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Monday-Friday 9am-9:00pm
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The Executive Board of the Community House would like to thank those members who contributed to the Employee Holiday Fund. We were able to give our dedicated staff an added bonus thanks to your donations. Our staff continues to work hard throughout the year to make the Community House a safe, clean and enjoyable place for children and adults alike.

At this time we would like to extend to all our Community House members and their families a Happy and Healthy New Year!



Save the Date!
CH Family
Karaoke
Night
Friday
March 24,
7:30 pm

Happy New Year

2017



CLASSES AND CH NEWS



Swim Classes

Winter swim classes begin the week of January 9th. There is still limited availability in some of the classes. Call the CH office for more information.



"Over the Hill"
Men's
Basketball
Wednesday
evenings
7:15 pm

Parking Rules

Please be reminded the Forest Hills Gardens Corporation strictly enforces its parking code and Community House members must have an updated parking pass in their car when visiting the CH.

MARK YOUR 2017 CALENDARS

March 24 - CH Members' Karaoke Night
April 28 & 29 - Women's Club Rehearsal & Guest Night
September 30 - CH Members' Barbecue
November 27 - Decorate the CH for the holidays
December 2 - CH Family Christmas Dinner Dance
December 9 - Men's Club Christmas Dinner Dance

Saturday Basketball clinic

11:30 am-12:30 pm for children ages 5-10

1/7, 1/14, 1/21

Classes will remain as scheduled based on enrollment size.

Soccer clinic begins 1/28/17



Payment for January after school is due on January 3rd.

The after school program follows the NYC public school calendar therefore there will be NO AFTER SCHOOL on Monday, January 2nd & Monday, January 16th

Our World, Our Music

(A celebration of the diversity within our community)

Featuring Betina Hershey, Nick Russo, Sunny Knable, Valentine Biollay & The Garden Players Kids

On Sunday, January 22nd at 3pm and 5pm in Smith Hall (Community House)

Betina Hershey, Nick Russo and Sunny Knable will lead a diverse collection of tunes from Latin America, France, Italy, India, and American songs including "If I Had a Hammer", "Imagine", and more. Also appearing are Valentine and the Garden Players Kids. This concert is to raise money for the Garden Players Musical Theater Program for Kids. Suggested donations of \$20 for adults and \$10 for kids (kids 3 years old and under may sit on your lap for free). CD/DVDs will be available.

For more information about the concert, call 917-204-5687 or email

gardenplayerstheater@gmail.com



From the Community House School

Our Winter Show "Holiday Harmonies" was enjoyed by everyone as the children sang and put the audience in the holiday spirit. The students and staff of the Community House School wish everyone a happy and a healthy New Year.

The new year brings many new learning activities for our students this month. They will discover how to stay warm with mittens and hats. They will also hopefully have the opportunity to build a snowman and enjoy some snowy weather. The students will learn about the habitats of polar bears and penguins.

Upcoming Events

Tuesday, January 3rd
School opens

Friday, January 13th Dress like your favorite character day
Monday, January 16th School closed Martin Luther King's Birthday

Friday, January 27th School Choice Dance for the morning & full day class performed at 8:45a.m. in the gym

Thanks to all those who donated to the coat drive - the Women's Club was able to deliver over 85 coats to the New York Cares warehouse!

On behalf of the entire Community House staff I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all our members for their generosity! Wishing all of you a very Happy & Healthy 2017!
JoJo

JANUARY POOL SCHEDULE

Please follow the CH rules while using the pool!!
NO FOOD OR DRINKS IN THE POOL AREA!!

Swimmers will not be admitted to the pool 15 minutes prior to the PM closing time!

SAVE WATER - Remember to turn off the showers.
 Kindly keep our locker rooms clean...Thank you!!

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 CH CLOSED NEW YEAR'S HOLIDAY	3 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Adult No Lap 3:00 -3:30 pm Lessons 3:30 - 5:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Family Swim 8:00 - 9:00 pm Adult Lap	4 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Adult No Lap 3:00 - 6:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Family Swim 8:00 - 9:00 pm Adult Lap	5 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Adult No Lap 3:00 -3:30 pm Lessons 3:30 - 5:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Family Swim 8:00 - 9:00 pm Adult Lap	6 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Adult No Lap 3:00 - 7:30 pm Family Swim 7:30 - 9:00 pm Adult Lap	7 6:30 - 10:30am Adult Lap 10:30 - 11:00am Adult No Lap 1:00 - 5:30pm Family Swim
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30 SAME AS ABOVE	31 SAME AS ABOVE				

CLASS SCHEDULES:**Adults only yoga**

Tuesdays and Thursdays evenings
7:15-8:30 pm

Wednesday Mornings (suspended)

Saturday Mornings 7:30-8:45 am

Family yoga

Saturday Mornings 8:45-9:30 am

Art Classes

Saturday Mornings 11 am

Martial arts

Saturdays

4-5 year olds 1:00 pm

6-10 year olds 2:00 pm

6-10 year olds 3:00 pm

11 years & up 4:00 pm

Sports clinic-Basketball

Saturdays 11:30 am - 12:30 pm

for children 5-10

Water Aerobics

Saturdays 11:00 - 11:45 am

Zumba Classes for Adults

Mondays 7:30 pm

Zumba Kids Jr. Class

Saturdays 10:00 - 10:45 am

Pool Notes and Reminders

- The lifeguard is in charge of the pool while on duty!
- Swimmers **MUST** remember to shower before they get into the pool.
- Admission to the pool ends 15 MINUTES BEFORE the pool closes.
- Entrance to the pool **MUST** be made through the locker rooms.
- Young adults (13 or older) who are proficient in swimming **MAY** swim during adult lap swim.
- To avoid unnecessary injuries, swimmers should swim in lanes designated for their swimming ability.
- **THERE WILL BE NO LAP SWIMMING DURING ADULT NO LAP SWIM (THIS IS NON NEGOTIABLE!)**
- Absolutely **NO** eating in the locker rooms, **NO** exceptions.
- Children under the age of ten **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.
- Diving and/or jumping in **NOT** permitted.
- Food and drinks are **NOT** permitted in the locker/pool area.
- Street shoes are **NOT** permitted on the pool deck.
- **Yearly locker rental fees will be \$60 for small lockers and \$120 for large lockers.** You must register and pay for your locker in the CH office. Locks not registered will be removed from lockers.
- During Family swim time **ADULTS MUST** be accompanied by a child.

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January

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

February 6 - Women's Club General Meeting

February 13 - Women's Club Board & Bridge

February 20 - CH Closed for President's Day

February 20 - 24 - No After School

March 6 - Women's Club General Meeting

March 20 - Women's Club Board & Bridge

March 24 - CH Members Karaoke Night

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
2 CH CLOSED	3	4 Over the Hill Basketball	5 PM Yoga	6	7 Yoga Registration for Zumba Kids & Martial Arts
9 Women's Club General Meeting Zumba	10 PM Yoga	11 Over the Hill Basketball	12 PM Yoga	13	14 Yoga Zumba Kids Basketball Clinic Water Aerobics Martial Arts
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30 Zumba	31 PM Yoga				