



The Indianapolis Hiking Club

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Happiness - A Step at a Time



SCHEDULE FOR AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER 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 for weekend hikes or Ed Wright (219-5536) ewright@indyhike.org for weekdays.

NEW CLUB CONSTITUTION At the General Assembly on Thursday September 8 you will be asked to vote on a new constitution and bylaws for our Club. Our current constitution, which was last amended in 1981, no longer reflects many of the things we now do. Last December, Ron Mutzl spearheaded a committee to bring the constitution up to date. Ron's committee has completed their work and in June the Board voted unanimously to accept it and submit it to the membership for a vote. The current constitution and the proposed new one require a two-thirds majority vote of the members attending a General Assembly to change the constitution. For those members receiving the hike schedule by mail, a copy of the new constitution is included with your mailing. Those accessing the schedule on the Internet may view the new constitution on the Archives page of the Club website at www.indyhike.org/archives. Your Board requests that you review the new constitution and bylaws and come to the General Assembly on September 8 and cast your vote. If you have any questions ask any Board member.

ATTENTION PACK RATS! Time to clear out closets and cabinets and join in the IHC's first annual SWAP MEET at the General Assembly on September 8th. Bring your overstuffed water bottles (unused), t-shirts, pedometers, backpacks etc. Anything you think your fellow hikers may be interested in owning. We'll actually swap money so price items in \$1.00 increments to keep things simple. All proceeds go to the Club and unsold items go to Goodwill. Arrive by 6 pm in order to set up in the front lobby of the Earth Discovery Center.

SYMPHONY ON THE PRAIRIE: See the write-up for this fun annual event on August 6. You need to act now to obtain reduced rates tickets.

POKAGON STATE PARK, LABOR DAY WEEKEND – September 3-5, IMPORTANT: There are a few rooms left in our block. Call 1-877-563-4371 requesting the Potawatomi Inn at Pokagon and give our Group Code # 0902IH. Unconfirmed rooms will be released on August 2. For more information see the write-up on September 3 or contact Mary Ann Layman at 881-8416 or malayman@earthlink.net.

PLEASE SEND IN SIGN-UP SHEETS: As we near the end of our hiking year, September 30, hike leaders are reminded to forward their hike rosters to Jane Hilaire as quickly as possible so that winners of the Annual Achievement Awards may be determined and Jane can prepare the Trailblazer Report, which recaps everyone's mileage. Please help Jane out and send in your hike sign-up sheets no later than October 1.

PRESIDENTS CORNER: I'd like to encourage everyone to attend the General Assembly meeting on September 8th at Eagle Creek Earth Discovery Center. There are several items on the agenda that need member votes.

First of all the Club Constitution has been updated to reflect new Board member positions and their responsibilities. Ron Mutzl and the Constitution Revision committee have put a lot of work into updating some of the language and modifying several points in the document as well. This process has taken Ron Mutzl several months to complete. Your attendance at the General Assembly meeting to vote on the revision of the Constitution is important for the future of the Club. **A huge thanks to Ron Mutzl for all his hard work in retyping, rewording and resending updated copies of the Constitution to all Board members to get this project completed.**

I'd like to thank our Nominating Committee, Rick Braun, Susan Roberts and Mary Williams for coming up with a slate of officer candidates for year 2011-2012. Elections and installation of officers and introduction of the new Board will take place at the General Assembly on September 8th at Eagle Creek. The meeting begins promptly at 6:00 PM. Tell the attendant at the gate that you are with the Hiking Club and your entrance fee will be waived.

It's not the weather but the calendar that tells us that the Holidays are approaching, quicker than we might like to think. The Christmas Party this year will be held at a new location on the southeast side of Indianapolis, (good news for Greenwood, Bargersville, Bloomington and Greenfield members!) This is a catered event with live entertainment included. Cost per person is \$20.00. A reservation sheet will be included with the October/November schedule so please "save the date", December 4, 2011.

There's a new Club member, Kathy Berlin, who has been asking women in the Club for their help in her research on the subject of "Women and successful aging." Kathy has mentioned to me several times that all of your input has been invaluable to her in completing her dissertation for her Doctorate degree. Kathy may be visiting a hike near you soon; she would appreciate your input.

For the Club members that have recently "conquered" the Grand Canyon and those planning their trip to conquer the Canyon....

"Backpacking is the art of knowing what not to take." Sheridan Anderson
(rock climber and expert fly fisherman)

Sue Bullock
President

HIKE SCHEDULE

Monday, August 1

- 7:15 AM 161st STREET/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. From N. Meridian St (US 31) go west on 161st to Viking Meadows subdivision on the south side of 161st St. Turn south onto Viking Lair and park on the first side street of the community. In case of inclement weather, call the leader. We may move the hike indoors at the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066).
- 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 August 8 & 29 and September 5, 12 & 19. (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 September 5. (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Kate Curtiss (247-0283)
- 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: Kathy Oguss (523-8995)
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS Meet at Mamma Bears parking lot at the northwest corner of Fall Creek Rd and Brooks School Rd for a 6-8 mile hike through neighborhoods. Repeats each Monday in August and September. (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 August and September and Wednesday in September. (F,PS) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)

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Tuesday, August 2

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around Central Park and nearby neighborhoods and/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. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. Hike repeats every Tuesday in August, and on September 6, 20 and 27. (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 August 15, 16 & 23 and September 6, 12, 13 & 27. (F, PS, 3.5-4) Leader: Lucy Neal (517-315-9200 cell; 765-653-1502)
- 9:00 AM B & O, HERE WE GO! This is a 6-mile hike on a new portion of the B&O rail trail. Meet at Clermont Lion's Club Park. From I-465 W take the Speedway exit (16A) and immediately turn right at the first light onto 136 (Crawfordsville Road). At the 5th stoplight turn left (south) on Tansel Road. Go .3 mile to the park on your left. (F, NS/PS, 3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)
- 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. Repeats on September 6. (F, PS/NS, 2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 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 in front of veterinarian's office (9160 Otis Ave) facing the road. This is a 6-7 mile hike (no fee) with shorter options. Repeats on August 30 and September 27. (F, PS, 3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK Meet in the parking lot of Mama Bears at the northwest corner of Brooks School Rd and Fall Creek Pkwy. This will be an 8-10-mile hike with shorter options. Repeats every Tuesday in August and September. (F, PS, 3-3.5) Leaders: Marge Braun (842-0584 or 331-0570 cell) and Charlie Brunette (815-5953, 518-4555 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 Marott Park or surrounding neighborhoods if the trails are muddy. Hike repeats each Tuesday in August and September. (M, NS/PS, 3.5) Leader: Kathy Oguss (523-8995)
- 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 August and September. (F, PS, 2.5-3) Leader: Reba Boyd Wooden (797-5892)
- 6:00PM GREENWOOD Meet in the northwest corner of the parking lot of Southern Bowl for a 5-mile hike on the paved trail and through neighborhoods. Southern Bowl is just south of Smith Valley Rd on US 31, next to K-Mart. From I-465 S take I-65 south to the Greenwood exit, turn right, then turn left at the 2nd stop light which is Smith Valley Rd. Follow it around to US 31 and turn left. You will see K-Mart and bowling alley on your right. There are restrooms in bowling alley and another stop, if needed, halfway through hike in Freedom Park. Hike repeats each Tuesday in August. (F, PS, 3) Leader: Nancy Larmore (530-5330, cell 345-4061)

