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## Upcoming Events in Murray Hill...September 14, 2020

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## NOTICES

### **The Murray Hill Neighborhood Associations Fall 2020 *Murray Hill Life* newsletter was emailed last Tuesday.**

If you did not receive your copy, You can view the newsletter in PDF format at [murrayhillnyc.org/photos/News/Fall\\_2020.pdf](http://murrayhillnyc.org/photos/News/Fall_2020.pdf). You won't want to miss this issue with many great ads from our neighborhood businesses!

All newsletters are posted on the MHNA website at [murrayhillnyc.org](http://murrayhillnyc.org) in the News section.

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### **Ransomware attack**

[Source: Email from CUNY Graduate Center, September 10, 2020.] CUNY's Central Office and a number of CUNY colleges including The Graduate Center were notified by Blackbaud of a

ransomware attack that took place in February – May of 2020. During this incident, cybercriminals obtained copies of several databases stored on Blackbaud's servers with the purpose of extorting a ransom. Some of this data may have included CUNY alumni and donor contact information, as well as additional details about their relationships with CUNY, such as philanthropic giving and event attendance. Blackbaud, which is one of the largest financial and fundraising software providers in the world, has assured CUNY that no credit card data, bank account information, or social security numbers were compromised as part of this breach. Furthermore, no usernames or passwords were compromised. In working with third-party security services as well as US law enforcement, Blackbaud believes that all illegally accessed copies of the data have been destroyed. Nonetheless, Blackbaud has committed to continuing to monitor the web for any signs of the stolen data. Further information about this incident can be found at [blackbaud.com/securityincident](https://blackbaud.com/securityincident). If you think your contact information may have been affected by this attack, there is no action required on your part. CUNY and The Graduate Center remain committed to the safety of your data, and they apologize for any inconvenience that may result from this intrusion. If you have any questions or concerns about this matter, please don't hesitate to contact Jay Golan, Vice President for Institutional Advancement, at [jgolan@gc.cuny.edu](mailto:jgolan@gc.cuny.edu).

## **Pandemic update, information and resources**

### **NYC's Reopening**

NYC is in Phase 4 of the reopening. Learn more about the phased reopening guidance at [forward.ny.gov](https://forward.ny.gov).

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**September 14 (effective date)**

### **Riders who refuse to wear a mask on public transit will be subject to a \$50 fine.**

This new measure follows Governor Cuomo's Executive Order 202.18 issued on April 17 requiring all customers and employees to wear a face covering while riding on public transit.

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**On September 21, NYC public schools will open for in-person teaching.** A blended learning model will be used, with students alternating between in-person and remote learning. Parents may opt for all-remote learning for their children. Schools will operate at reduced capacity for in-person instruction, with approximately one-third to one-half of the student population attending at one time. More than 10% of students and teachers will get a covid test once a month. Students, teachers and staff must wear face shields at all times. Social distancing will be required. Hand sanitizer dispensers must be available in high traffic areas and all students will be provided with appropriate PPE. Wellness barriers will be placed in the general office and at the main school safety desk. School buildings will undergo a nightly sanitization process. Breakfast and lunch will be served in classrooms.

**Three schools in Murray Hill have ventilation issues**, all at [111 East 33rd Street](#) (at Park Avenue), in the former Norman Thomas H.S. building. See the Walkthrough Checklist [survey.nycsca.org/files/M620\\_V.PDF](#). In Manhattan Borough President Gale Brewer's *COVID weekly newsletter* email of 9/10/2020, she states, "If those problems haven't been addressed by 9/21, in-person instruction at these locations will begin in alternate spaces TBA."

**NYC Board of Education website** [schools.nyc.gov/school-year-20-21/return-to-school-2020](#)

**NYC Comptroller Scott Stringer's Back to School Guide** [comptroller.nyc.gov/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/Back\\_to\\_School\\_2020-21.pdf](#).

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**On September 30, indoor dining for NYC restaurants may resume** with 25% capacity. There will be strict health and safety precautions, including temperature checks at the door, placing tables 6 feet apart, and mandatory masks except when the party is seated at their table. For contact tracing purposes, one person in each party must leave their contact information. Restaurants must meet the state's air filtration requirements. In addition, there will be no bar service or bar reopening; however, drinks can be served at the table. All restaurants are required to close by midnight.

The City of New York will provide a team of 400 enforcement personnel to work with the State Police Task Force to ensure compliance. Restaurants must publicly post their 25 percent indoor dining capacity and the phone number and text number to report violations. Patrons who observe violations can report issues by calling 833-208-4160, or by texting 'VIOLATION' to 855-904-5036.

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Visit the MHNA website [murrayhillnyc.org](#) for more details about NYC's reopening, reopening guidance, trusted medical information, information about assistance for individuals, families, businesses, and information about how you can help.

