# Keeping Up with CorClub

Your exclusive access to upcoming news, trips, and resources for CorClub members





Hello CorClub Members,

As the days grow shorter and mornings have a refreshing crispness, the shift from summer to fall is upon us. This time of the year signals a transformation into new beginnings for many of us and closure of a fun filled summer with family and friends. Whatever it brings for each of you, embrace the changes with open minds and hearts.

As we speak of changes, CorClub had a big change on August 1. Nancy Braastad, our director for many metro branches, retired from her career in banking. Nancy brought an energy with her leadership that will certainly be missed. Please wish Nancy well in her retirement and we look forward to her joining us on some of our trips!

Jeanie and I had such a wonderful day with everyone who joined us for the Stillwater Trip. The trolley tour was so educational, as our guide was not only very knowledgeable about the rich history of Stillwater, but fun and entertaining. The paddleboat ride was relaxing while dining and viewing the St. Croix River. We also enjoyed a tour at St. Croix Winery followed by a wine and cheese tasting.

If you haven't heard, our two big trips for next year include Alabama's Gulf Shores in April and Rhode Island Rhythms in September. We are joining with our South Dakota CorClub Members for these trips. Check out the details on both of these trips on page three.

Why you Should Invest in your Next Adventure with CorClub

Similar to how investment advisors analyze market trends, our CorClub professionals study travel patterns, destination popularity, and emerging travel trends. They skillfully guide their club members toward destinations and experiences that promise the highest returns in terms of cultural enrichment, relaxation, and personal growth.

Unlike some travel providers that require their clients to do most of the planning work on their own, CorClub does everything for you, so you can sit back and enjoy the destination. CorClub professionals are here to assist you at the level of comfort you prefer. From managing your trip online, in person, or by phone we are here to assist you.

Sincerely,

Kris Jensen

**Executive CorClub Director** 





## STILLWATER TRIP PHOTOS & UPCOMING CHRISTMAS TRIP







## A LAKE GENEVA CHRISTMAS DECEMBER 5-8, 2024

Get ready for a spectacular lakefront experience filled with thousands of colorful lights. Explore all the Christmas magic Lake Geneva has to offer by train and coach, and enjoy Christmas celebrations galore. Be dazzled by dancing horses and admire gorgeously decorated gingerbread houses and trees!

#### Highlights include:

- Stroll through the Gingerbread House Walk
- Parade of Trees at the Geneva Lake Museum
- Show at Fireside Dinner Theatre
- Annual Electric Christmas Parade
- Christmas Train Ride

Sign up by: October 31, 2024

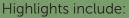


### **UPCOMING TRIPS**



#### ALABAMA'S GULF SHORES APRIL 27-MAY 1, 2025

Sugar-white sand, turquoise waters, and warm sunshine await! Catch the scent of sea salt in the air as you cruise the open waters alongside playful dolphins, solve a crime aboard a riverboat, and glide through the Alabama marshes in search of alligators. The area's military history will come alive on a battleship, and the atmosphere at The Wharf in Orange Beach will be exciting!



- Beautiful Bellingrath Gardens and Home
- Murder Mystery Cruise
- Sunset dolphin cruise
- Visit alligator alley
- Explore Carnival Museum, showcasing the birthplace of Mardi Gras

Sign up by: February 5, 2025



# RHODE ISLAND RHYTHMS SEPTEMBER 29-OCTOBER 3, 2025

Known for its sandy shores and seaside Colonial towns, this tiny state makes a big impression. Newport is famed for sailing and the magnificent Gilded Age mansions and the stories they tell. In addition, we will hear tales of rum running aboard the Rum Runner II, learn about oyster farming, and tour the synagogue where the idea of religious liberty was practiced. All of this and so much more await you in Rhode Island.

#### Highlights include:

- Walk along historical Benefit Street
- Visit Federal Hill, a well-known Italian neighborhood
- Newport harbor cruise
- Enjoy oysters at Matunuck Oyster Bar
- Tour The Breakers, a grand seventy-room Newport mansion

Sign up by: May 30, 2025





For detailed information and itineraries on each of the 2024 & 2025 trips, please visit CorTrustBank.com/About/CorClub or contact your local CorClub Director.



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