Wednesday, August 3

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD 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 August and September. (F, PS, 3-3.5) Leaders: Mary Lester (887-2826) and Mary Lang (882-7148, cell 509-8251)
- 8:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS Because the summer has been so hot, for the month of August only the start time of this hike will be moved up to 8:00AM. The hike reverts to its usual

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- 9:00 AM start in September. This is a 6-7 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 August and September. Join us for coffee afterwards. (M,NS/PS,3-3.5) Leader: Rich Peck (291-4873)
- 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. Hike repeats on August 17 & 31 and September 7. (F,HS/PS,3) Leader: Cherie Voege (848-7674)
- 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 August and September. (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 August and September. 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. 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)
- 1:30 PM PARK, HIKE AND RIDE Park at the Indianapolis Senior Center. We will *hike* up to Methodist Hospital where we will board the People Mover and *ride* to IU Medical Center with a fabulous aerial view of a Pizza Hut and Hardees. The remainder of the 5 to 6-mile hike will be spent making our way back through downtown Indy. The Senior Center is located at 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. 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 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 August and September. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 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 August and September. (F,PS) Leader: John Lyghtel (578-9756 or 626-9117 cell)
- 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. Repeats each Wednesday in August. (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)

Thursday, August 4

- 9:00 AM TOUR STATE FAIR GROUNDS Meet at Windridge Center at 5435 N. Emerson Way in front of the former O'Malia's near the pond for an 8-mile hike on the Fall Creek Trail. We will loop through the state fair grounds the day before the fair opens and watch them set up. Hike returns to its usual format next week. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Elaine Wright (753-5516) and Tish Brafford (531-6700)
- 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-mile trail hike or a 3-4 mile slower option. Repeats each Thursday in August and September. (M,NS,3) Leaders: Ed Wright (219-5536) and various other leaders.
- 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 on August 11. (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 August and September, except September 8. (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

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Friday, August 5

- 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 August and at 8:00 AM in September. (M,PS,3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 7:30 AM EARLY MORNING AT EAGLE CREEK Meet in park (fee) at the 56th St parking lot for a 4-6 mile self-guided* hike. Frank will lead a trail hike in the woods and Rita will lead a hike on the roads. Depending on how fast and far you go, it will be possible to return to the parking lot for Joan Griffiths 9:00 AM hike. Hike repeats on August 19. (M,NS/PS,3.5 woods/4.0 roads) Leaders: Frank Bymaster (509-6044) and Rita Bymaster (509-1711)
- 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 August and September. (F,PS) Leaders: Rick Kinnaman (861-3979) and Dick Bacon (585-8742)
- 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 August and September. (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 August and September. (F,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)
- 6:00 PM IRVINGTON Meet at northeast corner of Irvington Plaza (6400 E. Washington St) for a 5-mile self-guided* hike. Repeats every Friday in August. (F,PS) Leaders: Jim Griffin (294-1121)
- 6:15 PM ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile group hike in the nearby neighborhoods, and/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 August 12 and 19th and September 9, 23 and 30. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)

Saturday, August 6

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE Meet in Broad Ripple at the free parking lot 1/2 block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave for a 8-10 mile guided hike. Repeats each Saturday in Aug and Sept. (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 August and September. (F,PS,3-3.5) 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)
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON STATE PARK FROM DELAWARE LAKE Park entrance (fee) is located at 59th and Post Rd. Meet at Delaware Lake lot for a 5-mile hike (shorter option). Repeats August 13 and September 3. (M,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or 439-1468-cell)

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- 9:30 AM CARILLON HISTORIC PARK & MIAMI RIVER Allow 2¼ hours (115 miles) from I-465 E. Take I-70 east to I-75 S (100 miles). Take exit 51. Turn left on Edwin C. Moses, right at bridge (cross river and come back on other side), right on Patterson, right on Carillon along the river. Park is on left. This is a 10-mile asphalt riverbank hike. After hike, join us for lunch at Culp's Café in park. Take tour of historic buildings (fee). (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 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 August and September. (F,PS) Leader: Donna Maurer (328-1974 or 413-5709-cell)
- 1:30 PM ROUND HILL DRUMMER BOY Meet at 5145 S. Meridian St (next to SR 135) by the license branch. Park in back of building with a "For Lease" sign for a 5-6 mile hike in and around Round Hill Cemetery. Highlights are George Washington's Drummer Boy's grave and the grave of Herbert Lilleton. Repeats on August 14. (M,NS,3) Leader: Glee Crowder (859-8159)
- 6:00 PM SYMPHONY ON THE PRAIRIE Join your IHC friends for the evening with a tribute to the music of Billy Joel and Elton John. We will need 30 people for a group discount of \$17, and we can have a roped area reserved. Mail checks by August 2 to Cheryl Conwell, 2444 Spring Hill Ct., Indianapolis, IN 46268 (872-2583). Conner Prairie is located on Allisonville Rd, north of 116th St. Meet at 6:00 PM at the Apple Store gate near the shade area. If a conflict arises, your ticket can be used at any concert for the remainder of the season.
- 6:15 P.M. HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the nearby neighborhoods and/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. Repeats on August 13, 20, September 3 and 24. Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)

