

WLSA Woodcliff Lake Senior Association Newsletter

January/February/March 2020

"The object of this association shall be to provide information, good fellowship and an opportunity for civic involvement for men and women fifty-five years of age and older"



Flappers from the "September 19th Roarin' Twenties Party"

Our *Welcome Back Luncheon* on September 19th had a "twenties theme" as you can see from the group above.



Aside from good food and music, we had Alex, one of our aerobics instructors, lead us in the Charleston – what a great time!



October 17, the WL Police Dept. hosted an Oktoberfest for the seniors. Wursts, sauerkraut,

potato pancakes and other goodies were on the menu. To top everything off, they had raffles galore for the seniors! Thank you Simon, our police liaison, and the entire WL Police Department!



Thursday night, October 24 the Senior Association and the League of Women Voters sponsored Candidates' Night. at the Woodcliff Lake Senior Center. The candidates for Mayor and Council all participated. It was truly democracy in action!

**Welcome New Members:
Sheila Fishman**

2020 DUES

\$10 per person dues due January 1, 2020 with a check payable to WLSA and sent to:

Borough Hall

188 Pascack Road

Woodcliff Lake NJ 07677

PLEASE, save us from making personal phone calls!!!

One of our favorite speakers, Pat Schuber was with us in October and Bart D'Andrea spoke to us about Caravaggio in November.

We managed to squeeze in a trip to Westchester Broadway Theater to hear *The Glen Miller Orchestra* in November.

Also in November Britt Sikiric began a series of 8 art classes at the Tice Center. Seniors were contacted through email and offered the opportunity to participate for a fee paid directly to the art instructor. We look forward to seeing their work soon.

AND NOW WE LOOK FORWARD TO...

December 31 – Tuesday – Noon – New Year’s Eve Party at the Senior Center - \$15 – reservations to Marge Durba. Catered luncheon, music, countdown to the New Year at 2 p.m.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16 – 12:30

Presentation on Memory Loss. There will be a few 15 minute private consultations available that day after the main presentations. Appointments will be available on other dates for 15 minute consultations.

To be followed by the “White Elephant” Gift Exchange. Bring a wrapped gift you no longer want and you will be entered in the gift exchange.

January birthdays will be celebrated and refreshments served.

Thursday, February 6th – 12:30 Business Meeting. Speaker: Kevin Woyce on “**Old Glory: History of the American Flag**”

Thursday, February 20th – 12:30 – Social Meeting – PIZZA will be served so sign up so we know how many to order – Games, cards, etc.

Thursday, March 5th – NOON St. Patrick’s Day Party – catered by Davey’s – Corned beef, cabbage, etc. etc. with entertainment by **Jimmy Walsh ... straight from Dublin!**
\$15 to Marge Durba.

Thursday, March 19th – 12:30

Business Meeting – Speaker: Lisa Gill – **Fraud Schemes Seniors Face** - March birthdays

Thursday, April 2nd – 12:30 Business Meeting – Speaker: Pat Schuber on The 30th Anniversary of the Fall of the Berlin Wall.

Are you interested in Bridge Lessons? If so, sign up with Marilyn and Roberta Green will teach the classes beginning the 2nd Thursday in April. We’ll offer it if you sign up!!!

Thursday, April 16th – 12:30 Social Meeting – April birthdays

Thursday, April 30th – AARP Safe Driving Course - \$15 check to AARP – class limited to 30 people. Sign up with Marilyn as soon as possible. You will earn a discount on your car insurance.

Thursday, May 7th – 12:30 Business Meeting – Speaker tba

Thursday, May 21st – 12:30 Social Meeting – May birthdays

JUNE 1-3, Mon./Tues./Wed. Atlantic City, Cape May and Philadelphia. \$329 which includes all gratuities...See flyer attached to the newsletter. Sign up with Marilyn – 201-391-4720.

