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# When Sparkers Meetup in NYC, What do they do?

Tuesday, May 23, 2017

Ride the Carrousel in Bryant Park!

Left to right, that's Phebess, Sylphinprogress and me.



Here we are with "Patience" one of the lions guarding the New York Public Library



The Exhibit "Love in Venice" was especially meaningful when you have an art teacher as your guide. Thank you Phebe!

We ate a delicious, healthy lunch and talked all afternoon One more Sparker to meet.



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My DD Jeannie (Hayburner1969) in a recital at Carnegie Hall



Not the sold out one. The evening performance of competition winners.

This was her practice time.

We were not allowed photographs or recording during the performance itself. She was one of a distinguished international field of pianists from Germany, Norway, Italy, China and Japan as well as the USA.





Jeannie and I both ran in Central Park



Sunday morning it was a lot more crowded when 40,000 participated in the Aids Walk



This isn't Central Park



Once an elevated train ran along 10th Avenue.

The rusted abandon track has been replaced with a 1.4 mile park called the "High Line" The trees, shrubs and flowers are all cared for by volunteers.



I did not climb to the top observation deck



Just took in the view from the path.

The warehouses of the old meatpacking district are now valuable real estate.





Finally, here is my DH who as "stealth sparker" has the energy and is willing to follow me anywhere.



### Late edit:

How could I forget to say that Jeannie's performance was fantastic! The entire program was great and very well received by the audience.

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#### NASFKAB

kudos for your daughter thanks for sharing your fun with us 1466 days ago



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#### **GRACED777**

That sounds like such a fun time! Glad you all enjoyed! 1469 days ago





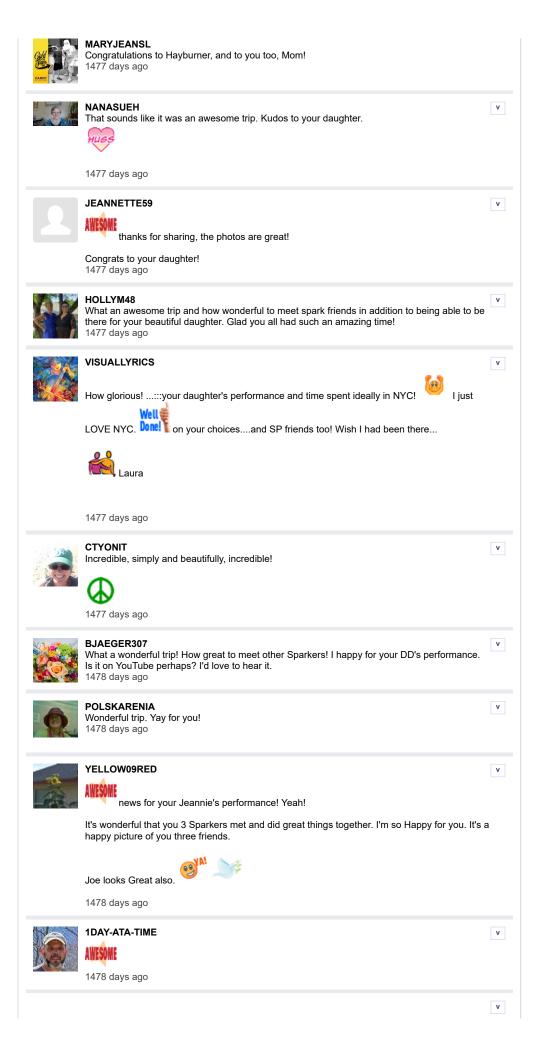
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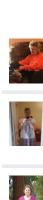
This looks like great fun! If you have an opportunity to get some Sparkers together for a good cause and also get your steps please think about or pass this along:

