

Township of Findlay

RECREATION NEWSLETTER

SUMMER 2010

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Welcome to the Summer Edition of the Findlay Township Recreation Newsletter. Inside, you will find activities, programs and information that will be offered in the Township. We hope that there is something to interest residents of all ages.

Class size may be limited in some cases. PRE-REGISTRATION IS A MUST for most of the programs. Here is how to register:

1. ONLINE REGISTRATION: You can access the site by going to www.findlay.pa.us and clicking on **interactive link**. You will need to set-up an account using a user name and password that will make registering faster and more efficient.
2. Call Darlene (Larson) Howell, Recreation Coordinator, at 724-695-0500 x246.
3. Complete the application form included in this newsletter and mail with payment to:
Findlay Twp. Recreation Dept.
P.O. Box W
Clinton, PA 15026



Unless otherwise noted, make checks payable to Findlay Township

THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND RECREATION AND/OR ANY OF ITS PARTNERS HAS THE RIGHT TO CANCEL ANY PROGRAM DUE TO INSUFFICIENT PARTICIPATION AND REFUND WILL BE GIVEN. IF PARTICIPANT MAKES CANCELLATION, REFUND WILL NOT BE GIVEN AFTER REGISTRATION/PAYMENT DUE DATE.

"Friends" Of Rainbow's End Playground



If you have ever gone to the Rainbow's End Playground in Clinton Park, then you know what an amenity it is to our community. The Township has taken over the maintenance and care of the facility as of 2010. We are looking for volunteers who would be willing to join a group that would help with this. Responsibilities may include some fund-raising, weeding & other light work at the playground and meetings. I have some volunteers already, but we need a few more. Please call Darlene at the Township Office if you would be interested in helping.

**CHECK OUT THE WEBSITE
FOR INFORMATION ON
UPCOMING EVENTS AND
ACTIVITIES THAT MAY BE
HAPPENING IN THE TOWNSHIP
LOG ONTO:
www.findlay.pa.us**

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The Findlay Township Activity Center

Located on Main Street in Imperial, the Activity Center will be the site of many Township programs. The center has two floors, which are also available to rent. The top floor, which seats 200, has a full kitchen, bathroom and a complete sound/video system. The bottom floor seats 100, has bathroom facilities and carpeting. It is ideal for groups and business meetings. For additional information, call the Township Office at 724-695-0500.

Pavilion Rental

Pavilion rentals for Findlay Township Residents, Findlay Township Businesses and Youth or Adult groups are still available. Resident rental fee of \$50 and Non-resident is \$75. Both require a \$25.00 refundable deposit (2 separate checks please).

ALL PAVILION RENTALS MUST BE DONE THROUGH
THE ONLINE RESERVATION SYSTEM. (www.findlay.pa.us)

If you do not have access to a computer, or have trouble reserving, please call Darlene at the township office at 724-695-0500 ext. 246

Imperial Volunteer Fire Department

The Annual IVFD Parade will be held on Friday June 11th starting at 7 PM at Agway on Main Street and proceeding to the Imperial Firehouse. The annual Street Fair will be held immediately following the parade. Come out and support our volunteers in the Fire Department.

NIGHT AT THE RACES - The IVFD will also be holding a Night at the Races Fundraiser on Saturday, June 19th.

Fall Sports Findlay Athletic Association (FAA)

For information on T-ball, baseball, softball and flag football, log onto www.leaguelineup.com/findlaysports

West Allegheny Youth Soccer Association (WAYSAs)

For information on youth soccer log onto www.westasoccer.com

Reserve Your Space - Outdoor Parking Lot Flea Market In Clinton Park

Were you thinking about having a garage sale this summer, but just too busy to do it? If so, then you will definitely want to get in on the Outdoor Parking Lot Flea Market. Here is how it works. You rent a parking spot and bring along everything you can sell out of the back of your car or truck. (A table is allowed directly behind your vehicle). All sellers will be able to enter the park at 7 A.M. to find a space. Buyers can come from 9 A.M. until 1 P.M. It is just as simple as that. Free coffee will be available at the Falcon Pavilion for sellers. Spaces will be limited, so call now to make a reservation. What do you have to lose???

WHEN: September 25th - 9 A.M. - 1 P.M.

(sellers 7 A.M.)

