
Upcoming Events in Murray Hill...May 25, 2020

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This Memorial Day, The Murray Hill Neighborhood Association honors the brave men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice for our country and our freedom!

This year, in addition to honoring members of the armed services, we also express our gratitude to the brave essential workers who keep our city and country running. Many of them have given their lives while serving the community.

We also wish everyone a safe Memorial Day with a reminder about the coronavirus guidance from our governor: To honor those who fight and have fought and sacrificed for our country and at the same time safeguard public health during this pandemic, Memorial Day ceremonies are limited to 10 people or fewer statewide to best balance honor and safety. Face coverings and social distancing should be practiced. Vehicle parades are a safe way to honor veterans on Memorial Day.

Photo of Park Avenue Viaduct Flags, 2018



Coronavirus update - links to information and resources

New York State is under a Stay-at-Home (PAUSE) directive until June 13* for regions that are not eligible to re-open, this includes NYC.

What is "Stay-at-Home" or PAUSE?

In general, this means that people should not leave their homes except for essentials such as groceries and medicine or emergencies. When outside, cover your nose and mouth with a scarf, bandanna or mask and practice social distancing (6' between people). Businesses that do not provide essential services must close and send workers home. Businesses considered essential could include grocery stores, restaurants that do take out service, pharmacies, organizations that provide services for vulnerable populations, first responders and hardware stores. Public transportation continues to operate to get nurses, doctors, law enforcement officers, and other essential personnel where they need to go. Everyone else: Limit the use of public transportation to only when necessary.

The situation changes by the hour as new information and directives come out. As much as possible we are trying to provide links to trusted source information so that you can check the most up-to-date information. Read more about:

- [Preventing novel coronavirus \(COVID-19\) and medical information](#)
- [Directives for gatherings and facilities](#)
- [COVID Reopening guidelines for New York State \(NY Forward\) NYC is still in Stay-at-Home \(PAUSE\) \(updated\)](#)
- [Transportation and travel](#)
- [Legislation and executive orders](#)
- [Assistance \(and jobs\) for individuals, homeowners, artists, workers, the unemployed \(and pets\)](#)

- Food assistance resources
- Medical resources and calls for medical professionals and volunteers
- Small business and nonprofits assistance and resources (updated)
- Schools and children (updated)
- Government offices and resource lists
- Volunteer and donation opportunities
- Online entertainment, culture & learning (updated)
- Neighborhood houses of worship, museums, educational and cultural institutions
- Neighborhood restaurants, food & spirits that are open for delivery & pickup (updated)
- Neighborhood retail, health care (including pets) & services that are open (updated)
- Neighborhood businesses that are closed until further notice

Mental health resources: NYC Well, a confidential 24/7 helpline, staffed by trained counselors. They can provide brief counseling and referrals to care in over 200 languages. Call 888-NYC-WELL (888-692-9355), text "WELL" to 65173, chat at [NYC.gov/nycwell](https://nyc.gov/nycwell). The state's hotline is 844-863-9314 to get free emotional support, consultations and referrals to a provider. New Yorkers can access additional mental health resources at headspace.com/ny.

Domestic violence resources: All domestic violence shelters are operating and hotlines are available 24/7. National Domestic Violence Hotline, call 1-800-799-7233 (TTY: 1-800-799-7233), log onto thehotline.org, or text LOVEIS to 22522, Safe Horizon call 1-800-621-HOPE or visit Safehorizon.org/SafeChat to speak with an advocate. The state hotline is 800-942-6906.

Pet hotline: Animal Care Centers of NYC (ACC) is a member of the City's Animal Planning Task Force, which is now providing a COVID-19 Pet Hotline and supportive services for NYC residents with pets. If you have a COVID-19 pet-related issue call the hotline at 877-204-8821 (8am to 8pm daily).

Emotional support service for frontline health care workers, available 24/7. Those workers can text NYFRONTLINE to 741-741 to access these services.

*NOTE: In some notices, PAUSE is extended to May 28.

New York Blood Center needs your help. Please donate blood if you can. You can make an appointment by visiting nybc.org or call 800-933-2566.

