

*Celebrate the Season
&
RSVP for our Annual
Holiday Dinners!*



The holiday season is upon us and so are the Annual Heritage Club Holiday Dinners! Since you are a member of the Pilot Grove Savings Bank Heritage Club, you are welcome to come, be our guest, and enjoy roast beef and all the trimmings at either one of the Holiday Dinners.

Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. for both dinners.

Packwood Holiday Dinner

Tuesday, November 12, 2019

Packwood Christian Church
203 S Church St
Packwood, IA 52580

*Entertainment by the Mother/Daughter Duo, Katie
& Adalia Keith*

Mt. Pleasant Holiday Dinner

Tuesday, December 3, 2019

Faith Christian Outreach Church
1302 E Washington St
Mount Pleasant, IA 52641

*Entertainment provided Barefoot Becky & the
Ivanhoe Dutchmen*

**Please RSVP at least 1 week prior to the
meal by calling Melissa at 319-469-3951.**

*Pilot Grove Savings
Bank Coming Soon to
West Burlington*

Pilot Grove Savings Bank recently announced expansion to West Burlington. The bank will soon be located in Becker Plaza, south of Shottenkirk, west of Becker's Jewelers, and off of South Gear Avenue in West Burlington.

Ted Vonderhaar, President & CEO of Pilot Grove Savings Bank explained, "Pilot Grove Savings Bank has been waiting for the right time to expand our operations to the greater Burlington area and when the space at Becker Plaza came available our board decided the location was right."

"Pilot Grove Savings Bank has a long history of serving Southeast Iowa," stated Greater Burlington Partnership President Della Schmidt.

"Congratulations to the bank on their growth into the greater Burlington marketplace. We are looking forward to celebrating with you at the opening of the branch office in West Burlington."

Ted Vonderhaar continued, "We look forward to getting to know new customers. Our people are really what set us apart from the others. The banks largest shareholder is our Employee Stock Ownership Plan. When you meet with one of our staff members, you're also meeting with one of our owners. We make quick decisions on loans and welcome new deposit customers. When you deposit with us the dollars stay local and are loaned out right back in your home towns. Let us demonstrate our unique approach to community banking."

Cooking for 1-2

Slow Cooker Pulled Turkey



1 bone-in, skin on, whole turkey breast (~6lbs) rinsed & dried
½ c. butter
3 medium onions
12 cloves garlic, peeled
¼ t. pepper
1 t. smoked paprika
1 t. garlic powder
1 ½ t. salt

Mix the spices in a small bowl. Put the onions and garlic cloves in the bottom of a 6-quart slow cooker.

Slowly work your fingers under the skin of the turkey breast to separate the skin from the breast, being careful not to tear the skin. Rub the butter under the skin, covering the entire breast as evenly as possible, then rub the outside of the skin with the garlic powder mixture.

Place the turkey breast on top of the onions and garlic in the slow cooker and set the slow cooker to low. Cook until the meat is falling apart, 6 to 8 hours depending on the size of the breast.

Remove the turkey and any bones from the slow cooker. Pull the meat off of the bone and place the turkey back into the juices left in the slow cooker. Shred the meat in the juices and allow to rest for 5 to 10 minutes before serving.

Source: www.foodnetwork.com
from Trisha Yearwood

Upcoming Day Trip

Wednesday, December 12



“Not Another Christmas Letter- The Musical”

There are a few spots left to join us as we travel to the Amana Colonies. We'll have the opportunity to do a little shopping for all your last minute holiday baking essentials at the Kalona General Store before we have lunch at the Ox Yoke Inn. On the way home from the show we'll sing Christmas carols and swing through the Mount Pleasant Festival of Lights

To RSVP contact Melissa at 319-469-3951 or Rachel at 319-837-6121). Cost is \$95/person and includes travel, meal, and entertainment.

Mississippi River Cruise from Le Claire to Dubuque

Did you miss the opportunity to travel with us on the Alaskan Cruise? We're planning a trip aboard the Twilight River Cruise Line from Le Claire to Dubuque from Wednesday, September 9 through Friday, September 11, 2020.

We'll start our visit in Le Claire and enjoy lunch on your own in the historic downtown river town. Home to the American Pickers, Le Claire has other antique stores and specialty shops to enjoy while you're in town. Dinner will be included with the group that evening. Afterwards you'll get time to rest up with accommodations by Comfort Inn & Suites.

We'll board the river cruise at 7:30 a.m. on September 10th and prepare for our departure to Dubuque. All meals and entertainment are included on the boat and you'll enjoy a night's sleep downtown Dubuque at the Grand Harbor Resort.

Cost is per person \$600 (double occupancy) or \$700 (single).

RSVP for all 2020 trips to Melissa Flowers at 319-469-3951.

RETIREMENT on the Horizon?

