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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 http://www.nyc.gov/html/cau/html/street_permitting/permit_and_events.shtml.

East 79th Street Neighborhood Association will meet on **Thursday, September 8, 2011** at 6:00PM, City University of New York (CUNY), 535 East 80th Street, (East End Avenue) First Floor Board Room. Agenda: 19th Precinct Police Report on Neighborhood Safety; Discussion of Plans for New Adult Space at John Jay Park; Brief CERT Update; Elected Officials/Reps Reports. **All meetings are free and open to the public.**

The Yorkville Chapter of AARP will hold their next monthly meeting on **September 8, 2011**, at Immanuel Lutheran Church, 1296 Lexington Avenue between 87th and 88th Street, at 1PM. Meetings are held on the second Thursday of each month except for July and August, and include speakers addressing health, community, safety, social, and economic issues. Refreshments are served, and all seniors are welcome to become members and get involved in Chapter projects. This meeting's speaker will be a representative from the Yorkville 85th Street Firehouse in our community. For more information, call: 917-573-3296.

Recycle-O-Rama-Fall Edition Third Avenue Fair, between 83rd and 84th St., **Saturday, September 10, 2011** from 10am-4pm. What do WeRecycle (electronics), ProShred (paper shredding), Wearable Collections (clothes), Friends of the Esplanade, Solar One BEAM and UGS (and likely more) add up to? The Third Avenue Fair's first Green Block that's what! As always, we'll also be accepting batteries, #5 plastic, cords, DC/DVDs, eye glasses, corks and Britta filters. Remember, we define electronics as: Computers (laptops & desktops, servers, mainframes); Monitors; Printers, scanners, fax machines, copiers; Network devices (routers, hubs, modems, etc.); Peripherals (keyboards, mice, cables, etc.); Components (hard drives, CD-ROMs, circuit boards, power supplies, etc.); TVs, VCRs, & DVD Players; Audio-visual equipment; Cell phones, pagers, PDAs; Telecommunication (phones, answering machines, etc.) And NO appliances please!

The East 83rd/84th Street Block Association and the Yorkville Historian will hold the tenth Anniversary Memorial event of the World Trade Center Disaster on Sunday, **September 11, 2011** where nine of our firefighters were lost from the Yorkville Firehouse on 85 Street between Lexington and Third Avenues. A large triptych panel will be on display at the firehouse depicting the nine memorial free form rocks, found in woods, which were planted in 2001, by the Block Association within its 16 blocks boundaries. There will also be an album on view, showing the cooperative effort with the fire house, and how the project is still kept alive. Maps will be given out all day to passersby wishing to pay their respects, so they can visit the memorial sites at the 9 buildings which have been maintaining them.

The 19th Precinct Community Council will hold its Community Council Meeting on **Monday, September 12, 2011**, at 7:00pm at the 19th Precinct, 153 East 67th Street (between Lexington and Third Avenues). For more information, contact the 19th Precinct Community Affairs at 212-452-0613 or lynch19ca@aol.com.

The Annual German/American Steuben Parade will take place on Saturday, **September 17, 2011**, rain or shine. A 4-course banquet is held at the Hilton the night before. This year twenty eight groups will be coming from Switzerland, Austria and Germany as well as groups from across the US. Shortly before that a free, magnificent Mass is held in St. Patrick's Cathedral, where all the groups and bands, gather in their costumes before they are ready to march to 86th Street. The entire parade will be aired on all our PBS stations. After the Parade there is a big Oktoberfest in Central Park with lots of good beer, food, and ethnic entertainment. Anyone interested in marching with a group is more than welcome. For further information call 212/249-0125 or email kaj133@aol.com.

Lenox Hill Hospital will have a free Cholesterol Screening and Heart Health event on **Tuesday, September 20, 2011** from 10:00am to 2:00pm, Lenox Hill Hospital, 131 East 76th Street (between Park and Lexington Avenues) Einhorn Auditorium. Come out and have your cholesterol levels checked; watch healthy demonstration and learn tips to keep your heart health.

The 92nd STREET GREENMARKET 92nd Street and First Avenue, **Open Sundays**, 9am – 5pm. American Seafood, Stannard Farms, Meredith's Bakery, Norwich Meadows, the Gonzales and Phillips Farms will all be with us this season.

Legal Information for Families Today (LIFT) 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.

Need a babysitter? A tutor for your child? Someone to walk your dog during the day? If so, consider hiring a Hunter student. **Hunter Helpers** 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 www.hunter.cuny.edu/babysitting

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.

Crime Victim Services 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.