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District Newsletter

Eden Central School

FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

Dear Friends and Families of the Eden Central School District:

It does not seem possible that we have been back to school for over a month and that we are well into the Fall. I hope that the start of the school year has been positive for all of our families.

I would, again, like to thank the community for your continued support. It is this support, along with the work of our dedicated administrators, faculty and staff that allows us to provide so many opportunities for our students to be successful and for our District to continue to be one of the best in Western New York.

The coming year will continue to bring much change and challenge. The state is requiring major changes in curriculum, state assessments and teacher/principal evaluations. The new evaluation system (APPR) will add more assessment of students. All of these initiatives will require a great deal of work, time and resources on the part of the District in a year that we will see our greatest challenges in funding the school district. We will make every attempt to keep our families and the community informed, as we move to fully implement the state reform agenda and build an effective budget for the future. I do, however, encourage everyone to stay informed and involved. Attend information sessions, attend Board meetings, schedule appointments with building/ District administrators, teachers and Board members to share your thoughts about the future.

This school year will be filled with changes. Don't sit back – become part of the change process. Your opinions do matter!!

I look forward to working with you all this year. Working together, staying informed and sharing ideas will be important for our District's continued success.

Don't forget, the PTA and the All Sports Booster Club need everyone's support to be able to continue their efforts helping our students. Please consider joining and supporting their events.



Sincerely,

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Ronald K. Buggs, Superintendent



EDEN CENTRAL SCHOOL – EMBRACE, EDUCATE, EMPOWER

MISSION:

In collaboration with the community, the Eden Central School District pursues our tradition of excellence in personal and academic achievement. We provide a positive and respectful learning environment that places students at the heart of all activities. Students are afforded the tools and opportunity to realize their potential within our global society, while cultivating the understanding necessary to fully appreciate their journey. VISION:

ECSD is a collaborative learning community that embraces the individuality of each student, educating and empowering them to become productive citizens in an everchanging and diverse society.

WELCOME TO 2012-2013 NEW TEACHERS

We would like to welcome two new teachers to the District this year.

Christina Fettes is a Special Education Teacher at Eden Jr./Sr. High School. She replaced Christina Haag. Kelly Fronczak is a Special Education Teacher at Eden Elementary.

Christina is from Springville, She has both her New York. Bachelor's in Social Studies and her Master's in Technical Education from Buffalo State College. She is certified in Special Education. Prior to coming to Eden, she taught at West Seneca for five years. Christina has two children to keep her busy at home. In her spare time, she enjoys traveling and

crafting. She has been to Europe and more recently, on a family vacation to Florida.

Kelly worked as a Teacher Aide in Eden last year, and she was very involved in the "Quilt Project". She has a Bachelor's Degree in Special Education and Elementary Education from Canisius College. Currently. Kelly is working on her Master's Degree in Literacy, which she expects to be awarded in December. Kelly is from Attica, New York. In her free time, she likes to travel. She has been to several Native American reservations out west. She looks forward to her first year teaching in Eden.

Welcome Christina and Kelly!





Pictured upper: Mrs. Fettes; lower: Miss Fronczak.

THANK YOU TO WEST HERR By Tara Cooper



The Eden Jr. Sr. High School Social Studies Department would like to thank the West Herr Ford and Chevrolet dealerships on Camp Road in Hamburg for once again sponsoring our Buffalo News subscription for the 2012-2013 school year.

We would also like to thank Bryant & Stratton College for sponsoring our subscription to USA Today. In addition to the Social Studies Department, there are teachers from other subject areas that use these newspapers in their classrooms also. The faculty and students here truly appreciate the generosity of West Herr and Bryant & Stratton College, and we are grateful to them for recognizing the value of the Buffalo News in Education program and USA Today's "Experience Today" program.

Important Date Changes

- The December Board of Education Meeting has been changed from Monday, December 17th to Monday, December 10th.
- The annual budget vote has been changed from Tuesday, May 14th to Tuesday, May 21st.

WELCOME TO OUR A.F.S. STUDENTS By Barbara Thomasulo



For the 2012-2013 school year, Eden is excited to welcome four foreign exchange students from around the world.

First, I would like to introduce Jacob Maretti, who is staying with the Gregory Funch family on Sandrock Road. Jacob is from Birkerød, Denmark, where his father, Niels, creates computer software, and his mother, Charlotte, is a pharmaceutical administrator.

Jacob's favorite subjects in school are Math and Science, but he doesn't care much for homework. He said we have a lot more homework here. He will be traveling to Washington, DC, and Niagara Falls. He would like to visit Florida and New York City. Jacob would also like to see a professional football game.

Jacob has joined the volleyball team. He plans on playing basketball and baseball, as well. At home, he plays handball and hangs out with friends. He enjoys movies and the computer.

Ayman Salem is from Cairo, Egypt. He is staying with the Norman Eckhardt family on Bley Road. Ayman's father is a tour guide, and his mother is an English Teacher. Ayman has already visited Virginia. He will be traveling to Washington, DC with the AFS group.

While here, he would like to try skiing and go to New York City to see the Statue of Liberty. He plays soccer and plans to play lacrosse. In addition, he would like to join either the swim team or basketball team. At home, Ayman like to play soccer and hang out with his friends.

Joseph Lambe, who is also staying with the Eckhardt family, is from Cameroon, Africa. His

Anyone who stops learning is old, whether at twenty or eighty. Anyone who keeps learning stays young. The greatest thing in life is to keep your mind young. father, Yonkam Moïse is retired from a company that manufactures car batteries. His mother, Baneko Odette works for a trade network.

Joseph's favorite subject in school is Physics. He also has visited Virginia and would like to travel to New York City to see the Statue of Liberty, as well. Joseph plays soccer here and would like to join his church choir. At home, he also plays soccer and enjoys hanging out with his friends.

Marit Mellemseter is from Sunndal, Norway. She is staying with the Genco family on Meadow Lane. Her father is a platform chief on an off-shore oil rig, and her mother is a secretary in a doctor's office.

Marit's favorite subject in school is Social Studies. She will visit New York City. Marit plans on playing basketball and lacrosse. At home, she enjoys soccer and being with her friends.

Best of luck to all of our exchange students this year!



Jacob Maretti, Ayman Salem, Joseph Lambe and Merit Mellemseter



NEEDED: Substitute Cleaners, all shifts— \$7.78 per hour. To apply, send cover letter and resume to David Martin, Eden Central School, 3150 Schoolview Road, Eden, NY 14057

Henry Ford

ATTENTION PARENTS/GUARDIANS OF STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

The Eden School District is looking to develop a subgroup of the Eden PTA specific to parents and families of students with special needs.

Please join us for an informational meeting on October 23, 2012 at 7:00 PM in the High School Library. All are welcome to attend, including parents, guardians, relatives, school staff, and anyone else who might be interested. Refreshments will be provided. We look forward to sharing ideas and addressing your questions/concerns regarding the education of our children.

EDEN JR./SR. HIGH SELECTS ATHLETES OF THE MONTH

By Colleen Kot

The Eden Girls' Athletic Association and Varsity Club would like to recognize the following athletes as nominated by their coaches for their hard work and dedication to their sport.

Alex Smythe - Football; Sabrina Kraska -Swimming; Liz Karstedt - Tennis; Nicole Fazzolari - Field Hockey; Aaron Orechwa -Golf; Jon Harrington - Boys' Cross Country; Janelle Nyitrai - Girls' Cross Country; Sierra Puckhaber - Soccer; Tyler Gates - Soccer; Ryan Vondell - Volleyball; Jackie Bonczar -Volleyball and Jocelyn Armbruster-Cheerleading.



