

# Lunch at Claudia Sanders Dinner House Apr. 26

On Saturday, April 26, **Joe** and Kathy Litton will lead us to Shelbyville, Ky., for lunch at Claudia Sanders Dinner House. There, we'll indulge in country-style dining in the

tradition of the restaurant's founders, Col. Harland Sanders and his wife, Claudia. The menu boasts an array of classic southern dishes, including crispy fried chicken, succulent collard greens, and fluffy cornbread, alongside other traditional delicacies.

We'll meet at McDonald's on Leestown Road in Lexington. Departure time is 9:30 a.m.

# Book your room for 2-night stay in Indiana in June

It's time to book your reservation for the CKMARC scenic driving tour to southern Indiana, June 6-8 (Friday through Sunday).

Reserve your room for the nights of June 6 and 7 by calling the Holiday Inn Express in Corydon, Indiana at (812) 738-1623. Mention the code "CKM." To get the special group rate of \$118 per night (plus tax), *you must book by phone — not online*.

The hotel is holding 12 rooms for us. The deadline for reservations is Friday, May 23. After that date, any unsold rooms will be released.

Here are some highlights of the three-day, two-night weekend.

### Friday, June 6

- Leavenworth, Indiana: lunch at Overlook Restaurant; visit to Stephenson's General Store
- Corydon, Indiana: Red Barn Antique Mall

### Saturday, June 7

- Borden, Indiana: Tour Huber's Orchard and Winery; lunch at Joe Huber's Family Farm & Restaurant
- Salem, Indiana: John Hay House

and Museum and Pioneer Village; The Depot Railroad Museum; Beck's Grist Mill

### Sunday, June 8

- Corydon, Indiana: Battle of Corydon Historic Site; Indiana Caverns
- Louisville, Kentucky: lunch at Mike Linnig's Seafood Restaurant

**Jeff and Mary Rhoads** are leading this tour. Details about departure location and time will appear in next month's Checkmark.

### **Indiana 3-Day Tour**

- Dates of event: June 6-8, 2025
- Dates of overnight stay: June 6-7
- *Location:* Holiday Inn Express, 249 Federal Dr. NW, Corydon, IN 47112
- Phone: (812) 738-1623
- Mention code "CKM"
- Room rate: \$118 plus tax
- Reservation deadline: May 23

# Littons report on MARC Membership Meet

**Joe and Kathy Litton** attended the 2025 MARC Membership Meet, held April 11-13 in Nashville, Indiana. In addition to opening and closing banquets and a business meeting, there were four seminars:

- Noblitt/Arvin, a Ford supplier;
- Cummins and Ford (What Almost Was);
- Steering; and
- Shocks and Shackles.

It was hinted that French Lick, Indiana would be the site of the 2026 National Meet and the 2026 National Tour would be in the New York Finger Lakes area.

Tom Hovetter is the new MARC President.



### Thanks to Mike and Nancy Bradley for leading the tour to Our Best Restaurant on Mar. 22





# 'MARC' your calendar

- ✓ Apr. 26 Lunch at Claudia Sanders Dinner House, Shelbyville, Ky. (Joe and Kathy Litton). Details on page 1.
- ✓ May 17 Tour to Perryville, Ky. (Harold and Jane Edwards).
- ✓ June 6-8 Three-day, two-night tour to southern Indiana (**Jeff and Mary Rhoads**). More information on page 1.
- ✓ *July 19* Keeneland Concours d' Elegance.
- ✓ Aug. 23 Lunch at Dinner Bell Restaurant in Berea, Ky. (Darrell and Joan Webb).
- Sept. 20 CKMARC picnic at 1922 House Winery near Wilmore, Ky.
- Oct. 18 Tour to Fern Creek, Ky. for lunch at the home of Emeric and Lesa Howell.
- ✓ *Nov. 11* Veterans' Day car display at Thomson-Hood Veterans Center in Wilmore, Ky. (Jack and Linda Kubik).
- ✓ **Dec. 13** CKMARC holiday potluck in Lexington (**John** and Karen Blair; Jeff and Mary Rhoads).
- ✓ Jan. 24, 2026 Winter potluck at Rabbit Run Recreation Center in Lexington (**Delmer and Linda Dalton**).

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