Sunday, August 7

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the nearby neighborhoods, and/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 August 14, 21, September 4 and 25. (F,PS) Leader: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)
- 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 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 August and September. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 6:15 P.M. KEYSTONE OPTIONS IN CARMEL You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the nearby neighborhoods and/or a self-guided* walk along 116th St (1-8 miles). Hike starts at 116th St and Keystone Pkwy in Carmel. Meet in the Jimmy Johns parking lot at the northeast corner of Keystone and 116th St. Join us for a bite at Jimmy Johns after the hike. Repeats August 14, September 4 and 25. Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)

Monday, August 8

- 7:30 AM BROAD RIPPLE/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. Meet in free parking lot that is ½ block south of Broad Ripple Ave on Carrollton Ave. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F, PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)
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Tuesday, August 9

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.
- 9:00 AM LOVELY GARDEN TOUR AND SPEEDWAY NEIGHBORHOODS We will hike through Speedway neighborhoods and stop to tour a lovely garden. Meet at northeast corner of Marsh parking lot across from the Speedway Shopping Center. If coming from the south on I-465 W take exit 16A straight east to Marsh. Currently that exit is under construction coming from the north so exit at 10th Street and get back on the highway and come north. This will be a 6-mile hike. Join us for lunch afterwards. (F,PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)
- 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 (shorter option). (F,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.
- 6:00PM GREENWOOD See August 2.

Wednesday, August 10

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.
- 8:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.
- 1:30 PM CLERMONT NORTHSIDE We will explore Miller Park and the northern part of Clermont on this 5-6 mile hike. Meet at Clermont Lion's Club Park. From I-465 W take the Speedway exit (16A) and immediately turn right at the first light onto 136 (Crawfordsville Road). At the 5th stoplight turn left (south) on Tansel Road. Go .3 mile to the park on your left. (F,NS/PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 Cell)
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.
- 6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See August 3.

Thursday, August 11

- 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 August and September. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Elaine Wright (753-5516)
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.
- 6:00 PM PACING ON THE PENNSY See August 4.
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.
- 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, August 12

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.
- 6:00 PM IRVINGTON See August 5.
- 6:15 PM ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See August 5.

Saturday, August 13

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.

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- 7:30 AM CARMEL FARMERS MARKET We will meet bright and early in the parking lot around the fountain in Carmel for a 5-6 mile hike. We can then enjoy some fresh fruits, vegetables and other treats at the Carmel Farmers Market. From I-465 go north on Meridian St. 1.5 miles to 116th St. Turn right (east) on 116th St. and go to Range Line Rd. Turn left (north) on Range Line Rd. and go 0.5 mile to Gradle St. (just before Shapiro's). Turn left and park around the fountain. (F,PS,3) Leader: June Sergi (372-3018)
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.
- 9:00 AM BLOOMINGTON TRAIL AND FARMERS MARKET Take SR 37 south to Tapp Rd. Turn left and go 2 1/4 miles on Tapp Rd/Country Club Rd past the golf course on the right. Continue across Rogers St to just before the next traffic light (Walnut St), turn left into the shopping plaza and park behind the Old National Bank. This will be a 6-mile hike After the hike plan to visit the Bloomington Farmers Market. Repeats on September 17. (F,NS, 2.5-3) Leader: Edeltraud Evans (812-876-4024 or 812-322-3972-cell)
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON STATE PARK FROM DELAWARE LAKE See August 6.
- 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 in front of the Veterinarian's office (9160 Otis Ave). This is a 6-7 mile hike (no fee) with shorter options. Repeats September 24. (F,PS,3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 6:15 P.M HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 6.

Sunday, August 14

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS See August 7.
- 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 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 August 28 and September 11. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)
- 1:30 PM ROUND HILL DRUMMER BOY See August 6.
- 2:30 PM SUNDAY STROLL IN SHELBYVILLE. Join us for a 5-mile hike through the town of Shelbyville and afterwards have dinner at the Cow Palace. Allow 45 minutes from I-465 E. Take I-74 east to Exit 113 (Highway 9), go south to the town square and take the first spoke to your right (Washington St). Go 2-3 blocks to free parking lot on left across from Major Hospital. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leaders: Tim & Kathy Braun (408-3051-Tim, 625-3486-Kathy)
- 6:15 P.M KEYSTONE OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 7.

Monday, August 15

- 7:30 AM GRAYHOUND PASS/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. Park in the parking lot south of Greyhound Pass next to the Monon Trail. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)
- 8:30 AM GOING NORTH, NORTH TO... Going north on US 31 (Meridian) turn west or left onto Greyhound Pass. This is the first stoplight after you go through the 146th S underpass. There is a Regions Bank on one corner and on the left in the shopping center is a Barnes and Noble. Stay on Greyhound pass which runs into 151 St. Meet at the Monon trailhead parking lot which is 0.6 miles from US 31 for a 6-9 mile hike, with shorter options. (F,PS/NS,3.5) Leader: Ellen Mutzl (769-3220 or cell 490-5478)
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.
- 9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See August 8.
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See August 8.
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

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Tuesday, August 16

7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.

8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.

9:30 AM HOLLIDAY PARK & BEYOND 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 a 5-mile hike. Repeats on September 20. (M,NS/PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)

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 September 13. (M,NS/PS,3) Leader: Dick Underwood (506-0924)

10:00 AM STORY From I-465 S take I-65 south to Columbus exit #68 and go west on SR 46. Just after the town of Gnaw Bone turn left (south) on SR 135. Look for Horseman's Camp sign. Drive about 7 miles south until you reach Story. Alternatively, you can take SR 135 south from Indy to Nashville. Turn left onto SR 46 heading east. Go past the entrance to Brown County State Park and turn right (south) at SR 135 and follow directions above. Park at the Story Inn or across the road. This will be a 6-mile hike on country roads. Afterwards we will eat at the Inn. In case of thunderstorms the hike may be cancelled. (M,PS,2.5) Leader: Marthene Kohlmeyer (849-5051)

3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.

5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.

6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.

6:00PM GREENWOOD See August 2.

Wednesday, August 17

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.

8:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.

9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See August 3.

9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.

9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.

1:30 PM KRANNERT PARK AND NEAR BY NEIGHBORHOOD Meet in the NW corner of the parking lot at Krannert Park located at 605 S High School Rd for a 5-6 mile hike. Krannert Park is midway between Washington St and Rockville Rd so exit I-465 W at either exit and head west. From Washington St go west to the first light (High School Rd) and turn right (north) or from Rockville Rd go west and turn left (south) at the first light. (F,PS/NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 H, 652-2779 cell)

4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.

