



COASTERBASH!

XXIX

**Saturday
March 3, 2018**

Event will be held rain, snow (blizzard) or shine

Salvatore's - South Hills of Pittsburgh

CoasterBash! always provides attendees with an eventful evening that includes a wide variety of presentations ranging from history to retrospectives to what's new at the parks.

Highlights include:

- Nick Paradise of Kennywood will give an update on what's new for 2018.
- Jeff Croushore Of Idlewild and SoakZone will provide an update of what's new at the park for 2018.
- Steve Gorman of Waldameer will update us on the construction of Water World's ongoing additions and other improvements at the Erie park for 2018.
- Brian Butko of the Heinz History Center with Kennywood 2.5" and a look at some stunning old pictures of the park that have been touched up and color-corrected.
- Author Jennifer Sopko will talk about her forthcoming book on the history of Idlewild Park.
- Representatives from Conneaut Lake Park will be on hand to provide a status update.
- Dalton Fischer from Silver Dollar City will report on the park's new Time Traveler roller coaster and what to expect at the 2018 ACE Spring Conference.
- Chris Camp, president of Fun Fore All will talk about the popular fun center.
- Plus The Golden Kenny Award; videos from the talents of Ken Simmons, Joel Brewton and others; a fun contest; and LOTS of door prizes!

NEW PROCEDURE THIS YEAR FOR VENDORS: Anyone wishing to set up a table at CoasterBash! must do so when they register. The cost is \$10 along with providing at least one door prize valued at \$15 or more. Mail-in registration forms that include tables must be postmarked by February 17, 2018 and vendors should simply add "Vendor Table" as a name and indicate a \$10 price. Online registration for vendor tables will be open through February 21, 2018 (note that it's several days BEFORE the general online registration deadline). Tables may not be purchased after February 21.

**DOOR PRIZES
CHINESE AUCTION
SURPRISES
SALES TABLES
UNLIMITED
FREE SOFT DRINKS
DINNER BUFFET**

featuring...

Chicken Romano with Lemon Cream Sauce, Baked Ham with Pineapple Cherry Glaze, Farfalle Pasta with Marinara Sauce, Parsley Red Potatoes, Chateau Blend Vegetables, Antipasta Salad, Tossed Salad, White Chocolate Raspberry Layer Cake

CASH BAR



Registration Fees

Must be postmarked by February 23, 2018

ACE Member	\$36.00
Child Member (3-11)	\$30.00
Non-member	\$45.00
Child Non-member (3-11)	\$36.00

Non-members may attend only if registered with and accompanied by a member.

- Cancellation Policy: Refunds will be issued less a \$5/person cancellation fee if notice is given by February 23, 2018.
- Cancellations must be made by phone to Dave Hahner at 412.734.3922.
- NOTE: No materials will be provided in advance. All registration materials are picked up at the event.

There will be NO refunds issued after February 23, 2018.

Online Registration Available

Online registration through February 25, 2018 at ACEwesternPA.org/registration
Online registration prices are \$1.25/person higher to cover processing fees.

Fifth annual CoasterBash! Photo Contest.

Special *Thunderbolt* division in honor of the ride's 50th year

Bring photos to event by 3 p.m.
Prizes awarded!

For further information, visit <http://www.acewesternpa.org/PhotoContest>

Lodging suggestions on next page.

Tentative Schedule

2 p.m. - 4 p.m.
Registration/Social time
4 p.m. - 7 p.m.
Presentations Segment #1
7p.m. - 8 p.m.
Dinner
7p.m. - 11 p.m.
Presentations Segment #2
Sales Tables open during social time, breaks and dinner only.

Accommodations, Driving Directions, Mountainfest information available on the next page.

CoasterBash! XXIX -- Registration Form

Mail this form to: CoasterBash! XXIX - PO Box 15353 - Pittsburgh, PA 15237-0553

This form MUST be postmarked by February 23, 2018. There is no late or on-site registration. No materials will be sent in advance.

Name as to appear on name badges	City, State	Membership Number	Age 3-11 (y/n)	Price
Name of person writing check:	Phone Number:	TOTAL:		
	Email Address:			

The payment of registration fees by, for, or on behalf of participants releases and holds harmless American Coaster Enthusiasts Worldwide, Inc., and its Officers, Executive Committee members, Regional Representatives and other representatives from any and all liabilities related to those activities. Personal checks accepted from ACE members only. **DO NOT SEND CASH!**

MAKE YOUR CHECK OR MONEY ORDER PAYABLE TO: DAVID ALTMAN

ACCOMMODATIONS

There is no official hotel for this event. However, the following four facilities are only a few miles away, all along Lebanon Church Road, and are recommended by CoasterBash! organizers.

