

**Pre-registration required & children must be accompanied by an adult, unless otherwise noted**

## COACH BUS TRIPS



### **BROOKLYN BOTANIC GARDEN and or PROSPECT PARK ZOO**

Saturday, October 8, 2016, 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM, Deer Path Park, adults, \$35

We'll get you there; you plan a day of fun. The fee covers the cost of the bus ride; the gardens are free before noon. The 52-acre garden includes a number of specialty "gardens within the Garden," plant collections, and the Steinhardt Conservatory, which houses the C.V. Starr Bonsai Museum, three climate-themed plant pavilions, a white cast-iron and glass aquatic plant house, and

an art gallery. Founded in 1910, the garden holds over 10,000 taxa of plants. We will explore the garden for about four hours. The Yellow Magnolia Canteen will be open for lunch (visit [www.bbg.org](http://www.bbg.org)). Visit the garden website to plan your day! [www.bbg.org/visit](http://www.bbg.org/visit). After you visit the gardens (or instead of going to the garden) you could walk over to Prospect Park. Boasting 585 acres this is the masterpiece of famed landscape architects Frederick Law Olmsted and Calvert Vaux, who also designed Central Park. It has a 90-acre Long Meadow, a 60-acre lake and Brooklyn's only forest, the nation's first urban Audubon Center, the Prospect Park Zoo, and a Mangels-Carmel 1912 wooden carousel, to name just a few of the attractions that make their home at the Park. Plan your visit at [www.prospectpark.org](http://www.prospectpark.org). Also nearby are the Brooklyn Public Library and the Brooklyn Museum (art) established in 1895, which holds nearly 1.5 million pieces of art work. Visit [www.brooklynmuseum.org](http://www.brooklynmuseum.org).

### **NEW YORK CITY BUS TRIP**

Sunday, December 4, 2016, 8:30 AM to 8:00 PM, Deer Path Park, all ages (children must be accompanied by an adult), \$35

~ Must bring your own car seat, you may leave it on the bus.

Join us December 4th for our coach bus trip into the winter wonderland of Rockefeller Center. Here the Christmas spirit lasts all season, as the smell of hot chocolate and pine waft through the air. You can choose from either heading to the famous ice rink at Rockefeller Center, or going down to Central Park and taking a carriage ride with family, friends, or that special someone. You may also choose to spend the day shopping, or seeing the show of your choice. The bus departs from Deer Path Park at 8:30 AM.

We will travel to New York City and disembark the bus in the surrounding area of Radio City Music Hall. We provide the transportation, and you design your schedule from endless New York City winter activities!



### **Calling all ARTISTS... "Tunnel Under 31" Girl Scout Gold Award Mural Project!**

Design & submit artwork of a potential mural panel, for a chance to be part of this artistic creation!

We are looking to fill the 120' tunnel under Route 31 with educational murals. Yes, the



Hunterdon County Division of Parks and Recreation has a tunnel that connects the Hunterdon County Arboretum and Echo Hill.

This unique tunnel is separated into 42 individual panels measuring approximately 6'x7'. Each panel is envisioned to have a different mural painted on it that will take on a life of its own. Show your appreciation for art and Hunterdon County's natural beauty by creating and/or help paint a mural of animals in their habitats, parkland, historic buildings, camping, hiking, taking care of our planet and much more. You are only limited by your imagination! Geared towards teaching park visitors and nature campers about the natural beauty of our Garden State and everything that Hunterdon County Parks has to offer!

~ All submitted art will be juried by a panel, Hunterdon County Parks & Recreation has the right of refusal. The Hunterdon County Parks & Recreation holds the right to paint over any inappropriate and/or damaged mural at their discretion.

~ We are looking for outdoor paint donations... partial cans are accepted.



Questions, art submissions or to volunteer to help with "Tunnel Under 31"... email [parks@co.hunterdon.nj.us](mailto:parks@co.hunterdon.nj.us) ... subject line: "Tunnel Under 31" or call (908) 782-1158

fyi... A separate project of installing a bridge over the creek between the Arboretum & Echo Hill also in the works.