Kudos to Kalvig & Shorter Veterinary Associates for their ongoing donations of needed supplies to hospitals and public service organizations in NYC. Their most recent was a donation of KN95 masks and alcohol-based hand sanitizer for the front line volunteers at the Mainchance Drop-in Center. Part of the Grand Central Neighborhood Social

Services Center, Mainchance assists those in need of help, 24 hours a day, 365 days a year. As part of our Murray Hill community, Kalvig & Shorter is happy to offer support to those who are helping vulnerable New Yorkers during these turbulent times. If you would like to donate visit gofundme.com/f/wa5nrb-donate-a-mask-to-the-front-line. Kalvig & Shorter Veterinary Associations is open as an essential business. It is located at [133 East 39th Street](#), 212-644-1022.

How to wear a mask without your glasses steaming up

instagram.com/p/B8LsnEHFQi2/?utm_source=ig_embed&utm_campaign=embed_video_watch_again

El Parador Cafe (elparadorcafe.com) now has extended hours Sunday to Thursday from 12-8:30pm and Friday and Saturday from 12-9:30pm. And they have new plastic cups which will allow you to take your frozen Margarita home. They are also putting up their whole cellar on display, so you can take a chilled bottle of Cava or Albarino back to your digs along with your Taco tray. The menu has been tweaked a bit and whole dinners are now available with advance notice elparadorcafe.com/menus.php.

Free Streaming video of Murray Hill landmarks

Join the more than 500 people who have viewed the video, *Walking Tour of Historic Murray Hill*, brought to you by the MHNA's Preservation & Design Committee. The film includes lively historical background on Murray Hill's notable residents and architectural commentary on 14 New York City landmark buildings, as well as spectacular footage of our scenic neighborhood. Running time approximately 1 hour. This offer will be available during the COVID-19 stay-at-home at murrayhillnyc.org/landmarksvideo.

Please share this email with a friend, neighbor or colleague. You can sign up for these emails at www.murrayhillnyc.org, scroll down the Also Happening column, past the flowers.

Last week for the online exhibit Black and White exhibit at Gallery35!



Visit the gallery online gallery35nyc.com. *To see in color is a delight for the eye but to see in BLACK AND WHITE is a delight for the soul.—Andri Cauldwell.* Eleven Gallery35 artists present work in black and white using a variety of media including monoprints, photography and stained glass. Works by Marsha Peruo, Pat Gericke, Ingrid Sletten, Juanita Gilmore, Ellen Mandelbaum, Virginia Asman, John Devaney. Take a virtual tour at gallery35nyc.com. All works are available for purchase. Gallery35, 30 East 35th Street, gallery35ny@gmail.com, 917-566-0708. A new virtual exhibit is coming in June. **Art Unlocked** will feature work created by Gallery35 artists before and during the pandemic.

Financial support for small businesses

(New) Financial support for small businesses

SCORE partner and friend programs, including: **FedEx: FedEx is committing \$1 million to help small businesses.** Applications open May 25 fedex.com/en-us/support-small-business-grants.html. **Nav: Small Business Grant Contest.** Apply by May 30 nav.com/business-grant-contest/.

Memorial Concerts

Memorial concerts to honor New Yorkers who have died in the pandemic

The Interfaith Center of New York and Lincoln Center have joined to present *Memorial for Us All*, an online memorial concert to honor New Yorkers who have died in the pandemic. Past concerts featured Wynton Marsalis, Yo Yo Ma and Brian Stokes Mitchell. The brief concerts are available on Lincoln Center's YouTube channel or Facebook page, or on the interfaithcenter.org website and social media channels. **Community members are invited to submit the names of a neighbor, friend, or loved one to honor during the next concert** by completing [this form](#)

Zoom Presentation Tips online at Mayshad Women in the City

May 26 5pm

Online discussion hosted by Michele Risa: *'Meaningful Connections: Tips on Zoom, Our New Handshake'*

We're not accustomed to being so visible in our homes, yet they have become our new public speaking podium. Some of the tips we will explore are: Camera position, background, clothing, eye contact, giving others the gift of Being Heard, expressing who you authentically are, how to eliminate 'filler' words, and more. Come with a drink and leave with the NEXT STEP to enhance your connections on Zoom. Register and join the meeting at joinmayshad.com/event/mayshad-women-in-the-city-5-26-20/

May 26 6:30pm

Feeding New York During COVID-19, an online conversation

Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer moderates a conversation hosted by Columbia University Neighbors and cosponsored by the Columbia Mailman School of Public Health. Panelists include New York City "Food Czar" Kathryn Garcia, and former New York Times columnist and Mailman lecturer, Mark Bittman, talking about access to food, sustaining the supply chain, and policy solutions geared towards feeding all New Yorkers. Register at <https://neighbors.columbia.edu/events/town-hall-feeding-new-york-during-covid-19>. Submit questions in advance at <https://neighbors.columbia.edu/form/feeding-new-york-during-covid-19>. To watch the conversation visit neighbors.columbia.edu/FeedingNYC.