Comfort Inn	Hampton Inn	Holiday Inn Express	SpringHill Suites by Marriott
412.653.6600	412.650.1000	412.469.1900	412.653.9800

DRIVING DIRECTIONS

TO SALVATORE'S:

The address for Salvatore's is: 5001 Curry Road, Pittsburgh, PA 15236

General directions from Pittsburgh: Take Route 51 south (after the Liberty Tunnel you will go through 14+ traffic signals (after traveling approximately four miles) after passing a McDonalds (on the left), turn right onto Brownsville Road (traffic light at intersection). Follow Brownsville Road for .3 mile and turn left at the first light. This will still be Brownsville Road. After the turn, follow Brownsville Road for .2 miles and turn right onto Curry Road. Follow Curry Road for .7 miles and just after the underpass, Salvatore's will be on the left. It is located in a small shopping center.

From the Pittsburgh International Airport area and points West: Follow I-376 east toward Pittsburgh. Exit on to Route 51 south towards Uniontown immediately before the Fort Pitt Tunnels to downtown Pittsburgh. Then follow the "General directions from Pittsburgh" above.

From the Monroeville area and points East: Take I-376 west towards Pittsburgh and exit onto the Boulevard of the Allies (exit 2B). Merge onto the Boulevard of the Allies and follow signs for the Liberty Bridge. Merge into the right lane on the bridge and remain in the right lane through the Liberty Tunnel. Immediately after exiting the tunnel, take the second exit for Route 51 south towards Uniontown. Then follow the "General directions from Pittsburgh" above.

From points North: Take I-279 south to I-579 south. On I-579, stay in the far left lane, which will eventually exit on to the Liberty Bridge. Get in the right lane on the Liberty Bridge and remain in the right lane through the Liberty Tunnel. Immediately after exiting the tunnel, take the second exit for Route 51 south towards Uniontown. Those coming from the Ohio Turnpike, can either exit at Exit #28 and take I-79 south to I-279 south and follow the directions above from points North (Mapquest recommended route) OR exit at #10 and follow I-376 east (portion toll) towards Pittsburgh and follow the directions from the Pittsburgh International Airport and points west. Then follow the "General directions from Pittsburgh" above.

From area hotels: Turn onto Lebanon Church Road (Route 885 South) toward Route 51. After going under Route 51, travel 1.5 miles and turn right on to Brownsville Road. Proceed for 0.8 miles and turn left on to Hollow Haven Drive (across from the Loose Moose Saloon). Continue 0.5 miles and turn right on to Curry Road. Salvatore's will be on the right in 0.4 miles.

TO AREA HOTELS:

To get to the recommended hotels in the area near Salvatore's, use the directions above to get to Route 51 south. Follow Route 51 south beyond the turn-off indicated in the directions to Salvatore's, through more traffic lights, and take the exit (on the right) for Lebanon-Church Road (Route 885 north) toward West Mifflin. All four recommended hotels are on the right, after approximately 1-2 miles.

If you need directions from any other area, please call Bill Linkenheimer at 412.725.7499.
If you get lost on the day of the event, call Salvatore's at 412.653.1880.

Don't miss Mountainfest at Wisp Mountain Resort Presented by ACE Mid-Atlantic Sunday, March 4 - the day after CoasterBash!

Wisp is located in McHenry, Maryland, just two hours from Pittsburgh!

ACE members can purchase four rides on Wisp's Mountain Coaster for just \$31 (a \$48 value).

Event time is 12:30 p.m. Advance registration (but not payment) is required by Wednesday, February 28, 2018.

Details available at <http://www.aceonline.org/fliers/WispMountain2018.pdf>



ORDER ACE MERCHANDISE INCLUDING GEAR WITH THE NEW ACE LOGO AND GET FREE SHIPPING!

CoasterBash! attendees who order at least \$40 worth of merchandise will enjoy free domestic shipping to their home, through March 6, 2018.

Details will be made available at the event, exclusively to CoasterBash! XXIX attendees!