

## TRIPS, TRAVEL & TOURS

### - Culinary Tours of NYC -

*These tours, held rain or shine, will be led by a chef who has traveled the world "food first". A graduate of the Culinary Institute of America, John Bandman, 917-612-1411, will conclude each tour with lunch at one of his favorite restaurants. Each course is \$25 (+ nosh and lunch fee as indicated, payable to instructor) or take all 8 for only \$175. To register for all 8 please use course # WJ-D605*

#### AN EPICUREAN EXPEDITION IN MANHATTAN: TRIBECCA & SOHO

Visit the downtown Manhattan restaurants that earned high accolades from Zagats. **Meet at Pecan Coffee & Fine Foods, 130 Franklin Street; take 1/9 subway to Franklin St.**

1 Sat., Oct. 8, 10:30 am-1:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$35 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D816**

#### AN ITALIAN CULINARY EXPEDITION IN MANHATTAN

Visit some specialty shops to sample fresh authentic Italian food. **Meet at Italian Food Center, 194 Grand St., 212-925-2954; take 6 subway to Canal Street.**

1 Sat., Oct. 8, 3:30-6:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$25 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D817**

#### AN INDIAN CULINARY EXPEDITION IN JACKSON HEIGHTS

Visit some specialty shops to sample fresh authentic Indian food. **Meet at Subzi Mandi Market, 72-30 37th Ave., Jackson Heights, 718-457-1848.**

1 Sun., Oct. 9, 10:30 am-1:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$25 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D818**

#### A POLISH CULINARY EXPEDITION IN GREENPOINT, BROOKLYN

Visit some specialty shops to sample fresh authentic Polish food. **Meet at Sikorksi Meat Market, 603 Manhattan Ave., 718-389-6181; take G subway to Nassau Ave.**

1 Sun., Oct. 9, 3:30-6:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$35 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D876**

#### FRESH FOOD MARKET EXPEDITION IN MANHATTAN

Tour starts at the Union Square Greenmarket, then to Chelsea Market's bountiful selection. **Meet at Union Sq. West at 15th St. in front of Blue Water Grill, take 6 subway to 14th St.**

1 Sat., Oct. 15, 10:30 am-1:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$25 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D819**

#### A KOREAN CULINARY EXPEDITION IN MANHATTAN

Visit some specialty shops to sample fresh authentic Korean food. **Meet at Hangawi, 12 E. 32nd St., 212-213-0077, take 6 subway to 33rd St.**

1 Sat., Oct. 15, 3:30-6:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$25 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D820**

#### **NEW** WEST VILLAGE AND MEATPACKING DISTRICT

Delightful eating in the West Village and in the gentrified Meatpacking Districts. **Meet at Gourmet Garage, 117 7th Ave. So., at 10th St., 212-699-5980; take 1 or 9 subway to Christopher St.**

1 Sat., Oct. 22, 10:30 am-1:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$35 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D128**

#### **NEW** PARK SLOPE BROOKLYN

Delectable dining in Park Slope, Brooklyn, the up and coming residential area booming with popularity. Wonderful eating spots are becoming even better respected. **Meet at Bistro St. Marks, 76 St. Marks Ave. at 6th Ave; 718-857-8600; take 2 or 3 subway to Bergen St.**

1 Sat., Oct. 22, 3:30-6:30 pm, \$25 (+ \$35 nosh/lunch fee). **WJ-D127**

### - Walking Tours of NYC -

*Join us as we explore New York City. All walking tours meet as specified in NYC; you'll break for lunch (cost is not included in the tuition). All tours are scheduled for Saturdays with rain dates the next day, Sunday. All tours are 6 hours and include a lunch break (on your own). Your tour leaders: Art and*

*Susan Zuckerman as featured on WVOX- the "Z" Travel & Leisure Show. Call 914-224-7283*

*the day before class if inclement weather is forecast on day of tour or if you need directions or have any questions.*

#### NEW YORK BY WATER: 3 NEIGHBORHOODS

Travel by NYC Water Taxi to Chelsea, Lower Manhattan and Brooklyn's DUMBO/Brooklyn Heights; see wonderful art galleries; view an aircraft carrier up close and personal; and spend time at a world famous, old-fashioned boxing gym. **Meeting Place: Ruth Ann's Bakery at Chelsea Piers (22nd Street off the West Side Highway).**

1 Sun., Sept. 11, 10:00 am-5:00 pm, \$30 (+ \$18 for water taxi, lunch additional). **WJ-D274**

#### ARTHUR AVENUE EATING TOUR

Visit the "real" Little Italy in the Bronx; see how various types of mozzarella are made (samplings included); learn the art of pasta making; go behind the scenes at a bread bakery and a pastry shop; explore the history of this charming area; enjoy lunch at the finest Italian deli in NYC. If time permits, visit the Hall of Fame of Great Americans. **Meeting Place: The Arthur Ave. Market on Arthur Avenue (opposite the Municipal Parking Lot).**

1 Sat., Sept. 17, 10:00 am-4:00 pm, \$30 (lunch additional). **WJ-D767**

## SOHO AND LITTLE ITALY

View cast iron architecture; visit sites of Mafia hits; learn which President's wife was a shoplifter; visit the original St. Patrick's; walk the streets of brothels and ghosts; discover "art" that you never knew existed; browse the shops and enjoy the bargains.

**Meeting Place: The Puck Building, southeast corner of Lafayette and Houston Streets.**

*1 Mon., Oct. 10, 10:00 am-4:00 pm, \$30 (lunch additional). WJ-D765*

## HAUNTED GREENWICH VILLAGE

Visit Greenwich Village, the favorite haunt of the spirit world. See where the spooky tales of Edgar Allen Poe originated. If you are lucky, you may even have an encounter with one of these ghosts (no guarantees)!

**Meeting Place: The Washington Square Arch at the foot of 5th Avenue.**

*1 Sat., Oct. 29, 6:00-11:00 pm, \$30 (dinner additional). WJ-D764*