[Neighborhood restaurants, food & spirits that are open for outdoor dining, delivery & pickup](#)

[Neighborhood retail, health care \(including pets\) & services that are open](#)

[Neighborhood restaurants, food & spirits that are open for delivery & pickup](#)

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**All New Yorkers can get tested for covid-19.** Sites run by New York State are free and usually have 1-2 day test results [coronavirus.health.ny.gov/find-test-site-near-you](#). You can also check with pharmacies, walk-in urgent care facilities and with your doctor to find out if they do testing. There may be charges and long waits for results.

**IMPORTANT: There is still no cure or vaccine for COVID-19.**

**To prevent the spread of the virus:**

- wear face coverings
  - maintain distance
  - practice good hand hygiene
  - stay home if sick
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## Kosher Food deliveries

Seniors and adults scheduled to receive **GetFoodNYC** kosher home-delivered food on 9/20 during Rosh Hashanah (September 18-20) will instead receive their delivery on 9/21.

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**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. This also applies to New Yorkers when they return home after traveling to those states. 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).

## September is National Preparedness Month

**Make A Plan:** Know how you will communicate with your family, employees, employer, etc. before, during, and after a disaster. Make sure to update your plan based on the Centers for Disease Control recommendations due to the coronavirus. Plan access to your financial information.

**Build A Kit:** Gather supplies (including medications, masks, gloves, etc.) that will last for several days for everyone living in your home. Update your kits and supplies based on recommendations by the Centers for Disease Control.

**Prepare for Disasters:** Know the risk of disasters in your area and check your insurance coverage. Learn how to make your home stronger in the face of storms and other common hazards and act fast if you receive a local warning or alert.

**Teach Youth About Preparedness:** Talk to your kids about preparing for emergencies and what to do in case you are separated. Reassure them by providing information about how they can get involved.”

From Ready.gov [ready.gov/september](https://ready.gov/september).

From the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) [sba.gov/business-guide/manage-your-business/prepare-emergencies](https://sba.gov/business-guide/manage-your-business/prepare-emergencies).

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## **Electrical outages and damaged trees**

We are still in the official hurricane season and may continue to get severe storms until November. If you see damaged trees, debris or damaged power lines and equipment after storms, there are a few things you can do: Please report the locations of damaged trees by contacting 311; fallen power lines or damaged electrical equipment should be reported to 1-800-75-CONED (1-800-752-6633) immediately; and additionally, NYCHA residents can report any power- or weather-related issues to 718-707-7771. You can also reach out to Council Members Keith Powers 212-818-0580, [KPowers@council.nyc.gov](mailto:KPowers@council.nyc.gov) and Carlina Rivera 212-677-1077, [District2@council.nyc.gov](mailto:District2@council.nyc.gov), and to Community Board 6 office@cb6.org, Community Board 5 office@cb5.org, or your local Community Board.

## **The Board of Elections (BOE) is Hiring Election Day Workers**

The NYS Board of Elections are looking for Election Day workers. Compensation is \$250 for Election Day and \$100 to go through the mandatory training. PPE and sanitizer will be supplied to workers. Learn more [electiondayworker.com/start.aspx](http://electiondayworker.com/start.aspx)

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## **The 2020 Census is hiring (Murray Hill is undercounted!)**

### **Outreach Canvassers**

Learn more [drive.google.com/file/d/18MdQTVnYEUqI50zdKn5u9aVdrR-wcHyE](https://drive.google.com/file/d/18MdQTVnYEUqI50zdKn5u9aVdrR-wcHyE).

### **Outreach Team Leaders**

Learn more [drive.google.com/file/d/1-QxfUehnP4x1RQLIR1VG4w6-quRJR5-m](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1-QxfUehnP4x1RQLIR1VG4w6-quRJR5-m)

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## **The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) is hiring temporary employees to assist with disaster relief efforts**

Learn more at [sba.gov/page/disaster-response-jobs-sba](https://sba.gov/page/disaster-response-jobs-sba). The positions include: Call Center Customer Service Representative, Document Preparation/Legal Review/Loan Closings, Loan Processing/Credit Analysis/Mortgage Underwriting, Program Support.

## Upcoming events

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through October 1, Mondays 9am-12pm & Thursdays 5-6 pm

### **Bryant Park Fall Birding Tours**

Advance registration is required [eventbrite.com/e/birding-tours-of-bryant-park-tickets-119159877401](https://eventbrite.com/e/birding-tours-of-bryant-park-tickets-119159877401).

at Bryant Park, Meet at Heiskell Plaza  
Near 42nd Street and 6th Avenue

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through September 17

### **New York Fashion Week Fall 2020**

Live streams, runway shows, panels, tutorials, fashion films, behind-the-scenes, and more.  
Website: [nyfw.com/home](https://nyfw.com/home).

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through October 8

### **New York Design Center's What's New | What's Next 2020**

4 weeks of innovative programming, hundreds of product introductions, a community of design ambassadors. A celebration of new ideas, design materials and products. Register at [nydc.com/wwnw](https://nydc.com/wwnw) for updates and VIP access to programming. New York Design Center, 200 Lexington Avenue.