Row 1: Jocelyn Armbruster, Nicole Fazzolari, Janelle Nyitrai, Jackie Bonczar, Elizabeth Karstedt. Row 2: Ryan Vondell, Aaron Orchewa, Jon Harrington, Tyler Gates, Sierra Puckhaber, Sabrina Kraska.

ANNUAL TRACTOR DAY





Tractor Day was held on Wednesday, September 26th. Approximately 80 students participated. Tractors were parked at the Jr./ Sr. High School.

In the afternoon, the students continued the tradition of parading down Schoolview Road. Students drove through the

Elementary parking lot to show off their rides to the younger students.



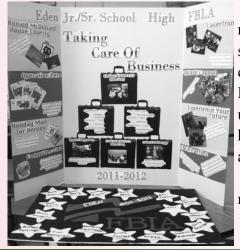


EDEN FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS OF AMERICA PROUD TO HAVE DISTRICT 12 VICE PRESIDENT By Mary Nowicki

Eden Central FBLA is proud to have Kalie Pfohl as our District 12 Vice President. Kalie is the daughter of Timothy and Martha Pfohl of North Boston Road in Eden.

In order to obtain this honor, students must be interviewed by a Board of Trustee member from FBLA, take a written test on FBLA facts and history, campaign at the state leadership conference and be voted into office. As part of the campaign, students were required to create a display for their campaign booth. Kalie is the third Eden FBLA student to obtain this position in the history of the club. As District 12 Vice President, Kalie is responsible to get information to and help all other FBLA clubs in our district. One of her many duties includes producing periodic newsletters to help keep everyone informed of events taking place during the 2012-2013 FBLA year. Kalie is also

President of our FBLA club here at Eden. She is responsible to create a PowerPoint for each meeting and plan the activities for the meetings and for the club.



Another responsibility of the District Vice President is to host and run the Fall and Spring District Meeting. Kalie is in the process of setting up the workshops and presenters, creating the program, and creating decorating teams to handle all the decorating for the Fall District meeting evening at Eden on Thursday, October 25. Kalie utilizes her layout and design experiences she has developed through her courses at Eden to help her in all her Vice President duties, as well as, creating items such as a chapter display which is pictured to the left.

It promises to be an exciting year in FBLA when we have a member like Kalie Pfohl to lead the way!



IMPORTANT DATES TO REMEMBER FROM THE MUSIC DEPARTMENT

•The annual Wind Ensemble Citrus Fruit Sale is October 29th through November 13th. Delivery will be on or about December 5th.

◆Jr./Sr. High Fall Concert-November 6th at 7 p.m.

♦6th Grade Band, Orchestra,
Chorus Concert-December 4th at
7:30 p.m.

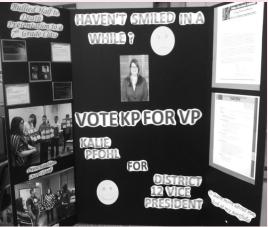
◆Jr. High School Winter Concert-December 5th at 7 p.m.

◆5th Grade Band, Orchestra, Chorus Concert-December 6th at 7:30 p.m.

◆HS Winter Concert-December 18th at 7 p.m.

◆5th & 6th Grade Band Concert-February 28th at 7:30 p.m. •High School Musical-March 7th at 7 p.m., March 8th & 9th at 7:30 p.m. and March 10th at 2 p.m.





EDEN FAMILY SUPPORT CENTER

The Eden Family support Center is solution-based therapy for families.

Family Support is a confidential service where counseling and information is available to Eden families at no charge. Fees are covered through the generosity of the Eden Central School District.

The Family Support Team provides: short term counseling for families; links to community resources; Wednesday evening hours for families who cannot meet during the day; service to any student or family within the Eden School District; a chance for families to focus on common goals by identifying strengths and resources. The EFSC believes that the strength of a family's bond has a profound influence on a child's behavior and on his or her success.

The EFSC strives to link families with school and community services in order to solve problems collaboratively. All counselors are trained in Solution-based Therapy.

To date, families demonstrate over 90% success rate with an average of 3-4 counseling sessions per family.

The Family Support Counseling Team believes: There is a direct connection between the behavior and the academic success of your child at school and the strengths that exist in your family.

Parents and siblings have a powerful and lifelong influence on a child.

Families can, and in fact, do change.

The Family Support Team can help influence family changes in a positive way.

School cannot usually bring about this change alone.

Problem solving works best when families and school personnel work together to solve problems.

To arrange a confidential appointment for K-6 students, call Dr. Joe Weis or Tammy Finnerty at 992-3645. Call Amy Banks or Dave Hassett at 992-3601 for grades 7-12 students.

WELCOME BACK TO ALL MY ARTISTS THAT WORK AT HOME! By Mary Ellen Bossert

The Artists that Work at Home program that I created is an important strategy to create connections. The program consists of art that the student is creating at home. This art and its process are shared with their peers and staff through photographs that they submit to me. They fill out a reflective statement and their name is read over the announcements. The photo and statement are then hung in the hall all year long to inspire other artists. It's an Art "Show and Tell".

The music teacher loved the idea and adapted it in her curriculum as; 'Musicians that make Music at Home."

Pictured are four artists that helped to "kick start" the new year of Artists that Work at Home!

CONGRATULATIONS!

(Left to right) Second grader, Caitlyn Murphy, first

grader, Mitchel Schnaufer, first grader, Matthew Schnaufer, and second grader, Liam Clark. Keep Art in your Heart!





EDWARDS NAMED KEEPER OF THE KEY

By Janice O'Brien

Heritage Days, part of Eden's Bicentennial Celebration, were held all over town during the weekend of September 21st and 22nd.

Sixth grader, Scott Edwards, was one of the winners of the Bicentennial "Keeper of the Key" essay contest. Scott participated in the town's time capsule activities at Eden Town Hall on Sunday, September 22nd at 2:00 p.m. Congratulations to Scott and the other essay contest winners.

Check out the Eden Bicentennial website (eden200.com/) for more information!

THINK PINK!

By Marisa Fallacaro

Once again our athletic items to sell during this teams will be doing a THINK week including bracelets, PINK WEEK to help raise funds draw string bags, and and awareness for Breast suckers. The ideas from Cancer. the athletes and coaches

Each individual team is coming up with various ideas on how to fundraise and show support. As a program, we are working on securing various items to sell during this week including bracelets, draw string bags, and suckers. The ideas from the athletes and coaches have been rolling in, so these items are just a start. This year Think Pink Week will be starting on October 9th.



EDEN ELEMENTARY STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

By Patty Steinmetz

The following are Eden Elementary's Students of the Month for September:

Grade 3: Cecelia Karpinski, Jordan Lauer, Trevor Masocco, McKenna Rice, Brianna Rigley.

<u>Grade 4:</u> Renee Gates, Nicole Lonski, John Preischel, Jessica Seggio, Austin Timblin.

<u>Grade 5:</u> Claudia Bauernfeind, Alaina James, Corbin Maggs, Nathaniel McCabe, Abbilyn Puckhaber.

<u>Grade 6:</u> Jacob Balcerzak, Peter Brockman, Louis DeCarolis, Samuel LoTempio, Trinity Ruckdaschel.

EDEN ELEMENTARY ARTIST OF THE MONTH

Mariam Hoelscher is Eden Elementary's Artist of the Month. Emily is pictured here with Art Teacher, Mrs. Witman and some of her artwork in the background.



FROM THE NURSE'S OFFICE

By Marylee Rousch

Keep your kids safe. Get their seasonal flu shots every fall or winter.

Is seasonal flu more serious for kids?

