-mile walk with a 5-mile option in parks and neighborhoods in Greenwood. Take US 31 south to Main St. in Greenwood. Go west on Main St to the bottom of the hill and park at Westside Park on the right. Walk repeats every Saturday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Glee Crowder (317-859-8159)

- 9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL Enjoy a 6-12 mile hike on the paved Pennsy Trail. From I-465 E take I-70 east to Greenfield exit. Turn right on SR 9 and then left on New Rd (light by Starbucks). At roundabout, go right (south) on Apple St. After you cross US 40, look for the Pennsy trailhead parking lot on the right. This is a new trailhead with restrooms. Hike repeats each Saturday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Julie Litten (317-407-4652)
- 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. Hike repeats each Saturday in June and July. (F,PS) Leader: Rick Braun (317-679-2972)
- 10:30 AM FARRINGTON TO PIQUA Allow 2.5 hrs travel time. Take I-70 east to I-75 (100 miles). Go 17 miles north on I-75 to exit 78, N County Rd 25A. Go left under highway to W Peterson Rd. Turn right onto W Peterson. Cross the river and park at trailhead on right, Farrington Reserve (park). We will hike north 3 miles along river on Great Miami River Trail to Piqua (Ft. Pickawillany) home of Capt. Underpants. Take 6 mile loop around the city and return to the start. Hike is 12-13 miles with shorter options on asphalt bike trail, mostly flat with pedestrian bridges across the river and parks with restrooms along the way. Port-a-potty at start/finish. You may bring trail lunch to eat at a park along the way or we can eat at restaurant in Piqua. (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (317-787-6593, 317-864-9574 cell)
- 12:00 PM DOWNTOWN AND GROOVIN IN THE GARDEN Meet in the parking lot across the street from Easley Winery, 205 N. College Ave for a 5 mi hike. Afterwards, enjoy Groovin in the Garden at Easley Winery, featuring a free live concert by local musical talent paired with great wine. Groovin in the Garden is scheduled from 2-5 PM. You can bring snacks for Groovin in the Garden. (F,PS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (317-696-2120)

Sunday, June 3

- 9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK Meet at the College Park Elementary School, 2811 Barnard St. From W 86th St., turn north on Colby Blvd and travel .4 miles to Barnard St and turn right, going 0.3 miles to the school. This will be a 5 mile hike with shorter options through the College Park area neighborhood. Repeats each Sunday in June and July. Note that this hike replaces the Walk and Worship hike. Hikers may select a short option hike and attend a worship service of their choice. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Marti Burton (317-306-9878)
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE Meet in the free parking lot 1/2 block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a guided 6 mile hike with option for up to 4 additional (self-guided) miles. Hike repeats each Sunday in June and July. (Map #16) (F,PS,3-3.25) Leader: Kathy Whalen (317-409-3265)
- 9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT FORT HARRISON STATE PARK Park entrance (fee) is located at 59th and Post Rd. After the gatehouse, turn right at the first intersection. Continue to the Delaware Lake parking area at the end of the road. Meet at the far end of the lot for a hike with options of 3, 4 and 5 miles. Hike repeats on June 24 and July 15. (Map #18) (M,PS/NS,2.5-2.75) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (317-251-9078 or 317-439-1468 cell)

Monday, June 4

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK Meet at food court near Dick's on the north side of Castleton Square between the hours of 8-10 AM for a self-guided hike of up to 12 miles with shorter options. Repeats on all Mondays in June and July. (F,PS) Leader: Dick Bacon (317-585-8742)
- 9:00 AM MORNING CONSTITUTIONAL Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside 56th St entrance just west of the Colts facility for a 6-mile road hike. Repeats on July 2. (Map #40) (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Kate Curtiss (317-247-0283)
- 9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK Meet at 6901 Derbyshire Rd behind the Southport Police Station for an 8-mile hike. Repeats each Monday in June and July. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Glee Crowder (317-859-8159)
- 9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT CROWN HILL CEMETERY From the 700 block of West 38th St, go north on Clarendon Rd to the cemetery entrance. Meet at north end of first parking lot. Hike has options of 3, 4 and 5 miles. Hike repeats June 18. (Map #42) (M,PS/NS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (317-251-9078; 317-439-1468 cell)
- 1:30 PM BUTLER-TARKINGTON NEIGHBORHOOD WALK Meet at Unitarian Universalist Church 615 W 43rd St for guided 5-6 mile hike exploring Butler University and surrounding neighborhoods. Many sites to explore in this neighborhood. Hike repeats (probably a new route) on Monday, June 18. (F,PS,3) Leader: Kathy Whalen (317-409-3265)

- 4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL Sign in at the food court between the hours of 4-5:30 p.m. for a self-guided hike of up to 6 miles with shorter options. If the weather is nice we will probably walk outside. Hike repeats every Monday in June and July. (F,PS) Leader: Glee Crowder (317-859-8159)
- 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. Hike repeats each Monday in June and July except June 18. (Map #16) (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Jean Ballinger (317-696-2120)
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS Meet at Mama Bears Coffee Shop parking lot at the northwest corner of Fall Creek Rd and Brooks School Rd for a 6-8 mile hike through neighborhoods. Hike repeats each Monday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Rick Braun (317-679-2972)