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September 14

## City Planning Commission meeting: The full ULURP process resumes

Livestream the Planning Commission meetings at [www1.nyc.gov/site/planning/about/commission-meetings.page](http://www1.nyc.gov/site/planning/about/commission-meetings.page). [ULURP is Uniform Land Use Review Procedure]. This page also has links to forms if you want to comment. Discussion on one area of local interest # 14-42 Locations Where Enclosed Sidewalk Cafes Are Not Permitted, Manhattan: Park Avenue South and Park Avenue — from 31st Street to 38th Street.

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September 14, 16, 21, 23 5:30-6:30pm

## American Symphony Orchestra Live in Bryant Park

In-person event. Live music has been scarce this summer, but enthusiasts will be able to enjoy four world class performances when Bryant Park hosts a string quartet featuring musicians from the American Symphony Orchestra (ASO). All performances are first-come, first served, and audiences will be capped at 50 people. Can't make it in person? The shows on September 14 and 21 will also be live streamed on the Bryant Park Facebook [facebook.com/bryantparknyc](https://facebook.com/bryantparknyc) and Instagram [instagram.com/bryantparknyc](https://instagram.com/bryantparknyc) feeds. Attendees are encouraged to wear masks and practice social distancing. Learn more at [bryantpark.org/?/blog/american-symphony-orchestra-live-in-bryant-park](https://bryantpark.org/?/blog/american-symphony-orchestra-live-in-bryant-park).

at Bryant Park, Upper Terrace

Enter at 40th or 42nd Street behind the Library (between 5th & 6th Avenue)

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September 14 6pm

## Community Board 5 Emergency Full Board Meeting (Zoom)

Agenda: open meeting to public, close meeting to public for Executive Session of CB5 for the purpose of voting on employment of **new District Manager**. The general public should register in advance at [zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_-Op5JISxSyq1U8EsonWgtw](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_-Op5JISxSyq1U8EsonWgtw). See the full agenda at [cb5.org/cb5m/calendar/2020-october/#special-full-board-meeting](https://cb5.org/cb5m/calendar/2020-october/#special-full-board-meeting). [cb5.org](https://cb5.org).

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September 15 10am

## The Washington Post LIVE series: Road to Recovery: Global Solutions with Melinda Gates, co-chair, Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation

Hosted by Frances Stead Sellers. Register for a reminder at [melindagates.splashthat.com](https://melindagates.splashthat.com).

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September 15 11am

## **Washington Post LIVE series: Road to Recovery: Global Solutions, A Conversation with Bob Woodward**

Hosted by Philip Rucker. Register at [woodwardbook.splashthat.com](http://woodwardbook.splashthat.com).

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September 15 6pm

## **Tenant Rights during the Covid-19 Pandemic Education Event**

Online event. Presented by Housing Conservation Coordinator attorneys. Register at [zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_6afKiv3zQqKUZkD76SOihA](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_6afKiv3zQqKUZkD76SOihA) or watch live on YouTube [youtube.com/channel/UCVuHwITcFASNggyVX847NNg](https://youtube.com/channel/UCVuHwITcFASNggyVX847NNg).

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September 15 7:30pm

## **COVID Conversation With Councilwoman Carlina Rivera on Small Business Survival**

Virtual Event - Councilwoman Carlina Rivera will be joined by Meghan Joye, a local small business owner, and Andrew Flamm, the director of Pace University's Small Business Development Center, to discuss questions about small business survival. You can send your questions to [District2@council.nyc.gov](mailto:District2@council.nyc.gov). The event will be on Facebook Live, on Council Member Rivera's Facebook page [facebook.com/CouncilwomanCarlinaRivera](https://facebook.com/CouncilwomanCarlinaRivera).

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through September 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](http://info.nystateofhealth.ny.gov) and [ny.stateofhealth.ny.gov](http://ny.stateofhealth.ny.gov) or call 855-355-5777. If you need assistance, connect with a free enrollment assistor [nystateofhealth.ny.gov/agent/hx\\_brokerSearch](http://nystateofhealth.ny.gov/agent/hx_brokerSearch).

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September 16 2:30-3:30pm

## **Webinar: Nonprofit Planning That Goes Beyond Pandemic Response**

Nonprofit leaders are continuously challenged to secure funding, to maximize their real estate, to prove their credit-worthiness, and more. In this two-part webinar series, three long-time nonprofit advisors will share their best practices and newest insights. The first webinar will take a 3-month perspective and address short-term challenges and opportunities, while the second webinar will examine a 3-year landscape. Speakers: Paul G. Wolf, President, Denham Wolf Real Estate Services, Duncan Webb, President, Webb Mgmt, Sunil K. Aggarwal, Founder, ThinkForward Financial. Register at [nynmedia.com/events/toward-financial-sustainability-guidance-strong-planning-goes-beyond-pandemic-response](https://nynmedia.com/events/toward-financial-sustainability-guidance-strong-planning-goes-beyond-pandemic-response).

