

THE CITY OF TROY PRESENTS...

Michigan's Little Bavaria Adventure:

City Tour, Pretzel Making, Boat Ride & More!
FRANKENMUTH, MICHIGAN

Tour Date: August 14, 2025 (Thursday)

Pick Up: Troy Community Center - 3179 Livernois, Troy, MI 48083

**Please park at the North Entrance. *Please arrive 15 minutes prior to departure time.*

Departure Time: 8:45am Approx. Return: 6:00pm

YOUR RYBICKI ADVENTURE INCLUDES:

TRANSPORTATION- Roundtrip via modern motorcoach. Reclining seats, restroom equipped for your comfort.

STEP ON GUIDED TOUR OF FRANKENMUTH. Frankenmuth, Michigan, is a charming small town known for its strong Bavarian heritage and unique German-style architecture. Often called "Michigan's Little Bavaria," it offers visitors a taste of German culture through its food, festivals, and shops. Frankenmuth is known for delicious chicken dinners, riverboat rides, and a warm, family-friendly atmosphere. Enjoy a 45 minute driving tour of the city, highlighting historic and community sites including a stop at St. Lorenz Lutheran Church, where the city's history can be seen depicted in the beautiful stained glass windows.

PRETZEL ROLLING EXPERIENCE. In Frankenmuth, pretzel rolling is a popular hands-on activity that connects visitors with the town's Bavarian roots. We will visit Bavarian Inn Restaurant; outfitted with hats, you will be transformed into German bakers and led through the proper pretzel-rolling method. Then it is your turn to try and match the technique! After they are baked, reap the rewards of your hard work. It's a great way to experience German culture and enjoy a tasty treat that you made yourself!

LUNCH AT BAVARIAN INN. Choose from 3 entrees. **1) Frankenmuth Chicken Style Luncheon Plate** (Classic choice). **2) Bavarian Combination Luncheon** (German meal) and **3) Vegan Chili** (Vegan, Dairy Free, Gluten Free, Vegetarian). Meals also include: Homemade Bread, Creamy Coleslaw, Dessert, Non-Alcoholic Beverage. (Tax & Gratuity included.)

GUIDED TOUR OF THE FRANKENMUTH HISTORICAL MUSEUM. The Frankenmuth Historical Museum is a fascinating spot that tells the story of the town's German settlers and how Frankenmuth came to be known as "Michigan's Little Bavaria." Located in a historic building on Main Street, the museum features interactive exhibits, artifacts, and displays about the area's cultural heritage, immigration, and development over time. The guided museum tour includes a visit to their 10 galleries led by a local, knowledgeable and enthusiastic guide.

BAVARIAN BELLE RIVERBOAT. Enjoy a fabulous narrated tour of Frankenmuth on the Cass River. This authentic paddlewheel riverboat provides a relaxing way to enjoy the beautiful natural surroundings while learning about Frankenmuth's history and landmarks. It's a great way to see the town from a different perspective while enjoying a peaceful ride on the water. **Note:** The boat has ramp access and the dock is handicap accessible as well! Restroom and on-board snacks available.

TOUR MANAGER – Professional from Rybicki Tours

**Driver and Tour Manager gratuity not included.*

<p>TOUR PRICE:</p> <p>\$145_{PP}</p> <p>\$155</p> <p>NON-RESIDENT</p>	<p>For Availability Contact:</p> <p>Troy Community Center</p> <p>248-524-3484</p>	 <p>248-735-0558 info@rybickitours.com www.rybickitours.com</p>	<p><i>Rybicki Tours does not own or operate any of the supplies of services or accommodations for your trip. As a result, it is not responsible for any negligent or willful act or failure to act of any such supplier or any 3rd party over whom we have no control.</i></p>
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***REGISTRATION DEADLINE- JULY 15. No refunds after JULY 15.**

To secure a reservation - you can register online at rec.troymi.gov or in person at the **Troy Community Center, 3179 Livernois, Troy, MI 48083**. Check payments can be made out to **"City of Troy"**.

At time of registration, it is important to notify the center if you have any dietary and/or mobility restrictions. While requests are not guaranteed, they are easier to accommodate if we know ahead of time.