Tuesday, June 5

- 9:00 AM TRAIL MAINTENANCE HIKE – EAGLE CREEK PARK Our Club has adopted a two mile section of a trail at Eagle Creek to do clean-up, trimming and other work that the park would approve for us to do. We are getting financial credit towards use of the park facilities for our volunteer work. We get a great deal of use and enjoyment from use of the park and this is an opportunity to give back a little. Enter Eagle Creek Park either off of 56th St or 71st St and follow signs for the Ornithology Center where we will meet. Gloves, long sleeves, bug repellent and sun screen are all good ideas. Some light trimmers, hedge cutters could be helpful. You will receive two hours of maintenance credit, two miles mileage credit, and get snacks after the work. Thanks in advance for your participation. Hike repeats on July 10. (M,NS,slow) Leader: Chuck Turner (317-777-2594)
- 9:00 AM LET'S EXPLORE THE FUTURE 'POGUE'S RUN TRAIL' - PART 1 Please join me on the first part of this adventure on the proposed Pogue's Run Trail. We will hike from the western end to the halfway point and return by another route. Next week, we will start from the planned eastern end of the trail and go to the halfway point. Each hike will be 6 miles. We will meet in a parking lot located on the southwest corner of Arsenal and 12th St. From N. Rural St go west on 10th St for 0.9 miles to Arsenal Ave. Turn right (north) and go to 12th St. Enter the parking lot from 12th St. A group of eager citizens have organized to restore the historic Nowland St Bridge which will enable the Pogue's Run Trail to be completed. If you wish to donate to that cause, bring your checkbook and I will pass them along to POP (the Pathways over Pogue's) group. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (317-329-2779 or 317-652-2779 cell)
- 9:00 AM FORT HARRISON TRAILS The woods at Fort Harrison should be especially pretty during late spring. From I-465 E go east on 56th St and turn left on Post Rd then turn left into the park (fee). Meet at the Cherry Tree parking lot for a 6 mile hike on natural surface. Hike repeats on June 19 and July 10 and 24. (Map #18) (M,NS,2.5) Leader: Mary Ladd (317-430-3711)
- 9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL This is a 1-12 mile self-guided hike (most people do 6 miles) on the Monon Trail. From the intersection of 116th St and Westfield Blvd/Rangeline Rd in Carmel go south to Central Park Dr (first intersection on right). Turn right (west) on Central Park Dr and go to the parking lot at the end. Meet on the Monon Trail under the walkway between the two buildings near the skateboard park or in the lobby of the East Monon Building. Hike repeats every Tuesday in June and July. (Map #51) (F,PS) Leader: Jo Anne Starzyk (317-771-0914)
- 9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS Join us for a 5-6 mile south side hike in Meridian Woods and nearby neighborhoods on mostly paved trails. On Indy's south side, go south on SR 135 and turn right onto West Banta Rd. Go about ½ mile and turn left off into Woodside Community Church, 329 West Banta, which is just past Lockwood Lane. Meet in the parking lot. Seek a restroom before you arrive since there are none on the hike. Repeats every Tuesday in June and July. (F,PS,3) Leader: Glee Crowder (317-859-8159)
- 6:00 PM HOMECOMING 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 halfway around the round-about and continue to the University Park sign. Turn right and park at the first parking lot (back side). This hike is 5 miles on sidewalks and blacktop footpaths through wooded areas, with shorter options. Hike repeats each Tuesday in June. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 864-9574 cell)

Wednesday, June 6

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK Meet at food court near Dick's on the north side of Castleton Square between the hours of 8-10 AM for a self-guided hike of up to 12 miles with shorter options. Repeats each Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS) Leader: Dick Bacon (317-585-8742)
- 9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS This 7-8 mile brisk all trail hike is a great way to stay in shape. Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside the 56th St entrance. Hike repeats each Wednesday in June and July. Join us at a nearby Starbuck's after the hike. (Map #40) (M,NS,3-3.5) Leaders: Jeff Edmondson (317-733-0143 or 317-450-2526 cell) or Chuck Turner (317-777-2594)
- 9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE If country roads are calling your name, this is the hike for you. Join me for a 5, 6 or 10 mile hike and enjoy the countryside by hiking down a beautiful winding road. Park at my house at 688 N 900 W, Arlington, IN 46104. From I-465 SE exit on Brookville Rd (US 52) heading east for approximately 25 miles to CR900W and turn right. Go past 2 crossroads on 900W. My house is the 2nd house on the left past the 2nd crossroad. My address is on the mailbox. Repeats every Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Julie Litten (317-407-4652)
- 9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL From US 31 in Carmel go east on W Main St past Guilford Rd to Meadow Lane. Turn left and go north to the park located at 450 Meadow Lane and meet just inside the park entrance. This 5 mile hike will include this beautiful 17 acre park, a small lake and various Carmel paths. Hike repeats each Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS,3) Leaders: John Gaebler (317-575-8490) and Mike Seeman (317-844-6426)
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL Join us for a 4-5 mile walk in downtown Indy and surrounding neighborhoods. Expect a different route each week. Meet at Shapiro's Deli at 808 S. Meridian St (at McCarty St). Please park on the southwest portion of the lot away from the building. Repeats each Wednesday June and July. (Map #41) (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Harold Crooks (317-730-4850)
- 4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL Sign in at the food court between the hours of 4-5:30 PM for a self-guided hike of up to 6 miles with shorter options. If the weather is nice we will probably walk outside. Hike repeats every Wednesday in June and July. (F,PS) Leader: Glee Crowder (317-859-8159)
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE This will be a 5-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 across from McDonalds. From I-465 N take Michigan Rd north and turn left (west) on 116th St and go to 1st St in downtown Zionsville. Go right on 1st St then left (west) on Oak St to the town hall. Hike repeats each Wednesday in June and July. (Map #34) (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Janet Cohen (317-873-6586) and various others.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE This will be a 5 or 7 mile self guided hike in downtown Indy. Meet at Needler's (formerly Marsh) parking lot at 320 N New Jersey, however we cannot guarantee that this lot will be available in which case you would need to park on the street. Hike repeats every Wednesday in June and July, except July 4. (Map #26) (F,PS) Leader: John Lyghtel (317-578-9756, 317-626-9117 cell)
- 6:00 PM HENDRICKS COUNTY FUN RUN SERIES – AVON TOWN HALL PARK Join the Fun Run Series in Hendricks County. Come and explore a different park every Wednesday in June. On this date, meet near the marked start of the course and sign in with the leader. This will be a self-guided hike of 1-6 miles following courses laid out by the Hendricks County Parks Department. Hikers may choose to walk with the leader and any guests to complete the 5K (about 3 miles) course and then complete additional miles. Hikers will also need to register on-site with the Parks Department. Avon Town Hall Park is located at 570 E US 36. From I-465 W, exit on US 36 (Rockville Rd) and travel west about 8 miles, turning right into the park. (M,PS/NS,3) Leader: Marti Burton (317-306-9878)

Thursday, June 7

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND Meet at the Walmart located at 5550 Fall Creek Pkwy N Dr at the corner of 56th St and Fall Creek Pkwy. To find the main entrance to WalMart, turn south off 56th St onto Fall Creek Pkwy and then turn right into the parking lot. Park in the rear lot behind Starbucks. This is usually a 6-mile hike north on the Fall Creek Trail to Skiles Test Park and back, however, the leaders may change the route from time to time. Hike repeats every Thursday in June and July. (Map #45) (F,PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Tish Brafford (317-251-8907, 317-531-6700 cell) or Jo Anne Starzyk (317-771-0914)

9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK Meet at the Earth Discovery Center parking lot in Eagle Creek Park (fee), which is located off of 56th St just west of the Colts facility. Choose from three hikes: a moderately paced 5-mile hike over, around, up and down through the woods (M,NS,2.5-3); a 4-mile slower hike mostly on groomed trails (M,NS,2.5); or a 3-mile easier hike (M,PS/HS/NS,2.5). These hikes are popular with new members and guests and usually draw a big crowd. Hikes repeat every Thursday in June and July. (Map #17) Leaders: Ed Wright (317-445-5646), Bob Kriz (317-882-7063), Marsha Hutchins (317-251-9078) and various others.