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September 17 12pm

## **Commercial Rentals and Landlords, What's New?**

Join the Manhattan Chamber of Commerce for this discussion on the current status of Manhattan commercial real estate and what tenants need to know! The discussion will cover best practices in lease negotiations and proposed public policy solutions to help small businesses that cannot afford to pay rent, among other topics. Learn more and register at [app.livestorm.co/manhattan-chamber-of-commerce/commercial-rentals-and-landlords-whats-new](https://app.livestorm.co/manhattan-chamber-of-commerce/commercial-rentals-and-landlords-whats-new).

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September 17 4-5:30pm

## **AECOM: Reconsidering the Commute: New Challenges for the Workplace**

Metropolis Magazine presents thought leadership conversations. Architects and designers from top firms along with influencers and experts will examine strengths and weaknesses of current design thinking and practices, exploring issues like research, technology, and wellness. Register at [metropolis-think-tank.splashthat.com/?mc\\_cid=52ac8b33b5&mc\\_eid=1b2c1ca26f](https://metropolis-think-tank.splashthat.com/?mc_cid=52ac8b33b5&mc_eid=1b2c1ca26f).

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September 17 2pm

## **Rising Domestic Violence and Abuse During COVID-19:**

## How Workplaces Can Help Those in Need

Join Womankind for an online discussion. Register by 9/15 at [communications.crowell.com/11/4138/landing-pages/rsvp-blank.asp?sid=blankform](https://communications.crowell.com/11/4138/landing-pages/rsvp-blank.asp?sid=blankform).

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September 17 5pm

### Live Zoom event: The Spymasters: How the CIA Directors Shape History and the Future

Roosevelt House Public Policy Institute at Hunter College is pleased to present Chris Whipple, author of *The Spymasters*. Whipple offers a revelatory behind-the-scenes look at what it's like to run the world's most powerful intelligence agency. The author will be in conversation with national security reporter for *The New York Times* Julian Barnes. Register at [community.hunter.cuny.edu/roosevelt-house-pages/the-spymasters-how-the-cia-directors-shape-history-and-the-future-9-17-20-](https://community.hunter.cuny.edu/roosevelt-house-pages/the-spymasters-how-the-cia-directors-shape-history-and-the-future-9-17-20-).

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September 17 7–8:30pm

### Senator Liz Krueger's Virtual Town Hall: Making Your Vote Count

With Senator Krueger, Susan Lerner, Executive Director, Common Cause New York, Susie Gomes, Co-Chair, Voter Services Committee, League of Women Voters New York City (LWVNYC), and Laura Quigg, Volunteer and Co-Chair, Voter Services Committee, LWVNYC. Hear about positive changes to state elections laws, changes to the way the NYC Board of Elections operates, and find out how to register to vote, apply for an absentee ballot, and track your ballot. To view the event, just before 7pm visit [facebook.com/statesenatorlizkrueger](https://facebook.com/statesenatorlizkrueger). If you do not see the video when you land on Senator Krueger's Facebook page, tap "refresh" in your browser. For those who do not have access to a computer, tablet, or other electronic device, you can listen in by telephone. Register at [tinyurl.com/kruegervotingtownhall](https://tinyurl.com/kruegervotingtownhall). You will receive a confirmation email with the call-in information after you register. Attendees will be able to submit questions through Facebook during the event but are strongly encouraged to submit them in advance when you register.

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September 18 12pm

### How to Turn Your PPP Loan into a Grant

Join the Manhattan Chamber of Commerce and the US Small Business Administration (SBA) for a discussion on the steps you need to take to transform your federal Paycheck Protection Program (PPP) loan into a grant that you do not need to pay back. Expert speakers include: Man-Li Lin, Economic Development Specialist, US Small Business Administration, Debra Guzov, Founder at Guzov LLC (a woman-owned law firm). Learn more and register at [app.livestorm.co/manhattan-chamber-of-commerce/how-to-survive-until-business-returns-to-the-new-normal-short-term-tactics-for-long-term-success](https://app.livestorm.co/manhattan-chamber-of-commerce/how-to-survive-until-business-returns-to-the-new-normal-short-term-tactics-for-long-term-success).

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September 18 (survey closes)

## **Survey for District 2 residents: Tell Us How You Were Impacted By COVID-19 in District 2**

As part of NYC Councilwoman Carlina Rivera's efforts to gain a better understanding of how COVID-19 is affecting District 2 residents, Public Health Fellow Benjamin McCarthy developed a 5-minute, anonymous survey for constituents. District 2 is south of 35th Street, map [council.nyc.gov/district-2](https://council.nyc.gov/district-2). Help inform policy decisions. Fill out the survey at [cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_4OUggoHIA4AFOnj](https://cumc.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_4OUggoHIA4AFOnj).

