

Enjoy the delights of Christmas in Indiana where charming towns and attractions celebrate all things festive and holy. Join us for parades, lights, shopping and food at the most special time of year!

Enjoy Christmas Dinner at French Lick Springs Hotel complete with holiday entertainment.

WEST BADEN

Enjoy the Branson-style variety show "Christmas Treasures" Dinner Show at the Abbeydell Hall at the Legend of French Lick.

Weekend before Thanksgiving through mid-January. Enjoy 50 Days of Lights in French Lick filled with sparkling lights, larger-than-life holiday trees, tasty holiday treats, Dickens Carolers, Toy Maker Workshops, Wine Pairings and Afternoon Tour & Tea.

Immerse yourself in the culture and food of French Lick West Baden agriculture with options for Holiday Farm to Table evenings, farm tours, tastings and educational opportunities.

Patoka Lake Winery catered Holiday Meal with wine tasting class.

Derby Dinner **Charlestown's Christmas City complete**

with Animated Light Show, 50' Christmas Tree & Choo-Choo Train.

See over 3 million points of light as you ride thru the only underground light show of its kind on the planet during Lights Under Louisville at the MEGA Cavern.

Enjoy Snacks with Santa at the Vintage ire Museum while tracing artifacts and stories of firefighting since the 1700s.

November 23, 2019, November 21, 2020 owntown New Albany Jingle Walk featuring shopping, wine samples, photo

booths, paint your own holiday ornament and scavenger hunts.

nishCountry BLUE GATE

Backroads treats and trinkets from one-of-akind Amish businesses with step-on guide on the Stocking Stuffer Tour.

Walk along a ¹/2-mile promenade pathway aglow with color and texture offering live music, hot chocolate and crackling fires at Wellfield Botanic Gardens' Winter Wonderland Holiday Lights.

Learn, Decorate & Take Christmas Cookies inside an Amish home.

Create stylish functional keepsake boxes in the Amish Christmas Card Upcycling Project on an Amish farm.

Pet, feed and snap a pic of the majestic camel at an Amish camel dairy farm.

Experience the beauty of a live harp concert with the sounds of the holidays. Enjoy dinner & an interactive Christmas Murder Mystery at The Culbertson Mansion State Historic Site.

County Museum.

Festival of the Nativity at the Clark

Enjoy a beautiful Victorian building decked out with creatively decorated trees and artwork at the annual Arts Alliance of Southern Indiana Festival of Trees.

Experience an Old Fashioned Christmas in Historic Downtown New Albany.

Enjoy old time acoustic music The **Corydon Dulcimer Society's Christmas** Concert at the Culbertson Mansion.

New Year's Eve Late Night Bash on the Mary M. Miller Belle of Louisville Riverboats.

Cakes with Kris Kringle at the Kentucky Derby Museum.

Experience the Howard Steamboat Auseum Holiday Open House.

Experience an ABA "Best of the Best" with the magic of lights, costumes, a live orchestra, and a stage full of professional performers following your freshly prepared home-style buffet featuring **Classic American Cuisine complete with** full salad bar at Derby Dinner Playhouse November 13-December 31, 2019 is the hilarious "Elf the Musical"

Drive thru a mile long path seeing more than 2 million lights during the Shipshewana Lights of Joy.

Enjoy an evening of family friendly, faith based holiday entertainment plus dinner in Indiana's largest restaurant in Middlebury at Das Dutchman Essenhaus

Walk through a winter wonderland, enjoy the scents of fresh pine and taste mulled cider at Linton's Enchanted Gardens Holiday Village.

Make your own Christmas Star Mandela **Ornament** with a local artist.

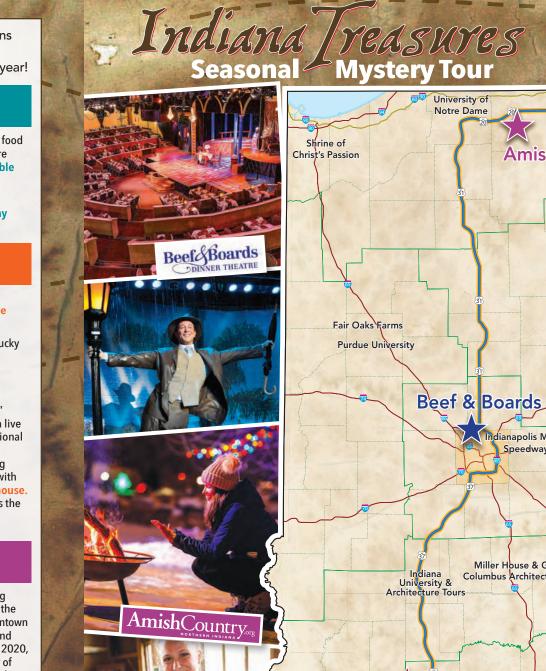
Stop in an Amish basket shop and try your hands at a Holiday themed Wooden Quilt Block