Infants and young children are at a greater risk for getting seriously ill from the flu. That's why the New York State Department of Health recommends that all children 6 months and older get the seasonal flu vaccine.

What is seasonal flu?

The flu, or influenza, is a viral infection of the nose, throat, and lungs. The flu can spread from person to person.

How can I protect my child?

• Get the seasonal flu vaccine.

• Get the seasonal flu vaccine for yourself.

• Wash your hands often and cover your coughs and sneezes. This will prevent the spread of germs.

• Keep their hands away from their face.

• Cover coughs and sneezes to protect others. It's best to use a tissue and quickly throw it away. If you don't have a tissue, cough or sneeze into your upper sleeve, not your hands.

What are signs of the flu?

The flu comes on suddenly. Most people with the flu feel very tired and have a high fever, headache, dry cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, and sore muscles. Some people, especially children, may also have stomach problems and diarrhea. The cough can last two or more weeks.

How does the flu spread?

People who have the flu usually cough, sneeze, and have a runny nose. The droplets in a cough, sneeze or runny nose contain the flu virus. Other people can get the flu by breathing in these droplets or by getting them in their nose or mouth.

How long can a sick person spread the flu to others?

Most healthy adults may be able to spread the flu from one day before getting sick to up to 5 days after getting sick. This can be longer in children and in people who don't fight disease as well (people with weaker immune systems).

What can I do if my child gets sick?

Make sure your child gets plenty of rest and drinks lots of fluids. Talk with your child's doctor before giving your child over-the-counter medicine. If your children or teenagers may have the flu, never give them aspirin or medicine that has aspirin in it. It could cause serious problems.

Can my child go to school/day care with the flu?

No. If your child has the flu, he or she should stay home to rest. This helps avoid giving the flu to other children.

When can my child go back to school/day care after having the flu?

Children with the flu should be isolated in the home, away from other people. They should also stay home until they are symptom-free for 24 hours (that is, until they have no fever without the use of fevercontrol medicines and they feel well for 24 hours). Remind your child to protect others by covering his or her mouth when coughing or sneezing.

For more information about the flu, visit http://www.health.ny.gov/ diseases/communicable/influenza/ seasonal/

Or, www.cdc.gov/flu

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

State of New York Department of Health 2423 10/10



PHYSICAL EXAMS FOR WINTER SPORTS By Shawn Johnson

According to NYS Education Law, a Physical Exam is required for new entrants and 7th and 10th graders.

Ideally, the family physician should perform the medical examination (forms are available in the school health offices). Each school district is mandated by law to provide an examination by the school physician of those pupils whose parents do not provide a report from the family physician. Physicals for new entrants and 7th and 10th graders must be received by October 18, 2012. Physicals for new entrants, 7th and 10th graders and winter sports will be held on October 23, 2012 at 8:30 a.m.—11:00 a.m. by school physician, Dr. Occhino. If you have any questions, please call Susan White, Jr./Sr. High Nurse at 992-3615.



CONTINUING EDUCATION FALL PROGRAM

EDEN CENTRAL SCHOOLS FALL 2012

Visit www.edencsd.org for new and updated Continuing Education information.

Please complete the form below and mail it with a check or money order made payable to Eden Central School. Mail to: District Office, Eden Central School, 3150 Schoolview Road, Eden, NY 14057, e-mail <u>bthomasulo@edencsd.wnyric.org</u> or you may bring your registration and check to the District Office from 7:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. five days prior to the scheduled start date for the class. You must be 18 years old and no longer enrolled in high school to take a class, unless otherwise specified. The date listed by each class is the beginning date. There is variation in the beginning dates, length of classes and times, so please check details carefully. IF A CLASS DOES NOT ATTAIN MINIMUM PARTICIPANTS, YOUR CHECK WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU. YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE NOTIFICATION IF THE CLASS WILL RUN. All classes are held in the Jr./Sr. High School, unless otherwise noted.

IMPORTANT – When school is closed during the day or canceled because of weather, so are your courses. Likewise, when after school activities are canceled due to the weather, so are your courses.

- Check our web-site in February for more safe boating classes to start in the spring.
- Reduce your auto insurance rates with the 6-Hour Insurance/Point Reduction Class.
- Sign your 16+ year old student up for the pre-licensing course.
- Spanish lessons for your Elementary School student.
- Take a First Aid Class for someone you love.
- Voice classes for everyone.
- Make your own glass beads and jewelry.
- Join an exercise class.
- Take a trip with Know How Tours.
- Learn how to get paid to talk.
- Don't just sit there and read this get up and join in the fun!

CONTINUING EDUCATION	REGISTRATION FORM	FALL 2012
NAME	PHONE	
ADDRESS		
E-MAIL ADDRESS		
CLASS	DATE	AMOUNT ENCLOSED:
CLASS	DATE	ENCLOSED.
CLASS	DATE	\$



REIKI CERTIFICATION CLASSES

Become a certified Reiki healer. During these indepth sessions, you will delve deeply into the ancient Japanese art of hands-on energy healing. Learn to channel and direct Universal Life Force Energy to help reduce stress, increase vitality and correct physical, mental and emotional imbalances. Each course provides training, course materials, attunement and hands-on experience of advanced techniques useful for healing yourself, family and friends or for establishing your own Reiki practice. Come experience the lifetransforming power of Reiki.

Level I—1 Session	Level II—1 Session
Call for future date*	Saturday, October 20th
10 am – 4 pm	10 am – 4 pm
Cost: \$135	Cost \$160
Advanced Reiki Training 1 Session Saturday, November 10th 10 am – 4 pm Cost \$125	Level III—1 Session Saturday, December 1st 10 am-4 pm Cost \$185

Instructor: Jesse Wicher All classes held at the Holistic Arts Studio, 68 Reed Avenue, Lackawanna, off Ridge Road, near OLV.

SELF-GROWTH AND THE ART OF SINGING

Professional singer, voice teacher and holistic health practitioner, Jesse Wicher, will share with you the wonderful life-lessons he has learned through the study of singing. Explore with him the profound relationship between the breath, body and voice, and personal growth. Highlights include: "Singing with your own voice," "Getting out of the way," and "Letting go of judgments." This engaging one-evening course is perfect for singers, artists and anyone wishing to create more freedom and joy in their life. Come and learn what good singing can teach you about good living!

Monday, December 3rd 1 Session— 6:30 – 8:30 pm No minimum Instructor: Jesse Wicher All classes held at the Holistic Arts Studio, 68 Reed Avenue, Lackawanna, off Ridge Road, near OLV. Cost \$25

SINGING LESSONS FOR EVERYONE

Do what you love to do – Better! Learn to bring greater enjoyment and satisfaction to your singing by building on the basics of breath support, tonal focus and musicianship. Whether you are a beginner or an experienced musician, this class will help you get to the next level of your art. Just bring your enthusiasm and a piece of music you love to sing! Classes are open to all ages! Lessons are 30 minutes of private instruction.

Five-Week session – flexible scheduling!

No minimum Instructor: Jesse Wicher Cost \$75 for five lessons All classes held at the Holistic Arts Studio, 68 Reed Avenue, Lackawanna, off Ridge Road, near OLV.

GET PAID TO TALK – AN INTRODUCTION TO PROFESSIONAL VOICE OVERS

Have you ever been told that you have a great voice? This exciting class will explore numerous aspects of voice over work for television, film, radio, audio books, documentaries and the Internet in your area. We will cover all the basics, including how to prepare the all-important demo, how to be successful and earn great income in this exciting field. Students will have the opportunity to ask questions and to hear examples

> of demos recorded by professional voice actors. Class participants will even have a chance to record a commercial script under the direction of our Voicecoaches.com producer!