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September 21 6:30pm

## **Community Board 6 Committee Meeting (Zoom): Housing, Homeless, & Human Rights**

Agenda: Panel discussion on short-term and systemic solutions to the homelessness crisis including the uptick in street homelessness and use of hotels as temporary housing sites due to the COVID-19 pandemic, and more. You can register to attend the meeting at [zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_0QYH17eMQMChZYI6evkGOA](https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_0QYH17eMQMChZYI6evkGOA).

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September 21 6:30-8pm

## **The Making of Japanese New York**

Free online event. Scholars know surprisingly little about the history of the Japanese in New York City. In his new book *Distant Islands*, Daniel H. Inouye provides a richly detailed study of the groups which settled in Gotham between 1876 and the late 1930s, who ultimately made the city one of the largest foreign capitals for Japanese life in the world. Shelley Lee, author of *Claiming the Oriental Gateway: Prewar Japanese America* and *A New History of Asian America*, joins for this overdue conversation. Register at [eventbrite.com/e/the-making-of-japanese-new-york-tickets-117523809879](https://eventbrite.com/e/the-making-of-japanese-new-york-tickets-117523809879). \*This event is first come, first served.

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September 21 & September 28 7pm

## **New Federal Theater presents Black Words Matter, a 2020 Virtual Poetry Jam**

Learn more and register at [newfederaltheatre.com/events](https://newfederaltheatre.com/events).

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September 22 6pm

## **Online Nordic Book Club - Miss Iceland by Auður Ava Ólafsdóttir**

Scandinavia House's Nordic Book Club Online continues with a discussion on Miss Iceland by Auður Ava Ólafsdóttir, winner of the Icelandic Book Prize and the Prix Médicis étranger. A novel of extraordinary and masterful acuity from one of Iceland's most celebrated writers, Miss Iceland follows the captivating journey of a young woman on the cusp of worldwide change. To discuss the book, sign up online at [us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZAocemrjpkpHtxv3-IWLHYIDDWcstbJNayB](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/91012020000). All participants will receive a link and instructions for how to join the event. Nordic Book Club fall schedule: [scandinaviahouse.org/calendar-of-events/?mc\\_cid=0e1c989c46&mc\\_eid=b394ff0e2d#filter/upcoming,7](https://scandinaviahouse.org/calendar-of-events/?mc_cid=0e1c989c46&mc_eid=b394ff0e2d#filter/upcoming,7).

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September 22-24

## **U.S. Small Business Administration National Small Business Week Virtual Conference**

The SBA's National Small Business Week activities will include numerous educational panels providing retooling and innovative practices for entrepreneurs as our nation's small businesses look to pivot and recover, contributing to a stronger economy. The National Small Business Week event schedule includes three days recognizing America's outstanding entrepreneurs, shining a spotlight on the nation's 30 million small businesses across the country. Details and registration information will be posted on [sba.gov/NSBW](https://sba.gov/NSBW) as events are finalized. Register at [sba.gov/national-small-business-week](https://sba.gov/national-small-business-week).

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September 23-24

## **U.S. Patent and Trademark Office/Department of Justice conference on intellectual property, innovation, and collaboration in the life science sector**

This free, virtual event will include 10 sessions throughout two afternoons. Panelists and speakers include leading figures from industry, government agencies, prominent research labs, the nonprofit sector, academia, and the broader legal and economic community. Register at [uspto.gov/about-us/events/promoting-innovation-life-science-sector-and-supporting-pro-competitive](https://uspto.gov/about-us/events/promoting-innovation-life-science-sector-and-supporting-pro-competitive).

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September 23 5–7pm

## NYC Rat Academy

Join the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene and City Council Speaker Corey Johnson for virtual free training on safe and effective methods for rat prevention in your building and neighborhood. Register at [surveygizmo.com/s3/5639842/Rat-Academy-Registration?eventid=a1Q4V00002Vs3QN&programname=Pest%20Control%20Services](https://surveygizmo.com/s3/5639842/Rat-Academy-Registration?eventid=a1Q4V00002Vs3QN&programname=Pest%20Control%20Services).

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Respond to the Census by September 30

## 2020 Census Dates IMPORTANT! NYC is undercounted!

### Respond to the Census Survey

If you haven't already responded to the census survey, you can respond now online, by phone or by mail. The deadline is **September 30**. You should respond for every one of your addresses (see below for further information about how to respond about the secondary residences). 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).

**Important!** If you moved away from NYC temporarily and mistakenly indicated your temporary address as your address, please resubmit your census 2020 form with your NYC address.