6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.

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

Thursday, August 18

9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.

9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.

3:45 PM GET FIT ON THE FITNESS TRAIL From I-465E go east on US 52 to Rushville. Turn left on Spencer St (right after you go by the VP) and take it to the T (stop sign) and turn right. Continue until you pass the football field on the left and turn left on Lions Path. Meet in the lot across from Rushville High School (okay to use restrooms). This will be a 6-mile walk on the fitness trail in the park and around the schools. Hike repeats on 23 & 30 and every Thursday in September, except September 8. (F,PS,3.5) Leader: Julie Litten (765-663-2739 or 407-4652)

6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.

6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, August 19

7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.

7:30 AM EARLY MORNING AT EAGLE CREEK See August 5.

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.

9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.

9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.

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- 9:30 AM DOWNTOWN ZIG AND ZAG Meet in the northeast corner of the Marsh at Lockerbie parking lot at 320 N. New Jersey St for a 5 to 6-mile hike. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
- 6:00 PM IRVINGTON See August 5.
- 6:15 PM ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See August 5.

Saturday, August 20

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.
- 8:00 AM ART MEETS THE MARKET Come enjoy this art festival plus farmers market. Enjoy fresh fruits and veggies plus flowers, handmade items, fresh meat, milk, and eggs. Meet on the south side of US 40 at the police station in Cumberland next to Meijer on the east side of Indy. We will walk to the Pennsy Trail for 6 to 10 miles. This area is being developed with educational stations. Restrooms are available at police station. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Julie Litten (407-4652 cell)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 6:15 P.M HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 6.

Sunday, August 21

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS See August 7.
- 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 3:00 PM GARFIELD PARK & SIAM SQUARE From I-70 in downtown Indy take I-65 heading south. Exit I-65 at Raymond St (exit 109) and go right (west) on Raymond St for about 1/2 mile. Turn left (south) onto Pleasant Run Parkway N Dr and go to the next stoplight. Turn left onto Pagoda Dr; then turn left again and park in the swimming pool lot. This will be a 5-6 mile hike. Plan to eat afterwards at Siam Square in Historic Fountain Square. (F,HS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
- 6:15 P.M ALLISONVILLE OPTIONS You choose: A 3-mile group hike (F,PS,3-3.5) in the nearby neighborhoods and/or a self-guided* walk along 116th St (1-8 miles). Hike starts at 116th St and Allisonville in Carmel. Meet in the Hardees parking lot at the northwest corner of Allisonville and 116th St. Join us for a bite at Hardees after the hike. Leaders: Jim or Elizabeth Robinson (450-1015-cell or 587-0066-home)

Monday, August 22

- 7:30 AM 75th STREET/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. Park in the parking lot off Westfield on the south side of 75th St. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)
- 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 August 8.
- 10:00AM THOMPSON PARK Park is located about 1/2 mile east of Arlington on Thompson Rd. From I-465 S take the Emerson Ave exit and go south to Thompson Rd. Turn left and continue east past Arlington to the park which will be on your right. Meet in parking lot near basketball court, for a 5-mile hike through the neighborhoods. There are no bathroom breaks on this hike. Join us for lunch at Wendy's after the hike. Hike repeats on August 29 and September 19 & 26. (F,PS,3) Leader: Nancy Larmore (530-5330, cell 345-4061)
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See August 8.
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Tuesday, August 23

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.
- 9:30 AM RURAL ZIONSVILLE AND TOMATO TASTING Take I-65 north to Zionsville exit (SR 334) and go east 9/10 mile past Lowes to Baptist Church on the left (CR 700 E). Turn left (north) for 9/10 mile

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past the middle school on the right to CR 550 S. Turn right (east) for 3/10 mile to leader's house at 7282 E CR 550 S. House is on the left back in the woods, down a long driveway. Park by the house or along the driveway. If coming through Zionsville, take SR 334 west. Turn right (north) on CR 700 E at the Baptist Church across from Lowe's and follow instructions above. Hike will be 6 miles past two Zionsville schools, through Stonegate subdivision, Anson development, through a woods and around a hay field. After the hike enjoy samples of 13 types of heirloom tomatoes. Drinks will be provided by hosts. Optionally bring a brown bag lunch. (F,NS/PS,3-3.5). Leaders: Ron and Claudia Clark (769-6566 or cell 626-1553)

- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.
5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.
6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.
6:00PM GREENWOOD See August 2.

Wednesday, August 24

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.
8:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.
9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.
1:30 PM THATCHER PARK, SPEEDWAY WOODS AND THE LEVEE This 5 to 6-mile hike will begin at Thatcher Park. We will make our way through Speedway Woods and return by the levee. 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 at Thatcher City Park on your left. (M,NS/PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.
6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See August 3.

Thursday, August 25

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.
9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.
3:45 PM GET FIT ON THE FITNESS TRAIL See August 18.
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.
6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, August 26

- 7:30 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.
8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.
9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.
6:00 PM ANARCHY HIKE Those of you who have ever attended one of Pat's anarchy hikes know this will be a fun way to explore downtown Indy in a whole new way. Stay for dinner after the hike. 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) and Ellen Mutzl (769-3220 or cell 490-5478)
6:00 PM IRVINGTON See August 5.

Saturday August 27

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.
8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.
9:30 AM SPRING MILL STATE PARK - I Allow 1½ hour travel time from I-465 S. Take SR 37 south through Bloomington and Bedford to Mitchell. Turn left on SR 60 and go a few miles to the park entrance (fee). Meet in the Inn parking lot for a 5-6 mile hike. Join us for lunch at the Inn. (M,NS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120).
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.

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1:00 PM SPRING MILL STATE PARK - II Follow directions above for a 5-6 mile hike. Come early and join us for lunch at the Inn. (M,NS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)

Sunday, August 28

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 September 11 and 18. (F,PS) Leader: Rick Kinnaman (861-3979)

9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.

1:00 PM SUNDAY STROLL AT SAHM PARK See August 14.

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)

Monday, August 29

7:30 AM ROHRER RD/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. From N. Meridian St (US 31) go west on 136th. Turn right immediately onto Rohrer Rd. Parking lot is about a half mile north on the right next to the Monon Trail. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066).

9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See August 1.

9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See August 8.

10:00AM THOMPSON PARK See August 22.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See August 8.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Tuesday, August 30

7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.

