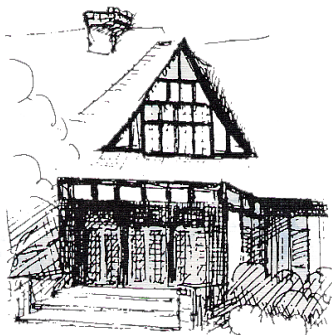




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OFFICE HOURS

Monday-Friday 9am-9:00pm
Saturday 9am-5:30pm

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

- Mr. George Mauro, Chairperson
- Ms. Mary O'Connell, Vice Chairperson
- Ms. Lily Zivkovic, Past-Chairperson
- Mr. John Kinahan, Treasurer
- Ms. Helen Fernandez, Secretary

COMMITTEE MEMBERS

- Mr. Joseph Keane
- Mr. Edward Llerandi
- Mr. Robert Webb
- Mr. Gerard Murphy
- Ms. JoJo Serventi, Director

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happy
holidays!

The CH Staff would like
to wish all its members &
their
families a safe,
happy & healthy
holiday
season & a
Happy New Year!



The CH is sponsoring a Sock Drive
for the Homeless through
"Operation Footwork" -
an organization that was started in
an effort to continue raising
awareness of the high need for
socks & the fact that it has been the
least donated item to homeless
shelters nation wide

Please consider donating socks to
those in need. A box will be located
in the CH Lobby from December 1st
to December 20th

2019 EMPLOYEE HOLIDAY FUND

Recently a letter was mailed to all our members from our
Chairperson, George Mauro, regarding our employee
holiday fund. Each year all CH subscribers are asked to
remember our hard working and dedicated employees
with a contribution to the fund.

Donations received are distributed to all the CH staff:
after school, aquatics, custodial, and office -
everyone who in some way continues to make the
Community House the wonderful place it is.
If you have already sent in your donation, our sincerest
gratitude. If you would like to contribute, we would
appreciate receiving your contribution before
December 13th so that we may distribute the funds as
early as possible before Christmas.

Kindly send your contribution to the CH office.

WINTER CLASSES & CH NEWS



Registration for the Winter Session of swimming will begin on Monday, December 2nd
For additional information, call the CH office or visit our website www.citgch.org

After School program

The CH After School Program follows the public school calendar therefore there will be no after school on the following days:
December 23 - 31
Monthly payments are due on the first of the month!



From the Community House School

During the month of November, our Thanksgiving feast was a delicious success. The children had a wonderful time sharing and eating with their classmates.

With winter & the end of the year fast approaching, our students are preparing for our annual winter show. Their adorable smiles and their sweet voices fill the Community House with the holiday spirit!

Registration for the 2020/21 school year is in full swing and spots are being filled quickly for the nursery school. If you are interested in scheduling a tour, email Wendy at wgreenberg@citgch.org or call 718-268-0490 to have your child join our exceptional early childhood program.

The Community House School staff would like to wish everyone a joyous and happy holiday season!

Dates to Remember:

Friday, December 13th

Wear your favorite ugly holiday sweater to school

Wednesday, December 18th

Winter Show begins at 9:00 am

Thursday December 19th

Winter break begins

Thursday, January 2nd

School reopens



Men's Basketball
Wednesday evenings
7:15



Mark Your 2019/20 Calendars

- **December 7th**
CH Family Holiday Dinner Dance
- **December 14th**
Men's Club Holiday Party
- **March 14th**
Men's Club St. Patrick's Day party
- **April 25th**
Women's Club Guest Night

Parking Rules

Please be reminded the Forest Hills Gardens Corporation strictly enforces its parking code and Community House members/visitors must have an updated parking pass in their car when visiting the CH. **Passes may only be used while visitors are in the building!!!**



Soccer Clinics

Saturdays 10 - 10:45 am

Ages 5 - 10 years old

January 4, 11, 18, 25

February 1, 8, 15, 22



The Woman's Club is sponsoring a Coat Drive

A drop-off box will be located in the lobby beginning

December 2nd through December 16th

DECEMBER 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 Adult Lap 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult No Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Family Swim 3:00 - 4:00 pm Lessons 4:00 - 6:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Beyond Level 5 7:00 - 8:00 pm Adult Lap 8:00 - 9:00 PM	3 Adult Lap 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult No Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Family Swim 3:30 - 5:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Beyond Level 5 7:00 - 8:00 pm Adult Lap 8:00 - 9:00 pm	4 Adult Lap 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult No Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Family Swim 3:00 - 4:00 pm Lessons 4:00 - 6:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Beyond Level 5 7:00 - 8:00 pm Adult Lap 8:00 - 9:00 pm	5 Adult Lap 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult No Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Family Swim 3:30 - 5:00 pm Family Swim 7:00 - 8:00 pm Adult Lap 8:00 - 9:00 pm	6 Adult Lap 6:00 am - 1:00 pm Adult No Lap 1:00 - 2:00 pm Family Swim 3:00 - 4:00 pm Lessons 4:00 - 6:30 pm Family Swim 6:30 - 7:30 pm Adult Lap 7:30 - 9:00 pm	7 Adult Lap 6:30 - 10:30 am Adult No Lap 10:30 - 11:00 am Water Aerobics 11:00 - 11:45 am Pamper Paddlers 1:00 - 2:30 pm Family Swim 1:00 - 5:30 pm
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CLASS SCHEDULES:

Adults only Yoga

Tuesday and Thursday evenings

7:15 - 8:30 pm

Saturday Mornings

7:30 - 8:45 am

Family Yoga

Saturday Mornings 8:45 - 9:30 am

Basketball Clinics

10:00 - 10:45 am (ages 5- 10)

Art Classes

Saturday Mornings 11 am

Martial Arts

Saturdays

4-5 years old 11:00 am

6-10 years old 12:00 pm

6-10 years old 1:00 pm

11 & up 2:00 pm

Water Aerobics

Saturdays 11:00 - 11:45 am

Zumba Classes for Adults

Mondays 7:30 - 8:30 pm



UPCOMING EVENTS & DATES TO REMEMBER:

December 7

CH Family Holiday Dinner Dance

December 14

Men's Club Holiday Party

December 24 & 25

CH Closed (Christmas)

December 31 & Jan. 1

CH Closed (New Years)

January 2

After School Resumes

January 6

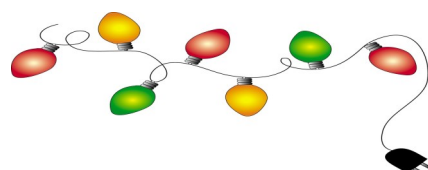
Women's Club General Meeting

January 13

Women's Club Board & Bridge

January 20

CH Closed (MLK Day)



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 10 MUST be accompanied by an adult.
- Diving and/or jumping is 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 at the CH office. Lockers not registered will be clipped and the contents will be removed.
- During Family swim time ADULTS MUST be accompanied by a child.
- **Absolutely NO electronic devices ALLOWED in the POOL.**

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2 Zumba Registration for Winter Session of Swimming Women's Club Holiday Party	3 Yoga	4 Men's Basketball	5	6	7 Yoga Water Aerobics Art Class Martial Arts
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