Feeding New York During COVID-19

May 26 7:30-8:30pm

Councilwoman Carlina Rivera + special guest on Facebook live - Medical Guidance for COVID-19

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Join Carlina and special guest Dr. Ian Kwok, Resident Physician at Mount Sinai Beth Israel, for a Facebook Live conversation on the latest COVID-19 medical guidance and how healthcare workers are doing on the front lines of the pandemic. Email questions for Dr. Kwok and Carlina in advance to district2@council.nyc.gov with a Subject "May 26 Facebook Live Question" and they'll answer them on Facebook Live on Tuesday! Visit her Facebook page to stream the live conversation and view past conversations facebook.com/CouncilwomanCarlinaRivera.

The Real-Life Mystery Behind *The Gargoyle Hunters*

May 27 3:45pm

Coffee Break Chat: John Freeman Gill in conversation with Gina Pollara about his book, *The Gargoyle Hunters*

Join the New York Preservation Archive Project for a look at the backstory behind the novel, *The Gargoyle Hunters* by John Freeman Gill. Learn about the real-life figure of Ivan Karp, who managed to salvage a trove of architectural remnants from around New York City with his renegade group The Anonymous Arts Recovery Society (some remnants persist behind the Brooklyn Museum to this day). While Gill currently serves as 'Streetscapes' columnist at *The New York Times*, this chat will focus exclusively on the book and the archival research that went into its creation as a historically-informed literary work. Zoom

Meeting ID: 834 9846 0434 *Email info@nypap.org in advance to receive the password before event. Preview for the Coffee Break Chat: NYPAP's database entry on Ivan Karp nypap.org/preservation-history/ivan-karp.

Sacred Sites Zoom Presentation

May 28 1-2pm

The New York Landmarks Conservancy invites you to a Zoom presentation on their statewide Sacred Sites program

Landmarks Conservancy Staffers Ann Friedman and Colleen Heemeyer will discuss why their grants to historic religious properties are so important. You'll hear from recipients and from architects who work on these complex buildings. You will also see the architectural variety, and the scope, of their most recent grants. Register at eventbrite.com/e/sacred-sites-program-update-tickets-105454838260.

Webinar featuring NYC Comptroller Scott Stringer

May 28 2-3pm

Webinar *Financial and Economic Impact on NY Amid Coronavirus Pandemic*

Featuring Scott M. Stringer, NYC Comptroller and Linda A. Lacewell, Superintendent, NYS Department of Financial Services. COVID-19 has brought major changes to New York's financial services industry as well as its broader economy. Jobs are being lost at a record pace as New York experiences an unprecedented demand for services. What can be done to help the people, the small businesses and the city and state itself? Click here to register for FREE and join this important discussion! Register at us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_oDdCx2j3R0yDYqn0NkpOVw

Webinar for Small Businesses

May 28 2pm

How to Find Opportunities and Test Your Ideas When Existing Assumptions are Challenged

Opportunities are still out there for those who know how to identify new markets, adjust methods to connect with customers and minimize unnecessary investments. In this session, Head of Marketing Partnerships with Yahoo Small Business Dan Breeden will give you tips from actual small business owners. Register at readytalk.webcasts.com/starthere.jsp?ei=1307650&tp_key=0a3d73f932. Brought to you by SCORE.