> This class is informative, lots of fun, and a great first step for anyone interested in voice acting professionally. Space is limited, and registration closes one week prior to class, so register early!

Thursday, November 15th 1 Session—6:30 – 9 pm Minimum 10 people Instructor: Voice Coaches Room 146 Cost \$15

AMERICAN RED CROSS BASIC FIRST AID COURSE

Do you know the most effective way to stop the bleeding of a serious cut? Could you help someone with a head iniury until or neck medical personnel arrive? Learn the skills needed to prevent, recognize and provide basic care for injuries and sudden illnesses in Standard First Aid. Featuring hands-on practice and real-life scenarios, this course is updated with the latest science for first aid and provides useful takehome materials to retain skills and use as reference tools once training is complete.

Saturday, October 27th 1 Session 9:00 am-1:00 pm Minimum 6 people to run class Instructor: American Red Cross Staff Member High School, Room 146 \$60 or \$50 with IHA Discount*

AMERICAN RED CROSS ADULT/INFANT/CHILD CPR/ AED

Could you operate an Automated External Defibrillator if a friend, family member or someone nearby was suffering from cardiac arrest? Take CPR/AED to learn the skills needed to prevent, recognize, and provide basic care for cardiac arrest and the effective use of an AED. Updated with the latest science for CPR and emergency cardiovascular care, this course also provides useful take-home materials to retain skills and use as reference tools once training is complete.

Saturday, October 13th 1 Session 8:00 am-2:30 pm Minimum 6 people to run class Instructor: American Red Cross Staff Member High School, Room 146 \$60 or \$50 with IHA Discount*

RED CROSS WILDERNESS AND REMOTE FIRST AID COURSE

New York's wilderness is beautiful—enjoy it safely! This 16-hour course is for those who work, live or play in remote areas-away from the usual EMS service. Even though the emergency workers near these areas may be trained to search for and rescue those in need, there may be a delay in the notification for assistance, the time required to get to the patient, or in moving the patient to more advanced treatment. This class covers assessment and urgent first aid techniques, but not in-depth CPR. Basic first aid skills are covered, making this course appropriate for anyone regardless of experience level No prerequisites are required. Certification is valid for three (3) years. The course awards 1.6 CEU's. A minimum age of 15 is recommended for participants due to the serious nature of the course and scenarios. This course is recommended by the Boys Scouts of America, Girl Scouts of America and the American Camping Association to meet accreditation standards.

Tuesdays, November 6th 4 Sessions 5:30 pm-9:30 pm Minimum 6 people to run class Instructor: Red Cross Staff Member High School, Room 146 \$115

*In order to receive Independent Health discount, participants must provide proof of insurance, including group number and ID.

RED CROSS BABYSITTING COURSE

The 6¹/₂ hour Babysitter's Training course gives 11 to 15 year olds the skills and confidence to safely and responsibly care for children and infants. Through hands-on activities, interactive video and lively discussions, the course teaches young people how to care for children and infants and:

- Be good leaders and role models.
- Make good decisions and solve problems.
- Keep the children they babysit and themselves safe.
- Handle emergencies such as injuries, illnesses and household accidents.
- Write resumes and interview for jobs.

Students receive materials that are useful both during the course and on the job, including a handbook packed with information and fullcolor skill sheets; a compact emergency reference guide; and an interactive CD-ROM featuring an activity booklet with games, songs, recipes and other activities, an electronic babysitting client organizer more. and much Minimum 11 vears old to participate.

Saturday, November 17th 1 Session 8:00 am–3:00 pm Bring a lunch Min. 6 people to run class Instructor: American Red Cross High School Room 145 \$65 or \$55 with IHA Discount*

LEARN SPANISH—Open to grades 3,4,5 and 6 at Eden Elementary School. See our web-site for registration form and details. www.edencsd.org —> Community —> Continuing Education

Special Interests

GLASS BEADMAKING—THE FIRST STEPS

Turn hot glass into cool stuff! Join glass artisan Vicki Schneider at her beautiful studio in Woodlawn for an experience you will never forget. Vicki's studio, Expressive Glass, is located at 3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn, between the Ford and steel plants. In just three hours, you will make your own beautiful one -of-a-kind glass beads and enter the mystical and ancient world of lampworking. This clinic will introduce you to the art of safely flameworking soft glass. You will learn to melt glass rods, wrap molten glass around thin steel rods (mandrels), and create basic beads. After exploring various surface decorations, you will produce colorful treasures that you can use to create jewelry on your own.

Choose a date: Sunday, November 4th 2-5 pm Saturday, November 10th 2-5 pm Thursday, December 6th 6-9 pm 1 Session



Maximum of 4 people Instructor: Vicki Schneider

\$65 includes 3 hours of instruction, all glass, tools and materials, plus 1 hour complimentary studio time to be used within 30 days of your class.

Classes held at Expressive Glass, 3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn

FIVE HOUR PRE-LICENSING COURSE

Completion of this course is mandatory to sign up for a road test. Permit is required for registration. You must pre-register in Room 143 at the High School. You must also bring your permit to class. Ages 16 and up.

Monday, October 22nd 1 Session 4:15 pm – 9:30 pm Minimum 10 people Maximum 36 Instructor: Ronald Uhlman Room 133 \$30



A man who trusts nobody is apt to be the kind of man nobody trusts.

Harold MacMillan

MAKE A BEAD—A BIT OF CORNING IN BUFFALO'S BACKYARD

If you don't have the time right now to travel to Corning, anyone age 10 or above can make a beautiful glass bead or pendant right here in Western New York. You will melt rods of colored glass in a propane and oxygen torch and make a one of a kind creation. Glass artist and teacher, Vicki Schneider, will demonstrate how to work with molten glass at the torch and guide you through the entire process. Pieces must be placed in a kiln overnight and may either be picked up or mailed to you for an additional charge of \$5. Each private class lasts from 30-45 minutes. Students under 18 years old must be accompanied by a responsible adult. Contact Expressive Glass directly at 716-825-3333 or studio@expressiveclass.com to make your appointment.

Flexible date and time \$20 per project **Maximum** of 4 people Instructor: Vicki Schneider Classes held at Expressive Glass, 3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn

SIX HOUR INSURANCE REDUCTION COURSE

This six hour class is Empire Safety Council's "Accident Prevention Workshop". Upon successful completion, and providing you have not taken the class previously in the last three years, New York State law requires your insurance company to give you a discount of 10% on your Liability, Collision and PIP coverages. If needed, you will also receive a four point overlook on your driving record. This class covers drinking and driving, distractions, driver attitude and behavior, defensive driving techniques and the Vehicle and Traffic Law, etc. There is no final exam and all who participate will receive credit for completion. You MUST attend all six hours.

Tuesday **and** Thursday, October 23^{rd} and 25^{th} 5:45 – 9:00 pm

OR

Saturday, November 10th 8:15 am – 3:00 pm Minimum 5 people to run class Instructor: Larry Lachat Faculty Lounge \$40

Please specify which date(s) you would like to attend.



FITNESS & FUN

BOATERS SAFETY CLASS

The New York State Parks and Recreation Department Boaters' Safety Course meets NYS requirements for a Personal Watercraft Boating Safety Course. It is intended to provide a basic knowledge of safe and legal boating practices. This is an 8 hour instructor led workshop, which includes a textbook and a 50 question multiple choice exam, which you MUST pass. Satisfactory completion will earn you an official completion certificate and may earn you up to a 15% annual discount on your watercraft insurance. It is approved by the NASBLA and meets education requirements for states with boater education laws. Course completion is good for life and is recognized by the US Coast Guard. MUST be over 10 years of age at beginning of course.