WHERE: Clinton Community Park

COST: \$5 per parking space

(Payable on the day of the event)

**To reserve a space
Call Darlene at 724-695-0500 x246**

Cruisin' In The Woodlands

ATTENTION CAR LOVERS! Need something different to do on a Friday night? Come down to Clinton Park for the Ninth Annual Findlay Township Car Cruise. This event sponsored by Findlay Township, is hosted by PITTSBURGH C.A.R.S. (classics, antiques, rods, & specialties). There will be food for sale, a 50/50 raffle, assorted vendors, door prizes and music by DJ The Spikeman.

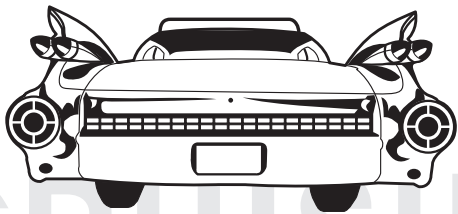
WHEN: Friday, June 25th

TIME: 5:00 P.M. - 9:00 P.M.

**WHERE: Clinton Park, Clinton Park Drive,
1 mile west of Route 30 & Clinton Road
Intersection**

COST: FREE

***Dash plaques will be given out to the first
100 classic cars participating in the cruise.
Come out and enjoy this annual event.***



Looking For Instructors/Ideas/Talent

If there is anyone out there who has a special idea or talent that you think we could share as part of our Recreation Department, please call Darlene at the township office. We are currently looking for someone with camera / photography experience that would like to bring their knowledge to help form a photography club. Call if this describes you!

Summer Concert Series Is Back For 2010

The Township will once again be offering the Free Concerts in the Park this summer.



The line-up of concerts is listed below. PLEASE BRING YOUR LAWN CHAIRS and come out and enjoy great music in beautiful Clinton Park. All concerts are held at the Amphitheater in Clinton Park, located off SR 30 in Clinton. THESE EVENTS ARE FREE OF CHARGE and refreshments will be served. Please come and join us for

the fun! Check each concert for the start time. PLEASE NOTE: There are Rain Dates scheduled for each concert.

TUESDAY, JUNE 22ND - "KARDAZ" sponsored by Armstrong Telephone Co., 7 P.M.

Kardaz has made a name for itself locally with Sports songs like "The Mighty Guins", Penguins fight song and the theme song for the Washington Wild Things as well as being a top cover band in the area playing over 4,000 shows. Come out and hear the enthusiasm this group brings to their music. **RAINDATE: Thursday, June 24th**

TUESDAY, JUNE 29TH - "SYDNEY HUTCHKO BAND" sponsored by Ed and Tracy Kosis (Fast Eddie's Food & Fuel and Sunrise Accounting) 7 P.M.

Come and experience the talent of this local country artist. Sydney and her band have a full schedule this summer that includes opening for Craig Morgan at the Pittsburgh Regatta in July and George Jones at the Pepsi Roadhouse in August. Check her out on myspace.com/sydneyhmusic. **STOP BY FAST EDDIE'S ON ROUTE 30 AND RECEIVE A VIP COUPON FOR A SANDWICH AND A DRINK REDEEMABLE AT THE CONCERT.**

RAINDATE: Wednesday, June 30th

TUESDAY JULY 6TH - "CAHAL DUNNE" sponsored by Findlay Township, 7 P.M.

Cahal hails from County Cork, Ireland and was the winner of Ireland's National Song Contest with an original song entitled "Happy Man." Come and enjoy the magic of this composer, pianist, comedian and storyteller. Check out his website, www.cahaldunne.com and see for yourself what you are in store for. Don't miss this one!

RAINDATE: Wednesday, July 7th

Bicycle Days In Clinton Park

Do you need somewhere for your younger kids to ride their bikes, trikes, hot wheels etc?? Is it time for your son or daughter to get off the training wheels and learn to ride on 2 wheels, but no where to take them to practice?? Here is your answer! Come on down to Clinton Park on the Thursday mornings listed from 10 A.M. to noon for "Biking in the Park" Days. We will close off the parking lot and make a huge area for your youngsters to come and safely ride to their hearts content. As you enter the park off Clinton Park Drive, head left up the little hill into the big lot. Please park & unload in the upper lot to the left (next to the trailer court). The parking lot will be coned off for the 2 hours.

