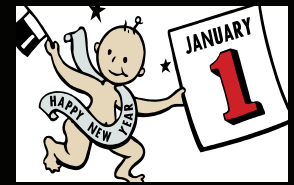




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Monthly Community Board #4 Meeting

Hope Gardens Multi-Service Center
195 Linden Street (Corner Wilson Avenue), Brooklyn, NY 11237
Wednesday, January 19, 2011 / 6:00 PM

Public Hearing Item(s)

1. NYC Department of Health-"Adoptable Bodega" - Oscar Heath
2. NYC Food & Fitness—Sharon Wong

Regular Board Meeting

Agenda:

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| 1. First Roll Call | 7. Recommendations |
| 2. Acceptance of Agenda | 8. Old Business |
| 3. Acceptance of Previous Meeting's Minutes | 9. New Business |
| 4. Chairperson's Report: | 10. Announcements (1.5 minutes only) |
| Introduction of Elected Officials (Representative) | 11. Second Roll Call |
| 5. District Manager's Report | 12. Adjournment |
| 6. Committee Reports: | |
| • Arts & Culture | |
| • Health, Hospitals & Human Services | |

83rd Precinct Community Council Meeting
Tuesday, January 18, 2011
480 Knickerbocker Avenue
corner Bleecker Street
(Muster Room—6:30PM)

The Next CEC 32 Meeting
Thursday, January 20, 2011
P.S. 274
800 Bushwick Avenue
6:00PM-Working Session
7:00PM-Public Sessions

Kindergarten Admissions

For Students Entering New York City Public Schools in September 2011

Who is eligible?

- Children born in 2006 who reside in New York City

How can families apply?

- Visit your zoned school and other schools where your child is eligible for admission
- Provide the following documents:
Your child's birth certificate or passport
Proof of residence (two documents)

Key Dates in 2011

January 10-March 4

Families submit applications at schools.

March 21-March 25

Schools notify families about assignment offers.

March 28-April 15

Pre-registration at schools.

For more information about kindergarten admissions, please call (718) 935-2009 or visit

www.nyc.gov/Schools/ChoicesEnrollment/Elementary

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POSTAL SERVICE

2011

You don't have to Travel far to Travel.

Start your passport application process here!

- Sunday, February 6, 2011 - Williamsburg Station Post Office, 263 South 4th Street, Brooklyn, NY 11211-9997, 9:00am-3:00pm
- Sunday, March 6, 2011 - Canarsie Station Post Office, 102-01 Flatlands Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11236-9997, 9:00am-3:00pm
- Sunday, April 3, 2011 - Parkville Station Post Office, 6618 20th Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11204-9997, 9:00am-3:00pm
- Sunday, May 1, 2011 - Cadman Plaza Post Office, 271 Cadman Plaza East, Brooklyn, NY 11201-9997, 9:00am-3:00pm
- Sunday, June 5, 2011 - Kensington Station Post Office, 419 McDonald Avenue, Brooklyn, NY 11218-9997, 9:00am-3:00pm

You will need the following articles to apply:

- Passport Application (available at the event and on usps.com/passport)
- Proof of U.S. Citizenship
- Proof of identity
- Two Passport Photos (may be purchased the day of event)

Passport Fees

	Passport Fee	Execution Fee	Total Fee
Age 16 and Over	\$110	\$25	\$135
Under age 16	\$80	\$25	\$105

Visit usps.com/passport for passport info and forms

Department of Transportation

Beginning January 3, 2011 meter rates will begin to be changed with an estimated completion date of June 30th, 2011. Rates will change as follows:

- Where passenger and commercial parking rates at muni-meters in Manhattan south of 86th Street are \$2.50 per hour they will increase to \$3 per hour.
- Where passenger parking rates at other metered locations, citywide, are \$.25 for 20 minutes they will increase to \$.25 for 15 minutes.

www.nyc.gov/dot



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Department of Homeless Services



HOPE 2011

THE NYC STREET SURVEY

Just one night of your time will help us collect vital information that is used by outreach teams to help homeless people leave the streets for a better life.

On Monday, January 31, 2011, the NYC Department of Homeless Services will conduct the **Homeless Outreach Population Estimate (HOPE)**. We need thousands of volunteers to canvass parks, subways, and other public spaces to count the number of people living unsheltered.

Anyone 18 years old or older who shares our commitment to helping the homeless of New York City is encouraged to volunteer. We will provide you with all the training you will need on the night of the survey.

FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO REGISTER TO VOLUNTEER go to www.nyc.gov/dhs or call 311

Help Fight Poverty...

By Strengthening New York

Join the Financial Coaching Corps

As a Financial Coach, you can volunteer to assist New Yorkers in developing the skills needed to manage and gain financial stability

Many low-wage families and individuals will not accomplish one of their major life goals, such as, saving for emergencies, furthering their education, making a major purchase, or buying a home.

The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program is recruiting volunteers age 55 or older to work one-on-one with low-wage individuals and families on self-selected areas of financial literacy. Training begins February 2011.

**To obtain additional information, please call Reyes Irizarry at (212) 614-5419, or Yvette Rennie at (212) 614-5558
Community Service Society
Fighting Poverty Strengthening New York**

New York City Department for the Aging

Are you 55 years or older?

Apply for Title V program and Discover new employment opportunities

Senior Employment Training Center offers:

Computer Skills

- Introduction to Computer
- Microsoft Word Basics
- Microsoft Excel Basics
- Internet & E-mail Basics

Personal Care Aide

In just 4 weeks, you can become Certified Personal Care Aide (PCA)

PCA Courses are offered in : English, Spanish and Chinese

Customer Service

Gain the necessary skills and confidence to provide professional Customer Service in a diverse industry setting.

Minimum requirement:

- Must be 55 years of age or over
- Must meet income eligibility
- Available to accept employment

For information call 311

Ask for Senior Employment Services

Or call us at 212-442-1355/56

ACCESS FOR WOMEN

Building Maintenance/Handyman Training

Course No. HRX 200 100 hours of instruction

Saturday, 9am-5pm February 26, 2011-June 25, 2011

FEES: \$1,750 for Instruction only

Additional \$750 for Placement (if desired)

(For Women and Men)

An intensive hands-on course provides entry-level preparation in building maintenance and repair for handyman and maintenance workers. The course is taught in a well-equipped construction technology lab at the college and provides real work projects in multi-unit building maintenance. Topics include: (1) plaster and sheetrock walls-wood and steel framing, taping and joint compounding, basic repairs and building codes; (2) common plumbing problems; (3) electrical circuitry-switches, receptacles, fuses, circuit breakers and lighting; (4) doors-installing and servicing hinges and locks, and weatherizing (5) ceramic tiling (6) wood flooring, and (7) blueprint reading. A certificate is awarded upon completion of the course.

Registration will be open December 15th—February 19th, Fridays 2:30-5:00 and Saturdays, 11:00 a.m.—12:30 p.m. Call 718-552-1134 or 718-552-1132.