



# Keeping Up With CorClub

Your exclusive access to upcoming news, trips, and resources

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Greetings CorClub Members,

It seems like I just wrote to you all, but I have had a busy few months! We were able to get in all of our picnics and had a great response. I want to thank everyone who attended the picnics. It is always a joy to be able to catch up with everyone in person!

Our next trip is a festive getaway to Des Moines from December 3-5, 2026! Sparkling lights, seasonal attractions, and cheerful gatherings will create the perfect Christmas escape. We'll visit the Iowa State Capitol to see the beautiful trees decorated for the holiday season. We'll also discover the festive charm of the Christkindl Market, a traditional European-style holiday market filled with twinkling lights, handcrafted gifts, seasonal treats, and cheerful entertainment. Stroll among the cozy vendor booths

while enjoying the sights, sounds, and wonderful smells of the Christmas season. We'll end our trip at the Brown's Century Theater for an enchanting Christmas show. We'll share highlights of the trip in the next newsletter.

One of the trips we have planned for next year is an amazing experience in the "Big Apple" from April 15-19, 2027. If you haven't been to New York City, this is a great way to experience it! Our itinerary includes two Broadway shows of your choice, the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, the 9/11 Memorial, the 9/11 Museum, Greenwich Village, and Wall Street. Reserve your spot before October 15, 2026, and receive \$200 in savings per person! We still have some spots available, so don't miss out on this exciting trip.

Another trip we have planned for 2027, is our Alaska Land and Cruise adventure in August. This trip is currently full, but we do have a waiting list available.

We look forward to traveling with you and making more wonderful memories together!

Until next time,

*Cindy Torgerson*

Executive CorClub Director



# Pacific Northwest Recap

On August 24, thirty-three CorClub members boarded a plane and headed to the Pacific Northwest, with stops in Portland, Seattle, and Victoria, British Columbia.

Our first stop upon arrival was Pittock Mansion, which offered spectacular views overlooking the Portland skyline and the distant peak of Mount Hood. After getting some much-needed sleep, our adventure continued the next morning with a visit to Fort Clatsop National Memorial, commemorating the Lewis and Clark Expedition. Traveling along the coastline, we stopped at the Tillamook Creamery, where we sampled some of the region's best cheese and ice cream.

Day three took us to the Mount St. Helens Visitor Center, where we learned about the devastating 1980 eruption and how it reshaped the region's landscape. Our journey continued with ferry rides across Vashon and Bainbridge Islands. From the La Conner, Washington area, we also boarded a ferry for a cruise through the beautiful San Juan Islands while enjoying a delicious lunch.

We then made our way to Seattle, where we rode to the top of the iconic Space Needle and enjoyed breathtaking views of the city. Pike Place Market was another memorable stop, with its abundance of fresh fruits and vegetables, beautiful bouquets of fresh-cut flowers, and, of course, the famous "flying fish." Fortunately, we all managed to avoid getting hit!

A tour of the Boeing factory was another highlight, giving us an up-close look at the assembly of the iconic Boeing 737 and an inside view of the incredible work that goes into building these aircrafts.

Our final adventure took us aboard the Victoria Clipper Catamaran to visit the world-renowned Butchart Gardens. Once a thriving rock quarry, this 55-acre horticultural haven was truly a delight to explore. In the Rose Garden, featuring 250 varieties of roses, we even found the Dolly Parton rose bush—RIP, Dolly.

Our evening meal brought everyone back together to reminisce about our week in the Pacific Northwest and the many wonderful memories we had made. It was an exceptional trip made even more special by an exceptional group of CorClub members. Be sure to check out photo highlights on page four.

- Becky Randall  
CorClub Director



# SAIL250® Recap & Upcoming Trips

## SAIL250® RECAP

Our CorClub trip to Norfolk, Virginia, in June was a truly memorable experience as we joined in the exciting Sail250® celebration. Throughout the trip, we enjoyed a wonderful mix of history, maritime tradition, and fellowship. We explored the historic grounds of Fort Monroe and learned about its important role in American history, followed by a visit to the MacArthur Memorial Museum for an interesting look at the life and legacy of General Douglas MacArthur. One of the highlights of the trip was touring the magnificent Battleship Wisconsin. We witnessed the spectacular Parade of Tall Ships, a breathtaking display of sailing vessels that brought the harbor to life. Members had the opportunity to step on board several of the tall ships from other countries that came to join in our celebration of 250 years as a nation. Most of all, it was a wonderful chance to share these experiences with fellow CorClub members and create lasting memories together.

- Joan Andersen  
CorClub Director



## SPOTLIGHT ON NEW YORK CITY

April 15-19, 2027

Experience the electric pulse of the "Big Apple" on a journey through America's most iconic metropolis, where legendary landmarks and vibrant neighborhoods await. Marvel at the architectural grandeur of St. Patrick's Cathedral, wander through the lush expanse of Central Park, and stand in the shadow of the Statue of Liberty during a harbor cruise to Ellis Island. From the moving tributes at the 9/11 Memorial to the bohemian charm and hidden gardens of Greenwich Village, every moment captures the city's spirit. Complete with authentic Italian dining and two Broadway shows, this getaway offers a taste of New York's endless energy and history.



Sign up by: October 15, 2026

## ALASKA LAND & CRUISE

August 6-16, 2027

Enjoy an unforgettable journey by both land and sea around Alaska. See glaciers and coastal islands of all different sizes including Hubbard Glacier, one of Alaska's largest glaciers. Relive Alaska's gold rush days in historical Skagway and discover the natural beauty of Anchorage on a guided city tour. All this and more while you enjoy the Norwegian Jade Cruise!

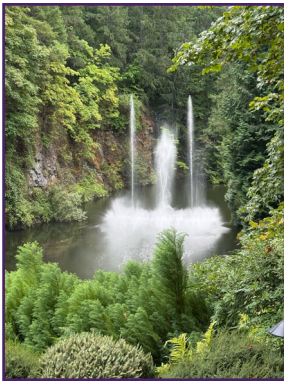
Trip is full, waitlist only.



For detailed information and itineraries for a trip, please visit [CorTrustBank.com/About/CorClub](https://CorTrustBank.com/About/CorClub) or contact your local CorClub Director.



# Pacific Northwest Photo Recap



# Picnic Photo Recap



CorClub is the best way to meet all sorts of people that you probably wouldn't have met and they become your traveling family. I have made a lot of special memories with the nicest travelers. It is so fun to watch their faces light up when they are having a great time. This has been one of the most awarding parts of my job meeting new people and traveling with them.  
-Cindy Torgerson



I enjoy getting to know each of the CorClub members on a personal level and their family stories. There are always special bonds formed and it doesn't matter if it's a day trip or a ten day trip.  
-Becky Randall  
CorClub Director



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