When: Thursdays, June 24th, July 8th, July 22nd and August 5th

Who: Ages 2 - 8

Cost: Free

Friday Scrapbooking Workshops

Your priceless photographs preserve the special people, events, and stories of your life. Make a commitment to organizing your photos and preserving your cherished memories in safe, meaningful scrapbook photo albums.

Attend any or all of the sessions and you will have uninterrupted time to dedicate to safely protecting your photos and memorabilia. Learn techniques for organizing, documenting, and preserving your precious memories. A cropping station will be available with the use of many Creative Memories tools including the Custom Cutting System, paper trimmers, templates, idea books, Journaling pens and more.

Supplies will be available for purchase at the workshop. Light refreshments will be served. Please bring your own beverage.

WHERE: Findlay Twp Activity Center,
Main Street, Imperial
WHEN: Fridays, July 30th and September 10th
TIME: 6 P.M. until midnight
COST: \$10 per workshop
Payment taken the night of the workshop

YOU MUST CALL TO MAKE RESERVATIONS
Call Michelle Koester, Creative Memories
Consultant at 724-307-3333

Check out website:
www.mycmsite.com/michellekoester

Digital Scrapbooking



What is your digital dilemma?? So you have pictures everywhere, computer, camera, memory cards, CD's?? Do you want an easy way to organize all these photos so you can enjoy them? If your answer is YES, then come for an evening of fun and learn how to get your digital images out of your memory card, off of your computer and into your life!! You are going to love all of the options!

You must register in advance for all classes by calling (724) 307-3333 or by going to website www.mycmsite.com/michellekoester

All checks payable to Michelle Koester

Getting Started With Digital Scrapbooking Class

Attend this Storybook Creator Plus class to see how easy it is to use your digital images to create Storybook digital photo albums from scratch or using pre-designed themes.

When: Thursday, June 24th or September 16th
Time: 6:30 - 8:30 P.M.
Where: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level
Cost: \$10 (receive \$5 coupon for future software purchase)

Get Your Digital Photos Organized With Memory Manager 3.0

See Memory Manager 3.0 software - an easy way to organize, cross reference and fine-tune all the photos trapped in your computer. Learn how to use your digital images to create Storybook albums, wall prints, invitations, cards, calendars, mugs and more.

When: Thursday July 1st or September 23
Time: 6:30 - 8:30 P.M.
Where: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level
Cost: \$10 (receive \$5 coupon for future software purchases)

Advanced Storybook Creator Plus Techniques - Looking Ahead To Fall

This is a follow up to the Getting Started with Digital Class and will show you how to use your Storybook software's advanced techniques. Use your digital photos to create customized cards, invitations, newsletters and more. A 2011 Calendar Project will be featured.

When: Thursday, November 11th
Time: 6:30 - 8:30 P.M.
Where: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level
Cost: \$10 (receive \$5 coupon for future software purchase)



MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THESE ANNUAL EVENTS

FINDLAY TOWNSHIP "FAIR IN THE WOODLANDS" will be held August 19th, 20th and 21st at Clinton Park.

Semi Great Race is Friday at 7 P.M. As always there will be free games, inflatables, Rainbow Train, displays, petting zoo, live shows on the stage, and much much more!

Entertainment will include:
Friday - "No Bad JuJu" 8:30 P.M.
and Saturday - "Dallas Marks" 8:15 P.M.

Parade will be held on Saturday on SR 30. We are looking for any groups, families, or businesses that would be interested in entering a float in the parade this year. For more information, please call Darlene at 724-695-0500 x246

EXCITING SUMMER CAMPS FOR THE KIDS

Kid's Scrapbooking Camp



Looking for something fun for your kids this summer? How about an activity that keeps their writing skills fresh and inspires their creativity? Then sign them up for a fun and exciting scrapbooking "Color Me Happy" Camp. Campers will learn beginning scrapbooking techniques, including page lay out and design, cropping, and matting of photos, page embellishment and Journaling. Your child will learn the skills to create their own album to show off their precious memories. Participant campers will need to bring 20 - 40 photos for a "Friends" themed project. All supplies will be provided and scrapbooking tools will be available for use at the camp.

Space is limited to 20 students and pre-payment is required.

