RETIREE COUNCIL 21 Presents... <u>On Monday, June 1st</u>

Our first stop on Staten Island. A 2 hour guided tour will take you on a slow walk through the Tuscan Garden and Villa which were modeled after the exquisite Villa Gamberaia in Florence, Italy. The Villa showcases exhibits on Italian art, design, and horticulture. We will then see the only authentic Chinese Scholar's Garden in the United States. Reflecting 18th and 19th Ming Dynasty design, this retreat was handcrafted by artisans from Suzhou City and features plants indigenous to China, waterfalls and quiet walkways.

CASA VERDE will be our destination for lunch. One restaurant reviewer described the food as 'old style Italian cooking.' Meal includes appetizer, pasta, salad, entree, dessert & coffee or tea.

RICHMOND TOWN Richmondtown was the seat of government for the 'forgotten borough' until Staten Island became part of New York City in 1898. A guided tour will give you a glimpse of rural life stretching as far back as the 1600's. The village also includes a museum with exhibits on American life through the centuries.

Schedule:

7:30 am Departure: Suffolk NYSUT Office @ 150 Motor Parkway, Hauppauge (Citibank building)

8:00 am Departure: Nassau NYSUT Office @ 1000 Woodbury Road, Woodbury

Non-Refundable Participating Fee: RC 21 Members – \$5.00

Non-Members – \$10.00

Participation Fee: Check payable to *Retiree Council 21*

SNUG HARBOR

Trip Fee: \$92.00 (Check payable to *Fantastic Tours*)

DEADLINE: May 1st -- Completed form and checks are to be forwarded to:

Simonne Harkavy 104 Raleigh Lane West Islip, New York 11795 (631) 661-4446

Name	Chapter
Address	Home Phone
	Cell Phone
Guest's Name	Home Phone
Address	Cell Phone
Menu Selection:	
Chicken Parmigiana Salmon Champagne Sauce	Veal Scaloppini Marsala
Vegetarian (if necessary)	
Bus Pick-up: Nassau Suffolk	
MONEY & FORMS DUE MAY 1 st : Total Amount Enclosed: \$	for people.