

The City of New York Manhattan Community Board 8

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Street Activity Permit Office (SAPO) - You may now apply online for street fairs, block parties and festivals. Applicants can submit online applications at https://nyceventpermits.nyc.gov. SAPO will no longer accept paper applications. All applicants should be aware that the deadlines for applications submission remain unchanged as do the rules and regulations governing the SAPO permitting process. For more information, call 212-788-2403 or visit https://www.nyc.gov/html/cau/html/street permitting/permit and events.shtml.

NYS Office of Parks, Recreation & Historical Preservation Riverbank State Park presents the 20th Annual College Fair. Save this date! Saturday, March 4, 2017, 12 Noon – 4:00PM, Riverbank State Park, 145th Street & Riverside Drive, Manhattan. Free Admission. Open to the next generation of Middle and High School students seeking to pursue a degree from a Junior, Senior College or Trade School including Masters' programs. 60-plus national colleges and universities represented. Free workshops in Admissions Prep, SAT, financial aid, careers in medicine, and more. For additional information please contact: Cultural Department 212-694-3634 or 3656. Guest host, Doctor Bob Lee.

<u>NYPD</u> - The <u>19th Precinct Community Council</u> will hold its monthly meeting on **Monday**, **March 6**th at 7PM at the 19th Precinct, 153 East 67th Street, 3rd floor. Refreshments by Butterfield Market. For more information call: Community Affairs Office: 212-452-0613. Email address: <u>info_19th_Pct@aol.com</u>. Facebook: <u>www.facebook.com/19thpctcc</u> Twitter: @NYPD19PCT

NYS Assembly Member Rebecca A. Seawright is hosting Mobile Mammography Free Screening Mammograms for Eligible Women on Thursday, March 9, 2017, at Assembly Member Seawright's District Office, 1365 First Avenue, NYC 10021 (Between 73rd/74th Streets). Appointments are necessary and start at 9a.m. Please call 1-800-564-6868. ALL insurance plans accepted. Co-payments and deductibles are waived. FREE for uninsured women 40 and older who have not had a mammogram in the past year. For more information about this or any state or local issue, contact Assembly Member Seawright's District Office at 212-288-4607 or SeawrightR@nyassembly.gov Funded by Cancer Services Program of Manhattan and Judges and Lawyers Breast Cancer Alert.

<u>Upper Green Side</u> SHRED-A-THON! Pre-Ides of March Edition! All those yellowing, moldy docs of yours? Tax forms? Checks? Get 'em industrial-grade shredded and for FREE! Saturday, March 11th, 2017, 10am – 2pm, 82nd Street Greenmarket, 82nd Street Between First & York! PLUS Compost Collection! PLUS Eye glasses, corks, batteries & cords! Thanks to Council Members Garodnick and Kallos for their generous grants & sponsor Assembly Member Seawright! http://uppergreenside.org/

The East 79 Street Neighborhood Association will meet Thursday, March 16, at 6:00pm at UPPER EAST SIDE REHABILITATION & NURSING CENTER, 211 E. 79 Street, Third Avenue. Agenda: 19 PRECINCT POLICE REPORT on Neighborhood Safety including vehicle, bike and pedestrian accident stats. ELECTED OFFICIALS/REPS UPDATES AND REPORTS. GUEST SPEAKER: To Be Announced; Free and Open to the Public.

<u>Assembly Member Rebecca Seawright</u> Please join us for the 3rd Annual Women's History Month celebration on **Thursday, March 16, 2017** at 6:30PM at the Regina Peruggi Room, Marymount Manhattan College, 331 East 71st Street between 2nd and 3rd Avenues. RSVP's accepted at 212-288-4607 or seawrightr@nyassembly.gov

<u>NYC Parks</u> - Become a **NYC Parks Lifeguard!** Sign up now for a great summer job in 2017. Qualifying tests have begun. For more information, testing dates, and locations, **visit nyc.gov/parks or call 311**. Men and women wanted. Must be 16 years of age. Paid training if hired. Full-time seasonal work at NYC beaches and pools. Minimum starting salary approximately \$15.00/hour.