Thursday, June 4th – 12:30 Business Meeting – Speaker: Bart D’Andrea

Thursday, June 18th – Noon

Welcome Summer Party – catered luncheon, music - \$15 rsvp to Marge Durba

DEPARTED MEMBERS...
Marge Harvey
Velma Reardon
George Catherwood

SUNSHINE ...
Please contact **Anna Mae Marrone, Sunshine Committee, 201-391-4269** so she can send cards.
For our friends who are ill and their families..
Annette Alepa
Sharon Bongard
Pat Carroll
Archie Harvey
Irene McGlynn

ARE YOU BOTHERED BY THE NOISE OF PLANES OVERHEAD??? To file a noise complaint electronically you can visit: <https://www.planenoise.com/pa/nynj/daPRAbr9/qs114wbt.php> or call Teterboro Airport Noise Hotline at 800-225-1071 or 201-288-8828.

UNWANTED PHONE CALLS
If you are bothered with unwanted phone calls all you have to do is call **1-888-382-1222**, the number for the **Do Not Call Registry**. If you continue to receive calls after 31 days you can file a formal complaint using the same number.

WLSA Book Club All meetings are at 12:30 p.m. at

the Tice Center, the last Thursday of the month.

The meetings are free and open to all. You may call June Mele with any questions.

- 1/30 ***Becoming Obama*** – Michelle Obama
- 2/27 ***Unsheltered*** – Barbara Kingsolver
- 3/26 ***Other Powers, The Age of Suffrage, Spiritualism, and the Scandalous Victoria Woodhull*** – Barbara Goldstein
- 4/30 ***The Pioneers*** – David McCullough
- 5/21 ***Where the Crawdad's Sing*** – Delia Owens

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

By Lois Drobinske

January

- 1/1 Marie Bernich
Anthony Santulli
- 1/3 Joan Dean
Marge Struk
- 1/6 Barbara Abraham
- 1/7 Ellie DiDonato
- 1/8 Connie Haddad
- 1/9 Phyllis Stoleroff
- 1/10 Joan Akerlind
Carole Nevins
- 1/12 Loretta Palumbo
- 1/13 Eleanor Fragiaco
- 1/16 Newton Frankel
- 1/17 Bill Huston
- 1/20 Kay Dennehy
- 1/22 Ros Jacobs
- 1/26 Donna Brown
- 1/27 Sharon Sakowitz
- 1/28 Mike Dennehy
Fred Johnston
- 1/30 Ellen Stevens

February

- 2/2 Merwin Metlitz
- 2/6 Al Di Donato
Elaine Metlitz
- 2/7 Ruthann Hofstetter

- 2/9 Helene Dimitropoulos
- 2/10 Marge Halpern
- 2/11 Daniel McGlynn
- 2/12 Mary Badame
Cheryl DeMaillie
- 2/14 Jordan Fragiaco
- 2/15 Muriel Corbett
John Glaser
- 2/17 Maria Cannizzo
- 2/23 Dolph Haug
- 2/24 Sheila Fishman
- 2/25 Annette Alepa
- 2/28 Elva DuBois
Gloria Weinstock
Walter Wuehler

March

- 3/2 Mary O'Flaherty
- 3/3 Bonnie Brooks
Pat Saddler
- 3/4 Vittoria Dimattia
- 3/5 Archie Harvey
Walter Wang
- 3/9 Josephine Higgins
- 3/10 Frances Gherardi
Wiebke Hinsch
Audrey Stober
- 3/14 Michele Conlow
- 3/15 Sally Lax
- 3/16 Connie Capodicasa
- 3/17 Cy Choo
- 3/20 Nora Santos
- 3/22 Helena Theurer
- 3/23 Johanna Cairo
Maria Nest
- 3/25 Ed Caso
Marge Durba
- 3/26 Rhoda Braver
Cynthia Toth

SENIOR VAN – Call Joy at Borough Hall, 201-391-4977, ext. 200 to schedule the Senior Van.