Webinar on

Managing Student Debt

May 28 3:30–4:30pm EDT

Managing Student Debt During the COVID-19 Crisis

New York statewide webinar. Millions of student loan borrowers are struggling to understand their options and to manage their payments during this challenging time. The Student Borrower Protection Center (SBPC) has created resources and information to help borrowers manage their student loans along with new research and analysis to advocate for increased borrower protections. The webinar includes: what to do if you are furloughed or out of work, tips for enrolling in an income-driven repayment plan, how to get out of default, options if you have private student loans. Experts will provide information on federal and state protections currently in place for New York students, as well as resources available to you during the crisis and growing recession. There will also be a Q&A session to answer questions about student loan repayment. Register at us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_NcqMmxtERL6-OPZt1oplyw

Sen. Liz Krueger's Town Hall on Housing Issues

May 28 7-8:30pm

Senator Krueger's Virtual Town Hall Series: Housing Issues Part 1 - Questions & Concerns for Renters

Join Senator Krueger and tenant attorney Ellen Davidson for the first of two virtual Town Halls on NYC Housing Issues during the pandemic. Part 1 will focus on the questions and concerns of renters. To view the event go to facebook.com/statesenatorlizkrueger/ The video will not appear until just before 7pm (you may have to tap "refresh" in your browser). If you do not have access to a computer, tablet, or other electronic device, you can listen in by telephone. Once you register for the event, you will receive a confirmation email with the call-in information. Register at lizkrueger.com/virtualtownhall-rsvp-housingpart1/. **Part 2 will explore issues facing coop shareholders, condo owners, and homeowners, and will take place on Thursday, June 4th from 7-8pm.**

CB5 Committee Meeting

May 28 6pm

Community Board 5 Transportation & Environment Committee Meeting

This meeting will be conducted virtually. Agenda: DOT update on temporary dedicated bike lanes on 38th and 39th Streets. Discussion of effects on the district during and after COVID-19, including street openings, etc. The general public should register in advance at zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_54AgFpjYRpSLVP-j0yqA5w

May 29 7:30pm

A virtual concert: Pianist Hilda Huang playing Bach, Beethoven & Brahms



Piano on Park presents Friday concerts. Program for May 29: Bach, Beethoven & Brahms. To see the schedule and watch the concerts visit pianoonpark.com. Save the date June 5 7:30pm Swiss **Singer-Songwriter Lea Lu** plays a selection of previously unreleased songs from her upcoming album. Her original acoustic songs spin tales of loneliness, of freedom, and of the joy of encounters all over the world.

Online Cocktail classes presented by the Raines Law Room at the William



Classes include recipes and ingredient recommendations sent in advance in case you'd like to follow along with your instructor. Classes run 30-45 minutes and include Q&A time. Their goal is to keep connected during this shutdown and assist you elevating your home bar skills. The \$10 class fee will be used to support their staff relief fund. Schedule of classes raineslawroom.com/online-cocktail-class

Tuesdays 2pm

Webinars presented by Manhattan Chamber of Commerce: Covid-related updates for small business owners

Webinars for small businesses

FREE. Experts will answer your questions on topics such as new government instructions or resources that are available. (weekly until further notice). Register manhattancc.org/common/Events/event_info.cfm?QID=29815&ClientID=11099&ThisPage=eventinfo

Tuesdays

Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright housing legal clinic

Housing legal clinic

Hosted remotely by telephone. If you need advice on housing issues, call 212-288-4607 or email their office at SeawrightR@NYAssembly.gov to reserve a spot.

Respond to

[Important 2020 Census Dates](#) - Complete

the 2020 Census survey

Your Census Survey Now If You Haven't Alreday Done So

There are 3 ways to respond to the Census: online, by phone, by mail. Census workers will visit homes that have not responded, but *please respond in the other ways if you can to help prevent the spread of coronavirus*. The response rate in our district is below the New York State rate and the nationwide rate.

April 1 is a key reference date for the 2020 Census. When completing the census, include everyone living in your home on April 1, 2020. The census contains only 10 questions, and none ask about employment, income, immigration, citizenship, or for your Social Security number. The census asks how many people are living or staying in your home, their sex, age, race, and ethnicity, whether your home is owned or rented, your home address. All responses are confidential and protected by law. If you are responding online, you must complete the census in one sitting, as you won't have the ability to save your progress. **See the questions the census asks:**

<https://2020census.gov/en/about-questions.html>. The census is available online and by phone this year: my2020census.gov and 1-844-330-2020. If you need help filling out your census, you can email NY12CensusHelp@mail.house.gov.

