

# 50+ski club

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## NEXT MEETING

Thursday, October 16<sup>th</sup>, 8:00 PM

**SYOSSET – WOODBURY COMMUNITY CENTER**

Jericho Tpk, 2<sup>nd</sup> light east of Rt. 135 – Opposite Fox Hollow Inn

**On entering park, turn right at stop sign and follow road to end.**

## Trips and Events

**For trip info call Lois at 518-945-2667 or Eleanor at 516-938-7078**

**January 11<sup>th</sup> to 15<sup>th</sup>, 2015: Stratton Mountain, Vt.** Carpool, 4 nights, Black Bear Lodge, (formally Stratton Mt. Inn), shuttle to slopes. Includes 4 continental breakfasts, 2 dinners, senior lift ticket (65+), tax & gratuities. Cost is \$480.00 pp, dbl occ. Check payable to **We Luv Traveling**. Mail to Eleanor Tokar, 40 Linden Blvd. Hicksville, NY 11801. We must have a minimum of 20 participants to lock in the price. Stratton was substituted for our usual trip to Mt. Snow because of numerous requests. However, they are not as flexible. Deadline for checks is November 7<sup>th</sup>.

**January 30<sup>th</sup> – February 5<sup>th</sup>, 2015: Big Sky, Montana.** Ski Big Sky and Moonlight Basin. R/T air NY to Bozeman, transfers, six nights at the ski in/ski out Huntley Lodge. Trip also includes 6 breakfasts, 3 to 4 dinners, bellman services, taxes and gratuities. Price is approx. \$1,649 plus 5 day, discounted group lift ticket. Trip based on minimum of 25 participants. **SPACE LIMITED!** An \$800.00 deposit due ASAP. Make check payable to **Ski.Com** and mail to Eleanor Tokar, 40 Linden Blvd., Hicksville, NY 11801.

**March 1<sup>st</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup>, 2015: Sunday River, ME.** Carpool, 5 nights Jordan Hotel, Ski in Ski out, 5 day senior (65+) lift ticket, 5 complimentary perfect turn clinics, wine/cheese/veggie party, tax & gratuities. Senior rate \$409.00 pp, dbl occ. (\$494.00 with 5 **full breakfasts**). Non senior \$429.00 pp dbl occ. (\$514.00 with 5 **full breakfasts**). Check payable to **50+ Ski Club**. Mail to Eleanor Tokar, 40 Linden Blvd, Hicksville NY, 11801. Deadline for checks is December 18<sup>th</sup>.

**Trip Insurance is highly recommended.**

### **Upcoming Events**

**April 24<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Guatemala, Tikai, Antigua, Aitlan:** 10 days, includes all tours and all meals. \$1295.00 plus air fare and tax.

**Oct 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015 Vietnam, Cambodia and Mekong River: 13 days.**

Anyone interested in these two trips should call Lois for more information.

**Holiday Party, December 8<sup>th</sup>.** The party will be held at “**Per Un’ Angelo**” at the **Jones Beach Hotel** 6:30 pm to 10:30 pm. The cost will be \$50 each and will include appetizers, salad, entrée, desert, coffee, tea, soda, beer and wine. There will be a DJ for both listening and dancing. **MAIL YOUR CHECKS, PAYABLE TO 50+SKI CLUB TO:** Eleanor Tokar, 40 Linden Blvd, Hicksville, NY 11801.

### **Dues Restructure**

Dues for 2015 are due NOW! Single \$30.00, Couple \$45.00. Dues mailed in must be postmarked by December 31<sup>st</sup> 2014. If paid thereafter, a \$10.00 initiation fee will be assessed for a single, and a \$15.00 initiation fee will be assessed for a couple. Bring to the next meeting or mail to Eleanor Tokar, 40 Linden Blvd., Hicksville, NY 11801. Make check payable to 50+ Ski Club.

**Mid Week Skiing, by Gary Schorr:** The ski season is getting closer. If you're interested in local day skiing and have not let Gary know, please e-mail him at [gss12@optonline.net](mailto:gss12@optonline.net).

**Mid Week Activities, by Chris Zimmet.** We have had very nice turn outs on all rides and also a few new riders. Those new riders will tell you that we do wait for all riders at all turns. So please don't be afraid to join us on the last few rides coming up. We have done Coney Island, Brighton Beach, Long Beach, Cedar Creek to Tobay along the beach, Timber Point and Great River. before the real cold weather sets in. Interested? E-mail Chris at [peachglowgirl48@gmail.com](mailto:peachglowgirl48@gmail.com).

**Halloween, by Barry Fahrer:** Join us for a Halloween evening in the Woodlawn Cemetery, Bronx, NY. This is an organized tour of some of the rich and famous and some infamous grave sites. Let's meet on October 30<sup>th</sup> at the Rambling House, 4292 Katonah Ave, Bronx, NY at 5:30 PM for dinner, followed by a 7:00 PM tour of the cemetery. Costumes are encouraged and a few scars and blood would help to liven up the mood. Reservations are necessary and the cost is \$20.00 for non Conservancy members, \$15.00 for members, and \$15.00 for senior citizens and students. E-mail Barry at [LANDSURVEY@AOL.COM](mailto:LANDSURVEY@AOL.COM) if you are interested. A fun evening is guaranteed.

**Destination: Accessible, by Gary Schorr:** At the last meeting the following article was discussed with much interest. Therefore, I would like to share it with all who were not at the meeting.



<http://www.destinationaccessible.com>

**Destination: Accessible**, the pre-eminent source for mobility-related accessibility information for leisure locations throughout Long Island and the New York Metropolitan Area, announces the arrival of its website.

To make excursions as easy as possible for the mobility-challenged community, Roberta Rosenberg (a Ski Club member) and Fran Bogal provide specific information about the ease of navigation at the leisure locations they have visited. Included at present are such venues as, the Museum of Modern Art, Guggenheim Museum, Vanderbilt Mansion, Nassau County Museum of Art, Tilles Center, and Sunken Meadow State Park

Inspired by their own experiences, they conceived the idea for a community service that would provide detailed information and insights helpful to people with mobility issues.

The mission of Destination: Accessible is to have you "Know before you go!"

A handicapped friendly logo on a venue's website doesn't necessarily mean that it will be an easy walk in the park when you get there.

Their personal reviews include information on:

- Parking
- Restrooms
- Seating areas
- grounds
- food services
- ease of navigation issues