Note, immediately before today's hike (June 7) we will be honoring Glee Crowder for breaking the Club's all time mileage record. And after today's hike Pat Lawler is inviting everyone over to her house for a picnic. Directions to Pat's house will be provided at the hike. Pat will provide pulled pork and pulled beef sandwiches, paper goods, and drinks. Please bring something (appetizer, salad or dessert) to share.

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 6-8 mile hike. Hike repeats each Thursday in June and July. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Rick Braun (317-679-2972)

Friday, June 8

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.

8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.

9:00 AM THREE LAKES TRAIL MAINTENANCE AND PICNIC Our Club has adopted a 2 1/2 mile section of the Three Lakes Trail in Morgan Monroe State Forest. Join us to perform routine trail maintenance, such as brush and limb removal and trash pickup. If you are not up to trail maintenance join us anyway just for the hike. Hike will be 7 miles (3 1/2 miles out and back). We will perform trail maintenance on the return leg on our section of the trail. Attendees will receive 2 1/2 hours credit towards trail maintenance. Allow about 1 hour and 20 minutes travel time from I-465 SW. Take SR 37 south to the last stoplight in Martinsville (Starbuck's and McDonalds are on your right). Proceed exactly four miles on SR 37 to Old IN 37 turnoff and turn left. The left crossover is a little beyond a white church on the hillside on the right. Because of I-69 highway construction, this will be the only way to get to Morgan Monroe SF when traveling south. It is almost 3 miles from the turnoff to the forest entrance. The old entry off SR 37 at Pine Rd can only be reached if traveling north but not south. When you reach the forest entrance look immediately to your right for the Bryant Creek Lake Shelter parking lot which is where we will meet. Please bring clippers, weed rackets, gloves, snacks and water. Join us for a picnic at Oliver Winery after hike. (Map #28) (M,NS,2.5) Leader: Chuck Turner (317-777-2594)

9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.

9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.

6:00 PM PET HIKE AT SOUTHEAST WAY PARK Southeast Way Park is located at 5624 S. Carroll Rd. From I-465 SE, go southeast on I-74 to Exit 99 (Acton). Turn left and go under the interstate. At the T (Sikh Temple), turn right onto Southeastern, which angles to the east becoming Indian Creek Rd. Turn left at the T (Carroll Rd) and go 0.8 mile to park entrance on the left. Meet at Activity Center lot. All hikers are welcome; you do not need a dog to join us. Please be prepared to provide the date of your dog's last rabies vaccination. All dogs must be on a 6' or less non-retractable leash at all times - no exceptions. Owners be prepared to pick up after your pet (poop patrol). Please note that the hike leader has the authority to ask any participant to leave the hike if their dog becomes aggressive toward other dogs or people. (F,PS,Dog Speed) Leaders: Mary Williams (317-736-1259, 317-919- 8574 cell) and Reba McFarland (317-908-9035)

6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, June 9

7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.

9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.

9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT SOUTHEASTWAY PARK Park is located at 5624 S. Carroll Rd. Go southeast on I-74 to Exit 99 (Acton). Turn left and go under the interstate. At the T (Sikh Temple), turn right onto Southeastern, which angles to the east becoming Indian Creek Rd. Turn left at the T (Carroll

Rd) and go 0.8 mile to park entrance on the left. Continue past the Activity Center to the picnic area near the restroom building. Options of 3, 4 and 5 miles. Repeats on June 30. (M,NS/PS,2.5-2.75)
Leader: Marsha Hutchins (317-251-9078 or 317-439-1468 cell)

9:30 AM MOUNDS STATE PARK While best known for its mounds built by the Adena and Hopewell cultures around 160 BC, the park offers excellent hiking trails through a mature forest and along the White River. Allow 1¼ hours travel time from I-465 N. Take I-69 north to exit 26 (Anderson). Go north on SR 9 to SR 232. Turn right and follow signs to the park (fee). Meet at the Pavilion parking lot for a 5-6 mile moderate hike with shorter options. Bring your lunch and join us for a picnic after the hike. (Map #19) (M,NS/PS,2.5) Leader: John Schlechte (317-294-2021 cell)

10:00 AM LAURA HARE NATURE PRESERVE AT DOWNEY HILL Join us for 6 miles of trails built by the Hoosier Hikers Council in this recently finished nature preserve. Downey Hill is one of the largest nature preserves in the Sycamore Land Trust Inventory. If possible, please carpool because the parking area is small. This scenic hilly loop trail is a mix of single-file walking along ridgelines with gradual descents into valleys for several minor creek crossings. Boots and poles suggested. Travel south on I-65 and take Exit 68 for IN-46 toward Nashville for 10 miles. Turn left onto Valley Branch Rd/Mt Liberty. If you pass the Gnaw Bone sign, you have gone too far. Travel 1.6 miles to the small gravel parking lot on the left. Bring water/snacks. Join us for refreshments in Nashville after the hike. (H,NS,2-2.5) Leader: Terry Roesch (317-910-2943-cell)

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, June 10

9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

2:00 PM DOWNTOWN, OLD NORTHSIDE AND ENGLISH IVY'S Meet in the parking lot behind English Ivy's, 944 N. Alabama St, for a 5 mile hike. Afterwards, plan to eat at English Ivy's. (F,PS,3)
Leader: Jean Ballinger (317-696-2120)

Monday, June 11

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.

8:30 AM NONIE WERBE KRAUSS NATURE PRESERVE Once again we will attempt to hike this 77 acre nature preserve in Fishers just east of the Carmel border. The weather did not cooperate the last two times we tried to hike here; surely it will be better in June. On this 6 mile loop hike we will also walk in Founders Park, Carmel River Road Park and nearby neighborhoods. Meet at Founders Park in Carmel. From I-465 N take Keystone Ave north to 116th St and turn right (east) and go to Hazel Dell Pkwy. After you go through the new circle, drive north on Hazel Dell for a short distance to the entrance to Founders park on your right (F,PS,NS,3-3.5) Leader: Ed Wright (317-445-5646)

9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS Meet in Eagle Creek Park (fee) at lot just inside 56th St entrance for a 6 or 8-mile road hike. We will walk together for the first 3 miles to the restroom, then faster hikers may go on at their own pace. Hike repeats on the remaining Mondays in June and July, except July 2. (Map #40) (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Janet Cohen (317-873-6586)

9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.

