

## RELAX, RESTORE AND RENEW!

It's time to escape with your girlfriends for a getaway! Leave behind the tedium, the deadlines and the "I can't do one more thing without a break" routine. Enter a world of pampering, gotta-have-it shopping, culinary decadence and fun spots in Lafayette-West Lafayette. Nothing beats time with your girlfriends.

### *Beautify*

Remember doing each others' hair in junior high, trying outrageous styles and all the giggles that went along with it? This time, get a professional to give you a new style, massage your feet back to life, and brighten your toes with a pedicure. It's time to pamper yourself, and Bliss Salon and Spa says it all about how you'll feel. This relax-and-renew spa also offers facials, manicures, and make-up artistry. It's not the only pampering spot in town, either. Check out one of the two Christina's & Co.'s day spas or go green at Evan Todd Salon & Day Spa.



### *Shop til you drop*

Why is it you always find the best things to buy when you're out of town? It's meant to be, especially in Lafayette-West Lafayette where trends, one-of-a-kinds and must-haves line the shelves of dozens of shops. Stroll down Main Street in historic Downtown Lafayette and choose from fun & quirky items for the home at Main St. Mercantile, gifts that tantalize all of your senses at Walnut Street Traditions, antiques & galleries galore, or head across the river to West Lafayette for trendy boutiques like Juniper, Indigo & Collette, fine jewelry, or Rubia European Flower market. For those who like known names, Tippecanoe Mall has more than 100 stores, and the brand new, and growing, Lafayette Pavilions features many favorites.



### *Get Decadent*

Every girlfriend getaway deserves a sweet treat, and Lafayette-West Lafayette serves up decadence at every turn. While you're downtown, hit Kathy's Kandies and Chocolate Lounge for a little fondue fun. Or stop in Main Street Cheese and Wine for a sophisticated sip and taste of award-winning Indiana cheese. Lunch at Jane's Gourmet is a must, you'll find a feast for your eyes, treats for your tummy, and take-home gourmet treasures. At Lafayette Pavilions, Cold Stone Creamery's hand-mixed ice cream is completely customizable or if you prefer an Indiana original, head for the Frozen Custard. There's one more stop you'll want to make.

Don't miss the award winning Wildcat Creek Winery for a "taste" of something truly decadent.

### *Wrap up the day*

The only thing better than a day out with the girls is...a girl's night out and the choices are endless! Fun spots for twenty-thirty & forty-somethings include Nine Irish Brothers (try not to fault them for being, well...not girls), Hunters' Pub Down Under, Sgt. Preston's, Lafayette Brewing Co. and Scotty's Brewhouse. If you're up for late night fun, the Bea One restaurant becomes Bea One Lounge after 10 p.m., complete with leather sofas and The Knickerbocker often has live entertainment. So, what are you waiting for? Grab your flip-flops, casual clothes, and dreams of a new you and head for some urban flair in a community just enough away from the hustle and bustle.

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