Through August 14 (extended due to the pandemic): If a household does not respond to any of the invitations, a census taker will follow up in person. Also, please, beware of scams. No one should be knocking on your door claiming to be a Census Taker or Enumerator, since now that phase will not begin until early summer. So for now, do not open the door to anyone claiming to be with the Census. If you respond to the Census 2020 survey immediately when you get the invitation, nobody should be knocking on your door.

December 2020: The Census Bureau will deliver apportionment counts to the President and Congress as required by law.

by March 2021: The Census Bureau will send redistricting counts to states. This information is used to redraw legislative districts based on population changes.

May 29 Deadline

Poster Contest for NYS Students *New York Recycles!*

Poster Contest for NYS Students

All kindergarten through 12th grade students in New York State public and private schools and youth organizations are invited to showcase their artistic talent and their commitment to the environment by participating in the New York Recycles Poster Contest. If a student's school or classroom is not participating, a student may still submit an individual entry. Poster Contest sponsored by the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation (NYSDEC) and the New York Recycles! Steering Committee. For more information see dec.ny.gov/education/32506.html.

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Council Hearings

NY City Council Hearings

Hearings Calendar legistar.council.nyc.gov/Calendar.aspx

This week's hearings council.nyc.gov/#hearings

If you want to attend or testify at a hearing, register at council.nyc.gov/testify

View hearings council.nyc.gov/livestream

Important Election Dates

The **PRESIDENTIAL PRIMARY** has been rescheduled to **June 23**. In New York State, you must be registered with a party to vote in that party's primary elections. There will be no Republican Presidential Primaries this year (Donald Trump is the only Republican presidential candidate.) There will be a Democratic Presidential Primary Election. **Gov. Cuomo has asked the Board of Elections to mail an absentee ballot application to every voter, but you can also download the application at the link below. Everyone is encouraged to apply for an Absentee Ballot** using "temporary illness" as the reason. You can list a date range with an end date after November 3 to cover the General Election as well. Link to the application form below.

You can apply for an absentee ballot and later can decide whether to use it or to go to the polls in person. If you've temporarily relocated because of COVID-19, ask for your absentee ballot to be delivered to your temporary location. There are now many ways to send in your absentee ballot <https://vote.nyc/page/absentee-voting>.

Apply for an absentee ballot from the NYC Board of Elections if you will not be able to go to the polling place: [Deadlines to submit absentee ballots](#). Form: <https://www.vote.nyc.ny.us/downloads/pdf/forms/boe/absenteevoting/absenglish.pdf>. Submit the application online, by mail, call 1-866-VOTE-NYC, email an application to

AbsenteeJune2020@boe.nyc, fax an application to 212-487-5349.

May 29 Deadline to register to vote deadline for the primary elections

June 3 Change of address notices from registered voters for the primary elections.

June 16 Deadline to mail in Absentee Ballot request.

June 13–21 Early voting. Polling place may be different than for Election Day voting.

June 23 **ALL PRIMARIES**

November 3 **GENERAL ELECTION** (Early Voting from October 24-November 1)

Register online: <https://www.elections.ny.gov/VotingRegister.html>.

Important dates: <https://www.elections.ny.gov/VotingDeadlines.html> Visit the NYC Board of Elections website for further information and dates: www.vote.nyc.

IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES

every Monday through Friday 12-1pm

Talks about making art in the Time of Corona

CUNY Graduate Center presents Segal Talks: Daily Live Online Conversations with US and Global Theatre Artists

A daily one-hour LIVE online talk from Monday to Friday--about making art and making sense in the *Time of Corona*, on howlround: howlround.com. The Martin E. Segal Theatre Center, The Graduate Center, City University of New York, [365 Fifth Avenue](http://365FifthAvenue.com), at 34th Street, theSegalCenter.org, mest@gc.cuny.edu.

The Shed's annual Open Call 2021

Deadline May 31

Applications are open for The Shed's annual Open Call 2021

The grants will support early-career artists and collectives of all stripes to make new work, and will grant them a featured space in The Shed next year. From performers to plastics, writers to DJ's, all types of artists and groups are welcome, provided they have not yet received major institutional support. Learn more at theshed.org/program/150-open-call-2021-applications.

