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## Upcoming Events in Murray Hill...July 6, 2020

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## Coronavirus update, information and resources

### NYC's Reopening

**NYC's Phase 3 industries may open on July 6.**

**Remember the Core 4 to prevent the spread of COVID-19**

- wear face coverings when in public
- maintain distance
- practice good hand hygiene
- stay home if sick

**More details at the links below and on the MHNA [Reopening](#) page.**

- [Reopening guidelines for New York State \(NY Forward\)](#) NYC is still in Stay-at-Home (PAUSE) for industries that have not reopened. (updated)
- [Preventing novel coronavirus \(COVID-19\) and medical information](#)
- [Directives for gatherings and facilities](#)
- [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](#)
- [Schools and children](#)

- [Government offices and resource lists](#)
- [How you can help - volunteer, suppliers, jobs and donation opportunities](#) (updated)
- [Online entertainment, culture & learning](#)
- [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](#)
- [COVID-19 scams and public service announcements](#)

**NYC Test and Trace Corps:** NYC Health + Hospitals is operating the [NYC Test and Trace Corps](#). If you test positive for COVID-19, you will receive a call from the Test and Trace Corps. These calls will either appear on caller ID as "Test and Trace", or a 212 number. Contact tracers will never ask for your Social Security number, your immigration status, any private financial information, or a credit card number.

**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](#). 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).

**Gov Andrew Cuomo warned last week that coronavirus "storm clouds" were gathering over New York City** as compliance over safety measures was slipping.

**6/30/2020 Travel restrictions to New York State.** Travelers to New York State, New Jersey and Connecticut from states with more than 10% positive COVID-19 infections must quarantine for 14 days. List of restricted states: [coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory#restricted-states](#). [coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory](#).

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.

## Plastic Free July

The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation asks us to be part of the solution to plastic pollution as we celebrate Plastic Free July ([plasticfreejuly.org](#))! Plastic Free July is a global movement that helps millions of people be part of the solution to plastic pollution – so we can have cleaner streets, oceans, and beautiful communities. Will you be part of Plastic

Free July by choosing to refuse single-use plastics? Take the plastics quiz [survey.thinkfieldpanel.com.au/wcfs/29402](https://survey.thinkfieldpanel.com.au/wcfs/29402).

## Upcoming events

Monday, July 6

### NYC Phase 3 reopening (but not indoor dining)

Businesses that may start operations in [Phase Three](#) include personal care services such as tattoo and piercing parlors, appearance enhancement practices, massage therapy practices, spas, cosmetology salons, nail salons, tanning salons, and waxing salons and an expansion of certain film and television production activity to include principal photography with a maximum of 25 cast and crew. **Indoor dining will not be available in Phase 3 in NYC, due to the rise in covid-19 cases throughout the country.** Learn what your business needs to know to prepare for reopening: [Personal care services](#). Additional information on Phase Three reopening guidelines [www1.nyc.gov/site/doh/covid/covid-19-businesses-and-facilities.page](http://www1.nyc.gov/site/doh/covid/covid-19-businesses-and-facilities.page). See [reopening page](#) on the MHNA website. **NOTE Travel Restrictions:** Travelers to New York State, New Jersey and Connecticut from states with more than 10% positive COVID-19 infections must quarantine for 14 days. This includes New Yorkers who travel to the restricted states, when they return to NY. List of restricted states: [coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory#restricted-states](https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory#restricted-states). [coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory](https://coronavirus.health.ny.gov/covid-19-travel-advisory).

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Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 12:30-2:30pm

### Piano in Bryant Park

New York's finest pianists playing ragtime, stride, and jazz.

July 6, 7, 9 Kuni Mikami

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July 5 - August 16

### For children grades K-8: Project Inspire

A group of educators and volunteers have launched [Project Inspire](#), a free online program for kids in grades K-8 to develop their core writing skills and confidence in public speaking. The program runs from July 5 - August 16. [Sign up here](#), and [learn more](#).

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July 6 7-9pm

### Community Board 6 - Transportation Committee Meeting

Zoom Meeting. Register at [zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_WHpR63YWQ\\_-Gi\\_ISbckqGQ](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_WHpR63YWQ_-Gi_ISbckqGQ).

