Discover Indianapolis—Be Surprised, Be Welcomed, Enjoy Hoosier Hospitality

Indianapolis Cultural Trail

City planners from Portland to Paris have traveled to Indy to see how the city managed to take away a lane of car traffic to make way for a US$63 million, eight-mile bicycle and pedestrian-friendly Cultural Trail. The decorative brick path connects visitors to hotels, restaurants, attractions, and cultural districts. Also lined with art and landscaping, it has garnered international attention as a model for urban revitalization.

The Canal & White River State Park: Discovery Runs through It

Located in the heart of downtown, White River State Park offers 250 acres of green space and attractions all connected by a glimmering canal walk and art-lined pedestrian pathways. Bicycles, Segways, kayaks, pedal boats, and Venetian gondolas enliven the Central Canal, which is also home to three prominent memorials. Colorful murals and giant sculptures decorate paths leading to an outdoor concert venue, top-10 zoo, award-winning baseball stadium, towering IMAX theater, and world-class museums.

Indianapolis Monumental Marathon

A unique opportunity awaits us in the running of the Indianapolis Monumental Marathon on Saturday, 3 Nov. The starting line will be one block from the Indiana Convention Center where the GSA Annual Meeting & Exposition will take place.

The Indianapolis Monumental Marathon is one of the 20 largest marathons in the U.S. and is an ideal fall marathon for everyone from the first-time marathon runner to elite athletes. Starting and finishing at the Indiana State Capitol, the course highlights landmarks and historical neighborhoods throughout Indianapolis. Not a full marathon runner? A half-marathon, 5K, and kids fun run are also planned. Learn more at www.monumentalmarathon.com.