A MESSAGE FROM THE DIRECTOR

This year has gotten off to a great start and we have so much more fun in store! Thanks to those of you who have joined us for some of our events already. In these pages, you’ll see that those adventures were just the beginning; 2016 has plenty more day trips, events and longer travel opportunities to offer.

Spring is here and, although the winter didn’t give us too much trouble this year, we’re ready to say goodbye and see what this new season will bring. We have some great entertainment, trips to exotic locations, and fun activities planned in the coming months. We really hope you’ll be along for the ride!

Warm Regards,

Judy Filippo and Mary Beth Stout

FOR MORE INFORMATION ABOUT ANY OF THE EVENTS YOU SEE IN THIS NEWSLETTER, OR TO RSVP, CONTACT US:

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TUESDAY, MAY 3
Housing Update, Mortgages & More

Wintrust Financial Center
9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL
Are you thinking about selling your home or buying a home? Colleen Wilcox, a realtor from Coldwell Banker will discuss the current housing market and how to get your home ready to sell. She’ll explain the “staging” process as well. Susan Seeberg from Wintrust Mortgage will discuss credit scores, applying for a mortgage in today’s market, mortgage options and reverse mortgages. Mortgage rates are at historical lows; you won’t want to miss this presentation. Lunch will be provided.

TIME: 11:30AM | COST: FREE
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

FRIDAY, MAY 6
Ladies Night Out

Old Plank Trail Community Bank
20901 S. LAGRANGE RD. | FRANKFORT, IL
Join us for a night out solely dedicated to the great women in our communities. We will have over 30 women-owned businesses selling items or services to suit your every need! There will be small appetizers and desserts along with wine tasting. So come shop with us!

TIME: 7 TO 9 PM | COST: FREE
NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.

THURSDAY, MAY 12
The King and I

Lyric Opera of Chicago
The King and I is one of the most popular and ground breaking musicals of all time. The King of Siam is an absolute ruler who meets his match in Anna, the feisty teacher he’s hired to instruct his many wives and children in the ways of the “civilized” West and to learn to lead his country into the modern world. Enjoy Broadway’s greatest songs- “Shall We Dance?,” “I Whistle a Happy Tune,” “Hello, Young Lovers,” and more. We will have lunch at River Roast before the show. Choose Grilled Chicken or Parmesan Tilapia.

COST: $173 INCLUDES THEATRE TICKET, LUNCH, BUS CALL FOR DEPARTURE INFORMATION.

MAY 7 - MAY 28
Shred Events

SATURDAY, MAY 7
Orland Park Bank & Trust | 8:30 TO 9:30 AM
Joliet Bank & Trust | 8:30 TO 10:30 AM
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Frankfort 45) | 10 TO 11 AM
Plainfield Bank & Trust | 11 AM TO 1 PM

SATURDAY, MAY 14
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Crete) | 8:30 TO 10:30 AM
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (New Lenox) | 9 TO 11 AM
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Steger) | 11 AM TO 1 PM

SATURDAY, MAY 21
Dyer Bank & Trust | 8:30 TO 10:30 AM
First National Bank of Illinois (Lansing) | 11 AM TO 1 PM

SATURDAY, MAY 28
Markham Bank & Trust | 8:30 TO 10:30 AM

COST: FREE | NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.
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FRIDAY, MAY 13
Trust & Estate Planning
EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC
Old Plank Trail Community Bank
20901 S. LAGRANGE RD. | FRANKFORT, IL
20 W. STEGER RD. | STEGER, IL
Wintrust Wealth Management will be hosting this informational event. Topics to be discussed include: avoiding and understanding probate, funding your trust, joint tenancy issues, benefits of a trust and taxation. There will be a continental breakfast and a light lunch included with this free workshop. The event will be at our Frankfort 45 location in the morning and in the afternoon at our Steger location. Seating is limited so make your reservation today!

MORNING SESSION IN FRANKFORT | 9:30 AM
AFTERNOON SESSION IN STEGER | 1 PM
COST: FREE | RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

SATURDAYS | JUNE 4 - SEPTEMBER 17
Annual Family Fun Days
EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC
Old Plank Trail Community Bank will be hosting its Annual Family Fun Days! All events will feature free face painting, food, treats, games, prizes, and much more!

Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Crete) | JUNE 4
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Steger) | JUNE 11
Dyer Bank & Trust | JUNE 25
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Frankfort 30) | JULY 9
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (Mokena) | JULY 16
Old Plank Trail Community Bank (New Lenox) | JULY 30
Shorewood Bank & Trust | AUGUST 6
Orland Park Bank & Trust | AUGUST 20
South Holland Bank & Trust | SEPTEMBER 10
First National Bank of Illinois (Lynwood) | SEPTEMBER 17

TIME: 10 AM TO 1 PM | COST: FREE
NO RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.

THURSDAY, JUNE 16
The Chopping Block
EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC
Merchandise Mart Plaza
222 W. MERCHANDISE MART PLAZA | CHICAGO, IL
Everyone get your apron and chef hat on as we prepare our lunch in the Saffron kitchen! We will travel to Chicago to the Merchandise Mart Plaza where our group will prepare a Bayou lunch hands on with a professional chef! Afterwards, visit the gift shop with all kinds of new kitchen gadgets and gift ideas! Trip includes deluxe motor coach transportation as well as your Chopping Block lunch. We hope you and a friend will join us for this once in a lifetime experience! Call us today for the menu! We will depart from our Frankfort Rt. 45 location.

CALL FOR DEPARTURE TIMES | COST: $100 PER PERSON
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED, SEATS ARE LIMITED.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1
Shop in Shipshewana
EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC
Shipshewana Auction and Flea Market
345 S. VAN BUREN ST. | SHIPSHEWANA, IN
We are making another trip to Shipshewana – home to the largest outdoor flea market! Visit the Shipshewana auction and flea market for an array of antiques and other goods that you may desire. You could also head downtown to one of the many shops or boutiques, and for lunch why not explore the bakery or one of the many restaurants Shipshewana has to offer. Deluxe motor coach transportation will be included for the trip. We will depart from our Frankfort Rt. 45 and Steger locations.

CALL FOR DEPARTURE TIMES.
COST: $30 PER PERSON
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.
TUESDAY, JULY 12
The Arts!
EASY  1  2  3  4  5 ENERGETIC
CRETE, IL
Come and show us your artistic ability! No experience necessary! First stop will be the Lotton Art Glass & Studios, “The Finest Art Glass in the World”. Charles Lotton began his glassblowing business in 1970! Second stop will be at Smokey Joes for a delicious lunch with a variety of choices. After lunch we will prepare to have our “Wine and Canvas” with Linda from “Bottles and Brushes”. All participants will be given everything needed to paint your step by step instructed masterpiece on canvas. We will depart from our Frankfort Rt. 45 and Steger locations. The trip includes motor coach, lunch, wine and arts experience!

CALL FOR DEPARTURE TIMES | COST: $75 PER PERSON RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

TUESDAY, JULY 19
Martina Mathisen as Cleopatra
EASY  1  2  3  4  5 ENERGETIC
Wintrust Financial Center
9700 W. HIGGINS RD. | ROSEMONT, IL
Join us as we are entertained by Martina Mathisen, a professional historical re-enactor. Martina emerges as Cleopatra: The Last Pharaoh of Egypt. She was the most famous female ruler in history. Cleopatra’s story is more amazing and incredible than a fiction author could imagine. Cleopatra will share her astounding story, audacious spirit and astonishing guile. Enjoy lunch before the presentation.

TIME: 11:30 AM | COST: FREE RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 12
Chicago Cubs vs. St. Louis Cardinals
EASY  1  2  3  4  5 ENERGETIC
Wrigley Field
1060 W. ADDISON ST. | CHICAGO, IL
We are taking you to a ball game this summer at the Friendly Confines. Join us as we return to Wrigleyville to experience the pre-game atmosphere. On your own you can have lunch, shop at some Cubby vendors or enter the park for batting practice. The price includes deluxe motor coach transportation to and from the game and your game ticket. We will depart from our Frankfort Rt. 45 and Steger locations.