Nov 6, 2020 - Jan 2, 2021 Blue Gate Amish Musical Christmas Tree Ship and

Famous Family Style Meal. Featuring home-style Amish favorites served at the table or buffet style in charming downtown Shipshewana. Then enjoy one of a kind Amish themed musicals including in 2020, the musical inspired by the true story of heroic proportions of Herman and Barbara Schuenemann and the most famous of the historic Christmas Tree Ships.

Nov 7, 2020 Shipshewana Holiday Light Parade featuring spectacular floats, carolers, wagons and horses marching through town complete with a giant tree lighting ceremony.

Shipshewana Majestic Noel Equestrian Variety Show & Dinner celebrating all things Christmas with singing, dancing, lights, decorations, aerialists, specialty acts, comedy, horses galore and live nativity.







Annual holiday shows including Beef & Boards Christmas, Elf the Musical,

A Christmas Story, White Christmas, It's a Wonderful Life, etc.

Beautifully decorated for the holidays. Scrumptious holiday themed buffet. included for matinées or evening shows.







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Mileage Chart	Amish Country Northern IN	Beef & Boards, Indianapolis, IN	French Lick, IN	Southern Indiana
Amish Country Northern IN & Blue Gate		156 Miles	265 Miles	267 Miles
Beef & Boards, Indianapolis, IN	156 Miles		101 Miles	109 Miles
French Lick, IN	265 Miles	101 Miles		59 Miles
Southern Indiana & Derby Dinner	267 Miles	109 Miles	59 Miles	

Join our Treasure Team and these (& more) Tour Operators who LOVE Indiana tours! Advanced Tour & Travel, Burlington Trailways, CTN Travels, Custom Holidays, DeNure Tours, Fancy-Free Holidays, Joy Tour & Travel, MARS, Shenandoah Tours, Tri-State Travel, Wade Tours.







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Miller House & Garden/

Columbus Architecture Tours

French Lick

West Baden

Monastery-Immaculate Conception & Saint Meinrad Archabbey

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Springtime in Indiana is like a bright new shiny dawn where the grass is green, the showers bring flowers, and the farmers plow and plant their fields. Join us for the magic of an Indiana spring!

Get up close and personal with an African Elephant plus the world's tallest mammal, the giraffe at Wilstem Wildlife Park's animal encounters. Participate in the intimate spa treatments, feel and take the ultimate selfie. PLUS

See bald eagles, osprey, lush forests and other wildlife on the relaxing Patoka Lake Scenic Nature Cruise. Options for lunch or dinner cruises available. PILIS

Patoka Lake Winery offers wine tasting combined with a catered meal, shopping and facility tours in a unique lodge setting perfect for a summer evening!



Soak up the sun on the Belle of Louisville scenic river cruise

Experience the nation's largest annual air show and fireworks display each year during the two-week-long Kentucky Derby Festival, der Over Lo

Don your hat and join the celebrities at the annual run for the roses at the Kentucky Derby.

BLUE GATE AmishCountry

Enjoy the pavilion at Fruit Hills Winery sampling 18 different wines, including Indiana's award winning Traminette. Cheese, cracker and meat trays will be offered to complete the experience.

Get a local guide for a Heritage Trail Backroads Tour with stops at an Amish harness maker, toy maker, leather shop, jam maker and noodle shop

The Brown Bag Tour provides a "gift" at each stop from the noodle shop, cheese shop, bulk food store, bakery and basket weaver.

Enjoy Make-n-Take activities such as shoo-fly pie baking in an Amish kitchen, "barn mice" in the log cabin candy shop, pretzel rolling, flower pin creation, wooden guilt blocks, and basket weaving.

Watch, learn and sample with the local Amish with a cinnamon roll, pie, scone or noodle making class.

The farmhouse at Amish Acres is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. Enjoy a walking guided tour, tractor wagon ride tour, documentary film, horse drawn buggy ride,

PLUS - Experience the area's rich history on the Walking Tour of French Lick West Baden Museum, Learn about famous artists, politicians, and sports figures who once called this home. Enjoy Afternoon Tea complete with cookies!

Enjoy the "Branson style" musical productions on the former estate of a national celebrity, Abbeydell Hall at the Legend of French Lick. You'll enjoy high energy with music, dance and the rockin' harmonies of the past.