9:30 AM SLOW & EASY BROAD RIPPLE PARK & BEYOND Meet in the Family Center lot at Broad Ripple Park, 1550 Broad Ripple Ave. Hike has options of 3, 4, and 5 miles. Repeats June 25 and July 2, 9, 16 and 23. (F,HS/PS/NS, 2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (317-251-9078, 317-439-1468 cell)

4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, June 12

9:00 AM LET'S EXPLORE THE FUTURE 'POGUE'S RUN TRAIL' - PART 2 Please join me for the 2nd part of this adventure on the proposed trail. We will meet at Pogue's Run Basin which is on N Dequincy St. From I-70 east, take the Emerson exit and go south to 21st St. Turn right (west) and go to the 3rd street on your right, which is Dequincy. Turn right (north) and go to the end of the street. Dequincy ends at the park entrance. No restroom here, but a break during the hike. A group of eager citizens have organized to restore the historic Nowland St. Bridge which will enable the Pogue's Run Trail to be completed. If you wish to donate to this cause bring your

- checkbook and I will pass any donations on to POP (the Pathways over Pogue's) group. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (317-329-2779 or 317-652-2779 cell)
- 9:00 AM GEIST ON FALL CREEK Meet in the parking lot of Mama Bears Café at the northwest corner of Brooks School Rd and Fall Creek Pkwy in Fishers. This will be a 5-6 mile moderate pace hike through scenic neighborhoods. Hike repeats on July 10. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Elaine Wright (317-753-5516)
- 9:00 AM LET'S EXPLORE BROAD RIPPLE/HOLLIDAY PARK Meet in free parking lot that is ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a 6-mile hike (5-mile option). Hike may include parts of the Monon Trail, Marott Park, Arden neighborhood, and Holliday Park. Hike repeats June 26, July 3 and 17. (M,NS/HS/PS,2.75) Leader: John Schlechte (317-294-2021 cell)
- 9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.
- 9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.
- 6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 5.

Wednesday, June 13

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.
- 9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.
- 9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.
- 9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.
- 4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 6.
- 6:00 PM HENDRICKS COUNTY FUN RUN SERIES – WILLIAMS PARK See write-up on June 6 for a description of the month long Fun Run Series. Once again this will be a 1-6 mile self guided hike including a 5K course laid out by the Parks Department. Williams Park is located in Brownsburg at 940 Locust Lane. From I-465 west, exit on US 36 (Rockville Rd) and travel west about 7 miles to IN 267 (Avon Av). Turn R (north) and go about 4.5 miles to Thornleigh Dr and turn left. Follow signs to the park. (M,PS/NS,3) Leader: Marti Burton (317-306-9878)
- 9:00 PM NIGHT HIKE ON MORGAN MONROE LOW GAP TRAIL A follow up adventure into the dark back woods of Morgan Monroe State Forest. On this hike we will try to walk in a quiet manner to appreciate the night sounds and sights of our great Hoosier forest. Allow 1 1/4 hours travel time from 1-465 S. Take SR 37 south to about 4 miles south of Martinsville. Turn left at the sign for Morgan Monroe State Forest and go about 4.5 miles to the forest headquarters. Meet at the Forest Headquarters parking lot. Bring water & snacks for this 11-mile hike. A good headlamp is strongly suggested with a minimum of a quality flashlight and back up batteries. The hike will be slow due to the dark so do not expect to be off of the trail before 11:30 PM. (H,NS,2.5-3) Leader: Chuck Turner (317-777-2594)

Thursday, June 14

Flag Day

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.
- 9:30 AM DOWNTOWN AND STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL Meet at Shapiro's Deli at 808 S. Meridian St (at McCarty St) for a 5 mile hike, which will include a stop to enjoy the Christ Church Cathedral Women's Strawberry Festival. Please park on the southwest portion of the lot away from the building. (Map #41) (F,PS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (317-696-2120)
- 9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, June 15

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.
- 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
- 9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, June 16

- 7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.
- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.
- 9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.
- 9:30 AM VERSAILLES STATE PARK Allow 1 1/2 hour from I-465 S. Take I-74 southeast to Greensburg, US 421 south to Versailles and US 50 east to the park (fee). Meet in picnic area up the hill past the campground for a 6-7 mile hike. Plan to join us for a late lunch at Stories Restaurant in Greensburg after the hike. (H,NS,2-2.5) Leader: Mary Ann Layman (317-346-1802 or 317-412-5190 cell)
- 9:30 AM SLOW (BUT NOT ALL EASY) AT HOLLIDAY PARK & BEYOND Meet at Holliday Park. Enter the park from Spring Mill Rd at 64th St. Take the road to the left and continue to the parking lot for the Nature Center. The hike will begin with the flat upper part of the park (2 mile option), continue with two moderate trails on the side of the hill (3 mile option), drop down to the trails nearer the river, returning via the least steep trail (4 mile option), and finish with one or two more (possibly self-guided) loops of the upper part (5 mile option). Hike repeats on July 7. (Map #47) (M,PS/NS/HS,1.75-2.75) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (317-251-9078 or 317-439-1468 cell)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, June 17 *Happy Father's Day*

- 9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.
- 2:00 PM SLOW AND EASY NATURE HIKE AT FORT HARRISON From I-465 E take 56th St east to Post Rd and turn left. Park entrance (fee) is located at 59th and Post Rd. Meet at the Delaware Lake parking lot for a 2 or 4 mile hike. We will do the Fall Creek trail and half of the Camp Creek trail before driving over to the Park Office where we will walk the Tree I.D. trail. Bring a hat, sunscreen, bug spray and water. (Map #18)(M,NS/PS,2.5) Leader: Wilma Bailey (317-293-0051)

Monday, June 18

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.
- 9:00 AM FOUNDERS PARK AND CARMEL NEIGHBORHOODS We will hike through the small park and explore nearby neighborhoods for 5 to 6 miles. Join us for lunch after at a nearby restaurant. From I-465 N take Keystone Ave north to 116th St and turn east (right) 2 miles to Hazel Dell Parkway. Turn north and go 0.1 mile to Founders Park. (F,PS/NS,3) Leaders: Cherie Voege (317-848-7674) and June Sergi (317-372-3018)
- 9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS See June 11.
- 9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.
- 9:30 AM VANDALIA TRAIL – AMO TO COATESVILLE Come explore this developing multi-use paved trail on a 6-mile walk with an additional 2-mile option. Major upgrades are completed on this western paved section of the Vandalia Trail, which is part of the National Road Heritage Trail, a 150-mile continuous system of multi-use trails that spans the state along the former Pennsylvania/Vandalia railroad corridors. A canopy of trees envelops much of this section of the trail and a bridge spans Crittenden Creek providing natural scenery. Meet at the trailhead in Amo located at 5042 South St, Amo. From I-465 W, take US 40 (Washington St) west about 22 miles. Turn right on S CR550W/Amo Rd across from the Dollar General Store. Travel into Amo turning right on South St. Take a left on Pearl. Parking lot is on the left. Bring water/snacks. Hike repeats on July 16. Bathrooms are available at the Amo and Coatesville trailheads. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Terry Roesch (317-910-2943 cell)
- 9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT CROWN HILL CEMETERY See June 4.
- 1:30 PM BUTLER-TARKINGTON NEIGHBORHOOD WALK See June 4.
- 4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.
- 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. (Map #16) (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Carol Larson (260-433-2470)
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, June 19

- 9:00 AM FORT HARRISON TRAILS See June 5.
- 9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.