9:00 AM INDY'S BEST KEPT SECRET Town Run Trail Park is open again after being closed for a year and a half due to road construction. This is a 7-mile hike on Indy's premier mountain biking trail along the White River. From I-465 N go north on Allisonville Rd. Turn left (west) on 96th St and go 0.6 miles to the park entrance on your left (look for partially hidden park sign) across the street from a Carmel water treatment plant. (M,NS,3) Leader: Ed Wright (219-5536)

9:30 AM CROWN HILL CEMETERY From the 700 block of West 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 with shorter option. Repeats on September 27. (M,PS/NS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)

9:30 AM POGUE'S RUN BASIN ART AND NATURE PARK We will meet at the park 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 St 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. This will be a 6-7 mile hike. (F,PS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 cell)

9:30 AM FORT HARRISON AND LAWRENCE See August 2.

3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.

5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.

6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.

6:00PM GREENWOOD See August 2.

Wednesday, August 31

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.

8:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.

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- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See August 3.
9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.
9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.
1:30 PM B&O TRAIL AND SPEEDWAY On this new 5-6 mile hike, we will walk on some different areas of the B&O rail trail and visit some Speedway neighborhoods. Park at Leonard Park at 5400 W.15th St in Speedway. The park is in the first block west of Lynhurst Dr (5300 west) and behind the fire station. (F,PS/NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 H, 652-2779 cell)
4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.
6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.
6:00 PM BAXTER YMCA & PERRY PARK See August 3.

Thursday, September 1

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.
9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.
3:45 PM GET FIT ON THE FITNESS TRAIL See August 18.
6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.
6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, September 2

- 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.
8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.
9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.
9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.
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 September. (M,PS/NS,3.5) Leader: Jim Griffin (294-1121)

Saturday, September 3 – Monday, September 5 *Labor Day Weekend*

LABOR DAY WEEKEND AT POKAGON STATE PARK Take I-69 N to exit 154, which is north of Ft. Wayne. Follow directions to park entrance (fee) and then to the Potawatomi Inn. After you arrive, be sure to pick up an informational sheet listing hikes, park activities, boat rentals, tours and other local events from either Mary Ann Layman or Cheryl Conwell. All hikes will meet in the front lobby of the inn. Day hikers are welcome to join us any day.

SATURDAY 2:00 PM 5-6 mile hike.

SUNDAY 9:00 AM 5-6 mile hike. Possible afternoon hike for those that want to hike.

MONDAY 9:00 AM 5-6 mile hike.

Questions: Contact Mary Ann Layman at 881-8416 or 306-5306 cell or malayman@earthlink.net.

Saturday, September 3

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.
8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.
9:00 AM MIAMI RIVER FROM CRAINS RUN PARK Allow 2+ hrs (104 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 south. Turn left onto SR 725 and go through Germantown. When SR 725 turns left, you turn right (south) on SR 4 then go about one mile and turn left on SR123. Follow SR 123 through Carlisle (about 5 miles). Cross the Miami River into Franklin. When the road T's, turn left and go about one mile. Park in the first parking lot on left (no park sign). Hike will be along Great Miami River south and back for 7 miles and/or north and back (self guided – there are mile markers) for up to 38 miles. There are restroom options. (F,PS) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)
9:30 AM FORT HARRISON STATE PARK FROM DELAWARE LAKE See August 6.
10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
6:15 P.M HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 6.

Sunday, September 4

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS See August 7.
9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.

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- 9:30 AM BROWN COUNTY STATE PARK NATURE CENTER Take SR 135 south thru Nashville or I-65 south to SR 46 west to the park (fee). Meet at Nature Center for an 8-mile hike. Plan to go to the Corn Crib Lounge afterwards. (M,NS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 6:15 P.M. KEYSTONE OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 7.

Monday, September 5 *Labor Day*

- 7:30 AM 86th STREET/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. Park in the parking lot between Marsh and the bank. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)
- 9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See August 1.
- 9:00 AM MORNING CONSTITUTIONAL See August 1.
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.
- 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 September 12. (F,PS/NS,3-3.5) Leader: Tom Hollett (733-8448)

Tuesday, September 6

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.
- 9:30 AM ARTSPARK & MAROTT PARK FROM MONON SHELTER See August 2.
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.
- 6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK From I-465 S take I-65 south to 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 Tuesday in September. (F,PS,3) Leader: David Kincaid (787-6593, 224-6541 cell)

Wednesday, September 7

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.
- 9:00 AM BROAD RIPPLE TO BUTLER See August 3.
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Thursday, September 8

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.
- 6:00 PM **GENERAL ASSEMBLY, ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND NEW CONSTITUTION** Come early and participate in the Club's first ever swap meet of hiking related merchandise. See write-up about the swap meet at the front of the schedule. Refreshments will be served to liven up the event. Our first order of business will be to ask all members to vote on a new Club Constitution that was distributed with the August/September schedule (or via the website for those who do not receive the schedule in the mail). Additional copies of the Constitution will be available at the meeting. A 2/3's affirmative vote is required to adopt the new Constitution. Next, will be the election of Club officers. See below for a list of the officer candidates. After the business portion of the meeting, Dan Tolbert from the Merrell shoe store will speak to us about walking/trail shoes. It promises to be a fun and informative evening and we would love the pleasure of your company. We will meet at the Earth Discovery Center in Eagle Creek Park. Use either the 56th St or 71st St entrance to the park and follow signs

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for the Earth Discovery Center. The \$5 entrance fee has been waived for IHC members; just inform the gatekeeper of your IHC membership.

The nominating committee has selected the following slate of officer candidates for the Club year beginning October 1, 2011: PRESIDENT: Jan Stevens, VICE PRESIDENT: Linda Zappia, PATHFINDERS: Jean Ballinger and Ed Wright, SECRETARY: Sandy McLaughlin, TREASURER: Mary Ann Layman, DIRECTORS: Rick Braun, Sue Bullock, Jeff Edmondson and Ron Mutzl. Additional nominations will be accepted from the floor; however, a person so nominated must be present at the meeting.

Friday, September 9

- 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See September 2.
- 6:15 PM ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See August 5.