Webinar for Nonprofits

June 4 2:30pm

NYN Media's Webinar Series: Nonprofit Resilience Through the Coronavirus Pandemic

As the coronavirus pandemic continues to spread throughout New York, the country and the world, nonprofit organizations are facing unprecedented challenges to their operations, staffing and fundraising. Nonprofits must find ways to protect employees and manage staffing levels while preventing potential financial shortfalls. They must remain flexible and resilient to effectively navigate these uncertain times. How nonprofits respond during this crisis could determine their long-term sustainability. Register at https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_5BhQylCMT1CzIJZYW_tY1A.

Webinar with Lt. Gov. Kathy Hochul, & Congressman

June 9 2-3pm

New York's Economy: The Path to Reopen and Recover

Presented by City & State. Some regions of the state entered Phase 1 of reopening on 5/15, while others will remain on PAUSE through 6/13. As we take this piecemeal approach to loosening restrictions, how do we look towards restarting our economy without inviting another surge

Thomas Suozzi

of infections? Hear from Lt. Gov. Kathy Hochul, and Congressman Thomas Suozzi (of the White House Task Force to Reopen) on what realities we should be prepared for, and what resources are available to those businesses and individuals who continue to be severely impacted by the COVID-19 crisis. Register at cityandstateny.com/events/city-states-webinar-series-new-yorks-reopening-economy-and-recovery

Special Enrollment Period for Health Insurance

extended to June 15

New York State of Health insurance marketplace special enrollment period

Enroll now, if you don't have medical insurance! If you need financial assistance, there are programs to assist. If you have lost your job, you have 60 days from your furlough or termination date to sign up for insurance through the marketplace. info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov and ny.stateofhealth.ny.gov.

Ongoing events in the neighborhood

(All in-person ongoing events are suspended until further notice due to the coronavirus. Some events will be virtual. Check websites for details.)



Mondays 11am-12pm

Spanish/English Story Hour for Little Ones

Free. With Esther Rosado & Sandy Brooks. Interactive storytelling, movement and music in English & Spanish for children ages 1.5 - 4 years old. Build early language skills. For information contact Jil Novenski 212-683-4988 X 117 or jnovenski@ccny.org. www.ccny.org at The Community Church of NY

[40 East 35th Street](#) (RE Classrooms)

Free Legal Clinics for Veterans

First Monday of each month (except holidays) 1 - 3:30pm

Manhattan VA Hospital Military Mondays Free Legal Clinic

The attorneys are available by appointment and to walk-in clients on Military Mondays: the first Monday of every month (except holidays) at VA's Manhattan Campus. Valuable legal services are being offered free

of charge by high status NYC legal firms to Veterans at, or below poverty level. Pro bono legal services can help Veterans with legal programs relating to social security benefits, housing concerns and child support issues. In cases of immediate need or to make appointments, they recommended calling 917-661-4500 which acts both as an appointment line and a hotline to refer clients to the appropriate avenue for relief.

423 East 23rd Street
1st Floor Atrium



AKC Museum of the Dog

museumofthedog.org, 212-696-8360. The Museum of the Dog has one of the finest collections of canine-related art. The special exhibits and permanent collection combine fine arts with cutting edge technology and interpretation. The Museum of the Dog provides unique and engaging experiences for visitors of all ages. Many programs are free with the price of admission. Check their website calendar for events. Tuesday through Sunday 10am to 5pm.

at AKC Museum of the Dog

[101 Park Avenue](#) (entrance on 40th Street)

Mondays 7pm

Big Apple Chorus open rehearsals (for men and women)

Free and open to the public. If you can carry a basic tune you can join New York City's longest running non-classical men's (and now women's) a cappella singing group, a diverse group of all ages and backgrounds. Open rehearsals are held almost every Monday at [111 East 33rd Street](#) (between Park & Lexington Avenues) in the Norman Thomas High School auditorium, but call or email first to confirm schedules and holidays. No reservation necessary. For more information visit www.bigapplechorus.org. Telephone: 646-535-2191.

at the Norman Thomas H.S. Auditorium

[111 East 33 Street, 2nd Floor](#)



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at Henry George School of Social Science [149 East 38th Street](#)
(between Lexington & 3rd Avenue)



[The Morgan Library & Museum Calendar](#)

The Morgan Library & Museum, [225 Madison Avenue](#) at 36th Street. MHNA members can book tickets for The Morgan's public programs (concerts, talks, films, etc.) at The Morgan's member price. This applies to all single events (except for the Orchestra of St. Luke's concerts). Click "Member" [when ordering online](#), or if you are ordering by phone mention that you are a MHNA member. Call Visitor Services at 212-685-0008 for phone orders

MTA Metrocards

[MTA Metrocard Bus and Van Schedule](#)

Community Meetings

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[Community Board 6 Calendar](#). Community Board 6 meetings are open to the public, and you can express your views and concerns about various issues.

