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Northern New Jersey

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Dear Snails:

We hope you've had a healthy and happy new year and are ready for the great year we have ahead of us in Slow Food Northern New Jersey. This is the first "Snailgram" for the year 2006; hereafter updates will occur on a monthly basis.

On January 17, 2006 the Steering Committee met and discussed some of the events for the coming year. In brief, these are dates to mark on your calendar.

February 12 – We are planning a get together dinner for the NNJ chapter and details will follow once we have confirmed the restaurant.

March 19 - Buffet de Provence – Slow Food Northern NJ Convivium invites you to attend our Spring benefit honoring the "School Garden Project" at the Newark Conservancy. The cost will be \$35.00 for Slow Food members and \$40 for non members. It should be lots of fun. Information will follow in the next couple of weeks.

April 4 – There will be a dinner in Hoboken at one of Maricel Presilla's restaurants (either Cucharamama or Zafra).

October 2006 – We are planning a trip to attend the Salone de Gusto in Turin, Italy. Our tour will likely begin one week before the commencement of the Salone. This trip will accommodate approximately 16 people. Please let Penny know if you are interested.

We have set up a website for Slow Food New Jersey and are looking for a webmaster who has website/computer knowledge to help maintain and expand the site. If anyone is interested please e-mail Penny Potenz Winship at ppw1940@comcast.net.

We would like to have our Convivium be interactive, and are looking for your ideas and suggestions on anything FOOD-related that might interest our members.

Slowly yours,

Penny Potenz Winship, Leader Slow Food NNJ