Hop on the French Lick Scenic Railway for a relaxing narrated train ride through the rolling hills of the Hoosier National Forest in Southern Indiana.

Abbey Road on the River, Memorial Day

at the annual At

vendors

Weekend: Celebrate peace, love and rock-n-roll

world's largest Beatles-inspired music festival

featuring over 250 Beatles and 60's themed

concerts performed by 50 different bands

from around the world! Shop for Beatles-

merchandise at the marketplace, enjoy the

on-site food and beverages, retail and craft

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Interact with local farmers to learn more about where your food comes from and then enjoy a meal at this Farm to Table experience where groups immerse themselves in the culture and food of French Lick West Baden agriculture complete with farm tours.

Experience the sisters' serene lifestyle with a guided tour of the recently restored majestic domed church and Lourdes Grotto found at Ferdinand's Monastery Immaculate Conception, known as the "Castle on the Hill" and home to one of the nation's largest communities of Benedictine women.

Derby Dinner Playhouse noted for their Broadway musicals and light-hearted comedies

is continuing it's 45th anniversary celebration! 2020 will take off with the hit Broadway comedy "Boeing, Boeing", Jan. 8 - Feb. 16, 2020. The musical adaptation of the 70's classic film, "Saturday Night Fever" will run Feb. 19 - Mar. 29, 2020. The delightful Cole Porter musical "Anything Goes" is onstage Apr. 1 - May 17 2020

Threshers Dinner and Broadway Musical.

Visit the weekly Classic Car Cruise-in on the grounds of Das Dutchman Essenhaus. Shop in the Village Shops and dine in their country restaurant.

Tour Lippert Components factory and see how RV furniture and matresses are built by hand. Take a free **RV Factory Plant Tour** in the RV Capital of the World.

Dine in an Amish home with the Amish Wedding Feast. Add a Cooking Class, Quilting

Bee, Quilt Trunk Show, Horse Demo, Family Buggy Rides, or Amish Church presentation. Learn how to make craft beer at Southgate

Crossing. Shop & dine inside their Amish built "Big Red Barn".

See rare guilts in the Stitches of Devotion program. Hear the history behind each quilt, and learn about the people who crafted them. Ayr Kitchen Cabinet Factory offers free guided

tours watching Amish craftsmen building custom kitchen cabinets.

Enjoy the beauty at Wellfield Botanic Gardens

including Groovin' in the Gardens and Yoga in the Gardens

Enjoy Blue Gate Musicals one-of-a-kind musical Stolen (03/26/20 - 05/23/20), based on Wanda Brunstetter's book series.

Experience Blue Gate Hospitality including ice cream socials, traditional buggy rides, concerts, buffet or family style dining and Amish tours.

Visit Fair Oaks Farms, the #1 agri-tourism destination in the Mid-West offering tours of the cow, pig and chicken adventures.

Stroll the non-denominational Shrine of Christ's Passion multi-media interactive, 1/2 mile Prayer Trail depicting Jesus Christ's last days of life with 40 life size bronze sculptures, music, and gardens.

The newest Adventure-the WinField Crop Adventure. Experience modern crop farming, see and touch high-tech tools farmers use. Play underground with bugs. Catch virtual raindrops by witnessing a state-of-the-art thunderstorm from underground.

Attend a demonstration and lecture, then "howl with the wolves" at Wolf Park.

Beef Boards NER THEATH

Visit the downtown Indianapolis Zoo, Children's Museum or Art Museum, then drive 15 minutes to experience professional theatre with Equity actors at Beef & Boards.

Participate in the World's Largest Ball of Paint weighing over 4,000 lbs. Tour the Gaither

Recording Studios where the famous "Power Hour of Prayer" TV show is produced and shop for Bill & Gloria Gaither Memorabilia.

Get your motor running at the Indianapolis 500! Take a lap on the track, stop at Pagoda Plaza, stand on the famous Yard of Bricks at the start/finish line, and cruise through Gasoline Alley while riding on a narrated bus around the one mile lap. See winning Indy 500 cars and racing memorabilia in the museum.

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Enjoy premier craft beer tasting at the Keg ors Fest of Ale sampling of more than 250 craft beers, ciders, wines and more in a grass roots beer festival environment.

Celebrate painting, pottery, jazz and bluegrass during Art on the Parish Green at St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Music, Arts, Activism Music Festival is found at Forecastle Festival

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May 30-Sept. 15, annually Quilt Gardens along the Heritage Trail. Amish Country of Northern Indiana's most popular event in Indiana! Features 17 giant gardens planted in the shape of quilt patterns along the 90 mile scenic Heritage Trail.