When: Friday, June 25th

Time: 9 A.M. - Noon

Where: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level

Who: Ages 8 and up

Cost: \$50 (includes 8 x 8 Red "Friends" album,
Color Me Happy paper pack as pictured
above, sticker pack, mat pack and adhesive.)

**Must register by June 18th by sending
registration form and fee to
111 Dupont Drive, McDonald, PA 15057.
Checks payable to Michelle Koester
For questions call 724-307-3333 or
www.mycmsite.com/michellekoester**

Abrakadoodle "Beach Party" Summer Art Camp

Hey Artists, get ready for some summer sun and sandy fun. Each day at camp, children will create different "beach art" do crafts, sketch in their personal sketchbook, move to music and enjoy summer themed games. Art lessons focus on contemporary artists from throughout the world, ecology, geography and fun on the run. Check out the website www.abrakadoodle.com

When: Monday - Thursday - June 28th - July 1st
"Mini Doodlers" Camp:
(ages 3 through K) 10 A.M. - 12 P.M.
"Doodlers" Camp:
(ages 6 through 12 years) 12:30 - 2:30 P.M.

Where: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level

Cost: \$85 for a four day camp (two hours a day)

**Price includes instruction, frames, fun, education
(don't tell the kids) & all art materials**

You must pre register by June 23rd

Checks payable to Abrakadoodle

To register: Contact Alan at Abrakadoodle

(724) 941-6141 or email at

aechko@abrakadoodle.com

**COME AND CHECK OUT THE ABRAKADOODLE
PROGRAM FOR FREE!!**

Abrakadoodle is coming to the Activity Center to give us a SNEAK PEAK at the wonderful program that they have.

JOIN US JUNE 15TH

11:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Ages 3 - 12 years of age

**Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level**

Free, but you must call Darlene at 724-695-0500 x246 to attend. No walk-ins.



CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER

One of the four Carnegie Museums of Pittsburgh

Carnegie Science Center "Science On The Road" Camps

Sign your inquisitive young scientist up for these unique summer day camps. Brought to us by the Carnegie Science Center's "Science on the Road" program. You must call to register by Thursday, July 1st. There is a limit of 25 participants per camp, so call soon. Both camps will be held on the Lower Level of the Findlay Township Activity Center, 310 Main Street, Imperial.

Campers will have lunch from 12 - 1 P.M. and 2 breaks during the day.

PLEASE BRING A PACKED LUNCH (refrigeration available).

COST: \$40 Resident, \$45 Non-resident

"BUILD IT!" CAMP - For ages 7 - 9 years

Kids test their skills using different types of building toys and materials. They will be challenged to create earthquake-proof structures and indestructible bridges. Everyone loves to try these engineering feats.

WHEN: Tuesday, July 13th

TIME: 9 A.M. - 4 P.M.

**"CSI PITTSBURGH" CRIMINOLOGY CAMP - for
ages 8-12 years.**

We need your help to solve a crime! Analyze fibers, lift fingerprints and match shoe prints to catch a criminal.

WHEN: Monday, July 12th

TIME: 9 A.M. - 4 P.M.

Checks are payable to Findlay Township

Baby Suppers Cooking Class: Healthy Bounty For Your Baby

New parents (or moms to be) will learn how to turn organic garden fare and other provisions into nutritious servings designed to please your baby's palate and nurture good health. Quick and easy recipes will be demonstrated. The importance of establishing healthy eating habits from your baby's first bites will be emphasized. The ultimate testament to making home made baby food will be the taste test comparing "Baby Supper" to processed jarred food.

The class is designed for preparing meals for beginner eaters, (infant to 15 months) and class is for parents or caregivers only.

Where: Findlay Township Activity Center,
310 Main Street, Imperial, Upper level

When: Thursday, July 15

Cost: \$30 per person

Babysitting 101

Summer is a great time for making some extra money babysitting and parents are always looking for responsible sitters. In this class, students learn basic childcare, how to handle emergencies and how to keep themselves and the children in their care safe. Each participant will receive a certificate upon completion of class. Make sure to wear comfortable clothing, no dresses or skirts please. PLEASE NOTE: Bring a jacket as the center is air conditioned.

This one-day program is for 11- 13 year olds and is sponsored by Children's Hospital's Community Education Department

PRE-REGISTRATION IS A MUST

You can register by calling Diana at Children's Hospital at (412) 692-8580 or by emailing her at diana.szuch@chp.edu.