[Community Board 5 website](#)

The [17th Precinct Community Council meeting](#) is held on the last Tuesday of every Month at 6:30pm at the Sutton Place Synagogue, [225 East 51st Street](#). Check their website for details. Also look for their Build the Block (neighborhood policing) meetings.

New York Public Library

**The New York Public Library EventsNOTE:
The NYPL has suspended all in-person
public programs and all buildings**

are closed until further notice.

Schwarzman Building

476 Fifth Avenue (42nd St and Fifth Ave)

[Calendar](#) (many events are family friendly) Check their calendar for workshops on computers and popular software such as Excel and Word, book talks, programs for kids, films, etc. Many of the Mid-Manhattan Branch programs have been relocated to the Schwarzman Building while Mid-Manhattan is being renovated.

Science, Industry and Business Library (SIBL) Note: SIBL is moving to Mid-Manhattan location and the Madison Avenue location is closed.

188 Madison Avenue @ 34th Street

Many free events and workshops for small businesses, individuals and families

[Calendar](#)

For individuals and families: The Financial Coaching Corps program supports the financial stability of individuals and families in the community. One-on-one sessions with a financial coach provide tools and skills for money management. [Learn more and sign up for a free session with a local counselor.](#)

For seniors: They can also help with questions about Medicare [nypl.org/moneymatters](https://www.nypl.org/moneymatters).

For businesses: Quick Consultations - quick tips and pointers on how the resources of the Library can help you and your business. For more information visit <https://www.nypl.org/help/services/smallbiz/quick-consultation>

Mid-Manhattan Library - reopening date TBD (dependent on coronavirus reopenings)

455 Fifth Avenue

The Mid-Manhattan Library is closed for renovation. Reopening date is dependend on coronavirus re-openings. Services are relocated to the Schwarzman Building, SIBL and other neighborhood libraries during the renovation. SIBL will reopen at this new location (5th Avenue and 40th Street) under a new name, The Stavros Niarchos Foundation Library's Business Center. [Learn more](#). For more general information on the temporary closure and on the project overall, please visit [nypl.org/midtown](https://www.nypl.org/midtown). To share feedback or ask questions, please email midtown@nypl.org.

Kips Bay Library

446 Third Avenue

[Calendar](#) (many events are family friendly)

Grand Central Library

135 East 46th Street (between Lexington & 3rd Avenue)

[Calendar](#) (many events are family friendly)

Calendar of Events in Bryant Park

CUNY Graduate Center

CUNY Graduate Center Calendar

Music-in-Midtown Free and open to the public.
Free Public Events at The Gotham Center for New York History
CUNY Graduate Center
365 Fifth Avenue (between 34th and 35th Street)

Baruch College Calendar

Baruch College Performing Arts

Some events are free. Lawrence N. Field Center for Entrepreneurship
(events & workshops)
55 Lexington Avenue (at 25th Street) "The Tower", Suite 2-140
eship@baruch.cuny.edu

Grand Central Terminal

NOTE: All in-person events are closed during the coronavirus stay-at-home.

Every day at 12:30pm

Official Grand Central Terminal Tour

This 75-minute tour, led by Municipal Art Society docents, highlights the history, architecture and operation of the world's largest train terminal. MHNA members get the MAS member price
Cost: \$30 adults / \$20 MAS members, seniors and more (register online)

Meet at GCT's Main Concourse

Every Friday 12:30pm

FREE Walking Tour of the Grand Central Neighborhood

The Grand Central Partnership offers a no-reservations-required walking tour that provides a survey of many architecturally and historically significant sights around Grand Central Terminal. For additional information visit <http://www.grandcentralpartnership.nyc/things-to-do/tours> or contact info@gcpbid.org.

Meet in the street-level atrium

at 120 Park Avenue (southwest corner of East 42nd St and Park Avenue)



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