WLSA OFFICERS 2020

- President: Marilyn Clark
201-391-4720
- Vice-Pres.: Dan McGlynn
201-573-0677

- Treasurer : Barbara Manning
201-819-3616
- Rec. Sec.: Doris Mizzi
201-391-5305
- Corres. Sec.: Nancy Wernikoff
201-391-8376
- Past Presidents: Josephine Higgins –201-391-8622
Dan McGlynn
201-573-0677

- Committees - 2019**
- Aerobics: Helen Sochan
M/W/F 201-391-2581
Alex Stremler
201-358-6673
 - Tues/Thurs Bingo: Joyce Merlino
201-391-2882
 - Book Club: June Mele
201-690-6462
 - Bridge: Lois Drobinske
(Duplicate) 201-391-8574
Ann and Sal Dell'Armo
201-391-1210
 - Candidates Night: Clay Bosch
201-391-3436
 - Canasta: Ina Palatnek
201-391-1945
 - Canasta Tue. Night: JoAnn Brody
201-362-8987
 - Computer Classes: Dan McGlynn
201-573-0677
 - Discussion Group: Phil deAnguera
848-525-6838
 - Hospitality: Moria Thyne
201-391-7497
 - Hospitality Host/hostesses: Joan Zicchino
201-391-2393
 - Library: Josephine Higgins
201-391-8622
 - Nominating/ Membership: Lois Drobinske
201-391- 8574
 - Publicity: Donna Brown
 - Raffles: Anne Kineyko
 - Reservations: Marge Durba
201-391-6252
 - Luncheons: AnnaMae Marrone
201-391-4269
 - Sunshine: Ruthann Hofstetter, 201-307-0329
 - Welcoming: Anne Kineyko
201-391-2947
 - 50/50

HOSPITALITY- We need your help!!!

Please call Joan Zicchino at 201-391-2393

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WLSA CALENDAR FOR - 2020

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May 21	Thursday	12:30	Social Meeting – May/June/July/August birthdays
June 1-3	Mon/Wed		Atlantic City, Cape May, Philadelphia – sign up with Marilyn
June 4	Thursday	12:30	Business Meeting – Speaker: Bart D'Andrea
June 18	Thursday	Noon	Welcome Summer Party - \$15 to Marge Durba
JULY AND AUGUST NO MEETINGS			
September 17	Thursday	Noon	WLSA 35 th Anniversary Party at the Woodcliff Manor - \$28
October 1	Thursday	12:30	Business Meeting – Speaker:
October 15	Thursday	12:30	Social Meeting - September and October birthdays
November 5	Thursday	12:30	Business Meeting – Nomination of Officers – Speaker: November and December birthdays
November 19	Thursday	10-2	County Clerk's Office at the Senior Center – there will be no meeting that day.
December 3	Thursday	Noon	Holiday Party at the Woodcliff Manor - \$28
December 31	Thursday	Noon	New Year's Eve Party at the Senior Center - \$15 to Marge Durba

Ongoing Activities:

Aerobics – Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays: 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. with Helen

Aerobics – Tuesdays and Thursdays: 9:30 – 10:30 a.m. with Alex

Book Club – Last Thursday of each month, unless otherwise noted.

Canasta – Mondays, 10:45 a.m. –call chairman for other possible dates

Computer Classes – By appointment, contact Dan McGlynn, 201-573-0677

Discussion Group – Second Thursday of each month, 1:30

Duplicate Bridge - Fridays: 1 p.m.

