

The Long Island Stretch

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April is known for its showers but if wishes come true, in 2025 we will not

have much rain. It will have plenty of sunshine, springlike temperatures

and many, many happy times.

This month we're having Italian for lunch on Saturday, April 26th. We have been to and enjoyed wonderful food at Umberto's in Bellmore, LI as well as in Dunedin, Fl. They are all part of the Illiano family since 1986. There is also their restaurant in Wantagh, LI that we will visit on the 26th. As it is part of the same family of restaurants, we are confident

the food will be de-lic-ious! Want great Italian food with your tall friends? Just contact Brian

From the desk of The Prez

and let him know you will be there.

Don't know about the rest of you, but Delta has changed both our flights to/fro TCI Convention twice already. Hope there are no more changes.

Have an activity you would like to do with your tall family??? Just let Brian and/or me know and we will try to make it happen.

Hoping to see you on April 26th.

TCLI Calendar APRIL 2025

FRI APR 4

FIRST FRIDAY - TCNYC

7:00 PM



Join NYC Tall Club at the Beer Authority - 300 W 40th St, (BET 8 + 9 Aves, New York - 2/Enter and head upstairs for craft beers (over 60 on tap) served at a convenient location. (Across from Port Authority Bus Terminal.) Join us for conversation over a all beer. (We can check out the rooftop, but it may not be open.) Also, the 8th Avenue windows view *is fun. LOOK FOR US – I f sunny and warm enough - on

the roof OR if raining - at the 2nd Floor bar (at top of stairs). RSVP TO to make sure there are no changes to this event.

SAT

APR 26

LUNCH @ UMBERTO'S-WANTAGH

1:00 PM



Yes, TCLI has been to Umberto's of Bellmore in the past. But, it turns out that both places are run by the same family. So, you can count on having a great meal with good friends. The Wantagh restaurant is located at 1180

Wantagh Avenue...tel 516-221-5696. Umberto's has all the classic Italian dishes we know and love. Call/text 516-474-6405 to RSVP with Brian.

TUES

APR 29

BOARD - MEETING @ GOLDEN REEF

7:00 PM



We welcome you to join the TCLI Executive Board at The Golden Reef Diner, 329 Sunrise Highway, Rockville Centre, NY 11570. Diner phone 516-764-9273. All members + guests are invited to give their input for what events TCLI will put on our social calendar. Please remember -- this is YOUR club + we want to have events that YOU enjoy. The more members that are active, the better our club becomes + the more members

we will have. CALL/TEXT Arlene at 718-843-2623 to let us know you will be there.



Since St. Patrick's Day is in March, TCLI decided to have lunch at an Irish restaurant. The only Saturday that fitted everybody's schedule was March 15th. Marge suggested Paddy's Loft in North Massapequa. Karen and I have been here before.

Considering lunch was going to be on St. Pat's Day weekend, I heeded Linda Ring's advice to make a reservation well in advance. Good thing I did. The place was packed. Still, the atmosphere was festive. Irish music was playing in the background.

The kitchen was apparently overwhelmed. It took a while for our dishes to arrive. The wait was worth it. The food was delicious. Our server was very outgoing, and he had no problem doing separate checks. Nice. Paddy's Loft has 13 beers on tap. Very nice.

The crowd started to thin out around 2:30 pm. I would like to make going to an Irish restaurant for March's lunch a tradition. Next year we'll try to do it not so close to the big day. And maybe have a later meeting time.

Thanks to all who came. I enjoyed your company and the conversations. April's lunch will be at Umberto's of Wantagh. See the separate FB post for details.



Brian Quinn







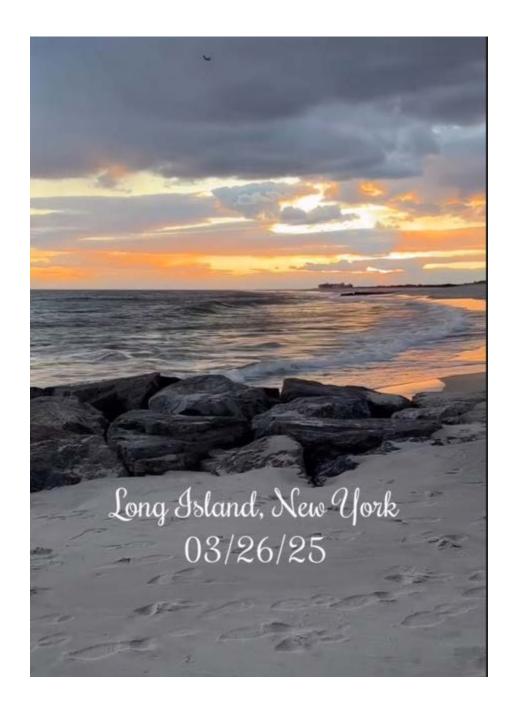








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Being tall is an advantage, especially in business. People will always remember you. And if you're in a crowd, you'll always have some clean air to breathe.

— Julia Child —

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Women be at least 5'10" and men must be at least 6'2" in stocking feet.

The minimum age is 21 years, legal drinking age in NY State. Prospects may apply at a monthly social for membership, or at an event. Initial membership is prorated. Dues are \$36 per person (\$52 married couples) payable at time of membership, annually on January 1st thereafter. **FEE FOR ATTENDING AN EVENT/SOCIAL FOR NON-MEMBERS AND PROSPECTS IS \$5.00, MEMBERS FREE.**

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