**Important information for people with more than one address and seasonal or pied a terre residences in Murray Hill.** The census counts people where they live and sleep most of the time. If you are a seasonal resident, please respond to the 2020 Census for your seasonal home address and indicate that nobody lives there. This will minimize the need for a census taker to follow up. You can complete the form online or call 844-330-2020. Instructions for doing this online:

Visit [2020census.gov](https://2020census.gov) and tap **Respond**

Tap **Start Questionnaire**

Enter the *Census ID* for your address or tap *If you do not have a Census ID click here*

Select *A U.S. state or the District of Columbia* and tap **Next**

*Enter the address for your secondary residence* and follow the prompts to enter your name and address

*Enter 0* for the number of people living at this property

Tap **Next**, and when a message appears *On April 1, 2020, were you living or staying at <your secondary home address>* tap *No* when asked to confirm no person lives at this property

Select primary reason *For seasonal, recreational, or occasional use* and follow the prompts to complete the survey.

**September 30:** Deadline to complete the census.

**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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September 24 12:30-1:30pm

## Developing your online presence with WIX

Join Wix staff to learn more about creating an online business with Wix. The webinar will include how to plan your entrepreneurial website, how to use the Wix platform, and explore professional design features. Discover the basics in creating a Wix website as well as features to take your business to the next level! Each participant will be provided a FREE 1-year Wix premium plan. Register at [baruch.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJAscumqj0iG92zZETXfK4YYDdduHrFcoYr](https://baruch.zoom.us/j/922zZETXfK4YYDdduHrFcoYr).

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September 27 (deadline extended)

## The Murray Hill Scavenger Hunt has been extended to September 27!

You now have more time to explore our neighborhood's fascinating history and beautiful architecture. You'll learn a lot and maybe win a prize! [TAP HERE FOR A PDF OF THE SCAVENGER HUNT](#). [TAP HERE FOR A WEBLINK TO THE SCAVENGER HUNT](#). To compete for the grand prize, take a photo of each of the items (22 photos in all) and either email your photos to [info@murrayhillnyc.org](mailto:info@murrayhillnyc.org), tag us on Instagram [@murrayhillnyc](#) or tag us on Facebook [@MHNANYC](#). First prize winner - the entry with the highest number of correct items found (drawing in case of tie). First Prize: one-night stay at the Shelburne Hotel & Suites by Affinia. Second prize: \$50 Gift Certificate to a local restaurant of your choice, All participants will receive a MHNA t-shirt, while supplies last. Please note that this is not a Google or Internet Hunt; images taken from the web will not be considered! Please wear a mask and practice social distancing. Responses must be submitted by September 27, 2020. This Scavenger Hunt Contest is organized by the Preservation & Design Committee of The Murray Hill Neighborhood Association and Sponsored by The Shelburne Hotel & Suites by Affinia.

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September 29 1-4pm

## 2020 Virtual Rebuilding New York Summit: Repairing, Improving and Upgrading New York

Webinar, presented by City & State. When COVID 19 hit New York, construction was shut down completely. As it began to reopen, first upstate and later in the City, what precautions and safety practices were implemented to help New York? What new plans were put into effect based on lessons learned? What was the effect of COVID 19 on affordable housing units and planned

housing sites? Hear from experts as they explore how to rebuild New York. Learn more and register at [cityandstateny.com/events/2020-virtual-rebuilding-new-york-summit](https://cityandstateny.com/events/2020-virtual-rebuilding-new-york-summit).

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**September 29** 5pm grant application deadline

## **Creative Learning and Creative Engagement Manhattan Arts Grants**

Learn more at [lmcc.net](https://lmcc.net). [lmcc.net/rsvp](https://lmcc.net/rsvp). Register at [zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwtce6pqz8qE9xd3k\\_AvIK3Nko73EkVGWiU](https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwtce6pqz8qE9xd3k_AvIK3Nko73EkVGWiU).

Apply at [lmcc.net/resources/manhattan-arts-grants](https://lmcc.net/resources/manhattan-arts-grants).

This grant is supported by the NYC Department of Cultural Affairs and New York State Council on the Arts.

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## **Presidential Debates 2020**

Tuesday, **September 29**

Thursday, **October 15**

Thursday, **October 22**

Each debate will run from 9-10:30pm

## **Vice Presidential Debate 2020**

Wednesday, **October 7** 9-10:30pm

The general election presidential debates are carried by all the major networks and C-SPAN, without commercial breaks or interruptions. Many of the networks also have their own YouTube channels where you can watch the live stream from your computer.

Read more at the Commission on Presidential Debates website [debates.org](https://debates.org).

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## **IMPORTANT ELECTION DATES**

**Make sure you are ready to vote in the November election. Register to vote (or check your registration status). Request an absentee ballot.** 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.

**September 18 - Board of Elections begins to mail absentee ballots** on a rolling basis to those who requested them. Even if you voted by mail in the Primary Election, you must re-apply for an absentee ballot. You can complete and mail in your absentee ballot as soon as you receive it.

**October 9 - REGISTER TO VOTE DEADLINE** for the General Election. **Register**

**online:** [elections.ny.gov/VotingRegister.html](https://elections.ny.gov/VotingRegister.html). Or 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](https://www.nyc.gov/stops)-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. You do this by re-registering.