DATE: Tuesday, July 6th

TIME: 9:00 A.M. - 3:00 P.M.

(Participants must bring a lunch)

WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center,
lower level, 310 Main Street in Imperial

COST: \$35.00 payable to Children's Hospital
on the day of class

*This class usually fills quickly, so call now
to register so you don't miss out!*

Summer Kid's Creative Cooking

Come and join us for summer cooking classes.

Please pre-register at least 2 days before class to attend. NO WALK-INS.

WHO: Youth in grades K - 5

WHEN: Thursdays, July 8th and August 12th

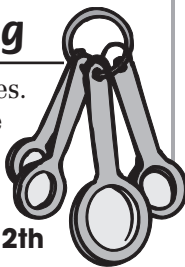
TIME: 11:30 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

WHERE: Findlay Township Activity Center,
Main Street, Imperial

COST: Residents - \$ 8 per class

Non-residents - \$10 per class

INSTRUCTOR: Darlene (Larson) Howell and helpers
Enrollment is limited, so call soon.



Junior Tennis Clinic

Back for a new season with a 5 week tennis program.

Let us introduce the wonderful and fun game of tennis to your children. The hour long tennis lesson, held at Elm Street Park, once a week for 5 weeks, will provide basic instruction, along with exercise and games. The format of the program will be cut into four different segments.

1. Racquet technique
2. Volleying skills
3. Drills
4. Mini games

Participants must provide their own racquet if possible.

Class size is limited, so pre-registration is a must!

DATES: Mondays ; June 21 & 28, July 12, 19 & 26

WHERE: Elm Street Park Tennis Courts

TIME: 10:00 A.M.

WHO: Ages 7 and up

COST: 5 week program, Residents: \$40,
Non-residents: \$50

INSTRUCTOR: David Johnston, CPR-USNTA Certified

Youthtowne Golf Program At Marada

Youthtowne is pleased to announce an exciting Golf Program being offered to residents. Findlay Township has been selected to participate in a pilot program at the newly acquired golf course in Clinton. Marada is a player friendly course, very easy to walk and in a very scenic setting. As part of this program, there will be no greens fee and if a golf cart is used, the adult will be charged \$8.

In order to qualify to participate in this pilot program, you must meet the following requirements:

1. Be a Findlay Township resident.
2. A group must consist of a parent and a child under the age of 18.
3. This will never be for adults only.
4. Proof of residency will be required at registration.

If you are interested in participating in this program, please call 724-899-2600 and make your tee time.

Randy Haffley/PGA Professional and Golf Manager/
Marada Golf Course

For directions or to find out more about Marada, log onto www.maradagolf.com.

HERE IT IS!! BACK FOR 2010!! "AN EVENING UNDER THE STARS"

Mark your calendar now so that you don't miss this very special evening coming to Findlay Township this fall. The event will feature premium wines, fine cuisine from local restaurants and live musical entertainment by "Mad Mike's Blues Revue" featuring WA's own Dan Hanczar and Cliff Howell.

WHEN: Saturday, September 11th

WHERE: Clinton Park

TIME: 6 - 10 P.M.

COST: \$25 per person in advance

(available at the library beginning
August 1st)

\$30 per person at the gate.

*All proceeds will benefit the Western Area
Community Library.*

*If you have any questions about the event,
please call Jennifer Collins at 724-825-8400.*

REGISTRATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT!

(Please use separate form & check for each program)

The Findlay Township Recreation Department will use every precaution to prevent accidents, however it will not be responsible for medical, dental, or hospital expenses incurred due to accident or illness during its' programs.

I understand and agree to the above and request that my child or I be allowed to participate in the following program(s). I understand that neither the Township of Findlay nor any instructors shall be held responsible for any injury to me or to my child during the program.

Signature of participant, (or parent \ guardian): _____

Participant Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Grade _____

Address _____ Home Phone No. _____

Daytime Phone No. _____

Emergency Contact: Name _____ Phone No. _____

Email Address _____

Program Title: _____ Resident: yes / no (circle one)

Program Fee: _____ Program Date(s): _____

FOR OFFICE USE: Date Paid _____ Check # _____

"FITNESS FOR LIFE" Group Exercise Class

Dig into a fitness routine that will give yourself stronger roots for a lifetime of good health and watch yourself blossom. All fitness levels welcome. Classes are held at the Findlay Township Activity Center, 310 Main Street, Imperial.