Saturday, September 10

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.
- 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.
- 9:00 AM PENDLETON-FALLS PARK Hike historic downtown, walk a brick street and trails of Fall Creek. Stay for the Quilt Festival afterwards. Take I-69 N to exit 19 (Pendleton). Turn right on SR 38 and go to downtown Pendleton. Turn left at second stoplight (downtown) on Pendleton Ave. Turn right on E. Water Street and go about 1/2 mile to swimming pool parking lot. Hike will be 6 miles with a shorter option. (F,NS/HS,3) Leader: Phil Slaughter (462-3908 or 755-8581-cell)
- 9:00 AM BILL LARRISON MEMORIAL HIKE AT ROBIN RUN As most of you know Bill and Nell Larrison lived at Robin Run Village. The community has asked to put on a Bill Larrison memorial hike (he passed away on January 23) in conjunction with their Fall Festival. Rena Elsner has volunteered to lead the hike. There will be a 15 minute pre-walk concert and orientation on the Gazebo Green followed by a 4-5 mile hike with shorter options. Following the hike stay for the Robin Run Fall Festival including folk music, pioneer games at the historic 1850s restored cabin, high school students art show, sustainable skills demonstrations, bake sale, and great food under the tent. Robin Run Village is located at 5354 W. 62nd St. Enter the Village off 62nd St. Turn left or right just before you get to the clock tower. Follow the road to the Gazebo (directly behind the clock tower complex). (F,PS/NS,2.5-3) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 1:00 PM 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)

Sunday, September 11

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS See August 28.
- 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.
- 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
- 1:00 PM SUNDAY STROLL AT SAHM PARK See August 14.
- 4:00 PM SUNDAY AFTERNOON IN ZIONSVILLE This 6-mile hike will use the Zionsville Rail Trail as its starting point and branch off into neighborhoods and/or the Village. 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/SR 334 to downtown Zionsville and take SR 334 west to the town hall. (F,PS, 3-3.5) Leader: Jan Stevens (873-3243 home or 418-5685 cell)

Sunday, September 11 – Friday, September 16 *Aspen, CO Trip*

ASPEN, COLORADO A week of hikes has been planned, along with other activities, some of which require advance reservations. Meeting places and times are different each day, so be sure to

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contact the leader to get the detailed schedule. Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120-cell or skierjean@yahoo.com)

Sunday: Ride Silver Queen Gondola to top of Aspen Mountain for 5-mile hike

Monday: Hike Conundrum Creek Trail in Maroon Bells-Snowmass Wilderness area (5-17 mile options)

Tuesday: 7-mile hike on Lost Man Trail in Hunter-Fryingpan Wilderness area

Wednesday: Hike Buckskin Pass Trail in Maroon Bells-Snowmass Wilderness area (5-10 mile options); dinner @ Hickory House

Thursday: Two options: (1) Historical Walking Tour of downtown Aspen; or (2) 6-mile hike on Difficult Creek Trail in Collegiate Peaks Wilderness Area

Friday: Two options: (1) 5-mile hike in Aspen's green spaces; including John Denver Sanctuary or (2) 6-mile hike to Cathedral Lake in Maroon Bells-Snowmass Wilderness area

Monday, September 12

8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.

9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See August 1.

9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See August 8.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See September 5.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Tuesday, September 13

7:30 AM MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL 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. This will be a 7-mile self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail to 146th St and back with shorter and longer options (1-21 miles). (F, PS) Leader: Valan Magnabosco

8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.

9:30 AM FORT HARRISON & SKILES TEST NATURE PARK See August 16.

3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.

5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.

6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.

6:00 PM HOME COMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See September 6.

Wednesday, September 14

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.

9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.

9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.

9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.

4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.

6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Thursday, September 15

9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.

9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.

3:45 PM GET FIT ON THE FITNESS TRAIL See August 18.

6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.

6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, September 16

8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.

8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.

9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.

9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.

6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See September 2.

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Saturday, September 17

6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.

8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.

8:00 AM ARLINGTON/HOMER/MANILLA Allow 1 hour travel from I-465 E. Take US 52 east to the town of Arlington. Park in the lot with the brick building on the right as you come into town. Bring lunch and water for a 17-19 mile hike with a stop at Julie's house along the way for R&R. (F,PS,3.5) Leader Julie Litten (765-663-2739 or 317-407-4652 cell)

9:00 AM BLOOMINGTON TRAIL AND FARMERS MARKET See August 13.

:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.

Sunday, September 18

7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS See August 28.

9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.

10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.

2:00 PM DEPAUW NATURE TRAILS Allow one hour from I-465 W. Take I-70 west to Greencastle exit (SR 231). Turn right (north) and follow SR 231 when it turns left. On the far side of the courthouse, go straight (do not stay on 231 as it turns here) for about two blocks to "T". Turn left. Go one block and turn right. Proceed about ½ mile to DePauw Nature Trails Park on your left. Park in large area toward to back. Hike: 6-8 miles. (F,NS,3) Leader: Cheryl Conwell (872-2583)

Monday, September 19

7:30 AM 86th STREET/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. Meet in the parking lot between Marsh and the bank. In case of inclement weather call the leader; we may move the hike indoors to the Monon Center. (F, PS, 3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)

9:00 AM LAKE CLEARWATER See August 1.

9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See August 8.

10:00AM THOMPSON PARK See August 22.

6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See August 8.

6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.

6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Tuesday, September 20

7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.

9:30 AM CELEBRATE PAT LAWLER'S 75TH BIRTHDAY Gay and Len Behling have given me permission to borrow their hike so we will meet in Amo and hike 5-6 miles on the Vandalia Trail to Coatsville to have lunch at the Bread Basket Café. From I-465 W go west on US 40 for 16.7 miles. Turn right (north) on S CR 200 W (Jon Mitchell Rd). Cascade High School is on this road so watch for the sign for the school. Continue north 2 miles to W CR 500S. Turn left (west) and go 2.8 miles to Pearl St in Amo. The trailhead is beside the railroad track. Mapquest says it's 21.9 miles and travel time is about 38 minutes. (F,NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779 or 652-2779 Cell)

9:30 AM HOLLIDAY PARK & BEYOND See August 16.

3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.

5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.

6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.

6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See September 6.

Wednesday, September 21

8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.

9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.

9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.

9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.

