

# Cheektowaga Seniors Club



## **JUNE-2019**



Our next Club Newsletter for JULY comes out Monday, May 6<sup>th</sup>. **REMEMBER**, some trips are cancelled when people wait until the last minute to register. Sign up for trips starts at 10:00 a.m. in the Center Conference room on the date of the Travel Club meeting; otherwise you can sign up in the Senior Center office Monday thru Friday from 9 am – 4 pm. Register early so you won't be disappointed! **Please be considerate of our departure and return time on all trips. We may have to leave you behind if you're not on time.**

**Mon. June 3** **MONTHLY CLUB MEETING** - at the Senior Center 1:00 pm.

Tickets for the Travel Club Picnic at Joseph's Manor on Tues, July 16<sup>th</sup> go on sale at 10:00 a.m. See separate flyer for more details.

**June 4-7** **MACKINAC ISLAND & FRANKENMUTH, MI**—See separate flyer for more details.

**Mon. June 10** **TRAVEL CLUB SPECIAL BINGO** This month's prizes will be \$5.00 local restaurant gift certificates. **12:00 noon – 3:00 p.m.** Enjoy a nutritious lunch (*menu to be announced*). Coffee is available for 50¢ per cup. After lunch we will play all round-robin bingo games; receive 2 boards (additional boards available for sale). **Deadline: Fri., May 31<sup>st</sup>. Your ticket is your lunch reservation; please do not call to make your own.** Refunds will be given for cancellations (2 weeks before the bingo date). Tickets must be presented the day of the event. Seating is limited so sign up soon. **Cost \$7.00** (this includes lunch). Chairman for Bingo Jerri Powers.

**Wed. June 12** **"A BOY AND HIS HORSE" SHAW FESTIVAL** - Your Know How Tours motorcoach will **depart the Senior Center at 7:30 a.m.** for Niagara –on-the-Lake for the 10:30 a.m. show. Wish away to Narnia in this mesmerizing story about four runaways- a boy, a girl and their horses, who find themselves called upon to rescue Narnia. With wild adventure and daring escapes, it's quite unmissable for fans of the Lion, The Witch, The Wardrobe & The Magician's nephew, and the perfect introduction for anyone new to the magical stories of C.S. Lewis. It's magic on stage. Next enjoy a lovely sit down luncheon at the Prince of Wales Restaurant. Your meal choices are: (1) grilled pesto chicken w/whipped buttermilk potatoes (2) roast pork loin cutlet w/spring vegetables. You will have time to browse the shops of Niagara-on-the-Lake before we head for home. Please note: motorcoach drop-offs are restricted to specific locations in town so walking in town is necessary. If this is a problem, check with the tour company to assure this trip will work for you. **NOTE:** In order to enter Canada it is imperative that all passengers have proof of U. S. Citizenship- Passport, Passport Card or Enhanced Driver's License & Trip Leaders should check to be sure everyone has their proper ID before the bus leaves. **Return to the Center at 6:00 p.m.** **Please Note: trip is non-refundable upon purchase unless you purchase trip insurance; Optional Trip insurance \$17pp.** Your trip includes: transportation, show, lunch, tax & gratuity. **Cost \$ 159** **50 Seats Available**  
**Deadline: Fri. May 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Tues. June 18** **"BROADWAY TONIGHT LIVE" AT SENECA NIAGARA CASINO-** Your Niagara Scenic tours motorcoach will **depart the Senior Center at 9:45 a.m.** Enjoy your matinee show which is a highly paced musical revue consisting of young, attractive, multi-talented singer and dancers. Each performer is a top notch Broadway professional, with numerous hits, filling the stage with beautiful music and dancing. They will be performing some of the songs from the hit Broadway shows such as "Cats", "West Side Story", "Phantom of the Opera and many more. Event Center is general seating; first come, first serve. Your incentives are: Free Buffet Lunch & \$20.00 slot dollars (incentives are subject to change). **Return to the Center at 5:15 p.m.** Your trip includes: free lunch buffet show, incentives, transportation, tax & gratuity. **Cost \$75** **50 Seats Available** **Deadline: Wed. May 15<sup>th</sup>**

**Thurs. June 20** **"DON'T BLAME THE CHEF"**— Your Know How Tours motorcoach will **depart the Senior Center at 9:15 a.m.** Visit Kutter's Cheese featuring cheeses from around the world. Next enjoy a delicious lunch and dessert at Yorkshire Hall before the show. "Don't Blame the Chef" for making you laugh out loud. It is utter "gourmet-hem". Old Italian Master Chef Luigi Mancheezi seeks to share his love of cooking with the world, but his sous chef, Stella Mandella, is trying to force him to retire by sabotaging his famous recipes so she can take over his bistro. She consults with the deceased French Chef-Pierre Monchere; now nothing more than a magical floating head to plan her coup. There are many courses of hilarity as Stella plots and Luigi tries to figure out which audience member is secretly a food critic (Could it be you?). Finally, visit Oliver's Chocolates in Batavia N.Y.; try their delicious homemade chocolates. **Return to the Center at 5:00p.m.** Your trip includes: transportation, lunch, show, tax & gratuity. **Cost \$ 85** **50 Seats Available** **Deadline: Fri, May 17<sup>th</sup>**

