



Menands Senior Scoop

Menands Senior Citizen Club

Since 1973

21 1/2 N. Lyons Avenue

Thursdays, 10am-3pm

APRIL 2016



Diane Leonard, President, Debbie Teitsch, Vice President, Sheila Hyatt, Secretary, Dawn Primett, Treasurer

MAY IS

The most beautiful month of the year. Usually the snow and ice are gone and the hot temperatures have not arrived.

The first garden begins to sprout. Trees and grasses turn green. It is the month of growth

IMPORTANT DATES

- May 1, May Day
- May 3, National Teacher's Day
- May 5, Cinco de Mayo
- May 6, National Nurses Day
- May 8, Mother's Day
- May 10, National Clean Your Room Day
- May 10, Trip to Proctor's
- May 20, National Pick Strawberries Day
- May 30, World No-Tobacco Day
- May 30, Memorial Day

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Carol Charton	5/16
Anne Marie Lazzaro	5/11
Joyce Murphy	5/12
Susan Potter	5/13
Paul Trzinski	5/15
Dave Teitsch	5/16
Jack O'Rourke	5/17
Diane Forkeutis	5/17
Diane Frazier	5/21
Francis Primett	5/21
Joan Lucey	5/24
Audrey O'Hare	5/30
Babara Telisky	5/30
Virginia Suriano	5/31

MAY DESSERTS

- 5/5 Pizza, Judy Gorman
- 5/12 Betty DiNuzzo
- 5/19 Theresa Lazzaro and Jo Wells
- 5/26 Birthday Cake

GREETING CARDS SENT

Sympathy: Betty Rothmund, for her brother.

Get Well: Betty Courtois

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR ANOTHER DELICIOUS KENTUCKY FRIED CHICKEN LUNCH. To be held June 9, 2016, at our senior gathering. Everyone is welcome. However, you need to sign up and pay \$6 in advance.

CONGRATULATIONS AND THANK YOU, Debbie Teitsch, the recipient of this year's VOLUNTEER OF THE YEAR AWARD.

MOTHER'S DAY FASHION SHOW & LUNCHEON

May 6, 2016, 11:30am-2:00pm, Beltrone Living Center, \$15 pp. Make reservations, Tables of 8 maximum. Fashions by Boscov's, Charming Charlie and christopher & banks. Luncheon: Chicken Romaine Salad with blueberries, strawberries topped & almond clusters, Raspberry Vinaigrette and Carrot Cake Muffin and Cookie Platter.

ANNUAL MENANDS SENIOR CLUB PICNIC

June 16, 2016, at 10:00am, at Ganser-Smith Park Pavilion, Menands. Bingo starts at 10:00am, coffee and donuts will be served.

A buffet lunch will be catered by Poppy's Place. It will consist of Marinated Chicken breast, Potato Salad, Macaroni Salad, Fruit salad, rolls and butter. Coffee, iced tea, lemonade and strawberry shortcake for dessert.

Paul Slusar will provide music for toe-tapping.

There will be a share the wealth drawing.

Bring a lawn chair for added comfort.

Please make reservations and pre-pay \$15 at a Thursday gathering.

ANNUAL SEVEN CLUBS PICNIC, will be held, August 10, 2015. More to come.

TRIPS

JUNE 8, 2016, Wednesday, we are going to **THE LORENZO STATE HISTORIC SITE.**

We will tour the mansion of Colonel John Lincklaen, the founder of the Village of Casenovia. The Colonel was an agent for the Holland Land Company, who recommended the company purchase a tract of land where the Village of Cazenovia grew. His painted brick mansion is surrounded by 1914 Ellen Shipman designed formal gardens overlooking Cazenovia Lake.

We will have lunch at the Lincklaen House.

Luncheon Menu includes:

Small House Salad, Popover, Iced Tea, Lemonade, Hot Tea and Coffee. Choice of; Chicken Marsala, Sesame Salmon, or Grilled Sirloin. Apple Crisp for dessert.

The Owers Vineyards are just down the road a piece. We will stop for a visit and enjoy a 15% Senior discount on purchases. A perfect treat before the long ride home.

Cost of the Estate tour and lunch is \$30. Purchased at the Owers Vineyards are on your own.