10:00 AM BUTLER-TARKINGTON STROLL This will be a 5-6 mile hike through Butler-Tarkington neighborhoods. Meet in the Unitarian Church parking lot at 615 W. 43rd St. From West 38th St, go north on Clarendon Rd, which is on the east side of Crown Hill Cemetery. When you reach 43rd St

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turn right and go ½ block. Church is on south side of street. (F,PS/NS,3) Leader: Pat Lawler (329-2779, 652-2779 cell)

- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.
 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.
 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Thursday, September 22

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.
 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.
 3:45 PM GET FIT ON THE FITNESS TRAIL See August 18.
 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.
 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, September 23

Fall Begins

- 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.
 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.
 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.
 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.
 10:00 AM TURKISH AND DOWNTOWN Meet in the northeast corner of the Marsh at Lockerbie parking lot at 320 N. New Jersey St for a 5-6 mile hike. Afterwards, plan to eat at Bosphorus Cafe, 935 S East St. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See September 2.
 6:15 PM ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See August 5.

Saturday, September 24

- 6:45 AM RISE AND SHINE See August 6.
 8:00 AM FRANKLIN TRAIL, COLLEGE AND ROSES See August 6.
 9:30 AM MOUNDS STATE PARK Go northeast on I-69 to Exit 26 (second Anderson exit), north on SR9, 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 FORT HARRISON AND LAWRENCE See August 2.
 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
 4:00 PM COUNTY TO COUNTY- BOONE, HAMILTON & MARION Meet at 116th St and US 421 (Michigan Rd) at the Presbyterian Church for a 6 mile hike. Park south of the church. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Rena Elsner (873-6526)
 6:15 P.M HAZEL DELL OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 6.

Sunday, September 25

- 7:30 AM MONON TRAIL At 96th STREET OPTIONS See August 7.
 9:00 AM WALK AND WORSHIP See August 7.
 9:00 AM BROWN COUNTY Take SR-135 south through Nashville or I-65 South to SR-46 West to the park (fee). After entering the park, follow signs to Ogle Lake. Meet at Ogle Lake parking lot for an 8-mile hike. (M,NS,3) Leader: Marti Applegate (784-3721; 289-1756-cell)
 10:00 AM TEN AT TEN See August 6.
 3:00 PM HOLLIDAY PARK AND BEYOND Holliday Park entrance is on Spring Mill Road at 64th St. After entering, take road to the left. Meet at northwest end of the Nature Center parking lot for hike of 5-6 miles. Plan to have dinner in Broad Ripple after the hike. (M,NS/PS,3) Leader: Jean Ballinger (696-2120)
 6:15 P.M KEYSTONE OPTIONS IN CARMEL See August 7.

Monday, September 26

- 7:30 AM 131th STREET/MONON TRAIL You choose: A 3-mile group hike around the nearby neighborhood and/or a self-guided* hike on the Monon Trail with options of 1-30 miles. Meet in the parking lot south of Main St. In case of inclement weather, we will use the indoor track in the Monon Center. (F,PS,3-3.5) Leader: Jim Robinson (cell 450-1015, home 587-0066)

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- 9:00 AM SHORT, SLOW VERSION OF 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 for a 3-mile walk. (F,PS,2.5-3) Leader: Marsha Hutchins (251-9078 or cell 439-1468)
- 9:00 AM FALL CREEK TRAIL See August 22.
- 9:00 AM FOLLOW THE SHADE See August 8.
- 10:00AM THOMPSON PARK See August 22.
- 6:00 PM BROAD RIPPLE See August 8.
- 6:00 PM EXPLORE FISHERS See August 1.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Tuesday, September 27

- 7:30 AM CENTRAL PARK/MONON TRAIL IN CARMEL See August 2.
- 8:30 AM PLAINFIELD TRAILS See August 2.
- 9:30 AM FORT HARRISON AND LAWRENCE See August 2.
- 9:30 AM CROWN HILL CEMETERY See August 30.
- 10:00 AM HAGAN BURKE & MONON TRAIL Meet in the northwest parking lot in front of Whole Foods in Clay Terrace outdoor mall in Carmel. This 5-6 mile hike will be on the Monon and Hagan Burke Trails as well as some neighborhoods. Join us after the hike for lunch at a nearby restaurant. From I-465 N take Meridian St (US 31) north 5 miles to Clay Terrace Blvd. Turn left and follow it to the last parking lot on the left before you get to 146th St. (F,PS,3) Leader: June Sergi (372-3018)
- 3:30 PM GEIST ON FALL CREEK See August 2.
- 5:30 PM THE 5:30 QUICKIE See August 2.
- 6:00 PM EVENING WALK ON THE CANAL See August 2.
- 6:00 PM HOMECOMING IN UNIVERSITY PARK See September 6.

Wednesday, September 28

- 8:00 AM WESTSIDE PARK, GREENWOOD See August 3.
- 9:00 AM EAGLE CREEK ROADS AND TRAILS See August 3.
- 9:00 AM PRESIDENTS' PROMENADE/WASHINGTON SQUARE See August 3.
- 9:30 AM SLOW AND EASY FROM THE SENIOR CENTER See August 3.
- 4:30 PM EXPLORE ZIONSVILLE See August 3.
- 6:00 PM DOWNTOWN EVENING HIKE See August 3.
- 6:00 PM GREENWOOD PARK MALL See August 1.

Thursday, September 29

- 9:00 AM LAKE KESSLER AND FALL CREEK ON THE BOULEVARD TRAIL See August 11.
- 9:30 AM EASY AT EAGLE CREEK See August 4.
- 3:45 PM GET FIT ON THE FITNESS TRAIL See August 18.
- 6:00 PM FORT HARRISON/LAWRENCE See August 4.
- 6:00 PM SCHOOL TO SCHOOL AND PERRY WOODS See August 4.

Friday, September 30

- 8:00 AM EARLY BIRD IN ZIONSVILLE See August 5.
- 8:00 AM CASTLETON MALL WALK See August 5.
- 9:00 AM BRISK ROAD HIKE - EAGLE CREEK See August 5.
- 9:30 AM GARFIELD PARK/PLEASANT RUN TRAIL See August 5.
- 6:00 PM BUTLER CAMPUS See September 2.
- 6:15 PM ILLINOIS ST OPTIONS See August 5.

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

TRAVEL OPPORTUNITIES: It should come as no surprise that many of our members like to travel with other Club members and include both hiking and sightseeing in their travel plans. Our Club has been approached by a representative of Walking the World, a travel company in business since 1987 that organizes hiking trips to domestic and international locations for small to mid sized groups targeted to individuals over 50. They have offered to custom design trips for our Club, not simply promote their basic trip options. If you are interested in

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obtaining more information and getting on their mailing/email list please contact Joseph Bretz (lives in Fishers, IN), VP Walking the World at JosephBretz@msn.com or 317-514-7970. Some possible trips Joe has proposed for the Club include November 2011 – Costa Rica, May 2012 - Utah, June 2012 – Ireland, September 2012 – Banff, Canadian Rockies. You can learn more about Walking the World and the type of trips they offer, pricing, etc. on their website at www.walkingtheworld.com, although Joe emphasized that they will custom design trips for our club and are very sensitive to our history of low cost travel.