Visiting Nurse – Third Thursday of the month, 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Business Meeting, 12:30 –1st Thursday of each month unless otherwise noted

Social Meeting, 12:30 – 3rd Thursday of each month unless otherwise noted

Executive Meeting, 11 a.m. – 1st Thursday of each month unless otherwise noted

WOODCLIFF LAKE SENIOR ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

Atlantic City, Cape May & Philadelphia



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- ◆ Motorcoach transportation
- ◆ 2 nights lodging
- ◆ 3 meals: 2 breakfasts and 1 dinner
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- ◆ Guided Tour of Philadelphia
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and much more

\$329 *

3 DAYS 2 NIGHTS

PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

(Mon - Wed)

June

1 - 3, 2020

Departure: Municipal Swimming Pool, Old Mill Park, 1 Old Mill Rd, Woodcliff Lake, NJ @ 8 am

Day 1: Board your spacious, video and restroom equipped motorcoach, and set off for the excitement of Atlantic City! This evening, enjoy dinner on your own and check into a Casino Hotel in Atlantic City for a two night stay and receive a FREE Casino Bonus to kick off the gaming excitement.

Day 2: After enjoying a Hot Breakfast, you will head to beautiful and historic Cape May! Upon arrival in Cape May, you will be greeted and take a Trolley Tour of the gorgeous Victorian Homes of Cape May. During this experience, you will take a tour of a Historic Victorian Home. After having time for lunch on your own, you will then enjoy a guided tour of the oceanside region of Cape May Point, including the famous Cape May Lighthouse. Those who wish to get off the motorcoach for a more up-close view will have the opportunity to do so. Afterward, enjoy Dinner then return to your hotel.

Day 3: After enjoying a Hot Breakfast, you will head to Philadelphia. Upon your arrival you will go on a guided tour of Philadelphia. During your tour some of the highlights you will see include: Independence Hall, Betsy Ross' House, The Mint, The Federal Reserve, The Holocaust Memorial, Logan Circle, Penn's Landing and "The Rocky Steps." After your GUIDED TOUR OF PHILADELPHIA you will have free time in the historic district where you will be able to visit the Liberty Bell and the Independence Visitor Center. Later, you'll depart for home... a perfect time to chat with your friends about all the fun things you've done, and where your next group trip will take you!

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\$75 Due Upon Signing. *Price per person, based on double occupancy. Add \$100 for single occupancy.

Final Payment Due: 3/25/2020

FOR INFORMATION & RESERVATIONS CONTACT:

Marilyn Clark @ (201) 391-4720

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Terrorist Attack, Hijack or Quarantine

Weather that causes your common carrier to cease operations for at least 48 hours

Fire, Flood or Natural Disaster that causes your home to become uninhabitable

Burglary of your home within 10 days of departure

Getting into a Traffic Accident on your way to your trip's departure point

You are covered for the "single supplement" surcharge if your roommate cancels for one of the above reasons.

**QUESTIONS?
CALL 1-866-684-0218**

2 EASY Ways to Sign Up:

1.) MAIL - Give a check to your Group Leader in the amount indicated by the table made out to "Travel Insured International" **OR**

2.) INTERNET - Sign up at www.travelconfident.com

Trip Cost (per person)	Travel Confident® Cost (per person)
Up to \$500	= \$35
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\$601 - \$700	= \$55
\$701 - \$1,100	= \$69
\$1,101 - \$1,500	= \$94
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www.travelconfident.com/exclusions.aspx

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- Cancel with your Group Leader as soon as you are aware of the need to cancel.
- In the event you need to file a claim, contact Travel Insured International at 866-684-0218 as soon as possible. Be prepared to provide the insurance company with proof of payments for all portions of your trip, including the insurance.
- Get detailed medical statements from treating physicians where and when an accident or sickness occurred. Save your receipts, proof of all payments and proof of insurance. Pay by check or credit card when you can.
- If you have purchased the Travel Confident Protection Plan, for emergency medical evacuation call the Assistance Company at 888-268-2824 or collect at 202-296-8720. Be sure to call before you incur any expenses!

** Please remember - this Flyer **IS NOT** your insurance policy. Be sure you receive a copy of your policy and read it before your trip. See your Group Leader or visit www.travelconfident.com to obtain a copy. **

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