Fall Excursion 2013
HYDE PARK on the HUDSON

On Monday, October 28, fifty-two YUWO members will travel by bus to Franklin Roosevelt’s lifelong home, Springwood, a Neo-Classical mansion. Hyde Park on the Hudson is now a National Historic Site run by the U.S. Park Service. FDR was the first president to establish a Presidential Library. Val-Kill, Eleanor Roosevelt’s separate, gracious, home is just a few miles away. The YUWO trip will include both homes and gardens as well as the FDR Museum, run by the National Archives, which features a new digital timeline of the Roosevelt Presidency.

More details and registration form are included in this October newsletter.

Save the Date!
Holiday Party
Sunday, December 8

The event is a congenial gathering of YUWO members and a “fund raiser” for the YUWO Scholarship Fund. Chair Stephanie Jatlow needs helpers with ideas. Call or email Stephanie at 203-389-2044. S.Jatlow@netscape.net. Stephanie promises lunch and good cheer for the Committee.

Explore New Haven

Join us on Tuesday, October 1 at 10:00am for a walk about in Westville. We will meet at the old Vaudeville Play House now called Lyric Hall at 827 Whalley Avenue. John Cavaliere will guide us through his historic building where silent films and vaudeville acts were featured. We will cross the street to visit the studio of Gar Waterman who sculpts from stones from all over the world. His studio is in a glorified old industrial building. There will be additional information about nearby shops and restaurants for more exploring once we have finished our trip. To sign up please call Anne Schenck 203-787-3705 or Eleanor Radune 203-483-6528.

Art Aficionados
Thursday, October 17, noon
We will have a one hour tour of "The Echoes of Egypt" at the Peabody Museum guided by Colleen Manasse. Lunch at Caseus, which follows the tour, will be limited to the first 12 who reserve. Call Anneke Hathaway at 203-752-0460.

President’s Letter

We hope you were able to join us at the lovely 2013-14 Wine and Cheese reception skillfully arranged by Barbara Kryger and her committee. We would especially like to thank Joanne Vermilya and the staffs of the President’s House and the Yale Divinity School for their assistance in relocating the reception due to the renovation of the President’s House.

You will find numerous activities detailed in this newsletter along with a number of registration forms. Please pay attention to the deadlines on each form so you will not be disappointed as some events have space limitations.

We would also like to encourage you to receive the newsletter electronically. Those who choose email newsletters receive them the day the copy goes to the printer and YUWO significantly reduces both printing and postage costs. Contact Peggy Atherton, Membership Chair, to tell her if you are willing to try receiving the newsletter by email. Also remember to check the YUWO website at www.yale.edu/yuwo where the newsletter and any updated information regarding events and activities will be posted.

Welcome to an exciting year.
**Lunch and Learn:**
*Tuesday, October 29th, 12:00 noon at the Yale Visitors' Center on Elm Street.*
Reminder - The speaker will be Gail Charnley, Ph.D., Principal of HealthRisk Strategies, who serves on the National Academy of Sciences Board of Environmental Studies and Toxicology. Dr. Charnley's work focuses on environmental health risk assessment and public policy.

**YUWO Walkers: Two walks Planned for Fall.**
On *Thursday, October 3*, we will walk on the Branford Trail, from Pine Orchard across the wildlife marsh trolley trail to Stony Creek. We can then explore the trails in that village as we like. Those who wish to can have lunch at the Stony Creek Market before heading back to the cars. We took this walk a few years ago, and it was popular. We will meet at 10:30 in Pine Orchard for the walk. Information and maps will be available at the Wine and Cheese table, or call Lyn Howe at 203-606-0370.

On *Friday, October 11*, we will take another walk that was well enjoyed in the past. This walk begins at Lake Wintergreen in Hamden, and then climbs up a disused road to the West Rock ridge, where we can see a wide view of the fall trees across Bethany and to the middle of the state.

There are no rain dates for these walks. Call Lyn (203-606-0370) to confirm the walk if the weather is inclement.

**Music Together: Friday, October 18th** at 8:00pm in Woolsey Hall for a Philharmonia concert of 20th Century music. Dinner before the concert at 6:30, Yorkside Pizza. Questions? Raejeanne Kier (203-287-2443).

**News about the 12/13 YUWO Scholarship Winners:** (Photo was in the September Newsletter)

Paula DellaMura received the Gustave and Carol Lynn Sirot Scholarship. Paula is working towards a bachelor’s degree in business at the University of Phoenix on-line program.

Jacqueline Ferriola received an annual fund scholarship award and is working towards her bachelor’s degree in Public Health at Southern Connecticut State University.

Susan Hamilton, eligible because her husband, Roy, is employed by Yale University received an annual fund scholarship. Susan is pursuing an Associates degree in Business Management at Albertus Magnus College.

Karen Kustra received the Magee Fenn Scholarship. She is working towards her bachelor’s degree in Business Administration at Albertus Magnus College.

Racquel Miller is the recipient of the Kay Ross Scholarship. She is pursuing certification as a professional coder at the Pittsburgh Technical Institute on-line program.

Gloria Munden is the recipient of the Jane Levin Scholarship, given this year, which recognizes and honors Jane Levin for her support of the YUWO Scholarship over many years. Gloria is working towards her Associates of Art degree at Daytona State College on-line program.

**October Books**
Monday, October 14, 2:00pm, *Room* by Emma Donoghue. Contact: Irene Smith(203-248-2949)


Tuesday, October 8, 2:00pm, *Benjamin Franklin* by Edmund Morgan. Contact: Lyn Howe (203-606-0370)

Thursday, October 10, 9:30am, *Wild* by Cheryl Strayed. Contact: Eleanor Radune (203 483-6528)
Excursion to Hyde Park homes of FDR and Eleanor Roosevelt

Monday, October 28, 2013 - Bus Trip

We travel by chartered bus to Hyde Park on the Hudson, a National Historic Site. When we arrive, the Visitors Center has a 22-minute film on the Roosevelts. We have an 11:00am guided tour of Val-Kill, Eleanor Roosevelt’s home and gardens, followed by a 1:00pm guided tour of FDR’s home.

Lunch is on your own between the two guided tours. There is an Uncle Sam’s Canteen cafeteria at the Visitors Center. We then have 2:00pm admission tickets to the FDR Museum and Library, without a guide. Before the 4:30 bus departure there will be time to stroll the Rose Garden and the burial site of FDR and Eleanor.

IMPORTANT Trip Details:
The bus leaves the North Haven commuter lot on Devine Street (Exit 10 off I-91) promptly at 7:30 am and returns about 6:30 pm. This trip is limited to 52 current YUWO members. If space is available, friends may be invited. For questions, phone or email Dody Gall at 203-288-6590 or dngall@aol.com. $55 fee includes bus travel, driver’s tip and tours of Val-Kill and all FDR sites. No refunds or cancellations after October 20.

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Deadline is October 20. The fee is $55.

Please make $55 check payable to YUWO and mail to:
Dolores Gall
75 Charlton Hill
Hamden, CT 06518

Name: ____________________________  Home Phone: ____________________________
Address: ____________________________  Cell Phone: ____________________________
Email: ____________________________
Monday, October 28

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Excursion to Hyde Park homes of FDR and Eleanor Roosevelt
Application form and details are enclosed

Wednesday, October 2

Fall Study Group begins at the Lawn Club at 10:30am
Speaker: Professor David Bromwich
Reservation form is inserted

Return Service is Requested