WINE AT THE LINE – October 1 Participate in this fun charity 5-mile run or a 5 K run/walk to benefit Happy Hollow Children's Asthma Camp. Event will start at 4:00 PM at Mallow Run Winery, 6964 W. Whiteland Road, Bargersville, IN 46106. Enjoy a scenic course through the winery and lots of post event goodies, including long sleeve shirt, commemorative wine glass, post race party including live music, wine tasting and gourmet sandwiches. Pre-register for \$25 at www.mallowrun.com. The cost is \$30.00 for race day entry. Look for more details in the October schedule. Leader: Susan Roberts 439-1724

OCTOBERFEST AT GNAW BONE CAMP – October 8 If you enjoyed last falls orienteering hike at Gnow Bone Camp we are going to repeat 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 hot dogs, drinks and all the trimmings. A modest charge will be assessed each participant to offset the cost of this event. Look for complete details in the October 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.

The cost will be \$20.00 per person and that includes the buffet, nonalcoholic beverages, dessert, a live band, and several door prizes. We are looking forward to trying out this new location and going with a caterer. There will be a reservation form in the October/November schedule along with more information about the party.

WINTER WEEKEND – March 16-18, 2012 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 than Spring Mill SP, which we visited in recent years. Mary Ann Layman will be coordinating this event. Look for more details in future schedules.

15th 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:

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| 6/23 | Kathy Berlin | 1420 Shadow Ct, Zionsville, IN 46077 | 517-0536 |
| 6/23 | Laurel Cornell | 402 S Rogers St, Bloomington, IN 47403 | 812 219-5051 |
| 6/23 | George Farley | 18 Kansas St, Indianapolis, IN 46225 | 635-1020 |
| 6/23 | Bea Davis | 4462 Indianola Ave Apt 3, Indianapolis, IN 46205 | 212-7328 |
| 6/23 | Kathie Hartwell | 1428 Yazoo Dr, Beech Grove, IN 46107 | 791-2186 |
| 6/23 | Sandra Kleber | 3333 W 75 th St, Indianapolis, IN 46268 | 435-0174 |
| 6/23 | Janice McMahon | 6101 S 950 E, Zionsville, IN 46077 | 430-0855 |
| 6/23 | Ron & Birget Priest | 4435 Wellington Cir, Carmel, IN 46033 | 569-0981 |
| 6/23 | Ken & Nancy Sebree | 6553 Lake Forest Dr, Avon, IN 46123 | 839-4690 |
| 6/23 | Laura Williams | 7905 Stonebranch N Dr, Indianapolis, IN 46256 | 850-9593 |
| 7/21 | Charlie Clarkson | 310 W 92 nd St, Indianapolis, IN 46260 | 844-3286 |
| 7/21 | Sylvia Farahan | 1830 Park N Bend, Indianapolis, IN 46260 | 445-6218 |
| 7/21 | Sharon Jones | 6404 Franklin Ct, Fishers, IN 46038 | 436-8853 |
| 7/21 | Mary Mitchell | 100 Maplebrook Dr, Brownsburg, IN 46112 | 441-3823 |
| 7/21 | Phil Peters | 3122 CR 400 S, Brownstown, IN 47220 | 812 358-5155 |
| 7/21 | Diana Randolph | 2300 E Glenview Dr, Terre Haute, IN 47802 | 812 299-9220 |

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

John & Roz Moore 431 Westview Cir, West Lafayette, IN 47906

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

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| Allan Roberts | 24,500 | Betty Shookman | 5,000 | Judi Johnson | 400 |
| Glee Crowder | 22,000 | Narcisso Povinelli | 4,000 | Karen Bushfield | 300 |
| Cherie Voege | 16,000 | Jackie Quarto | 4,000 | Bill Dowling | 300 |
| Jerry Heidenblut | 15,500 | Linda Wright | 4,000 | Elizabeth Robinson | 300 |

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| Ricki Jo Hoffmann | 15,000 | Cheryl Smolecki | 3,500 | Cathy Thomas | 300 |
| Ed Wright | 13,000 | June Sergi | 3,000 | Kathleen Yager | 300 |
| David Kincaid | 12,000 | Macie Stephens | 2,000 | Patrick Eaton | 200 |
| Charlie Brunette | 11,000 | Linda Zappia | 1,500 | Marty Johnson | 200 |
| Ron Mutzl | 9,500 | Rose Dearing | 1,000 | Michael Mendez | 200 |
| Ellen Mutzl | 8,500 | Sandy McLaughlin | 1,000 | Karen Zimmerman | 200 |
| Daymon Evans | 7,000 | Michal Nugent | 1,000 | Larry Zimmerman | 200 |
| Carol Radke | 7,000 | Kathy Oguss | 1,000 | Bayard Gilmore | 100 |
| Carol Larsen | 6,000 | Stacey Roesch | 1,000 | Judith Maas | 100 |
| Mary Williams | 6,000 | Kaye Smith | 1,000 | Cindy Richardson | 100 |
| Jim Shoufler | 5,500 | Carol Baileys | 500 | Kathy Whalen | 100 |
| Rick Braun | 5,000 | Allen Pekar | 500 | Judy Donovan | 100 |
| Kae Ramey | 5,000 | Bill Dowling | 400 | | |

MEMBER NEWS:

The Indianapolis Hiking Club extends its sympathy to the family and friends of the following members:

Sandy McLaughlin whose mother passed away on June 13.

Lynn Thurston mother died on June 15. She was 100 years old.

Fred Timberman who is very ill.

Bill Halik whose mother recently passed away.

Lee Duckworth who is recovering from a recent auto accident.

NOTES OF APPRECIATION:

I would like to thank all of the Hiking Club members for the many expressions of sympathy sent at the passing of my mother. I truly feel surrounded and comforted by your love and caring. *Lynn Thurston*

HIKING CLUB INFORMATION: For more information about our Club please visit our website at 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 have to be invited to hike with us as a guest and there is no fee, simply show up for any hike 10 minutes before the scheduled start time.

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