**October 27 - ABSENTEE BALLOT REQUEST DEADLINE.** Everyone can request an absentee ballot for the general election using *temporary illness* as the reason if they want to avoid exposure to COVID-19. Even if you voted by absentee ballot for the primary election you must request an absentee ballot for the general election. Request your ballot early. You can request an absentee ballot online through the new portal [vote.nyc/page/absentee-voting](https://vote.nyc/page/absentee-voting) or download the form at [vote.nyc/sites/default/files/pdf/forms/absenteevoting/AbsenteeBallot-English.pdf](https://vote.nyc/sites/default/files/pdf/forms/absenteevoting/AbsenteeBallot-English.pdf). You can email the application to [Apply4Absentee@boe.nyc](mailto:Apply4Absentee@boe.nyc), fax it to 212-487-5349, or mail (or drop off) the application to the Board of Elections Manhattan borough office: [200 Varick Street, 10 Fl, New York, NY 10014](https://www.nyc.gov/stops), Tel: 1-212-886-2100. Call 1-866-VOTE-NYC (1-866-868-3692) for further information. The NYC Board of Elections will begin mailing the absentee ballots on September 18, on a rolling basis. **The Post Office is expecting large volumes. Mail in your ballots early. You can complete and mail your ballot as soon as you receive it. Be sure to sign and date your ballot. Seal the envelope with the adhesive provided on the envelope.**

**October 24-November 1 Early Voting**

**November 3 GENERAL ELECTION**

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

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

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October 2 12-5:45pm

## **The CUNY Graduate Center's Online Conference: Coalitional Democracy**

Join leading thinkers and activists to explore new ideas about coalitions and how to bring about a more just society. View the full schedule and register [stonecenter.gc.cuny.edu/event/conference-on-coalitional-democracy](https://stonecenter.gc.cuny.edu/event/conference-on-coalitional-democracy). Reserve for individual Zoom sessions on the Stone Center website.

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October 15 12:30-1:30pm

## **Lunch & learn webinar: The Key Differentiator for a Flourishing Business**

Learn how to clearly, concisely, and most importantly, convincingly communicate the unique benefits of your product and services to prospective customers. This workshop focuses on the necessity of this difficult tool and the make or break impact it can have on startups! Register at

[baruch.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwkf-CorTkpE9J3VhdKRchaO7Mj4Ba2BdHK](https://baruch.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJwkf-CorTkpE9J3VhdKRchaO7Mj4Ba2BdHK). Presented by The Lawrence N. Field Center for Entrepreneurship at Baruch College.

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October 17 and 18

## Save the date for Open House New York

The event will be reimagined as a hybrid of virtual and outdoor self-guided experiences. [ohny.org/weekend](https://ohny.org/weekend).

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October 20 2pm & 6pm

## Proposed Part 496 (Statewide Emissions Limits) Virtual Public Comment Hearing

Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) is proposing a new 6 NYCRR Part 496, Statewide Greenhouse Gas Emission Limits. The proposed rule adopts limits on the emission of greenhouse gases in 2030 and 2050, as a percentage of 1990 emissions, per the requirements of the Climate Leadership and Community Protection Act. It applies to all emission sources in the State, but the rule does not itself impose compliance obligations. Read more about how to join the meetings and comment at [dec.ny.gov/regulations/121052.html](https://dec.ny.gov/regulations/121052.html).

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October 20 6:30-8pm

## Louisa May Alcott's Murray Hill - author talk and discussion with Lorraine Tosiello

Live online author talk and discussion, presented by The Murray Hill Neighborhood Association's Preservation & Design Committee. In late 1875 Louisa May Alcott spent a winter in New York City. Filled with biographical references to Louisa's family, New Yorkers of the time and Alcott's literary works, *Only Gossip Prospers* intertwines the real people Louisa met, the actual events of New York City and a host of fictional characters who inhabit a world that Louisa herself would recognize. *Only Gossip Prospers* enters the debate that still hovers over *Little Women* as to what was "real" and what was "made up." There are some twists and surprises, including one that will satisfy the greatest question left unanswered for fans of *Little Women*: what really happened between Jo and Laurie? Author Lorraine Tosiello was inspired by Alcott's *Little Women* to set off on a journey of motherhood, traveling, rabble-rousing and work as a physician devoted to medical education and primary care medicine. She lives with her husband in midtown Manhattan and at the New Jersey shore. [Learn more](#). Register at [zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEIf-mvrDguGNehMhVYB2kFLsIT5xkgrtzw](https://zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEIf-mvrDguGNehMhVYB2kFLsIT5xkgrtzw). Free, but donations are welcome. You can donate at [murrayhillnyc.org/donate](https://murrayhillnyc.org/donate).