Monday and Wednesday, November 19th and 21st 6:00 pm -10:00 pm Minimum 5 people to run course Instructor: Larry Lachat Faculty Lounge \$45 fee will include all books and materials and final exam. It DOES NOT include the state certificate. The state charges \$10.00 for the certificate, which will be paid separately—details given during class.

CORE TRAINING

In order to lose weight and get healthy you need to strengthen your muscles. Core training is a total body workout that tones muscle, decreases fat and gives you more energy. What are you waiting for? Get results with us. Please bring a water bottle and yoga mat. Tuesdays and Thursdays — November 13th - January 31st 6:30-7:30 pm Instructor: Kelly Davisson \$40 for 1x/week, \$80 2x/week, \$100 3x/week (combined with Saturday class) or \$5 walk-in fee At Eden Methodist Church 2820 East Church St., Eden, NY 14057

TOTAL BODY WORKOUT

20 Minutes of Piloxing, light cardio with some strength, then 20 minutes of abs/core, followed by 20 minutes of yoga.
 Saturdays — November 3rd-February 9th 8:45-9:45 am
 Instructor: Kelly Davisson \$40 for 1x/week or \$5 walk-in fee
 At Eden Methodist Church 2820 East Church St., Eden, NY 14057

HALL WALKERS

Walk in the hallways of Eden Central High School. Whether you enjoy an easy stroll or a brisk walk for regular exercise, your neighborhood school offers the perfect clean, dry and secure setting regardless of the weather! (NO children please). You **MUST** BE REGISTERED and wear District provided nametag at all times. <u>Registration by mail, e-mail or drop in only;</u> **please <u>no</u> phone calls.** Nametags can be picked up on door of room 143 at the High School. You must also sign in outside of room 143 each time you walk.

> Monday through Friday, Now through May 31st 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. No minimum registrants No instructor, no fees.



WOMEN'S SELF-DEFENSE/RAPE PREVENTION AND AWARENESS

This course is designed to teach women valuable life skills to ensure safety. Students will learn to anticipate and avoid trouble situations and invaluable self-defense skills. Each student will develop a program that is designed to meet their specific needs and most importantly, the confidence to implement it. Please note classes will be held off campus.

Mondays, November 19th 4 Sessions 8:00 – 9:00 pm Min. 4 people to run class Instructors: Michael and Sandy Downs \$25

At Defensive Arts Dojo 5444 Camp Road, Holiday Village Plaza Hamburg, NY 14075

A successful man is one who can lay a firm foundation with the bricks others have thrown at him.

David Brinkley

OKTOBERFEST EXPRESS ALL ABOARD THE TIOGA CENTRAL RAILROAD SPECTACULAR COLOR & GERMAN STYLE LUNCH SAT., OCT. 13 *\$114.00

KIDS 12 & UNDER *\$90.00

Begin with a *MUFFIN & JUICE* and get ready to see Mother Nature's artistry at its best on your way to Wellsboro, PA. Upon arrival in Tioga County – we will visit *HIGHLAND CHOCOLATES*. Hop aboard the *TIOGA CENTRAL TRAIN* for the 24-mile round trip excursion through a variety of Terrains, Flatland, Hills, & ending at a beautiful Lake. Enjoy a plated "*OKTOBERFEST STYLE LUNCH*" including Bratwurst; Pork Chop, & Pierogi served in the Vintage climate controlled dining car- with China & Silverware on linens-like days of old. Stroll to the open-air or passenger car for the remainder of the trip. Make a stop at *PINE CREEK GORGE*, known as the *GRAND CANYON OF EAST* to get a closer look at the 47-mile, 1,000 ft deep Gorge. Walk around & get a variety of views. You may want to bring a camera.

NOTE: Be sure to wear your walking shoes and

dress appropriately for weather conditions. A rest stop will be made on the way down and fast food stop on the return. **DEPART** HD 7:00 am TP 7:30 am **RETURN** TP 8:30 pm HD 9:00 pm

IT'S A WONDER-"FALL" DAY!



TUES. OCT. 16 \$97.00 It's a wonder-"fall" day for a one day outing! This day tour is jampacked and loaded with fall favorites. Meet your guide and visit the LAKE SHORE RAILWAY MUSEUM, housed in the former New York Central Passenger depot. The museum features a large collection of railroad artifacts. Parked on the tracks is an original Heisler locomotive, a 1922 tank car, a dining car and sleeping cars. You can walk through these cars and step back into the past. Arrive at PEEK N PEAK for a scrumptious meal in a beautiful setting. Take a chair lift ride up the ski slopes. It's easy on and off and offers a bird's eye view of a wonder-"fall" Fall day. This afternoon, visit PASCHKE'S MUM FARM. Shop for produce of the season, mums, homemade pies & cookies, fall décor and more! The route of our day has been mapped so that you can see the magnificent views of the fall colors!

CHOOSE YOUR ENTRÉE: Chicken Florentine · Whitefish Filet DEPART HD: 9:00 am TP 9:30 am RETURN TP 6:00 pm HD 6:30 pm



FALL FOLIAGE CRUISE FALL PADDLEWHEELE CRUISE ON THE GENESEE RIVER THURS., OCT. 18 \$84.00

Experience the excitement and romance of riverboat days as you cruise the *GENESEE RIVER* aboard the *HARBOR TOWN BELLE*, an 80-foot authentic *PADDLEWHEELER*. Cruise departs from the Port of Rochester and travels up the *GENESEE RIVER*. Enjoy a ham & chicken *BUFFET LUNCH* as we cruise. The Fall colors are incredible and relaxing. Camera are a must! We'll enjoy a *2 HOUR CRUISE* before we travel to Bloomfield, NY to the *LAZY ACRE ALPACA FARM*. Located in the Finger Lakes Region – you'll visit 200 plush acres of hills, trees, streams, ponds and grass that surround the barns that shelter these magnificent & fun animals. Get up close and personal with the alpacas. Learn about the history and care. Stop by the gift shop featuring assorted souvenirs and wearables! It's a great fall visit to top off our day!

DEPART TP 9:30 am HD 10:00 am **RETURN** HD 5:30 pm TP 6:00 pm

PICKUP & DROP OFF LOCATIONS:TP = TOPS MARKET355 ORCHARD PARK RD.HD = HOME DEPOT2065 NIAGARA FALLS BLVD.

TRAVEL BACK IN TIME ABOARD THE OIL CREEK & TITUSVILLE RAILROAD FALL COLORS & SPECTACULAR ATTRACTIONS

FRI., OCT. 19

\$104.00

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Begin with a **MUFFIN & JUICE** and get ready to travel to the "valley that changed the world". Hop aboard the **OIL CREEK & TITUSVILLE RAILROAD**. You will be where oil history began. Enjoy a relaxing **TRAIN RIDE** through **OIL CREEK STATE PARK** which takes you back in time as tour guides describe fortune seekers who brought the world's first oil boom. See the sites of towns that grew overnight, then vanished as the oil flow ceased. Learn the history of railroading and its importance to the region then and now. A **BOXED LUNCH** is included for the train ride. We will detrain at the **DRAKE WELL MUSEUM** where admission is included this afternoon. Our last stop of the day is the **DEBENCE ANTIQUE MUSIC WORLD & MUSEUM**. See & hear over 100 old time musical instruments. Calliopes, Carousel Band Organs, Music Boxes, Nickelodeons and more! A camera is a must on this tour. A fast food dinner stop will be made on the return.