<u>82nd Street Greenmarket</u>, Year Round Green Market on 82nd Street between First and York, 9am-2pm; Compost and Clothes Collection – 9am-1pm. Our city's most successful small market with its all-star line-up of Bread Alone, Valley Shepherd Creamery (yogurt and cheese), American Pride Seafood, Ballard Honey, Samascott, Gajeski,, Rising Sun (grass-fed beef), Alewife (specialty produce), Cherry Lane, Old Mother Hubbert (dairy, milk and eggs), Green Meadows (mushrooms), Hudson Valley Duck and Sikking (gorgeous cut flowers) Farms. Plus, most warm-weather Saturdays, there's live acoustical music and Master Knife Sharpener Barbara Hess tabling to tend to your cutlery. Drop off those dead batteries, cords, corks, phones, cartridges and old eye glasses at the Compost Table, as well!

Gray Matters is an advisory and consulting group whose members have professional experience in finance, real estate, law, marketing, medicine, education, government and architecture. Their advice and skills are offered free to community-based not-for-profit organizations in the New York City area. We work with Executive and Board leadership of NY area-based nonprofit organizations of all sizes to help them address their strategic and operational problems and to plan for growth or restructuring. There is no set structure for our services. We work with your organization for as long as we mutually feel we can be of use, and with as many Gray Matters members as are needed to address your issues. We invite you to visit www.graymattersnyc.org to see who we are and learn more about the types of organizations we have helped and the kinds of services we have provided. Write us at info@graymattersnyc.org briefly describing your specific need or needs and indicate how and when we should contact you.

<u>LawHelp/NY</u> (www.LawHelp.org/NY) is an online tool for helping low-income New Yorkers solve their legal problems. The site provides free, user-friendly resources that supply critical legal information in fifteen areas of law (such as family, housing and immigration), and referral information to free legal aid programs. With a Spanish mirror site (www.ayudalegalny.org), LiveHelp (an online chat service in English and Spanish that helps visitors find legal information), and resources in 35 languages — LawHelp.org/NY is the first line of defense for vulnerable New Yorkers, especially immigrants, Hispanics and limited English proficient residents facing legal problems. LawHelp/NY has seen a dramatic upsurge in usage during the recession. In 2011, the site was visited 451,025 times. LawHelp/NY runs the Training and Information Statewide! (TIPS) program which conducts community outreach throughout the state.

<u>Legal Information for Families Today (LIFT)</u> Family Legal Center offers free workshops, legal information and social work services to parents and grandparents involved in child support, custody, and visitation cases. All services are offered in English and Spanish at 350 Broadway, Room 400. For more information, please call (646) 613-9633 or visit www.LIFTonline.org.

<u>Hunter Helpers</u> - Need a babysitter? A tutor for your child? Someone to walk your dog during the day? If so, consider hiring a Hunter student. <u>Hunter Helpers</u> is a service that matches up Hunter College students with residents in the neighborhood who need a helping hand. For more information, visit their website - http://www.hunter.cuny.edu/hunterhelpers

The Day Care Council of New York, Inc. is a not-for-profit organization that provides families with child care information in all five boroughs of New York City, particularly infant and young toddler care. They offer **free** information and guidance in choosing day care, family care, Head Start, after-school programs, nanny services, summer camps, group family care and other child care concerns. For more information, please call Jon Pinkos at 212-206-7818 x114 or via email jpinkos@dccnyinc.org.

<u>Crime Victim Services</u> is a non-profit program, designed to aid and compensate innocent victims of crime who meet certain criteria. The program is free of charge. For more information, please call Teresa Navarro at 212-585-6142 or 6281.

Manhattan Community Board 8 strongly encourages you to contact us with your concerns or questions about issues affecting you and your neighbors. If you know of anyone who would like to receive our monthly mailing via standard mail or electronically, please encourage him or her to contact the board office at 212-758-4340 or info@cb8m.com.