

NEW YORK, LONG ISLAND, NEW JERSEY, AND CONNECTICUT PARTY TO BE HELD OUTSIDE OF NEW YORK CITY FOR FIRST TIME IN 9 YEARS

The camp winter reunion for the New York City area will be held on Saturday, January 24, at the Marriott Motor Hotel located just a few miles west of the George Washington Bridge. The party is scheduled to begin at 12:00 noon with a luncheon and should conclude by 3:15 or 3:30. Traditionally this camp party attracts the largest turnout, with campers and counsellors from a number of nearby states. Whereas this is not the time for mid-term vacations for some counsellors, it is, however, the mid-term break for others. Some years we have had as many as eight states represented at this party. We have no reason to expect to break that record this year but we mention this so that new campers from Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, New Jersey, eastern

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PITTSBURGH REUNION

Traditionally we have an informal gathering of campers in February of each year in Pittsburgh. We expect by mid-January to be able to send details of such a reunion. Very likely, as in the past, it will not be on a weekend but on a weekday after school in the late afternoon.

WASHINGTON PARTY TO BE HELD AT THE HOME OF STEVE, LEE, AND JIM HESSBERG

Once again we're most appreciative of the kind invitation extended by Dr. and Mrs. Rufus Hessberg to have the Washington area Timlo reunion at their home. It will be held at 6:00 p.m. on Friday, January 16. We have enjoyed so much the pleasant party at Hessberg's for the past many winters. It's our hope that all of the campers and counsellors in the Maryland, Virginia, Washington areas will be on hand.

Although the Hessbergs are well known to the Timlo family, you new campers will be interested to know that in addition to Steve, Lee, and Jim being in the present generation of Timlo campers, that Dr. Hessberg was a camper and counsellor at Timlo before World War II. He has been active as a Colnel in the Air Force and has participated in the NASA program at Houston and Cape Kennedy. One of the special treats of the evening will be a film shown by Col. Hessberg depicting the most recent moon shot and moon exploration. As usual we shall also have movies and color slides taken during last summer, and we look forward to showing them.

Please reply directly to Col. and Mrs. Hessberg if you are able to attend the party. Their address is 9524 Victoria Drive, Upper Marlboro, Maryland. Their telephone number

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Pennsylvania, and New York will realize that we hope that they can arrange to attend. Complete information and a reservation blank are attached at the bottom of the page. Because in the past many have failed to make reservations and do so over the telephone at the last minute, it would be helpful to have a reply from everyone whether or not they are able to attend.

The results of our survey of campers in the immediate New York tri-state area were very gratifying, with all but one indicating his intention to attend. We aren't prepared to indicate at this date which campers and counsellors will be there, but we're hoping for a larger turnout at this new, more convenient location. The party starts with luncheon and visiting, after which we have some entertainment and show the movies and color slides taken during last summer. You and your parents may be interested in the reason for the move out of New York City. For the past nine years we have had the reunion at a mid-town hotel in the city. We have noted that each year it becomes more and more difficult for the parents to get in and out of the city on a Saturday, not to mention the fact that the cost per ticket seems to be "out of sight". We have discussed this entire matter with a number of parents and in every case they felt the move was a wise one and that frankly the new location would be more convenient all the way around. Concerning the cost, in addition to the \$4 or \$5 it might cost for parking and all the difficulty getting in and out, the hotel informed us that the minimum charge for the lunckeon would be \$9.50, over 50% more than last year. These were some of the compelling reasons for the change.

If you will have your parents note carefully the location of the Marriott Motor Hotel in Saddle Brook, New Jersey, it may well be that due to the greater convenience, some of you will be able to attend who could not have otherwise. The hotel is located at the intersection of the Gardan State Parkway and Interstate 30 just 8 1/2 miles west of the George Washington Bridge. This is just 8 or 9 minutes from the bridge which, even for those from Long Island, represents a faster, easier automobile ride than trying to go into the middle of Manhattan. The telephone number of the hotel is Area 201, 843-9500. Since there will be no convenient bus service from upstate New York, we can tell the parents in the Capital District of New York that the mileage from Albany to the Marriott is 138, which can be done in just over two hours. From Philadelphia it will represent a few miles more than the trip into Manhattan, but will definitely be shorter in time. Some parents have indicated that they will bring their children to the reunion and, being so close to New York, will nevertheless drive in to so certain things and then return. We hope that families from some distance might plan together for this event and bring a carful as we have had from Ponnsylvania, Maryland, and New Jersey. We're looking forward to this new location and to a very enjoyable reunion. We hope you will be able to attend. Remember -- let us know if you can attend or if you cannot.

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is Area 301, 599-6061. It would help considerable if you would telephone the Hessbergs by Tuesday, January 13. The directions to their home are as follows — Take the Washington, D.C., Capital Beltway (Interstate 495) to Exit 34 and head east on Route 4 approximately a mile and a half. At a stop light take a right on Route 233 and in approximately one mile (more or less) take a right on Victoria Drive. The Hessberg home is on the right a few houses in — number 9524.

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Please make _____ adult reservations at \$6.95 per person.

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