CHOOSE ONE SANDWICH: • Turkey Sandwich • Ham Sandwich DEPART HD 7:00 am TP 7:30 am RETURN TP 7:30 pm HD 8:00 pm

"HALLOWINE" TOUR – LIMITED TO 24 PER BUS PROGRESSIVE MURDER MYSTERY IN THE NIAGARA REGION

SAT., OCT. 20 *\$114.00 Travel the NIAGARA WINE TRAIL for their annual Murder Mystery HALLOWINE TOUR. Get the Detective's initial report & enough information to try and figure out Who did it??! Come as yourself or in costume! Receive a WINE GLASS to use at each winery – (approx. 6-7 depending on how fast the group can be serviced at each stop.) Collect the Clues & sample Wine & a Goodie at each location. You will have the chance to purchase your favorite wines as well. We suggest you bring along a sandwich or snack to nibble on as you travel between wineries because we will not be stopping for lunch, but save room for DINNER at the historic – TUSCARORA INN after your hard day of crime solving. BRING PROOF OF AGE ID. A Mid-size non-restroom coach will be used.

CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE: Chicken Breast (Herb roasted & oven fried) Herb Roasted Pork Loin · Vegetable Lasagna in zesty marinara sauce DEPART TP 9:30 am HD 10:00 am RETURN HD 8:30 pm TP 9:00 pm

OLD FASHIONED CHRISTMAS IN THE WOODS SHAKER WOODS VILLAGE

\$90.00

JUICE AND MUFFIN are served en route to Columbiana, Ohio known as the Biggest Little Town in Ohio. AN OLD-FASHIONED CHRISTMAS in the Woods at beautiful SHAKER WOODS is bigger and better than ever! Shop for hand-crafted holiday gift items from some of the country's best craftspeople in a setting that only Shaker Woods can deliver. The Woods are transformed into a holiday wonderland with each booth beautifully decorated in an old-fashioned holiday theme. See craftspeople demonstrate their unique skills right before your eyes including woodworkers, floral designers, blacksmiths, potters, tole painters, basket wavers and many others. Enjoy approx 4 ½ -5 hours at the festival. We will make a leisurely rest stop both ways and dinner stop en route home for your traveling comfort.

DEPART HD 7:30 am TP 8:00 am RETURN TP 9:30 pm HD 10:00 pm

TRAVELING INTO CANADA

REQUIRED PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP:

- PASSPORT
- PASSPORT CARD

SUN., OCT. 21

- ENHANCED NYS DRIVER'S LICENSE
- NEXUS CARD

"CHICAGO" THE MUSICAL

WED., OCT. 24,



We're traveling to SUNY Fredonia for an exclusive musical matinee. CHICAGO, the musical, is now the longest running American musical in Broadway history and you can see it here in Fredonia! Our first stop is the CLARION HOTEL IN DUNKIRK for a SIT DOWN LUNCHEON. Set in mid 1920s Prohibition-era Chicago. Velma murdered both her husband and her sister. A

*\$97.00

chorus girl Roxie murders her lover. Roxie convinces her husband that the victim was a burglar, and he cheerfully takes the blame. However, the truth comes out, and Roxie is arrested. She's sent to the Cook County Jail with Velma, other murderesses and the corrupt Matron "Mama" Morton who helps Velma become the media's top murder-ofthe-week. Roxie steals Velma's lawyer and becomes the new toast of Chicago. She decides being pregnant in prison would put her way on top and of course, her husband is the father.

Roxie's lawyer gets her off by using all of Velma's ideas. Roxie gets her acquittal, but just then a more sensational crime pulls the press away. Her lawver leaves, her husband stavs, but only until she tells him she's not really pregnant. Roxie then teams up with Velma for one big sensational finale! Great tunes - "All That Jazz", "When You're Good to Mamma", "Mr. Cellophane", "Razzle Dazzle" and many more. Book Now! CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE

· Stuffed Chicken Breast · Baked Fish · Sliced Top Round Of Beef DEPART HD: 9:00 am TP 9:30 am RETURN TP 5:00 pm HD 5:30 pm

WITCHES BREW **BROADWAY STYLE LUNCHEON SHOW**

TUES., OCT. 30

Enjoy a relaxing motor coach ride to Erie, PA. Enjoy a delicious BUFFET LUNCH at the **AMBASSADOR HOTEL & CONFERENCE** CENTER. Cash Bar available. Α Broadway style show called, "WITCHES BREW', featuring ENCHANTE CABARET will be presented following lunch. Set in



land of midnight shadows and starry skies comes the story of the Witch of Halloween. The Witch, determined to complete her brew that would turn all days into Halloween, decides to summon 3 lost souls to aide in her sorcery. Can she claim her destiny with the elite of the sisterhood, or will good prevail over the darkness of evil? Come find out as secret mysteries and hidden agendas unfold before your eyes.

"Witches Brew", definitely fills your goody basket. Whether it be with new songs, characters and music, Halloween has never been better. This show comes fully loaded with over many, many show tunes, and original works. But please beware, for the audience is not out of reach of the Witch of Halloween.

Following the show, we will have approx., 1 ½ hours at the **PRESQUE** ISLE DOWNS where each person will receive \$10 in gaming extended by the casino. BRING VALID PHOTO ID (DRIVER'S LICENSE) IN ORDER TO RECEIVE YOUR INCENTIVE ALONG WITH YOUR PRESQUE ISLE PLAYERS CARD IF YOU HAVE ONE.

ENTREES ON BUFFET INCLUDE: Rosemary Roasted Chicken, Beef Stroganoff & Include Oven Roasted Potatoes, Various Salads, Penne Pasta With Sauce, Seasonal Vegetables, and Assorted Desserts. DEPART HD 10:00 am TP 10:30 am RETURN TP 6:30 pm HD 7:00PM

"BARBARA AND FRANK" THE CONCERT THAT NEVER WAS

WED., NOV. 7

Travel to the GREG FREWIN THEATER in Niagara Falls, Ont. Begin with a Buffet Lunch featuring Chicken, Beef Stir Fry and Pasta followed by the performance of BARBARA & FRANK - THE CONCERT THAT **NEVER WAS.** They never worked together, exactly, except when they taped a duet in separate recording sessions, but it's tantalizing to think what it would have been like to have Barbara Streisand and Frank Sinatra together for a concert tour. Just imagine the possibilities. Now in the Last Vegas hit show Barbara and Frank, the rapport of these two 20th century icons is immediately prevalent with outstanding performances by Sharon Owens and Sebastian Anzaldo. Following our show, we will stop at Rossi Glass, the only manufacture of Cranberry Glass in Canada with the largest selection of cranberry glass found anywhere in the world. This is a great opportunity to purchase a piece as a holiday gift. PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED

DEPART TP 10:00 am HD 10:30 am RETURN HD 5:30 pm TP 6:00 pm

VICTORIANA CHRISTMAS

*\$94.00

We begin our Victorian day with a VICTORIAN DECORATION CREATION & TALK. Your lecturer has been a floral arranger for many years and is an expert on Victorian wreaths, swags and other holiday decorations. She will create one of these beautiful decorations for you. Learn the history of the Christmas Tree and the first Christmas card. LUNCH will be served at the WHITE INN, Fredonia. Following lunch, enjoy an ORGAN RECITAL and CAROLING at the Baptist Church where the Women's Christian Temperance Union was formed. The last stops of the day complete our holiday themed tour. TIME PIECES is a lovely shop specializing in tea cups, brass items, collectibles, local artisans creations & more. JOY'S CHRISTMAS SHOP is filled to the brim with gorgeous hand crafter holiday décor created by the arranger from this morning's program!

CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE · Stuffed Chicken · Sliced Sirloin of Beef DEPART HD: 9:30 am TP 10:00 am RETURN TP 5:30 pm HD 6:00 pm

A CHRISTKINDL CHRISTMAS **CHRISTKINDL MARKET – FESTIVAL OF TREES**

SAT., NOV. 10

THUR., NOV. 8

\$84.00

Travel to the quaint town of Canandaigua. Our first stop is the RHEINBLICK GERMAN RESTAURANT where we'll enjoy an APPETIZER - POTATO PANCAKES. Re-board the coach for a short ride to the GRANGER HOMESTEAD for their annual FESTIVAL OF TREES & CHRISTKINDL MARKET. A visit to the 1816 former home of the Granger Family, will certainly put you in the Holiday Spirit! The Mansion is decorated with over 100 entries including Holiday Trees, Wreaths, Mantel Displays, Table Decorations, Quilts, Stockings, & Floral Arrangements. The CHRISTKINDL MARKET, is a holiday Craft Show held on the Granger grounds & in the Carriage Museum. Over 100 juried artisans will participate in this European inspired Christmas Market that takes place in large heated tents. Savor the aroma of roasted nuts, bratwurst and Gideon's Grog (Hot Spiced Wine). Grab a bite to eat on your own surrounded by holiday decorations & music. Your combo ticket allows you entrance into all activities throughout the Granger Homestead.

DEPART TP 9:00 am HD 9:30 am RETURN HD 5:30 pm TP 6:00 pm



*\$104.00



We're heading to Middlefield, OH for an AMISH CHRISTMAS TOUR. We will make a coffee/rest stop en route. Meet the STEP ON GUIDE & begin touring. We're headed for EMMA MILLER'S HOME to DECORATE COOKIES to bring home. Stop by her craft store and bakery. Visit with Emma & LEARN ABOUT AMISH CULTURE. Next, we'll visit FIG TREE BULK FOOD STORE. Purchase those hard-to-find items at a great price. Visit MARY YODER'S AMISH BAKERY & GIFT SHOP. You will have time to purchase Amish baked goods. Browse through the gift shop for unique Christmas gifts. Hungry yet? Ready for a traditional AMISH CHRISTMAS DINNER? Get your taste buds ready for Ruth or Rachel's home cooking. You will have the pleasure of eating in an Amish Home. The Menu includes Baked Turkey, stuffing, real mashed potatoes, gravy, vegetables, salad, fresh baked bread and of This afternoon, visit SUNRISE FARM'S course. Amish pies. CHARMING GREENHOUSE AND GIFT SHOP. Enjoy samples of hot cider and cookies as you browse the gift shop. Tour their beautiful glass greenhouse filled with poinsettias and Christmas trees. End your day with a stop at the BUCKEYE CHOCOLATE FACTORY to learn about daily operations and how it began ... with a yummy sample! A fast food stop (on your own) will be made en route home.

DEPART HD 7:00 am TP 7:30 am RETURN TP 8:30 pm HD 9:00 pm

"BOBBY VINTON" NIAGARA FALLS FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS **BOOK EARLY – SURE TO SELL OUT**

MON., NOV, 26

*\$130.00

BOBBY VINTON, an American pop music singer of Polish origin, best known as "The Polish Prince" is coming to the Gale Center in NIAGARA FALLS, ONTARIO for one show Enjoy a MATINEE SHOW featuring the popular only! songs that you all know and love! Sing along, reminisce, and enjoy! Following the show, we will travel to the nearby **RUBY TUESDAY FAMILY RESTAURANT** for a lovely dinner. Following dinner, we'll enjoy a drive through the Niagara Falls Festival of Lights before returning home. Book early - sure to be a sellout! There is an elevator and easy access to Gale Center seating.

PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED.

CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE: Baked Ham Dinner Roast Beef Baked Chicken

DEPART TP 12:00 pm HD 12:30 pm RETURN HD 8:30 pm TP 9:00 pm



*\$110.00

A hilarious comedy at MOHAWK DINNER THEATER located in the Mohawk Racetrack & Slots just outside Toronto! The superb example of the British farce had them rolling in the aisles in

London and New York. A taxi driver gets away with having two wives in different areas of London because of his irregular working schedule. Complication is piled upon complication as the cabby tries to keep his double life from exploding. A BUFFET LUNCH and \$10.00 GAMING VOUCHER is included with your entertainment.

PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED TO ENTER CANADA. GOVERNMENT ISSUED ID IS REQUIRED TO RECEIVE CASINO INCENTIVE.

DEPART TP 9:00 am HD 9:30 am RETURN HD 7:30 pm TP 8:00 pm **"OVER THE MOON"** ANNUAL MANDOLIN ORCHESTRA CONCERT

BOOK EARLY - SURE TO SELL OUT!

WED., NOV. 28

*\$84.00

Enjoy SIT DOWN FULL HOT LUNCH AT BETTY'S RESTAURANT (three choice selections - orders taken at the restaurant).

Spend the afternoon in St. Catherine's, Ont. listening to the unique sound of the MANDOLIN ORCHESTRA OF NIAGARA. The performance takes place in the BETHANY COMMUNITY CHURCH. The multi-use facility has comfortable graduated theater-style seating and excellent acoustics. This year's all new show is entitled "OVER THE MOON". The 30-member Orchestra will take you on a musical journey featuring a celebration of the moon, the stars, and the skies...sure to put you "Over the Moon"! Book early - sure to be a sellout! PROOF OF **CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED**

DEPART TP 10:00 am HD 10:30 am RETURN HD 5:30 pm TP 6:00 pm

WONDERS OF WATER & LIGHTS **OUR LADY OF FATIMA FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS** THURS., NOV. 29 \$94.00

Treat yourself to an exquisite holiday tour. The POWER VISTA, as it is known, is located 4 miles downstream from the Falls, and is set amidst the spectacular scenery of the NIAGARA RIVER GORGE. More than 50 interactive displays welcome you to explore the WONDERS OF WATER at the NIAGARA POWER VISTA. Learn about hydroelectricity and its historic role on the Niagara Frontier. DINNER is included at the WATER STREET LANDING in Lewiston followed by a visit to the OUR LADY OF FATIMA BASILICA & SHRINE. The magnificence and natural beauty of the Shrine is highlighted by an awe-inspiring Dome Basilica. Walk through the annual FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS & DISPLAYS (indoor & outside) located in the Pilgrim Center & at the Basilica and visit the unique, one of a kind Fatima Store well supplied with a large variety of religious articles, books & gift items. Dress for weather conditions. **CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE:**

-Grilled Salmon Fillet Artichoke & Spinach Pasta - Fillet Of Sirloin DEPART TP 2:30 pm HD 3:00 pm RETURN HD 9:30 pm TP 10:00 pm

DICKENS OF A CHRISTMAS INCLUDING THE "SANTA EXPRESS" WELLSBORO, PA

SAT., DEC. 1

*\$100.00

KIDS 10 & UNDER *\$74.00 It's a DICKENS OF A CHRISTMAS celebration! Begin with a MUFFIN & JUICE as we travel to Wellsboro, PA. Get in the Old Fashioned Christmas spirit as we take a step back in time at the annual DICKENS CELEBRATION. Wellsboro's Main Street becomes an early Victorian marketplace...as you stroll about - it's not uncommon to stumble upon a little match girl, or even old Scrooge himself! Enjoy entertainment all day long, street vendors, and more! A BUFFET LUNCH is included at the Penn Wells Hotel. Following lunch, hop aboard the TIOGA CENTRAL TRAIN for the SANTA EXPRESS excursion. Take a journey to the "North Pole" to pick up Santa and bring him back to Wellsboro. This train caters to kids of every age!!! Each child 10 & under receives a special gift from Santa. You may want to bring a camera.

