

A scenic sunset over a river. The sun is low on the horizon, creating a bright orange and yellow glow that reflects on the water. Silhouetted trees are visible in the foreground and background, framing the scene. The sky transitions from a deep orange near the horizon to a darker blue at the top.

HAMILTON COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION PRESENTS:

# AUTUMN RIVER CRUISE

FRENCH LICK, INDIANA & LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY

OCTOBER 20 – 21, 2019

This terrific trip—featuring a rare, full-day cruise aboard the historic *Belle of Louisville Riverboat*—has been a big hit for the past two years. This year, we’ve made it even better. We still have the great cruise, but we’ve added a one-night stay at the fabulous French Lick Resort in French Lick, IN. While we’re there, we’ll enjoy a sumptuous German-style luncheon and “ride the rails” with the French Lick Scenic Railway. It’s the perfect time of year to see spectacular autumn colors!

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SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20:

Our autumn adventure starts with a comfortable ride to French Lick, IN. Upon arrival, we'll enjoy a delicious luncheon at the German Café. This quaint restaurant offers great home-cooked food served “family style” in large portions. No one leaves hungry! Then, we board the French Lick Scenic Railway for a rail excursion through the Hoosier National Forest—the fall colors should be spectacular. We will travel through the 2,200 foot Burton Tunnel and past impressive limestone rock cuts. Later, we check-in to the wonderful French Lick Resort. This historic resort includes modern-day amenities: casual and formal dining options, spa, Las Vegas-style casino, and shopping. Recreation activities include swimming, tennis, bowling, and biking. You'll receive a complimentary \$10 casino slot play voucher to start your fun. (L)

MONDAY, OCTOBER 21:

Begin your day with a bountiful buffet breakfast. Then, we will take a short ride to Louisville, KY, where we board the beautiful *Belle of Louisville*. With a blast of the fog horn and as the Belle’s calliope music plays, we begin our cruise to Madison, IN. Today, you can relax, stroll the decks for great river views, and enjoy all the activities the crew has to offer. Throughout the day, historic narration and entertainment is provided, as well as a terrific southern-style luncheon buffet, popcorn, and soft drinks. The riverboat is a 100-year old floating museum. The *Belle* is the last, authentic steam-powered paddle wheeler in the U.S. They still use the original engines, built in the 1880’s. Visit the engine room and see the steam engines at work, propelling a massive bright red paddlewheel—it’s a sight to behold! Late this afternoon, we arrive in Madison, IN, where our deluxe motorcoach awaits to return us home, ending a wonderful fall getaway. (B, L)

Included Meals: (B) Breakfast, (L) Lunch

PICK-UP LOCATIONS:

- Meijer Store—Marburg Avenue in Oakley



HIGHLIGHTS & INCLUSIONS

- Transportation via deluxe motorcoach
- One night hotel accommodations
- Three meals: two lunches and one breakfast
- Full-day river cruise aboard the *Belle of Louisville*
- Rail excursion
- All taxes and gratuities on included features
- Baggage handling
- Services of a professional Tour Director

PROVIDENT TRAVEL PRICE\*

Double.....	\$415
Single .....	\$479
Triple/Quad .....	\$395

Based on double occupancy. Tour operated by Provident Travel.

DEPOSIT: \$100 per person, due at time of booking

FINAL PAYMENT: Due by September 6, 2019

CANCELLATION:  
9/6/19 - Departure.....100% of Package Price

We strongly recommend travel protection. Inquire at time of booking for options and pricing.

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