- 9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.
6:00 PM HOME COMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 5.

Wednesday, June 20

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.
9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.
9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.
9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.
4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 6.
6:00 PM HENDRICKS COUNTY FUN RUN SERIES – HUMMEL PARK See write-up on June 6 for a description of the month long Fun Run Series. Once again this will be a 1-6 mile self guided hike including a 5K course laid out by the Parks Department. Hummel Park in Plainfield is located at 1500 S Center St. From I-465 West, exit on I-70 W and go about 7 miles to Exit 66 (IN 267). Turn left on Hadley and then R on Center St. (M,PS/NS,3) Leader: Marti Burton (317-306-9878)

Thursday, June 21 *1st Day of Summer*

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.
9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, June 22

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.
8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.
11:00 AM BOOK CLUB HIKE We will be reading *Summer Wind: A Soldier's Road from Indiana to Vietnam* by Randy and Roxanne Mills. It is available in paperback from Amazon for \$17 and Kindle or used for \$10. We will meet at Shapiro's Deli at 808 S. Meridian St (at McCarty St). As usual, please park on the southwest portion of the lot away from the building. Bring a picnic lunch as we will be eating in a park along our hike of 4-5 miles. (F,PS,2.5) Leader: Philip Coons (317-291-1336 home, 317-402-8810 cell)
6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday June 23

- 7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.
8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.
9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.
9:30 AM OUABACHE STATE PARK This park takes its name from the Wabash River which forms its southern boundary and, until the 1830's, it's banks were populated by the Miami native Americans. The area was heavily forested prior to the 1930's. Through the help to the CCC (Civilian Conservation Corps) and WPA (Works Progress Administration), the park was gradually restored to a more natural state. The 6 mile hike (shorter options available) will start at the Wildlife exhibit and circle almost the entire park using portions of all the trails. The address to the Park is 4930 E. SR 201, Bluffton, IN 46714. From I-465 NE take I-69 northeast to exit 278 (approximately 70 miles). Take SR124 east about 20 miles through Bluffton (it jogs north and south in Bluffton) and then to SR 201. Take SR 201 south into the park to the gatehouse (fee). Continue on SR 201 until it turns north and becomes SR 316. Follow signs for the pool and park in the back of the pool parking lot. Allow 2¼ hours drive time. Bring your lunch and join us for a picnic after the hike. (M,NS,2.5) Leader: John Schlechte (317-294-2021 cell)
10:00 AM MCCLOUD NATURE PARK AND PERILLO'S Join us for an easy 6 mile nature trek through McCloud Nature Park located at 8518 Hughes Rd in North Salem (Hendricks County). Hike features include a newly completed boardwalk in the wetlands area, Big Walnut Creek and the Honeybee Observation Hive. Meet at the Nature Center parking lot. From I-465 W merge onto I-74 at Exit 16B.

Travel about 21 miles to SR 75, Exit 52. Turn left onto SR 75 and travel about 6.5 miles through North Salem. Turn right when SR 75 crosses W CR 500 N. You are now on Hughes Rd. Continue 1.5 m. to the park. An alternate route would be from I-465 W, taking US 36 (Rockville Rd) about 21 miles to SR75. Turn right and travel about 6 miles to Hughes Rd. Turn left onto Hughes Rd traveling 1.5 miles to the park. Hiking boots and poles suggested. Join us for refreshments at Perillo's Pizzeria & Italian Kitchen after the hike. Note: CASH only, no credit cards. (M,NS,2.5) Leader: Terry Roesch (317-910-2943 cell)

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

10:30 AM FARRINGTON TO TROY Allow 2.5 hrs travel time. Take I-70 east to I-75 (100 miles). Go 17 miles north on I-75 to exit 78, N County Rd 25A. Go left under highway to W Peterson Rd. Turn right onto W Peterson. Cross the river and park at trailhead on right, Farrington Reserve (park). We will hike south to Troy and return on same path for a total of 12-13 miles with shorter options. You may bring trail lunch to eat at a park along the way or we can eat at a restaurant in Troy (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (317-787-6593, 317-864-9574 cell)

4:00 PM SOUTHEASTWAY PARK Park is located at 5624 S. Carroll Rd. Go southeast on I-74 to Exit 99 (Acton). Turn left and go under the interstate. At the T (Sikh Temple), turn right onto Southeastern, which angles to the east becoming Indian Creek Rd. Turn left at the T (Carroll Rd) and go 0.8 mile to park entrance on the left. Meet at Activity Center lot for a 5 mile hike. Restrooms are available. Afterwards we will be going to the Buck Creek Winery for music and fun. You can bring your own food, drinks and lawn chair. They sell cheese and wine, and usually have a food truck there too. (F,NS/PS,3) Leaders: Tim Braun (317-408-3051 cell) and Kathy Braun (317-625-3486 cell)

Sunday, June 24

9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT FORT HARRISON STATE PARK See June 3.

Monday, June 25

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.

8:30 AM DEVONSHIRES Join us on a 6-mile road hike though attractive and somewhat hilly neighborhoods. The summer flowers should be in full bloom. Meet behind the Starbucks in the Avalon Crossing shopping center on the east side of Binford Blvd just south of 71st St. (M,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Ed Wright (317-445-5646)

9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS See June 11.

9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.

9:30 AM SLOW & EASY BROAD RIPPLE PARK & BEYOND See June 11.

4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, June 26

9:00 AM PENDLETON FALLS From I-465 N, go north on I-69 about 18 miles to the Pendleton exit. Turn right after leaving I-69 and travel through Pendleton to the 2nd stoplight. Turn right and park behind the bank building in the main part of town. We will hike around historic Pendleton for 5-6 miles, including Pendleton Falls Park. After the hike plan on eating at one of Pendleton's local restaurants. Hike repeats on July 24. (F,PS/NS,3) Leader: Elaine Wright (317-753-5516)

9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.

9:00 AM LET'S EXPLORE BROAD RIPPLE/HOLLIDAY PARK See June 12.

9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.

6:00 PM HOME COMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See June 5.

Wednesday, June 27

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.

9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.

9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.

9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.

- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.
4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 6.
6:00 PM HENDRICKS COUNTY FUN RUN SERIES – MCCLOUD NATURE PARK See write-up on June 6 for a description of the month long Fun Run Series. Once again this will be a 1-6 mile self guided hike including a 5K course laid out by the Parks Department. McCloud Nature Park in North Salem is located at 8515 Hughes Rd. From I-465 W take Exit 16B to I-74 W. Travel about 21 miles to SR 75. Turn right and go about 6 miles to Hughes Rd. Turn left on Hughes Rd and go about 1.5 miles to the park. (M,PS/NS,3) Leader: Marti Burton (317-306-9878)

Thursday, June 28

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.
9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, June 29

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.
8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.
6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, June 30

- 7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.
8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.
9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.
9:30 AM SHAKAMAK STATE PARK Take I-70 west to SR 59. Go south on SR 59, turn right (west) on SR 48 and go through the town of Jasonville to park entrance on your left. Meet in the large parking lot by the small log house for a 6–8 mile hike with a shorter option. Bring snacks. (M,NS,2-2.5) Leader: Mary Ann Layman (317-346-1802 or 317-412-5190 cell)
9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT SOUTHEASTWAY PARK See June 9.
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, July 1

- 9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.
9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

Monday, July 2

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.
9:00 AM MORNING CONSTITUTIONAL See June 4.
9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.
9:30 AM SLOW & EASY BROAD RIPPLE PARK & BEYOND See June 11.
4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.
6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.
6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, July 3

- 9:00 AM LET'S EXPLORE BROAD RIPPLE/HOLLIDAY PARK See June 12.
9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.
9:30 AM DICK UNDERWOOD MEMORIAL HIKE Join us at Fort Harrison SP to remember long term member Dick Underwood who passed away on January 3. Fort Harrison was one of Dick's favorite locations to lead hikes and we will walk locations Dick enjoyed and see a memorial tree which has been planted in the park in his memory. 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 mile hike with shorter options. (Map #18) (M,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Jim Shoufler (317-697-0744)

9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.

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 5 miles. Hike repeats each Tuesday in July. (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (317-787-6593, 317-864-9574 cell)

Wednesday, July 4

Independence Day

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.

9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.

9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.

9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.

9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.

4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.

4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.

Thursday, July 5

9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.

9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.

6:00 PM IMA GARDENS HIKE The Indianapolis Museum of Art (Newfields) has free admission on the first Thursday of every month from 4 to 8 pm. Enjoy the beautiful grounds as we hike through the IMA gardens, on the tow path, and possibly the 100 Acre Woods. You can tour the museum before or after the hike. Meet in the IMA parking lot just north of 38th St at 4000 Michigan Rd. (M,NS/PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Mary Williams (317-919-8574) and Sally Sandman (317-508-3664)

6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, July 6

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.

8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.

9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.

9:30 AM COLUMBUS, INDIANA ARCHITECTURE TOUR From I-465 S, take I-65 38 miles south to the Columbus exit (68). Go east on SR 46 for about 2-2.5 miles. Turn left or north onto Franklin St and go 2 blocks to 5th St and park in the Columbus Visitor Center parking lot. From there we will hike 4-5 miles to see some of Columbus' famous architecture. We will eat afterwards in downtown Columbus. (F,PS,2.5) Leader: Philip Coons (317-291-1336 home, 317-402-8810 cell)

9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.

6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, July 7

7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.

9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.

9:30 AM SLOW (BUT NOT ALL EASY) AT HOLLIDAY PARK & BEYOND See June 16.

10:00 AM WHITEWATER MEMORIAL STATE PARK Allow about 2 hours from I-465 E (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 on right (fee). Follow park road toward boat rental across dam. 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 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 ((317-787-6593 and 317-864-9574 cell)

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, July 8

9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

Monday, July 9

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.

- 9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS See June 11.
9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.
9:30 AM SLOW & EASY BROAD RIPPLE PARK & BEYOND See June 11.
4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.
6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.
6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, July 10

- 9:00 AM LEONARD PARK AND EAGLE CREEK UP CLOSE AND PERSONAL Meet at Leonard Park in Speedway for a 6 mile hike. From I-465 W take 10th St exit and go east one mile to Lynhurst Dr. Turn left on Lynhurst and go to 15th St. Turn left and the park is on your left. Park behind the fire station. We will have an opportunity to be close to Eagle Creek. Good chance to see Egrets. (F,PS/NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (317-329-2779, 317-652-2779 cell)
9:00 AM TRAIL MAINTENANCE HIKE – EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 5.
9:00 AM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See June 12.
9:00 AM FORT HARRISON TRAILS See June 5.
9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.
9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.
10:00 AM PET HIKE ON THE GREENWAY TRAIL Join us on 4 mile hike on the Greenway Trail in Franklin. From I-465 S take I-65 south to the Franklin exit. Turn right and go to second stop light, which is Eastview Dr, turn right and go to 4-way stop. Turn left and meet at Needham Elementary School, 1399 Upper Shelbyville Rd. Turn immediately left into parking lot and go to the back of the lot. This is the start of the Greenway Trail. All hikers are welcome; you do not need a dog to join us. Please be prepared to provide the date of your dog's last rabies vaccination. All dogs must be on a 6' or less non-retractable leash at all times - no exceptions. Owners be prepared to pick up after your pet (poop patrol). Please note that the hike leader has the authority to ask any participant to leave the hike if their dog becomes aggressive toward other dogs or people. (F,PS,Dog Speed) Leader: Mary Williams (317-919-8574 cell)
6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 3.

Wednesday, July 11

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.
9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.
9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.
9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.
4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 6.

Thursday, July 12

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.
9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, July 13

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.
8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.
9:30 AM BROWN COUNTY STATE PARK This will be a 7 mile hike on the Limekiln Trail and Trail 10. From I-465 S take I-65 south to the Columbus exit and SR46 west to Brown County SP (fee). Alternatively, take SR 135 S to Nashville and turn left (east) on SR46 to the park entrance. Meet in the Rally Campground and Ogle Hollow Nature Preserve Parking Lot. After entering the park, follow signs to the Campground. Turn right when you see the sign for the campground registration. On your immediate right before you go through the campground gate, turn into the parking lot. Bring

water and snacks. Join us for refreshments in Nashville after the hike. (Map #27) (M,NS,2.5)

Leader: Terry Roesch (317-910-2943 cell)

9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.

6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, July 14

7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.

9:00 AM A WALK IN THE 100 ACRE WOODS AT NEWFIELDS From 38th St and Michigan Rd go west on 38th St. After the entrance to Newfields (IMA), you will see a large sign for the White River Pkwy followed by a small sign for 100 acres on the right side. Turn right and follow White River Pkwy around to the parking lot on the left. The hike will be 3-4 miles in the woods and on the canal tow path. Bring a hat, sunscreen, bug spray and water. Hike repeats on Monday, July 30 at 9:30 AM. (F,NS./HS,2.5) Leader: Wilma Bailey (317-293-0051)

9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, July 15

9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.