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**October 27 10am-12pm**

## **Virtual Taste NY Producer Showcase**

This online business-to-business networking event will connect NY's agricultural businesses with potential new buyers and foster new business relationships despite the pandemic. The two-hour online event, offered in partnership with Taste NY and NYS Grown & Certified, will provide an opportunity for New York food and beverage producers to connect with area food buyers. The event will help these businesses to expand their reach in the marketplace that, in many cases, has been affected due to the nationwide pandemic. The program pilot will "take place" in the Adirondacks and Capital Region. Registration is now open for vendors and buyers. [lakegeorgechamber.com/tastenyc](http://lakegeorgechamber.com/tastenyc).

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**November 18 deadline**

## **Contribute to the The Pandemic Diaries**

Contribute to the New York Public Library's archives by submitting audio recordings about life during the COVID era. The Pandemic Diaries [lincolnsquarebid.org/news/the-pandemic-diaries](http://lincolnsquarebid.org/news/the-pandemic-diaries). Submit recordings by Nov. 18 [nypl.org/pandemic-diaries/submit](http://nypl.org/pandemic-diaries/submit).

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**VIEW PAST EVENTS:**

## **Hunter College series *Speaking of Justice* on Demand**

[hunter.cuny.edu/hunter-on-demand/speaking-of-justice-archive](http://hunter.cuny.edu/hunter-on-demand/speaking-of-justice-archive), including:

*Healthcare for All? Confronting the Racial Divide* (aired on July 23, 2020)

*Down with Monuments and Symbols?* (aired on July 16, 2020)

*Protest as a Path to Progress: Making Black Lives Matter* (aired on July 9, 2020)

## **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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## **The National Arts Club is presenting many online talks and musical events**

See their calendar: [nationalartsclub.org/default.aspx?p=v35Calendar&ssid=323204&vnf=1](https://nationalartsclub.org/default.aspx?p=v35Calendar&ssid=323204&vnf=1)

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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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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](https://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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Ongoing 4-6pm (the second Tuesday of each month)

## NYC Council Speaker Corey Johnson's 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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## 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](https://nypl.org/events/calendar/online?topic=4261).

## Neighborhood events

**IMPORTANT NOTE. Due to the coronavirus, large in-person indoor ongoing events are suspended until further notice. Some events will be virtual or may take place with modifications. Museums are opening with advance ticketing, timed entry and reduced capacity. 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](https://gallery35nyc.com). At Gallery35 at Community, [30 East 35th Street](https://www.google.com/maps/place/30+East+35th+Street,+New+York,+NY+10016), 917-566-0708, [gallery35ny@gmail.com](mailto:gallery35ny@gmail.com), [gallery35nyc.com](https://www.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. Online activities for children at [museumofthedog.org/events-and-education/childrens-programs](http://museumofthedog.org/events-and-education/childrens-programs).

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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[149 East 38th Street](#) (between Lexington & 3rd Avenue)

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The  
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## 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](http://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.



New York  
Public  
Library

## The New York Public Library Events

**Grab & Go Service** is now available at the [Stavros Niarchos Foundation Libraries \(455 Fifth Ave.](#) at 40th Street), a branch of the New York Public Library and the Kips Bay Library branch. How to use Grab & Go Service [nypl.org/blog/2020/07/08/nypl-grab-go-service](http://nypl.org/blog/2020/07/08/nypl-grab-go-service), or call Ask NYPL at 917-275-6975 to place a hold.

### **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.

**The Stavros Niarchos Foundation Libraries (formerly called the Mid-Manhattan Library) partial reopening for Grab & Go Services, [455 Fifth Avenue](#)** (at 40th

Street). **The Science, Industry and Business Library (SIBL)** has moved to the Stavros Niarchos Foundation Library Business Center. Some research materials have been relocated to the Schwarzman Building. 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](http://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>

Learn more. [nypl.org/midtown](http://nypl.org/midtown). To share feedback or ask questions, email [midtown@nypl.org](mailto:midtown@nypl.org).

### **Kips Bay Library (Grab & Go service available)**

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**

Some in-person activities are being held. See the Bryant Park Calendar.

**Bryant Park Tours.** Wednesdays 11am-12pm, [bryantpark.org/programs/park-tours](http://bryantpark.org/programs/park-tours)

Knowledgeable guides will share everything they know about the history of the park, how it operates today, and a range of other topics. Registration is encouraged, as tours are limited to 10 people. [eventbrite.com/e/bryant-park-public-tours-registration-16061264675](https://eventbrite.com/e/bryant-park-public-tours-registration-16061264675).

**Piano:** New York's finest playing ragtime, stride, and jazz, **Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays 12:30pm**, Upper Terrace.

**Tai Chi:** **Tuesdays 7:30am through September 29**, Fountain Terrace

**Chinese Ribbon Dancing:** **Thursdays at 10am through October 1**

and more.

Bryant Park is located between 40th-42nd Street, and between 5th & 6th Avenue, behind the Library.

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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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