Agenda: Presentation from the NYC Department of Transportation on protected bike lanes for 38th and 39th Streets, Discussion of making permanent the temporary 2nd Avenue bicycle lane from 42nd to 34th Streets, Update from the NYC Department of Transportation on the Open

Streets program and proposals to use city streets for outdoor dining, Discussion of resolution requesting that DOT assess converting some commercial metered parking spaces to general metered parking in Community District 6, and more. For further details email [info@cbsix.org](mailto:info@cbsix.org). CB6 calendar [cbsix.org/calendar-page-agenda-view](https://cbsix.org/calendar-page-agenda-view).

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**Wednesday, July 8 10-11am**

## **Reopening—What's Ahead? A Q&A for Murray Hill Businesses with Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer**

Members of the Murray Hill Business Community are invited to join our Q & A with Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer. Also joining us will be a representative from NYC's Small Business Services (SBS) sharing information about free business services for business owners. [Registration is required](#). Details about the virtual event will be provided after you register. Please submit questions prior to the video meeting to Lilli Seidman Davis ([lillianseidman@yahoo.com](mailto:lillianseidman@yahoo.com)), Co-Chair of the MHNA Business Forum & Discount Program. This event is organized by the Business Forum & Discount Program of The Murray Hill Neighborhood Association.

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**July 8 Program runs from July 8-September 1, register July 8**

## **60-Day Leadership Program**

An in-depth journey where you experience "3 Pillars of Leadership," comprehensive breakthrough skills, and a powerful formula: from Theory to Practice to Mastery, which literally provides a pathway to mastery and joyful surprises. Special introductory price, available July 8, \$120 (Full price \$470). Hosted by Mayshad Expert Panelist, Michelle Risa, The Mayshad Group and Ellevate Network, two organizations committed to Women's Leadership and Development. Register at [joinmayshad.com/event/60-day-leadership-program](https://joinmayshad.com/event/60-day-leadership-program).

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**July 9 11am**

## **Virtual program: Troll Marionette Workshop with Marte Ekhougen**

In Scandinavian folklore, the forests are full of trolls and gnomes. Norwegian puppeteer and sculptor Marte Ekhougen a.k.a. Doctor Superhelga will show you how to make whimsical expressionistic troll marionettes using found and recycled materials. In this online workshop for families and adults, follow along with her to make your own troll marionette at home! This event will take place on YouTube. Questions can be shared with her in the chat during the presentation. Courtesy of Scandinavia House. Register (and get materials list) at [scandinaviahouse.org/events/troll-marionette-workshop](https://scandinaviahouse.org/events/troll-marionette-workshop).

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July 9 6:30-7:30pm, Breakout Discussion Groups 7:30-8pm

## **Online panel discussion: *Protest as a Path to Progress: Making Black Lives Matter***

Presented by Hunter College, hosted by Roosevelt House. With Hunter College President, Jennifer J. Raab; Dr. D'Weston Haywood, Dr. Lazaro Lima, Chivona Newsome, Co-Founder Black Lives Matter, Dr. Calvin Smiley. Register at [community.hunter.cuny.edu/roosevelt-house-pages/protest-as-a-path-to-progress-making-black-lives-matter-7-9-20](https://community.hunter.cuny.edu/roosevelt-house-pages/protest-as-a-path-to-progress-making-black-lives-matter-7-9-20).

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July 14 4-6pm (ongoing, the second Tuesday of each month)

## **NYC Council Speaker Corey Johnson's June Virtual Housing Clinic**

By appointment only. Housing attorneys will be available to speak with you about legal housing issues you have. RSVP for the Housing Clinic at [docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe3qy5LrnKZKXrZN1HN824H0NYB2Ny6GFAP4b2PkqOkdGdL-w/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSe3qy5LrnKZKXrZN1HN824H0NYB2Ny6GFAP4b2PkqOkdGdL-w/viewform)