**Mon. June 24 SENECA ALLEGANY CASINO** – Your Niagara Scenic Tours motorcoach will **depart at 9:00 a.m.** Enjoy New York State’s premiere gaming attraction, which features over 68,000 square feet of gaming action including over 2,000 slot machines and 40 table games. Your incentives are: \$25 slot dollars & \$5 food voucher (incentives are subject to change). 4 hour stay required. **Return to the Center at 4:00 p.m. *\*Casino Trip Policy Applies\** NO Refunds are given on Casino trips unless cancelled at least 21 days before the trip date; please notify the Senior Center office if you have your own replacement. **Member Cost \$ 28; Non Member Cost \$33 50 Seats Available****

**Thurs. June 27 AMISH BROWN BAG TOUR** – Your Know How Tours will **depart the Senior Center at 7:00 a.m.** for Middlefield, OH. Begin touring “Behind the Scenes” throughout Middlefield, OH. Follow the route & stops at sites Rachel Ray visited as part of her travels over 6 weeks in September 2008 for her “Hidden Gems” segment. Stops include Middlefield Swiss Cheese House, Nauvoo Family Market, Buckeye Chocolate, Mary Yoder’s Amish Bakery & Gift Shop and End of Commons General Store. Lunch is a traditional Amish Wedding dinner: baked chicken, mashed potatoes with gravy, seasonal vegetable, 7 layer salad, date nut pudding, homemade bread and pies served family-style. Along the route, receive goodies to add to your Brown Bag. A fast food stop (on your own) will be made en route home. **Return to the Center at 8:30 p.m.** Your trip includes: transportation, tour, lunch, tax & gratuity. **Cost \$120 50 Seats Available Deadline: Thurs., May 30<sup>th</sup>**

**Sun. June 30 SUNDAY SOCIAL** – Come join us for a wonderful evening of food & music from 5:00-9:00 pm. Music by Bruce Michael and catering by Nowak. Your meal includes: chef salad, sliced turkey, stuffing, baked ham, mashed potatoes & gravy, vegetable platter, coffee or tea and cream puffs for dessert. Your hosts this evening are: Bibianne Jozwiak & Karen Oliver. **Cost \$22.00**  
**Last day to purchase tickets: Fri, June 21<sup>st</sup>.**

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**ALL EVENTS AND INCENTIVES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE!**

**NOTE: Club members always have first preference when signing up for Day trips. Non-members wishing to travel with us must wait until the trip has been advertised to our members for 30 days! Starting this year, Overnight trips are open to all immediately.**

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** There will be a trip cancellation fee imposed on all cancelled trips as follows: \$1 for day trips, \$5 for overnight trips. This will be strictly enforced. **REFUND CHECKS will be issued AFTER the event or trip take place regardless of when you cancel.**

**NOTE:** Anyone with any special requests for any trips (dietary restriction, hotel accommodations or traveling with friends), kindly make your wishes known at the time of sign-up! We will do our very best to accommodate your requests. Please do not call any restaurants directly and make special menu requests, you must go through our office.

**NOTE:** *Our Cheektowaga Seniors Club and its board of officers work very hard to provide safe, fun, affordable travel experiences for all our members. Your safety, comfort and enjoyment are our top priorities. Due to continued overwhelming requests for FRONT ROW BUS SEATING (front seating being identified as the FIRST FOUR ROWS of the motor coach), if you wish to request a front row bus seat you must submit a note from your physician stating it is medically necessary for you to have a front row seat. While we are not trying to pry into your private health history, and we do not need to know the reason why your request is medically necessary, a note from your physician will serve as proof that it is needed for your overall health. You will not need to submit a doctor’s note with every trip you sign up for, your note will be kept on file. However, we do ask that you continue to verbally request a front row seat at the time you sign-up for the trip (regardless of if you are in the Center office or in the conference room on Club meeting days) so it can be noted for the trip escort and seating assigned accordingly.*

**REMINDER:** All trip participants are reminded to park their vehicles in the rear parking lot in the last lane away from the Senior Center. This is where the bus will drop you off!

**NOTE:** If you know of a member that is ill or in a hospital, kindly notify the Club’s Social Secretary so that a get well card can be sent.

**REMEMBER:** Cancel your senior lunch reservation (by calling the kitchen at 686-7417) if you sign-up for a trip on that same date.

**CASINO TRIP POLICY:** Each Cheektowaga Senior Club Member will be able to purchase a total of TWO tickets for each casino trip offered and they must be for MEMBERS ONLY for the first 30 days the trip is advertised. You will need to have membership numbers, date of birth, all the contact information and the payment for who you are buying tickets at the time of sign up. Also, please bring proper I.D. in order to receive incentive. NO Refunds are given on Casino trips unless cancelled at least 21 days before the trip date or a replacement is found. *Please notify the Senior Center office if you have your own replacement. If you do not have your own replacement, call the office to let them know. If there is a waiting list, they will help find a replacement.*

**NOTE:** In order to enter Canada it is imperative that all passengers have proof of U. S. Citizenship-Passport, Passport Card or Enhanced Driver’s License and Trip leaders should check to be sure everyone has their proper ID before the bus leaves.

*In addition, ANY TRAVELERS WHO NEED OXYGEN and bring their own tanks along on a trip, must abide by the very strict regulations of the bus company. A written description of the admissible equipment is available when you sign-up for a trip. We also ask that you specifically mention you will be bringing Oxygen on board so the trip group leader is aware and can let the driver know in advance. Please note that for the safety of all our passengers, if you do not have the proper Oxygen equipment, you will NOT be allowed to travel with us.*