CALL FOR DEPARTURE TIMES | COST: $82 PER PERSON RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 13
Let Me Entertain You
EASY  1  2  3  4  5 ENERGETIC
Nichols Concert Hall
EVANSTON, IL
Everything’s coming up roses at this most delightful concert performance! “Let Me Entertain You” features Jule Styne’s greatest hits, including songs from Gypsy, Funny Girl and more. Savor such melodies as: “Don’t Rain on My Parade,” “Just in Time,” “People,” “Make Someone Happy,” and many more. We will enjoy lunch before the performance at Maggiano’s Little Italy in the Westfield Old Orchard Mall. Lunch includes appetizer, salad, pasta, chicken entree and dessert.

COST: $99 INCLUDES CONCERT TICKET, LUNCH, BUS CALL FOR DEPARTURE INFORMATION.
Reservations are required for all events. Please contact me today to reserve your spot:

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Extended Trips

Have you always wanted to explore the world but don’t know where to begin to plan your travels? We have the solution for you. Let us handle all of the planning. Our extended trips offer you the chance of a lifetime to see the world like you’ve never seen it before. The trips are thoughtfully planned out by our Platinum Adventures® Directors alongside experienced and highly qualified travel professionals. If you have any questions, need more information or would like to RSVP for any of our extended trips, please contact your Platinum Adventures® Club Director.

June 23-July 1 | 2016
Washington’s Waterways & National Parks
Easy 1 2 3 4 5 Energetic
Explore the Pacific Northwest from Seattle’s vibrant waterfront to the English charm of British Columbia’s capital. Along the way, see an amazing green rain forest, the waters of Puget Sound, mesmerizing glass art and much more! Enjoy the open-air tram through Northwest Trek Wildlife Park and the stream-powered Mt. Rainier Scenic Railway featuring views of the highest peaks around. Also included is a city tour of Seattle including Pike Place Market, a tour of Olympic National Park and many more stops!

Cost: Double $3,489 PP | Single $4,488 PP

June 8-10 | 2016
Amish Country Traditions
Easy 1 2 3 4 5 Energetic
Step back to a simpler time in the heart of Indiana’s Amish Country. View beautiful floral gardens planted in Amish quilt patterns known as the Quilt Gardens Tour. Savor homemade Amish meals, tour the rolling countryside with its Amish country schools, farmsteads and folks in plain dress with black buggies. We’ll enjoy an Amish Acres Round Barn Theatre show, cinnamon roll making demonstration and have time for shopping for Amish goodies and treats. You’ll even build a wooden birdhouse to take home!

Cost: Double $1,075 PP | Single $1,175 PP

July 26-August 3 | 2016
Northern National Parks
Easy 1 2 3 4 5 Energetic
This wonderful trip has been designed to experience the interior of our nation’s treasures. We’ll explore Grand Teton National Park near Jackson Hole, WY. Enjoy a chuck wagon dinner and trip down the scenic Snake River. We’ll travel north to Yellowstone National Park for an unforgettable stay and then to Glacier National Park to explore the rich natural beauty on an historic “Jammer” bus and more. Next stop: Lake Coeur D’ Alene in Idaho for a boat cruise. The trip concludes in Spokane, WA. Join us!

Cost: Double $3,989 PP | Single $4,854 PP
SEPTEMBER 1-12 | 2016
Southern Italy & Sicily
EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC
Join us in exploring the hidden treasures of southern Italy and Sicily. Enjoy breathtaking scenery, historic cities, centuries-old hilltop villages and wonderful cuisine. We will visit Palermo, Monreale, Agrigento, Valley of the Temples, Catania, the Mt. Etna Volcano, Giardini Naxos, Taormina, Matera, Alberobello, Sorrento, the Amalfi Coast and Pompeii. Enjoy this wonderful journey with us and come home with memories to last a lifetime!

COST: DOUBLE $4,935 PP | SINGLE $5,335 PP
PRICE SUBJECT TO CHANGE BASED ON AVAILABILITY.

