The Travel Department strives to provide excellent service to all of our customers. If you have any comments or suggestions as to how we can better serve you, feel free to contact us.

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Travel News 2013

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ENTERPRISE CAR SHARE

We are very excited to announce the Enterprise Car Share program is now available on campus here at ISU.

To sign up and get details concerning the program go to:

www.enterprisecarshare.com

TRAVEL TRAINING

Next Travel Training Session is scheduled for November 5, 2013, 1:30 pm at Parsons Hall 003. New to ISU or need refreshed on travel rules and regulations? Let Teresa or Janice know if you are planning to attend. Space is limited to only 13 for each session.

PLEASSED TO ANNOUNCE

The LaQuinta Inns & Suites located in Plainfield, IN has joined ISU as a new direct bill vendor.
Is it a good idea to only keep your reservations on electronic devices? Not always!

Travelers who had their US Airways boarding passes sent to their cell phones found that to be true during the week of September 9, 2013, when a glitch in the system produced passes with the wrong names or flight numbers.

The airline stated the problem affected travelers who used the US Airways mobile site or app, which rolled out earlier this summer.

The problem was fixed after about three hours.

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Travel Tip: New Apps for Road Trips

Whether you’re road tripping or navigating a new city, a few helpful apps on your smartphone can make the driving experience a whole lot easier.

The biggest roadblock is when your mapping application conks out because there’s no cell reception. But one, called Co-Pilot Live, is downloaded onto your phone, so the turn-by-turn directions will work even when you’re in a dead zone. The big drawback: those maps take up a lot of space on your phone.

Driving on an interstate highway? The iExit app lets you know what’s coming up on that next exit—not just the nearest rest stop.

Looking for restaurants, banks, hospital, hotels, movie theatres, supermarkets, etc. near your location? Try using AroundMe app.

Whether you’re looking for food, gas, or a hotel, the app lets you know what’s coming up—and then you can decide if it’s time for a stop. There’s also my old favorite, GasBuddy. It searches out the gas stations with the lowest prices near your location.

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Courtesy of TravelMole US, Cheryl Rosen, editor

Courtesy of petergreenberg.com
Summer Trivia

1. What California city did the last Pony Express ride end in? SACRAMENTO
2. What singer made his debut at the Lyric Theatre in Indianapolis on Feb 2, 1940 with the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra? FRANK SINATRA
3. What congressional award was Dr. Mary Edwards Walker the first woman to receive? MEDAL OF HONOR
4. Who earned infamy for noting: "A billion dollars isn't worth what it used to be"? J. PAUL GETTY
5. What year were fireworks first used in an official Fourth of July celebration? 1777

(trivia provided by www.funtrivia.com; www.aarp.org and www.triviaplaying.com)

Fall Trivia

1. Thunder in the fall foretells what for winter?
2. Where did Jack o’ lanterns originate?
3. What country did the name “Halloween” come from?
4. What word was commonly used before the 16th century to refer to the autumn season?
5. Brightly colored foliage is the image most commonly associated with autumn. What region in the US is a popular “leaf peeping” tourist destination?

(trivia provided by www.QuizMoz.com and www.123faces.com)