JULY 19, 2016, Tuesday, we will leave at 6:30am, to arrive at **LAKE PLACID MARINA & BOAT TOURS** at 11:30am in time for a one hour cruise on the pristine waters of Lake Placid, in one of the enclosed pontoon boats. The hour-long narrated tour travels 16 miles on one of the world's most beautiful lakes. See and hear about the stately manors situated along the shore, Adirondack wildlife, and Whiteface Mountain, site of the alpine events during the

1980 Winter Olympic Games. After the cruise, at approximately 12:30pm, we will eat lunch in the **LAKE HOUSE RESTAURANT at HIGH PEAKS RESORT**. Menu is a Deli Buffet which includes: Potato Salad with Dill, Chopped Iceberg Salad with Tomato, Cucumber and Carrots, Ranch Dressing, Blue Cheese dressing and Balsamic Vinaigrette. Smoked Turkey, Black Forest Ham, Roast Beef, Sliced Swiss Cheese, Pepper Jack and American Cheeses. Leaf Lettuce, Sliced Tomato, Red Onion; assorted Breads, Wraps and Rolls. Mayonnaise and Dijon Mustard, Cookies, Sliced Fruit, and Regular & Decaf Coffee, Ice Tea. After lunch, there will be time to leisurely visit the nearby shops or walk on the lakeside path. We will board the bus at approximately 4:00pm to return home close to 7:00pm.

Cost of Trip \$40/50

JULY 27, 2016, we will leave Ganser-Smith Park at 3:00pm for **YANNI'S TOO**, Waterfront Restaurant, Coeymans Landing Marina, for dinner. After dinner we will have reserved seating at the **WASHINGTON PARK PLAYHOUSE** for the hit musical, "**CABARET.**"

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AUGUST 16, 2016, we will leave Ganser Park at 7:30am to try out luck at the **TURNING STONE CASINO**, Verona, NY. We will receive \$20 Bingo Bucks or \$25 Free Play and a \$5 Food Credit. Cost of Trip \$20

SEPTEMBER, 19-22, 2016, we depart early morning from Ganser- Smith Park for four days and 3 nights in Niagara Falls, Canada.

We will be staying at the **FOUR POINT SHERATON HOTEL**, featuring an indoor swimming pool and an enclosed walkway to the Fallsview Casino!!

TOUR INCLUDES: Round trip Yankee Trails Motor Coach transportation. Hotel accommodations for 3 nights. Horn Blower Cruise, Niagara Sky Wheel, Niagara Butterfly Conservatory.

Guided tour of Niagara Falls, Sights include: Niagara Park Greenhouses, Victoria Park, Table Rock House and much more.

Guided Tour of Toronto, where you will see Parliament Buildings, Casa Loma Mansion, Chinatown and the Financial District.

Visit to Niagara on the Lake, and the Duty Free Shop
3 Full Breakfasts at the Hotel, 1 Dinner, 1 Dinner and a Show.
All Gratuities for Meals, Bus Driver and Tour Guides are included in the \$539 per individual/double occupancy, \$699 single, \$529 per individual/triple occupancy.

Trip Insurance is available.

Border Crossing: A valid Passport or Enhanced Driver's License is required.

Everyone is Welcome! For Reservations, please call: Diane Leonard, 465-3771

OCTOBER 4, 2016, Tuesday, we are leaving Ganser-Smith Park at 7:00am, heading for **SALEM WITCH MUSEUM**, Salem, MA. The museum presentation will take 75 minutes. We will eat lunch at **FINZ SEAFOOD RESTAURANT**, 73 Wharf St., Pickering Wharf, Salem, MA.

Menu selections; includes soda, coffee or tea, fresh rolls and butter and Finz House Salad with balsamic vinaigrette dressing. Choice of: New England Baked Haddock, Marinated Steak Tips, Pasta Primavera with cream sauce, Mediterranean Pasta with artichoke hearts, roasted red peppers, onions, tomatoes, feta cheese, black olives, tossed in a marinara. Chef's seasonal dessert.

After lunch we will take a scenic bus ride along the seashore, via GLOUCESTER, to the famous Landmark, Motif #1, and the gift shops on BEARSKIN NECK, ROCKPORT, MA.
Cost of Trip, \$38/48.

NOVEMBER 9, 2016, we will return once again to the **WESTCHESTER BROADWAY DINNER THEATRE**, to see "**SATURDAY NIGHT FEVER,**" featuring vibrant choreography and the everlasting hits of the Bee Gee's: Stayin' Alive, How Deep is Your Love, You Should Be Dancing, To Love Somebody, Jive Talkin,' just to name a few.

Cost of trip \$57/67.

Please reserve for our trips as early as possible to ensure seating. Money is not needed until 30 days before the actual trip date. But, of course, if you need to cancel, let us know immediately.

POSITIVE QUOTES FOR EVERYDAY:
"We know what happens to people who stay in the middle of the road. They get run over."



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