Classes run in six week sessions.

CARDIO MIX & CONDITIONING

Thursdays - 6:00 - 7:00 P.M. - Lower Level

We put the "f" back in FUN. Bring your family and friends to enjoy an hour for fitness and fun. This will be packed with different & varied exercise activities, so you will never be bored. No fancy footwork required! We'll use bands, balls, tubing, jump ropes, partners, body-weighted activities and light boxing moves. Your aerobic and anaerobic systems will be challenged as well as your balance & agility skill.

ZUMBA FUSION - Returning Tuesday, August 10th at 6 P.M.

If you haven't tried this Latin dance inspired fitness workout, now is your chance. Zumba combines high energy and motivating music with unique moves and combinations that make it easy for fitness enthusiasts or novices alike to have fun while getting fit.

The routines feature aerobic/fitness interval training with a combination of fast and slow rhythms with a touch of toning.

"Fitness for Life" is owned by Findlay resident Marianne King - ACE certified personal fitness trainer and group exercise leader.

For information on Marianne King and "Fitness 4 Life," fee information or to register for classes:

Please log onto: www.mkfitness4life.com or call 724-695-2239

Life Span Screening At Activity Center



Findlay Township will once again host health screenings that could save your life.

Findlay Township is pleased to offer a preventive health event. Life Line Screening, the nation's leading provider of community-based preventive health screenings, will host their affordable, non-invasive, painless health screenings on July 26, 2010. The screenings will be held from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. at the Activity Center located at 310 Main Street, Imperial. Five screenings will be offered that scan for potential health problems related to: blocked arteries, which is a leading cause of stroke; abdominal aortic aneurysms, which can lead to a ruptured aorta; hardening of the arteries in the legs, which is a strong predictor of heart disease; atrial fibrillation or irregular heart beat, which is closely tied to stroke risk; and a bone density screening, for men and women, used to assess the risk of osteoporosis. Register for a Wellness Package with Heart Rhythm for \$139 "CompletePrice" All five screenings take 60-90 minutes to complete. Your Health is in Your Hands, so call 1-888-653-6441, or visit www.lifelinescreening.com, for more information or to pre-register.



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Imperial Dragon Tang Soo Do Karate School



UNLOCK YOUR CHILD'S POTENTIAL

Our traditional Tang Soo Do program will help your child develop: Self Confidence, Healthy Life Skills, Respect for Self and Others, Improved Concentration, Physical Fitness, Self Control and an "I Can Attitude".

Classes for Youth, Teen and Adult students are held Monday and Wednesday evenings.

Little Dragons Pre-School Program 3-6 years old

This special program for preschool aged children is designed to get them started on the path to positive development. We will help your child to develop listening skills, better coordination and respect for self and others. Call for class times and availability.

(Classes limited to 12 students).

SUMMER TRAINING SPECIAL

FIRST MONTH OF TRAINING

FREE

FOR NEW STUDENTS WITH THIS COUPON

CALL TODAY 724-695-1976

*All classes are held at the
Findlay Township Activity Center (Lower Level),
310 Main Street, Imperial*

Looking Ahead To Fall 2010 Finger Lakes "Wine And Truffle" Tour

After several years of people asking me to plan this trip, I finally did it!

I do not have a completed and final itinerary yet, but we will be visiting approximately nine wineries, two of which will provide meals for us. The bus will leave Friday afternoon, October 1st and head up to Salamanca, NY to spend the night at the Holiday Inn Express. (A shuttle will be available to go to the Casino that evening). Saturday morning, October 2nd will have us heading to Ithaca to pick up a guide and begin our Finger Lakes tour. We will spend the night at the Comfort Inn in Ithaca. In the morning of October 3rd, we will head out for another 4 wine tastings and lunch before heading home. Please call Darlene if you think you are interested in coming along on this adventure. I already have approximately 15 reservations, and I think that it will fill quickly. I will send you a detailed itinerary and paperwork when you make your reservation.

I will be glad to accept payments throughout the summer.

**COST: Quad (4 to room) - \$300 per person
Triple: (3 to room) - \$320
Double Occupancy - \$370
Single Occupancy - \$475**

CALL AND MAKE YOUR RESERVATIONS!!