DID YOU KNOW?

- Social Security replaces only 40% of pre-retirement income for the average worker!
- Social Security Benefits could be TAXABLE INCOME depending on your AGI!
- Eligibility for Medicare is at age 65, but DOES NOT cover everything!

TEAM UP with one of our Pilot Grove Investment Advisors to help you get financially prepared!

Retirement Preparation Checklist:

1. Know your Expenses
2. Review your Health & Long-Term Care Needs
3. Have a Social Security Strategy in Place
4. Evaluate Income & Tax Strategies
5. Review your Investment Suitability
6. Assess the amount of Risk in your Financial Portfolio
7. Have a Cushion
8. Prepare Emotionally



*Leave the stress out of Retiring and contact us today to set an appointment!
Appointments available at all bank locations.*

Brian Jones
319.385.3822
bjones@pilotgroveinvestments.com

Jordan Sathoff
319.469.3951
jsathoff@pilotgroveinvestments.com

Tracy Parks
319.469.3951
tparks@pilotgroveinvestments.com

Fall Foliage Trip in the New England States

Join us September 29 – October 7, 2020 as we take in the beautiful sight of New England's fall foliage. Our first two days will see us motoring east, enjoying the scenery and stopping at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame Museum along the way. As we continue our journey, we'll stretch our legs and explore Artisans Park, a shopping complex which consists of eight unique Vermont businesses. You can also enjoy a drink at SILO Distillery, grab lunch on your own at Artisan Eats, and browse the beautiful glasswork and pottery at Simon Pearce.

In the days ahead, we'll stop at the famed Trapp Family Lodge. Situated on 2,500 acres of land, the Lodge is a unique mountain resort featuring Austrian-inspired architecture and wonderful views. Following lunch, we will depart for Waterbury Center where more fun awaits us! Some time will be spent at Cold Hollow Cider Mill before we continue on to Lake Champlain Chocolates to enjoy some samples. To finish up this sweet day, we'll visit the Ben & Jerry's Ice Cream Factory to sample delicious ice cream and learn about the process of making this iconic treat. Day five begins with a visit to Green Mountain Coffee Company. As we continue on, we'll marvel at the beautiful foliage, make a stop at Pineland Farms, and be welcomed into Maine with a wonderful lobster bake dinner!

We'll make the most of our time in Maine with a tour of Kennebunkport, the summer haven for the upper class. We will also enjoy time in Portland to explore the galleries, shops, and restaurants of the Historic Old Port District and tour the Victoria Mansion. Day seven will see us touring the Seashore Trolley Museum, the world's oldest and largest museum of mass transit vehicles. Then it's all aboard as we embark on a narrated ride through Maine's countryside in a restored 20th century streetcar. We'll finish up the day in Massachusetts with a tour at the Sandwich Glass Museum and the John F. Kennedy Hyannis Museum.

Our final day of touring will be spent on the beautiful island of Martha's Vineyard. We'll arrive

by ferry and have the morning and afternoon to explore, shop, and dine at our leisure. Upon returning to the mainland, we will depart for Boston and enjoy a farewell dinner together. Our adventure will end on day nine as we catch our flight home with wonderful memories of our time spent in New England. *Cost is \$3,299 per person (double) or \$4,089 (single). \$500 due at signup; inquire about insurance.*

2019-20 Events Calendar

Tuesday, November 12- Packwood Holiday Dinner

Tues. November 19-Thurs. Nov. 21: Branson Trip

Tuesday, December 3- Mt. Pleasant Holiday Dinner

Thursday, December 12- Day Trip to Amanas

*Jan-Feb ***2020 winter break****

Tuesday, March 10- Activity Day in Donnellson

Tuesday, April 14- Spring Dinner in West Point

Tuesday, May 12- Activity Day in Donnellson

*Wednesday, May 27- "Beauty &
the Beast" at Circa 21*



*Tuesday, June 2 & Thursday, June 4
Ice Cream Socials*

Thursday, June 18- Day Trip to see "Wicked"

Tuesday, July 14- Activity Day in Donnellson

Tuesday, August 11- Activity Day in Donnellson

Wed, Sept. 9-Friday, Sept. 11- Mississippi River Cruise

Tuesday, September 15- Activity Day in Donnellson

Sept. 29-Oct 7- Fall Trip to the New England States

*Tuesday, October 13- 30th Anniversary of the Heritage
Club Activity Day in Donnellson*



*Tuesday, November 10- Holiday Dinner
Packwood Christian Church*

*Tuesday, November 17- Activity Day in
Donnellson*



*Date TBD – Holiday Dinner
Faith Christian Outreach Church in Mt. Pleasant*

*Wednesday, December 16- "Miracle on 34th Street" at
Old Creamery Theater*

**All events are subject to change.*