OCTOBER 18-19 | 2016
Springfield: The Land of Lincoln
EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC
Join us for an in-depth tour focusing on Abraham Lincoln. As a result of Wintrust’s relationship with the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Library and Museum, we will be treated to a rare, not seen by the public look at some of Abe Lincoln’s artifacts as shown to us by the Foundation. These items are not on display to the public! We’ll enjoy lunch at the Library and visit the Presidential Museum. Other trip highlights include Lincoln’s Home, the Old State Capitol, the Lincoln Herndon Law Office and Lincoln’s Tomb.

COST: DOUBLE $370 PP | SINGLE $420 PP

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**OCTOBER 27-31 | 2016**  
**Spotlight on New York City**  
**EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC**

Take a bite out of the Big Apple on this exciting trip to New York City! See the city that never sleeps by day and night. Highlights of the trip include two Broadway shows, visits to Greenwich Village, Wall Street, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island. We’ll also visit the 9/11 Memorial as well as the museum, a poignant tribute to the lives lost at the World Trade Center site in September 2001. In addition, our trip will include Central Park, the Empire State Building, Chinatown and more.

**COST:** DOUBLE $3,274 PP | SINGLE $4,274 PP

**JUNE 16-24 | 2017**  
**Elegant Ireland**  
**EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC**

Enjoy days of yore and old-world elegance as you explore the Emerald Isle. You’ll stay in some of Ireland’s most luxurious estates, interact with its charming locals and take in the inspiring beauty that has made Ireland a timeless destination. You’ll visit Dublin, the country’s medieval capital of Kilkenny, the House of Waterford Crystal and the Blarney Castle. You can even kiss the Blarney Stone! Enjoy the beautiful, coastal Ring of Kerry trail. And, of course, the Cliffs of Moher and Dromoland Castle plus more.

**CALL FOR PRICE INFORMATION. MEMBER AND NON MEMBER PRICING WILL APPLY.**

**FEBRUARY 18-25 | 2017**  
**Southern California**  
**EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC**

Join us as we escape winter and travel to sunny Southern California! This get-a-way features two Presidential Libraries: Ronald Reagan and Richard Nixon. You’ll stay at the historic Queen Mary Hotel in Long Beach. You’ll taste Hollywood with a “Stars” tour and visit to Universal Studios. All aboard the Catalina Island Ferry, with a stop at Catalina Island. Then board the Dana Point Ferry towards San Diego. You’ll visit Coronado Island, La Jolla, choose Sea World, the Zoo or a cooking demo and much more!

**MEMBER COST:** DOUBLE $3,625 PP | SINGLE $4,375 PP  
**NON MEMBER COST:**  
DOUBLE $3,825 PP | SINGLE $4,575 PP

**APRIL 23-MAY 3 | 2017**  
**Rhine and Mosel River Cruise**  
**EASY 1 2 3 4 5 ENERGETIC**

Experience the re-awakening of Spring in the Netherlands as well as on the Rhine and Mosel Rivers. We’ll visit Keukenhof Gardens at the peak of tulip season. See the countryside bloom as we sail these two historic rivers of Europe. We’ll visit Strasbourg, the Capital of the Alsace Region, Rudesheim and Boppard. Next to Cochem, Cologne and Amsterdam. A two-night hotel stay in Lucerne, Switzerland is also included to further enhance your memorable experience.

**COST:** STARTING AT $4,924, BASED ON CABIN PREFERENCE. CALL FOR PRICE. MEMBER AND NON MEMBER PRICING WILL APPLY.
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General Information

Reservation Policy for Day & Extended Trips:
Reservations may be made by phone to Judy Filippo at 815-464-6888 or Mary Beth Stout at 708-754-6161. For your reservation to be confirmed, payment must be in my office within seven days after reservations are made: Platinum Adventures, 20901 S. LaGrange Rd., Frankfort, IL 60423 or to Platinum Adventures, 20 W. Steger Rd., Steger, IL 60475. Please make checks payable to Platinum Adventures® (sorry no credit cards). Please remember to make your menu selections when you reserve your tour. Member pricing is for current Platinum Adventures® Club members only.

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