

# Day Trip

## Exploring the Timeless Beauty of Amish Living Shipshewana, IN

**Tuesday  
April 21, 2026**



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**Hours for Trip Sign-Up:**

**Monday - Friday, 8:30AM to 5PM**

**PORTAGE RESIDENCY AND  
SENIOR CENTER MEMBERSHIP  
ARE NOT REQUIRED TO  
PARTICIPATE IN THE PORTAGE  
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TRAVEL PROGRAM.**

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### RESERVATIONS

Payment for one-day trip reservations is due in full at the time of sign-up. The deposit for an extended trip is due at the time of sign-up. Payment may be made in person at the Center or by calling the Trip Office to make arrangements to send the payment by mail. Early registration is encouraged. A waitlist is started when a trip becomes full.

### FOR YOUR PROTECTION

All travelers must provide updated emergency contact information and have a release of liability form on file. In addition, any special travel needs, allergies or medical information that is pertinent to travel should be provided and kept up to date with the Travel Office. Travelers are encouraged to carry a list of medications or other pertinent emergency information (if applicable).

### CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS

- Contact the Travel Office to cancel a reservation.
- A traveler may NOT sell their reservation to someone else.
- Depending on the payment schedule to venues, a full refund may not be possible unless the Center can fill the spot.
- Refund policies and penalties vary on extended trips and on the timing of the cancellation.
- A refund may take 2 to 4 weeks to process.
- The Portage Zhang Senior Center reserves the right to cancel a trip if too few people sign up.

**Any Center specific and detailed COVID related guidelines regarding travel will be defined and revised as needed.**

# Join us...

## ...Experience a Day in Amish Country

Immerse yourself in the rich traditions and timeless lifestyle of the Amish on this full-day guided tour.

### Rise & Roll Bakery

Start your morning with fresh coffee and the famous cinnamon rolls at Rise & Roll Bakery.

### Guided Amish Country Tour

Join Orley, a knowledgeable local Amish guide, for an insightful tour through Amish Country, offering a genuine look into daily life and community values.

### Homestyle Amish Lunch

Savor an authentic Amish meal prepared by Carolyn, owner of Yoder's Homestyle Cooking. Enjoy hearty homemade dishes and choose from a tempting selection of freshly baked pies for dessert.

### Hands-On Amish Experiences

- Visit an Amish school in session
- Sample a variety of homemade jams and jellies
- Watch a buggy-making demonstration
- Chime & purse making demonstration
- Learn about "a day in the life" of an Amish woman

### E&S Sales Store

Conclude your visit with a stop at E&S Sales, a favorite shopping spot among the Amish, before returning to Portage.

### Trip Leader:

Jane O.



**\$135 Member / \$145 Non-Member**

**Pricing includes all gratuities.**

**Participants are free to tip the driver extra at the end of the trip.**

**Thank you to the Friends of the Portage Senior Center for supporting the Travel Program.**

# Itinerary

**7:15 AM**

Board Motor Coach  
Harding's Friendly Market  
6330 South Westnedge - Portage

**7:30 AM**

Depart for Middlebury, IN

**8:30 AM**

Arrive at Rise & Roll Bakery

**9:30 PM**

Enjoy a guided tour of various Shops and a traditional Amish lunch (included)

**4:00 PM**

Arrive E&S Supply Store

**5:00 PM**

Depart for Portage

**6:00 PM**

Approximate arrival at  
Harding's Friendly Market