9:00 AM BROWN COUNTY STATE PARK From I-465 S take I-65 south to Columbus exit and SR 46 west to Brown County State Park (fee). Or take SR 135 south to Nashville and SR 46 east to the park. After entering the park, follow signs to Ogle Lake parking area. Hike will be 7 miles with a 4 mile option. We will be including a trail in Brown County State Park that we do not often do, the Ogle Hollow Loop. (M,NS,2-2.5) Leader: Mary Ann Layman (317-346-1802 or 317-412- 5190 cell)

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

9:30 AM SLOW & EASY AT FORT HARRISON STATE PARK See June 3.

Monday, July 16

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.

9:00 AM RIVER ROAD PARK We will hike the trails in River Road Park in Carmel and explore paved walking trails in nearby neighborhoods for 5 to 6 miles. From I-465 N take Keystone Ave north to 116th St and turn east Go 2.4 miles to River Rd (just before bridge over the White River). Turn north onto River Rd and go 1.2 miles to River Road Park. Note you will pass River Heritage Park on the way. Park in the south lot. There are restrooms at the park. Join us for lunch after the hike in a nearby restaurant. (F,PS/NS 3) Leaders: June Sergi (317-372-3018) and Cherie Voege (317-848-7674)

9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS See June 11.

9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.

9:30 AM VANDALIA TRAIL – AMO TO COATESVILLE See June 18.

9:30 AM SLOW & EASY BROAD RIPPLE PARK & BEYOND See June 11.

4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, July 17

9:00 AM CHAPEL GLEN From I-465 W, exit on 10th St heading west. Go 2.5 miles to Landsdowne Rd, on your left. Turn left and go to Chapel Glen Grade School (also on your left) and park in the lower parking area south of the school. This hike is mostly in the shade and quite pleasant. (F,PS/NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (317-329-2779, 317-652-2779 cell)

9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.

9:00 AM LET'S EXPLORE BROAD RIPPLE/HOLLIDAY PARK See June 12.

9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.

6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 3.

Wednesday, July 18

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.

- 9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.
9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.
9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.
4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 6.

Thursday, July 19

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.
9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, July 20

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.
8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.
1:00 PM BOOK CLUB HIKE Before the hike read *Origin* by Dan Brown. The hike will be 6 miles at a moderate pace through downtown Indy. Meet at Shapiro's Deli at 808 S. Meridian St (at McCarty St). Park on the southwest portion of the lot away from the building. We will hike to the downtown Central Library. The book discussion will be inside at the library. After the discussion we will hike back to Shapiro's Deli. You do not need to read the book to join the hike and discussion. (Map #41) (F,PS) Leader: Phil Smith (317-443-3955)
6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, July 21

- 7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.
8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.
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). I plan to be there at 8:00 AM with the sign-up sheet, which I will leave at the start area until 11:00 AM for those coming earlier or later. The walk is free; however, contributions to the Wanderung are appreciated. After the hike, enjoy the German food, music and festivities of the Freudenfest. Festival starts Friday evening. (M,NS/PS) Leader: Mary Ann Layman (317-346-802 or 317-412-5190 cell)
9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, July 22

- 9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.
9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

Monday, July 23

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.
9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS See June 11.
9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.
9:30 AM SLOW & EASY BROAD RIPPLE PARK & BEYOND See June 11.
6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.

Tuesday, July 24

- 9:00 AM DOWNTOWN AND A ROOM WITH A VIEW This 6 mile hike will take us along White River north of Washington St and in and around the IU Hospital area where we will seek out the "Room With A

View". Meet at the main entrance of the Eiteljorg Museum which is on West Washington St. Underground parking at the museum free if you join us for lunch at the Eiteljorg after the hike. Come along and enjoy. (F,PS,3)(Map #33) Leader: Pat Lawler (317-329-2779 or 317-652-2779 cell)

- 9:00 AM PENDLETON FALLS See June 26.
 9:00 AM FORT HARRISON TRAILS See June 5.
 9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.
 9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.
 6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 3.

Wednesday, July 25

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 6.
 9:00 AM BRISK WALK IN THE WOODS See June 6.
 9:00 AM AMPHITHEATER ROAD HIKE See June 6.
 9:00 AM MEADOWLARK PARK, CARMEL See June 6.
 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY ON THE CULTURAL TRAIL See June 6.
 4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 6.
 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See June 6.
 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See June 6.

Thursday, July 26

- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK GREENWAY AND BEYOND See June 7.
 9:30 AM EASY (AND NOT SO EASY) AT EAGLE CREEK See June 7.
 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See June 7.

Friday, July 27

- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 1.
 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See June 1.
 8:30 AM PROPHETSTOWN STATE PARK NATURE HIKE Prophetstown State Park (fee) in West Lafayette is probably the best place to see tall grass prairie plants in central Indiana and they should be in full bloom. From I-865 W go north on I-65. Take exit 178 and turn left and follow signs to Prophetstown State Park and Historic Prophetstown. Allow 1 hour and 15 minutes to get there. Meet at the Visitor/Nature Center. We will walk through the Native American Prairie and then drive to the fen to see a different plant habitat. We will walk along the Tippecanoe and Wabash rivers as we circle the fen. This hike will be 5-6 miles with a two mile option. Bring a hat or umbrella for shade, sunscreen, bug spray and water. (F,NS/PS/HS,2.5) Leader: Wilma Bailey (317-293-0051)
 9:00 AM TGIF IN EAGLE CREEK PARK See June 1.
 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See June 1.
 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS AND NEARBY NEIGHBORHOODS See June 1.

Saturday, July 28

Annual Club Picnic

- 7:30 AM RISE AND SHINE See June 2.
 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See June 2.
 9:00 AM PENNSY TRAIL See June 2.
 10:00 AM ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC Come one come all for the yearly hiking club picnic at Eagle Creek Park, Shelter A. Club members and guests will be able to enter Eagle Creek Park for free for the picnic. See the write-up on the first page of this schedule for specifics. Ed Wright will lead a 5 mile hike and Harold Crooks will lead a 4 mile hike, starting at 10:00 AM from Shelter A. (M,NS/PS,3-3.5 or 2.5-3) The picnic begins shortly after hikers return. Plan to arrive by noon if you are coming for the picnic and socializing. Fried chicken, rolls and drinks will be supplied by the club. Bring a dish to pitch-in. Please bring your own place setting. Use coolers to protect food from the heat. Plan on staying after the picnic to visit with friends and/or play some euchre. This year we are collecting school supplies for children in underserved areas. Many of these children are new immigrants and are being settled in Indianapolis. We need pencils, crayons, colored pens, glue and glue-sticks, rulers, folders and pens. Staples and Office Depot will have some good offers for back to school items. Thank you for your generosity. The Indianapolis Hiking Club really makes a difference in the lives of others. Looking forward to seeing you there. For information about the picnic contact Pat

Lawler 317-652-2779-cell or 317-329-2779. Leaders: Ed Wright (317-445-5646 cell) and Harold Crooks (317-730-4850)

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See June 2.