NOTE: Be sure to wear your walking shoes and dress appropriately for weather conditions. A rest stop will be made on the way down and fast food dinner stop on the return.

DEPART HD 7:00 am TP 7:30 am RETURN TP 8:30 pm HD 9:00 pm

JINGLE ALL THE WAY LUNCH & SHOW – ROCHESTER NY

MON., DEC. 3

*\$80.00

If you love music, like to laugh, reminisce and generally have a great time, you must join us at **SHADOW LAKE COUNTRY CLUB** this holiday season. Join in and sing along with all of your favorites! "White Christmas", "Jingle Bells", "Sleigh Ride", "Silent Night", "Have yourself a Merry Little Christmas", A breathtaking duo of world class entertainers not to be missed, Sam & Nancy of **VIVA VOCA** have been together as a vocal team for over 20 years. They have appeared with such mega stars as Johnny Carson, Rodney Dangerfield, Pat Cooper, Jack Carter and Phyllis McGuire, just to name a few. Their international travels have taken them to the Bahamas, Aruba, Canada, Saudi Arabia and all over the United States. While in the US, they were a regular act in Las Vegas, Miami Beach, and Atlantic City. A fantastic lunch is included prior to the show. En route home, we will make a stop at **OLIVER'S CHOCOLATES** to make some holiday purchases.

CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE

Prime Rib of Beef
 Broiled Haddock
 Chicken French
 DEPART TP 10:30 am HD 11:00 am RETURN HD 5:00 pm TP 5:30 pm

"THE PLATTERS" GREG FREWIN DINNER THEATER WITH A VISIT TO THE ANNUAL FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS TUES., DEC. 4 *\$110.00

Travel to the *GREG FREWIN THEATER* in Niagara Falls, Ont. Begin with a Buffet Lunch followed by the performance of *THE PLATTERS*. Over the years The Platters garnered 16 gold records and attained international fame and immortality through the romantic ballads that continue to be played all over the world. Today, The Platters, featuring Monroe Powell, with Wilson Williams, Ken Johnson, Allen Holland and Verceal Whitaker continue to perform all over the world – bringing back memories of romance with their delicately balanced harmonies. Audiences of all ages rave about their performances and you can see them live on stage! Following our show, we will stop at *ROSSI GLASS*, the only manufacture of Cranberry Glass in Canada with the largest selection of cranberry glass found anywhere in the world. Lastly, we'll take a drive through the annual *NIAGARA FALLS FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS* on the Ontario side of the Falls before setting forth for home. **PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED**

DEPART TP 10:00 am HD 10:30 am RETURN HD 6:30 pm TP 7:00 pm

"BACK HOME FOR THE HOLIDAY'S" LUNCH – SHOW – CASINO

TUES., DEC. 4

*\$98.00

Start off your holiday season right with this heart-warming musical, *CHRISTMAS MEMORIES* in which the "true meaning" of Christmas is always celebrated. We're off to *THE STATION DINNER THEATER* in Erie, PA for the annual holiday musical – "Back Home for the Holidays". The best singers in the Northeast Region of Pennsylvania bring to life the magic of Christmas. This is a holiday tradition that guarantees to get you in the holiday spirit. Noon Dinner Show includes family style meal. Trip includes standard 10% gratuity. Additional gratuity is at your discretion. Following the show, try your luck at the *PRESQUE ISLE CASINO* with *\$10.00 IN FREE SLOT PLAY*. Have approx. 2 1/2 hours at the Casino before traveling home.

BRING A VALID STATE OR FEDERALLY ISSUED ID (PASSPORT OR DRIVER'S LICENSE) & ONE OTHER FORM OF ID ALONG WITH YOUR PRESQUE ISLE PLAYERS CARD IF YOU HAVE ONE.

DEPART HD 10:00 am TP 10:30 am RETURN TP 8:00 pm HD 8:30 pm



"WAR HORSE ON STAGE" PRINCESS OF WALES THEATRE - TORONTO WED., DEC. 5 INCLUDES DINNER *\$160.00

We're off to Toronto for the stage hit, *WAR HORSE* at the Princess of Wales Theater. Don't miss this story of Albert's beloved horse, Joey is sold to the cavalry and shipped to France. He's soon caught up in enemy fire and takes an extraordinary journey. This powerfully moving and imaginative drama is filled with stirring music and songs and a production phenomenal inventiveness. After our 1:30 PM *MATINEE* enjoy a relaxing sit down dinner at Joe Badali's Restaurant in Toronto. Dinner choices at seating. **PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED DEPART** TP 9:30 am HD 10:00 am **RETURN** HD 8:30 pm TP 9:00 pm

WHITE CHRISTMAS AT SHEA'S SUN., DEC. 9 A SEATI

A SEATING \$144.00 B SEATING \$130.00

We're off to historic Shea's Buffalo Theater for the Tony Award winning performance of **WHITE CHRISTMAS**. Get ready to discover a delightful new show that's as fresh and rare as newly fallen snow! The classic holiday tradition White Christmas comes to the stage at last, as a brand new Irving Berlin musical direct from Broadway and opening at Shea's this December. Brimming with such Berlin hits as "Blue Skies," "How Deep is the Ocean?" and, of course, the unforgettable title song. Irving Berlin's White Christmas tells the story of two showbiz buddies putting on a show in a magical Vermont inn and finding their perfect mates in the bargain. Full of dancing, laughter and some of the greatest songs ever written, Irving Berlin's White Christmas promises to be a merry and bright theatrical experience for the whole family! Dinner is included following the show at the SALVATORE'S ITALIAN GARDENS. Enjoy the holiday displays at the restaurant.

CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE: • Filet Mignon • Chicken Francaise • Salmon

DEPART TP 12:30 pm HD 1:00 pm RETURN HD 7:00 pm TP 7:30 pm

VON TRAPP CHILDREN PERFORM RIVIERA THEATER

SUN., DEC. 30

ADULTS *\$89.00 SENIORS 62+ *\$84.00

Travel to **NORTH TONAWANDA** to see the **VON TRAPP CHILDEN PERFORM**. The Sound of Music captured the hearts of millions when the film debuted in 1965. Now, forty years later, the von Trapp's family legacy is born anew. Meet Sofie, Melanie, Amanda and Justin von Trapp. They are the great grandchildren of Captain von Trapp, father of the famous singing family whose story captivated the world in the musical, The Sound of Music. The siblings have continued the tradition of the family's exceptional musical gift and love of singing, sharing songs, and heart-warming family stories of life before and after coming to America. A fantastic *SIT DOWN LUNCH* is served at the *GRAPEVINE RESTAURANT* prior to the 2 pm matinee. An afternoon stop at *PLATTER'S CHOCOLATES* will end our day on a sweet note. Mid-size non-restroom coach may be used.

CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE

• Broccoli Stuffed Chicken • Italian Haddock • Roast Beef DEPART TP 11:00 am HD 11:30 am RETURN HD 5:30 pm TP 6:00 Eden Central School





IMPORTANT NOTICE TO PARENTS OF JUNIORS AND SENIORS

Thursday, December 6th is Financial Aid Night at 6 pm in the High School.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM THE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

Parents — Please note that if your children miss the morning bus, the bus will not be rerouted back. For the safety of your children, please do not chase after the bus. They may not be noticed by the driver, and the student could possibly be injured by being too close to the bus.

For the GLP students—the driver must see a parent/guardian, babysitter or high school age sibling in order to drop off the student. Elementary grades 3 & 4—the driver must have reasonable assurance that someone is home to receive the student. Elementary grade 5 through High School—no limitations.

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