

TASC News

Travel Agents of Suffolk County

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE Dear Members,

No! No! It can't be August already. Someone PLEASE slow down the calendar so we can savor these warm and sunny days and make them last a little bit longer. I hope everyone is enjoying the summer season and has an opportunity to take some time off and take a real vacation (not a working vacation), read a book or two, visit with distant family or friends but most of all take advantage of this wonderful season.

For all of you that have confirmed your space for August 12, our Fire Island dinner/cruise at Flynn's we are completely Sold Out, great response, thank you. Remember that the boat leaves at 7PM sharp so you must be on board by 6:45pm and it leaves from <u>Captree State Park.</u>

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Although we are not having an official meeting in August we start the September meeting off with a bang. Our long time friend and member of TASC, Marcia Sinclair from Jamaica Tourist Board will be our presenter. This looks to be a very informative meeting as there are so many changes to this fabulous Caribbean Island that we all need to hear about. Mark your calendar! You won't want to miss any of it.

So for now, enjoy the rest of your summer and see you again soon.



AUGUST

Attention all agents and suppliers! Please remember to check the travel clearinghouse calendar at the TASC website for upcoming events. WWW.LI-TASC.COM

TASC Dues

Your annual TASC membership renewals were due as of June 30th. They still are only \$40 per year. Go to <u>www.li-tasc.com</u> to download the membership application form. Or pick one up at the next meeting.

Suppliers! Save the Date! This year's TASC Trade Show will be held on October 22nd at the Clarion Hotel at MacArthur Airport. Please contact Jeaneane DeCicco via email at Jeaneane.decicco@gmail.com for information or to reserve your table.

TASC on Facebook:

Don't forget to visit our site on FaceBook and "like us" to follow along with travel articles, member news and photos. Only current TASC members will be able to post to the site.

TASC will be participating in the <u>Making Strides for Breast Cancer</u> walk on 10/18 at Jones Beach. Watch our website for details.

MEMBERS CORNER

TASC sends condolences to <u>Elyse Reilly</u> on the passing of her father. Cards may be sent to 28 Makamah Beach Road Northport, NY 11768

TASC also sends condolences to <u>Robin Tobias</u> on the passing of her mother Arlene. Cards may be sent to 3640 Regent Drive, Wantagh, NY 11793

TASC sends get well wishes to the following 2 members:

<u>Diane Duguid</u> who had recent surgery for breast cancer. Cards may be sent to 161 East 4th St., Deer Park, NY 11729

Rosemary DiBenedetto who had additional shoulder surgery. Cards go to 41 Overlook Pass, Port Jefferson, NY 11777

Finally some happy news! TASC sends congratulations to current board member <u>Ginny DeFeo</u> on the recent birth of her first granddaughter Lucy Rose. We hope you have already sent in your RSVP and will be joining us on **August 12th** to cruise aboard the "Moonchaser" out of Captree to Flynn's on Island Bay Park, Fire Island because the event is now completely SOLD OUT! The Boat departs at 7pm, you must arrive by 6:45pm, parking is free. Cash bar on boat and at Flynn's. **All RSVP's and payments must have already been received**. No refunds for weather. No walk-ons at dock. <u>Directions to Captree State Park</u> Sunrise Hwy (Rt 27) take exit 41

THE TASC SUMMER BLAST

south (Robert Moses Causeway). Go 4.5 miles and take 2nd right after



drawbridge to <u>Captree State Park</u>. (not the Captree Island exit) By Southern State Pkwy take exit 40 south (Robert Moses Causeway). Go 5 miles and follow directions as above. By LIE take exit 53 (Sagtikos Pkwy) South. Bear right going west 1/2 mile to exit 40 south and follow directions above.

UPCOMING INDUSTRY FUNCTIONS Aug 13: LI Sandals unveiling at the Huntington Hilton - Info & registration on the Sandals website Sept 9: Jamaica Tourist Board Oct 14: Star Clippers Oct 18: Breast Cancer Walk at Jones Beach Oct 22: TASC Trade Show