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July 14 6pm

## **Online Nordic Book Club: *The Island* by Ragnar Jonasson**

Scandinavia House's Nordic Book Club Online continues on July 14 with a discussion on *The Island* by Ragnar Jónasson, which was shortlisted for the Crime Novel of the Year award in Iceland and one of its bestselling books in 2016. In the autumn of 1987, a young couple's romantic holiday to a remote cabin in the Westerfjords is interrupted by the discovery of a brutal crime, with catastrophic consequences. Ten years later, a small group from their circle of friends reunite for a weekend at an old hunting lodge on the island of Elliðaey, where, completely cut off from the outside world, they hope to reconnect. But one of them isn't going to make it out alive — and Detective Inspector Hulda Hermannsdóttir is determined to find out why, and how it connects to the events from 1987. Register at [us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYrc--sqDsrHdesn1NuoMW5dutA1YtHHmB3](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYrc--sqDsrHdesn1NuoMW5dutA1YtHHmB3). All participants will receive a link and instructions for how to join.

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July 15 deadline extended

## **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](https://info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov) and [ny.stateofhealth.ny.gov](https://ny.stateofhealth.ny.gov).

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**July 15 deadline**

## **Filing deadline for federal & state income tax returns**

Information from the IRS [irs.gov/newsroom/payment-deadline-extended-to-july-15-2020](https://www.irs.gov/newsroom/payment-deadline-extended-to-july-15-2020). *Free tax services offered by the Department of Consumer Affairs* [irs.gov/filing/free-file-do-your-federal-taxes-for-free](https://www.irs.gov/filing/free-file-do-your-federal-taxes-for-free) and [irs.gov/individuals/free-tax-return-preparation-for-you-by-volunteers](https://www.irs.gov/individuals/free-tax-return-preparation-for-you-by-volunteers). The IRS reminds individual taxpayers that everyone is eligible to request an extension to file their return (taxes must be paid by July 15). The NYC Department of Consumer Affairs (DCA) [www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/index.page](https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/index.page) is offering NYC Free Virtual Tax Prep [www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/consumers/file-your-taxes.page](https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/consumers/file-your-taxes.page) to reflect the new tax filing deadline on July 15, 2020. This service is available for families earning \$64,000 (or less) in 2019 and single filers earning \$45,000 (or less). Click [here](#) for a list of providers, including a checklist of documents needed before filing your taxes <https://www1.nyc.gov/site/dca/consumers/file-your-taxes-documents.page>.

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**July 23 1-4pm**

## **City & State's 2020 Digital New York event: Technology and Innovation Toolkit for NY's Government**

New York's information leaders from government and industry will gather (virtually) for a dynamic program of candid discussion and thought-provoking presentations on the innovative ideas being used to improve the delivery of services to both citizens and government agencies. Will New York still hold its own as a center of tech innovation, after it rides out the devastation of COVID-19? Join DoITT Commissioner and Citywide Chief Information Officer Jessica Tisch and other top information leaders for a day of candid webinar discussions on all things digital Full agenda [cityandstateny.com/events/2020-virtual-digital-new-york](https://cityandstateny.com/events/2020-virtual-digital-new-york). Register (free) at [us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_gqLEQz2MQo-LDyAR6-Ghag](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_gqLEQz2MQo-LDyAR6-Ghag).

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**July 31 Submission deadline**

## **Grand Central Holiday Fair Now accepting vendor applications**

Apply to New York's most coveted indoor holiday gift fair at [grandcentralterminal.com/holiday-fair](https://grandcentralterminal.com/holiday-fair).

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**July 31 Application deadline**

## **Apply to be a trustee of the MHNA**

The Murray Hill Neighborhood Association is seeking new trustees to serve for the 2020-2021 year, beginning in September. The deadline to apply is July 31. Candidates are especially invited to apply if you have an interest or skills with website operations, marketing, newsletter advertising sales, interacting with city and state personnel. As a trustee of MHNA, you will have a voice in decisions that affect your neighborhood such as quality of life, safety and preserving historic Murray Hill. We will ask that you be a member of The Murray Hill Neighborhood Association, attend monthly board meetings, co-chair a committee and help with our annual street festival. To apply, please send a short bio that includes your ideas for improving Murray

Hill, along with your contact information by July 31, 2020 to Ashley Petrylak at [info@murrayhillnyc.org](mailto:info@murrayhillnyc.org). [Flyer](#).