Take the Pieces, Pies & Posies Tour. Shop at fabric stores collecting fat guarters, pie recipes, see pie demos and eat, eat, eat while enjoying the Quilt Gardens.

June 24-27, 2020 Shipshewana Quilt Festival offers product presentations, vendor demos, an educational schoolhouse, plus a Quilt & Vendor show with 200+ quilts on display.

August 19-22, 2020, August 18, 2021, August 24-27, 2022 American Quilters Society QuiltFest Extravaganza. Experience 2 states and 2 group friendly destinations over a 4 night period for an amazing and marketable itinerary that quilting groups will love! Start in Indiana, end in Michigan experiencing the

best in art, garden design, and fiber explosion. The buffet at the Blue Gate Restaurant & Theatre features home-style Amish favorites.

Beef&Boards

Enjoy professional Broadway shows, plays and productions at Beef & Boards Dinner Theatre in Indianapolis where the "Beef" is representative of their signature and delicious hand carved roast beef served before each performance, and "Boards" referring to the boards or stage of a theatre.

2020 season to be announced including popular well-loved names of Broadway shows such as "The Little Mermaid", "Hairspray", and "Little Shop of Horrors"

Located at Michigan Road & I-465 on Indianapolis's northwest side, with plenty of free parking for cars and buses.

Gate Theatre Breakfast Club each Friday NEW in 2020: Shipshewana Majestic

Frontier celebrating western heritage with fast paced cowboys, ranch hands, saloon girls, western singers, dancers, comedy and live horses! Prior to the show, enjoy a real cowboy experience with a Chuck Wagon BBQ. Enjoy preshow grub and entertainment prior to

moving to the 3,600 seat arena. Dine at the South Side Soda Shop with dining car and a 1940's soda fountain. Their shakes and malts were featured on The Food

Gourmet magazine. Candy Mecca at the Wakarusa Dime Storeno admission fee. Satisfy your sweet tooth

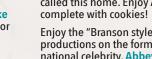
Visit visual and performing art demonstrations

while you enjoy an array of food selections

with free samples and over 500 old-fashioned candy treats.

Take a hayride to hand feed American Bison in its own habitat at Cook's Bison Ranch then

plus the art of winemaking at Art in Speed



Bicycle Bridge.

PLUS

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Indiana explodes with bright colors of bold red, yellow and orange from the apple farm to the pumpkin patch. Join us in Indiana next fall and be surrounded by beauty!

French Sick WEST BADEN

Enjoy a one-of-a-kind and Educational Grizzly Bear Encounter with Jeff Watson at Wilstem Wildlife Park, while viewing them up close and taking legendary photos.

Delight in seeing The American Variety Show, reminiscent of The Andy Williams Show, The Carol Burnett Show, The American Bandstand, and many other classic variety shows we all grew to love.

Delight in unspoiled views of Indiana

fall foliage at picturesque Patoka Lake combined with Indiana wines and hors d'oeuvres/desserts to make for a relaxing autumn afternoon aboard the Patoka Voyager Cruise Boat!

All aboard on the narrated clickity-clack French Lick Scenic Railway for this relaxing train ride through the rolling hills of the Hoosier National Forest in Southern Indiana where color abounds on your fall journey!

Bear Hollow Wood Carvers offers oneof-a-kind chainsaw sculptures created by award-winning carvers with hand-carving demonstrations.

Enjoy a step-on guided history tour of French Lick West Baden.

Take a free tour of the First Chance Center Factory and browse fabrics to customize your own creations or gift items including bags, stockings and aprons.

Free Jeffersonville Summer Concert Series.

The WFPK Waterfront Wednesday Concert ries is a monthly free concert on the Big Four Lawn in Louisville Waterfront Park, adjacent to the iconic Big Four® Pedestrian/

Steamboat Nights heritage festival includes live music, sundown cinema, a balloon glimmer, interactive giant lite-brite public art, juried art, and tastings in the wine and spirits tent.

Experience an ABA "Best of the Best" with **Derby Dinner Playhouse** which entertains more than 200,000 people a year. Summer brings a side-splitting comedy from May 20 June 28, 2020, and a family favorite musical from July 1 - Aug.16, 2020.

Enjoy original Amish themed musicals including Josiah For President. Join the Blue morning Jul.- Aug. for faith based breakfast.

Network "Diners, Drive-ins and Dives" and in

enjoy the Bison BBQ Chuckwagon buffet!

Take the Linton's Express Train at Linton's Enchanted Gardens. Stop at the petting zoo and shop, shop, shop, inside the 50,000 sqft. gift emporium.

Meet the Real Housewives of Amish Country Tour as you get a first-hand look at a day in the life of Amish women.