Sunday, July 29

9:00 AM COLLEGE PARK See June 3.

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE See June 3.

Monday, July 30

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See June 4.

9:00 AM CLEAR THE COBWEBS See June 11.

9:15 AM SOUTHPORT PARK See June 4.

9:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS – A DIFFERENT ROUTE Join us for a 5-mile walk from Friendship Gardens, and across the Hummel Bridge along the Blue Heron Path. This path follows White Lick Creek and passes several ponds as well as Blue Heron Lake. We may catch a glimpse of blue herons and other wildlife. Meet at the Friendship Gardens parking lot, 850 S Center St in Plainfield. From I-465 W, go west on Washington St (US 40) and travel a little more than 7 miles into Plainfield. Turn left at Center St and travel a short distance to the stop sign, at Stafford Rd. Turn right into the parking lot. Bring water. Restrooms are available. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Terry Roesch (317-910-2943 cell)

9:30 AM A WALK IN THE 100 ACRE WOODS AT NEWFIELDS See July 14.

4:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See June 4.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See June 4.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See June 4.

Tuesday, July 31

9:00 AM EITELJORG , FOUNTAIN SQUARE AND SOME RESEARCH We will meet at the front entrance to the Eiteljorg Museum and conduct some research on this 7 mile hike. The museum is located in downtown Indy on West Washington St. Underground parking is free at the museum if you eat with us at the Eiteljorg after the hike. Come along and enjoy. (F,PS,3) (Map #33) Leader: Pat Lawler (317-329-2779 or 317-652-2779 cell)

9:00 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See June 5.

9:30 AM MERIDIAN WOODS See June 5.

6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See July 3.

PREVIEW OF FUTURE HIKES AND EVENTS:

GENERAL ASSEMBLY – Thursday, September 13 Please note the date change from the last schedule. This year's annual meeting will be held at the Unitarian Universalist Church of Indianapolis, where we met last year. All members are encouraged to attend. The address is: 615 West 43rd St, IN 46208. Come at 6 PM to enjoy free snacks, libations and conversation. At 6:30 PM we will have a short business meeting and elect Club officers for 2019. Then we will listen to an interesting speaker.

LAS VEGAS, NV – October 22-26 Come join us for the Club's first ever visit to Las Vegas, NV. Direct flights can be found with Southwest or Allegiant Airlines. Make plans to arrive before 4:00 PM on Monday Oct. 22 since we plan to hike the strip that night; lots of lights and water displays. We have 20 rooms reserved at Harrah's Hotel and Casino on the strip. Cost, including taxes, is \$122/night for a double or single room. Call 888-458-8471 and use code: VH31HC8 for reservations or use web address: <https://www.totalrewards.com/reserve/?propCode=LAS&action=FindRooms&groupcode=VH31HC8>.

Other hikes (different distance options) are planned on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday will include Red Rock Canyon, Mt. Charleston, and a Wetlands Park nearby. You will need to reserve or plan to share a rental car. Contact trip leader Sandy Turner for further information at 317-437-4770 or email me at rileycarguy@mac.com.

WINTER BANQUET - Sunday, December 2 Always a fun and well attended event, reserve the date for this year's party on Sunday afternoon. The 2018 Achievement Awards winners will be honored at the event. Same location in southeast Indy as the last few years.

PLEASE WELCOME THE FOLLOWING NEW MEMBERS:

Debra Evitts	Indianapolis, IN	Eric Wymer	Mooresville, IN
Missy Wymer	Mooresville, IN	Madeline Zook	Mooresville, IN
Janie Forsythe	Avon, IN	Paul Galley	Cumberland, IN
Donna Furgason	Fishers, IN		

WELCOME BACK THE FOLLOWING REINSTATED MEMBER:

Denise Garcia	Indianapolis, IN	Joseph Garcia	Indianapolis, IN
Cathy Ladd	Greenwood, IN	Roger Hammond	Carmel, IN
Carol Killen	Indianapolis, IN		

RECENT MILEAGE AWARDS: On May 9 Glee Crowder broke the Club's all time distance record of 42,590 miles held by Tom Patterson since 2007. Congratulations Glee.

Jill McFall	34,000	Jim Goulding	500	Sandy Turner	200
Rick Kinnaman	30,000	John Schlechte	500	Barb West	200
Michele Kestle	22,500	Konnie Schlechte	500	Dick Bennett	100
Mary Williams	11,500	Jan Wark	500	Jane Quimby	100
Emily Hudson-Burch	9,000	Michelle Bowen	400	Fanny Rosenstihl	100
Kathy Whalen	6,500	Alan Cloe	400	Diane Smith	100
Katy Smith	6,000	Randall Litten	400	Lorraine Smith	100
Jo Anne Starzyk	6,000	Linda Bryant	200	Becky Stevens	100
Judith Maas	2,500	Carol Garman	200	Dianne Carlisle	100
Wilma Bailey	2,000	Carolyn Hickman	200	Therese Cokain	100
Lothar Nitz	1,500	Bernie Heusing	200		

MEMBER NEWS: We extend our sympathy to the family and friends of the following members:

Will Harrer who passed away in April. He joined our club in July 1976 and his last year of membership was 2012. He was in his 90's.

Marthene Kohlmeyer whose 85 year old sister Sue Ann Browning passed away on April 20.

Long time member Louise Crandall, 88 years old, who joined the Club in 1985, passed away in early May.

Chris Jones whose son Steve passed away on May 5.

We wish all the best to the following member:

Marty Johnson is recovering well from recent foot surgery and should be hiking again soon

WANT MORE INFORMATION? For more information about our Club, including history, past hike schedules, how to join, contacts, etc. please visit our website at www.indyhike.org or contact our Membership Officer Barb Strite, 234 N Raceway Rd, Indianapolis, IN 46234 (317-271-7263, brstrite@att.net). To become a member you must be 18 years old and have hiked with us at least twice as a guest. A Membership Application may be printed from the "forms" page on the website or ask Barb to send you one. You do not have to be invited to hike with us and there is no fee. Simply show up for any hike 10 minutes before the scheduled start time (we start on time), but please no pets unless the hike is designated as a "pet" hike.