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August 8 (deadline is extended by Congress, President is expected to sign)  
**For Small Businesses: Deadline to apply for a Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan**

These loans are administered through the Small Business Administration and community banks.

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**2020 Census Dates IMPORTANT! Respond to the Census Survey**

*The response rate in our district is below the nationwide rate. The Census count determines how many representatives we have in Congress and how much Federal funding we will receive.* If you haven't already responded to the census survey, you can respond now online, by phone or 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 census contains only 10 questions and asks how many people are living or staying in your home, their sex, age, race, and ethnicity, whether your home is owned or rented, and your home address. The census does *not* ask about employment, income, immigration, citizenship, or your Social Security number. 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: [2020census.gov/en/about-questions.html](https://2020census.gov/en/about-questions.html). The census is available online and by phone at [my2020census.gov](https://my2020census.gov) and 1-844-330-2020. If you need help filling out your census, you can email [NY12CensusHelp@mail.house.gov](mailto:NY12CensusHelp@mail.house.gov).

**August 11-October 31 (extended due to the pandemic):** If a household does not respond to any of the invitations, a census taker will follow up in person.

**December 2020:** The Census Bureau will deliver apportionment counts to the President and Congress as required by law. The information will be used to allocate Federal funding to the states.

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

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**IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES**

You are required to wear a mask/face covering and maintain 6 feet of distance when entering any Board of Elections facility. Telephone 1-866-868-3692, TTY-212-487-5496.

**October 9 - REGISTER TO VOTE DEADLINE** for the General Election. Download form [elections.ny.gov/NYSBOE/download/voting/voteregform-eng-fillable.pdf](https://elections.ny.gov/NYSBOE/download/voting/voteregform-eng-fillable.pdf) OR [vote.nyc/page/register-vote](https://vote.nyc/page/register-vote) (same form), complete the form, sign it with an original signature, and mail it to: Board of Elections, [32 Broadway, 7 Fl, New York, NY 10004-1609](#). Deadlines for registration dates are not currently posted, but previously the site said that October 9 was the

deadline for the November 3 election. You can call 1-800-FOR-VOTE hotline to request a voter application.

**October 14 - CHANGE OF ADDRESS DEADLINES.** If you move, you should notify the Board of Elections in the City of New York as soon as possible, by re-registering.

**October 27 - ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUESTS.** Request your absentee ballot now for the general election online at [vote.nyc/page/absentee-voting](https://vote.nyc/page/absentee-voting). Mail application to the Board of Elections Manhattan borough office: [200 Varick Street, 10 Fl, New York, NY 10014](#), Tel: 1-212-886-2100. call 1-866-VOTE-NYC (1-866-868-3692) for further information. We do not know yet if there will be other ways to submit the absentee ballot request.

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

**Register online:** [elections.ny.gov/VotingRegister.html](https://elections.ny.gov/VotingRegister.html).

**New York State Board of Elections:** [elections.ny.gov](https://elections.ny.gov).

**NYC Board of Elections:** [www.vote.nyc](https://www.vote.nyc).

## Ongoing events

Sundays 6pm / Submit names by Monday

### **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 at [lincolncenter.org/lincoln-center-at-home](https://lincolncenter.org/lincoln-center-at-home), or on the [interfaithcenter.org](https://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](#).

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Ongoing

### **Webinars for businesses: Guidelines for Reopening Businesses in NYC**

The NYC Department of Small Business Services (SBS) is hosting several webinars to offer information and resources as businesses reopen. Learn about State requirements for reopening, recommendations and best practices, employee support, compliance and enforcement, resources available to help your business. Schedule of upcoming webinars (register here) [eventbrite.com/o/nyc-department-of-small-business-services-5423713077](https://eventbrite.com/o/nyc-department-of-small-business-services-5423713077).