Taste one of 31 kinds of pies at Indiana's largest restaurant, Das Dutchman Essenhaus then enjoy family-friendly, faith-based entertainment inside Heritage Hall.

Visit B&L Woodcraft Amish furniture shop and customize your own souvenir birdhouse. Meet Leo & Lorene Miller in their Old Order Amish home where Leo demonstrates how he has been handweaving rag rugs for years.

Shop for bargains at the 700+ booths found at the Shipshewana Flea Market.

Meet & learn about the Amish lifestyle on the Authentic Amish Backroads Tour. With stops at the Amish coffin maker, buggy shop, one-room schoolhouse, camel dairy farm and disability center.

If you are planning an overnight stay, there are a dozen hotels right in the College Park area, including two within walking distance of the theatre.

Beef & Boards is a member of Actors' Equity Association, the only union for professional actors in legitimate theatre.



BLUE GATE

Harvest Homecoming Festival a threeday "Pumpkin Festival," in New Albany. Enjoy country music during the Hometown Rising festival Bourbon & Beyond is a fall festival with a music, food, and of course BOURBON! Louder Than Life's is Louisville's largest rock-n-roll festival.

Derby Dinner Playhouse will present an exciting new show from Aug. 19 - Sept.

27, 2020, and a murderously fun mystery from Sept. 30 - Nov. 8, 2020. Enjoy the freshly prepared home-style buffet, along with a full salad bar, included with every performance.

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Experience the mystigue of the University of Notre Dame with a guided walking tour. See the Basilica of Sacred Heart, the locker room, touch the field and get your picture with the "Play like a Champion" sign on the insiders tour of the famous football

stadium

Dine in the historic Studebaker Mansion, Tippecanoe Place, surrounded by opulence from the late 1800's.

Admire nearly 70 timeless vehicles, including one-of-a-kind classics like the 1934 Bendix, and President Lincoln's Carriage at the Studebaker National Museum.

Located on the same campus as the Studebaker Museum, enjoy the Oliver Mansion (makers of the Oliver plow) along with artifacts from northern Indiana on a guided tour of Copshaholm.

Fall Frolic Backroads Guided Tour:

A culinary journey through a fall colored countryside. Dip a caramel apple, participate in pie making, visit a pumpkin patch, and relive your childhood memories of bonfires and hayrides.

One of the most photographed spots in Elkhart County, this restored mill is the Visit Indiana's oldest operating gristmill. Watch the stone grind grain into flour as the miller tells about the process at Bonneyville Mill.

Visit one of only ten robotic dairy farms in Indiana at Knollbrook Farm. Enjoy a photo op around the "cow" and "spider" hay bales, stroll thru the corn maze and try the pumpkin sling shot.

October 1-3, 2020: Celebrate the Fall Crafters Fair, a tribute to the crafting and old-fashioned culture in the surrounding countryside with demos, entertainers, musicians, blacksmiths, and crafters.

A unique experience: Blue Gate Carriage Ride & Family Style Meal served-at-thetable, all you can eat homestyle favorites, that groups expect and love in Amish Country; plus a relaxing carriage ride around Shipshewana.

Enjoy a concert at the Blue Gate Performing Arts Center by renowned and famous performers like Daniel O'Donnell, Josh Turner, Gaithers, Oak Ridge Boys and more!

See Mae West's and Charles Lindbergh's touring RV's at the nation's only RV/MH Hall of Fame Museum located in the "RV Capital of the World".

Get your hands messy, don a chef's hat, laugh and learn, while competing against your fellow group members at the Hell's **Kitchen Inspired Interactive Wine & Dine** Experience!

Visit the historic Hoosier Cabinet Museum at Coppes Commons for a glimpse into the Coppes Kitchens. This rustic brick structure houses an Amish pretzel shop, bakery, popcorn shop, bulk food store, weaver, and "out of this world" ice cream.

The Homes of the Kitchen Industry Tour takes you through the historic area where you'll learn about the Mutschler, Coppes and Zook family homes that once made Nappanee "the kitchen capital of the world".

See the house that Alka Seltzer built in Elkhart. Tour Ruthmere, the home to entrepreneur Mr. Albert Beardsley. See Tiffany leaded glass, Rodin sculptures, velvet window coverings, hand painted walls, and walnut woodwork.

Beef&Boards DDINNER THEAT

Enjoy a tasty dinner buffet prepared by Beef & Boards in-house chef, plus a full-service bar and mouthwatering gourmet desserts prior to delighting in the professional Broadway theatre productions.

Be sure to stop by the Intermission gift shop for unique gift ideas, and ask about seeing more shows for less through our VIP membership program.