https://www.dressforsuccess

.org/get-involved/events/the-po wer-walk-for-dress-for-success-2017/ 1473 days ago QUARTERMASTER3 ٧ Looks like a great time was had. 1474 days ago ALICIA363 V What a wonderful time! 1474 days ago NANCY-٧ So glad all went well and you had fun. Love those lions. 1476 days ago **ELAINEB1972** v 1476 days ago It was wonderful to meet you and Stealth, had a great time with our little carrousel riding crew!! (And can you believe they actually made us wear seatbelts on the horses???? So crazy!) 1477 days ago **AZMOMXTWO** ٧ what a great day 1477 days ago **FUNLOVEN** Thanks for the pics. I love Central Park! And it is fabulous what they have done with the High Line. How fun to get together with Spark friends "for real"! 1477 days ago GRANDMA524DAR ٧ Looks like a great time was had by all! 1477 days ago **GINIEMIE** Sounds like you had a wonderful time, Jeannie's concert of course a highlight, but to have your husband there to enjoy it with was also special. Then to meet two sparkfriends and spend some time with them as well as share the joy of Jeannie's talents and success-what a beautiful Your pictures are great. What an awesome, whirlwind weekend you had 1477 days ago SUNNYBEACHGIRL ٧ Oh how fun and wonderful 1477 days ago **HEALTHYANDFIT27** ٧ Great pics! Loads of fun! Cheers to you and your daughter! 1477 days ago 52BINCE What a great occasion. It's not every day a daughter performs at Carnegie Hall. Great pictures and nice you could see Spark friends there. 1477 days ago REDROBIN47 ٧ Glad you had a good time. You must be soooo proud of your daughter. What an

accomplishment for her. Congratulations to both of you. 1477 days ago **LIVEDAILY** So glad the weather cooperated for you on your visit!! The High Line is a fantastic thing, isn't it? Glad you got to experience it!! Happy that DD performance went well!! HUG\$ 1477 days ago MBPP50 ٧ Sounds amazing. Glad you had such a good time and that your daughter's performance was so great. 1477 days ago **FLORIDASUN** ٧ Fantastic meet up...ALWAYS more fun with our fellow sparkies! 1477 days ago **PEACEMONSTER** ٧ Looks like a fun time! 😛 1477 days ago QUILTYENGINEER v Looks like you had a wonderful time! The pictures are fabulous - thanks for sharing! 1477 days ago **ONEKIDSMOM** ٧ So glad you got to Spark in person in NYC! Good luck to Jeanne! 1477 days ago LIVINGLOVINLIFE ٧ Sounds like an awesome trip. 1477 days ago RAZZOOZLE ٧ Looks like tons of fun. 1477 days ago SUSIEMT Congrats to Hayburner (aka Jeannie) and to Mom and Dad! Sounds like a fun time was had by all! 1477 days ago LINDA! ٧ Wow, great photos!!! 1477 days ago OF COURSE she is awesome! NEVER Doubted it for a minute! THANK you so much for posting this and the pictures...she is so gorgeous and graceful like her mother! And hubby seems to fit like hand in glove with you! YOU are truly a blessed woman and can't think of anyone more deserving! 1477 days ago







What a wonderful trip! Did y'all walk in the AIDS walk too? I knew her performance would be fabulous! Glad you met some Spark friends and had such a good time! 1478 days ago



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#### **SYLPHINPROGRESS**

As one of the guilty parties named and visible (wearing the orange top) in BB's blog, I'm happy to say that our Saturday get-together was wonderful. It was my second time in the excellent company of BB and Stealth Sparker (lower case only because he isn't an official SP member) and my third in the excellent company of PHEBESS and, even better, the first of all of us in one place at the same time. The perfect bonus was attending HAYBURNER's concert and meeting her and her family afterward.

This was a bonanza weekend. Same time next year? 1478 days ago



#### **SKYDRAKE**

What a wonderful trip. You got to see some great sites, meet up with some Spark friends, spend some time with DH, and get to be a proud mama to your talented daughter.

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#### **ANAKIE**

Glad your day was so good. Glad to see DH doing so well. Hope the performance was wonderful.

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#### CHAYOR73

Seems like you had a wonderful time, thank you for the photos! 1478 days ago



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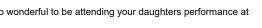
#### **NEW-CAZ**



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Absolutely Outstanding!....So wonderful to be attending your daughters performance at



Carnegie Hall!...

And meeting your two friends there!...definitely exhilarating and the pictures prove it!..You all had such a wonderful time!

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### **MORTICIAADDAMS**

Looks like everyone had a great time! 1478 days ago





#### BLUEJAY1969

Looks like a great time! I'm happy for you that you got to meet some fellow Sparkers! Thanks for sharing in photos with us!

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#### **JEANKNEE**

Looks like a wonderful trip to NYC and time to meet other Sparkers too. Fun! 1478 days ago





#### TWEDEE777

Looks like so much fun!! 1478 days ago



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