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every Monday through Friday 12-1pm

### **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](http://howlround.com). The Martin E. Segal Theatre Center, The Graduate Center, City University of New York, [365 Fifth Avenue](http://365 Fifth Avenue), at 34th Street, [theSegalCenter.org](http://theSegalCenter.org), [mest@gc.cuny.edu](mailto:mest@gc.cuny.edu). See upcoming schedule and past recordings at [theseagalcenter.org/event](http://theseagalcenter.org/event).

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**Tuesdays 2pm**

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

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

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**Tuesdays**

## **Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright 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](mailto:SeawrightR@NYAssembly.gov) to reserve a spot.

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## **TechConnect Virtual Classes**

The New York Public Library's TechConnect classes are now online. TechConnect helps people of all ages develop their computer skills. Find classes on protecting your privacy online, shopping safely on the web, navigating the basics of coding in HTML and CSS to build your own website, and more. See schedule and register at [nypl.org/events/calendar/online?topic=4261](http://nypl.org/events/calendar/online?topic=4261).

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## **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](http://raineslawroom.com/online-cocktail-class).

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## **Neighborhood events**

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

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**Running through September 30**

## **Art Unlocked! Gallery 35's online exhibit**

The exhibit features work created by fourteen Gallery35 artists before and during the pandemic. Works by Bev Thompson, Denise Fryburg, Ellen Mandelbaum, Jil Novenski, Jody Leight, John Devaney, Juanita Gilmore, Marsha Peru, Michael Davis, Patricia Garbarini, Rick Perez, Susan Harris-Demmet, Valerie Lynch, Virginia Asman. See the preview video and online exhibit at [gallery35nyc.com/2020/05/30/art-unlocked-a-video-preview](http://gallery35nyc.com/2020/05/30/art-unlocked-a-video-preview). At Gallery35 at Community, [30 East 35th Street](#), 917-566-0708, [gallery35ny@gmail.com](mailto:gallery35ny@gmail.com), [gallery35nyc.com](http://gallery35nyc.com).

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**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](mailto:jnovenski@ccny.org). [ccny.org](http://ccny.org).

at The Community Church of NY  
[40 East 35th Street](#) (RE Classrooms)

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**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

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## AKC Museum of the Dog

[museumofthedog.org](http://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 \(entrance on 40th Street\)](#)

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**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 [bigapplechorus.org](http://bigapplechorus.org). Telephone: 646-535-2191.  
at the Norman Thomas H.S. Auditorium  
[111 East 33 Street, 2nd Floor](#)

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## Henry George School of Social Science

Free classes, open to the public. Single classes and 8-course certificate programs: Principals of Political Economy. Economic Science . Money, Credit & Banking . Land Value Capture: Theory

and Practice . The New Economics of the Business Cycle . Free Trade and Globalization . History of Economic Thought, and more. Students can take courses or single classes. For information email [education@hgsss.org](mailto:education@hgsss.org) or call 212-889-8020. Learn more about the courses and register at [hgsss.org](http://hgsss.org).

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

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## The Morgan Library & Museum

### 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 [themorgan.org/programs](http://themorgan.org/programs), or if you are ordering by phone mention that you are a MHNA member. Call Visitor Services at 212-685-0008 for phone orders.

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### MTA Metrocard Bus and Van Schedule

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## Community Meetings

**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**

**NY City Council Hearings**

**Hearings Calendar** [legistar.council.nyc.gov/Calendar.aspx](http://legistar.council.nyc.gov/Calendar.aspx)

**This week's hearings** [council.nyc.gov/#hearings](https://council.nyc.gov/#hearings)

**If you want to attend or testify at a hearing**, register at [council.nyc.gov/testify](http://council.nyc.gov/testify)

**View hearings** [council.nyc.gov/livestream](http://council.nyc.gov/livestream)

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.

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## The New York Public Library Events

### 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 dependent 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](mailto: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

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## 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)

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## Baruch College Performing Arts

Some events are free.

### Lawrence N. Field Center for Entrepreneurship

(events & workshops) [eship@baruch.cuny.edu](mailto:eship@baruch.cuny.edu)

[55 Lexington Avenue](#) (at 25th Street) "The Tower", Suite 2-140

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## Grand Central Terminal

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](mailto: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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