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PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THE COMMUNITY BOARD 8 OFFICE IS CHANGING ITS E-MAIL ADDRESS TO SERVE YOU MORE EFFICIENTLY. PLEASE NOTE THE E-MAIL ADDRESS IS info@cb8m.com

The 3-1-1 Citizen Service Initiative is available 24 hours a day/7 days a week. The system has been set up for all New Yorkers to lodge complaints by dialing 3-1-1. Remember to get a reference number for your complaint. If you have any problems with this system please contact the board office as we continue to work with the Mayor's office regarding this service.

The NYC Police Department is continuing to recruit qualified men and women. Filing for the upcoming Police Officer examination will commence on October 6th and conclude on December 17th. For more information contact the board office or call 3-1-1.

The 19th Precinct Community Council will meet on **Monday, November 1st** at 7:00 PM, at the Park East Synagogue, 168 East 68th Street. For more information, call the 19th Precinct Community Affairs at 212-452-0613.

The East 79th Street Neighborhood Association will meet on **Tuesday, November 9th** at 7:30 PM, at City University of New York (CUNY), 535 East 80th Street, (corner of East End Avenue), First Floor Board Room. **Please Note time and location change for this meeting only.** Agenda: Police and TLC updates; Special Guest Speaker State Senator Liz Krueger; Brief update from Elected Officials. **All meetings are free and open to the public.**

The 86th Street Merchants/Residents Association will meet on **Thursday, November 18th** at Maz Mezcal Restaurant, 316 East 86th Street (First-Second) at 9:00AM. Refreshments will be served. **All meetings are free and open to the public.**

United Federation of Teachers invites you to attend the 7th Annual Citywide Parent Conference on **Saturday, November 6th**, from 8:00AM to 3:00PM, the New York Sheraton Hotel and Towers, (52nd Street and 7th Avenue). Admission is free. For more information call 212-598-9205.

Lenox Hill Hospital will host a free lecture for the community entitled "The Challenge of Preventing Heart Disease" on **Monday, November 8th** at 6:30 PM, Einhorn Auditorium, 131 East 76th Street. For more information, call 212-434-2980 or visit www.lenoxhillhospital.org

The Church of the Heavenly Rest and Carnegie Hill/Yorkville CSA are sponsoring an electronic waste recycling day on **Tuesday, November 9th**, from 3:30PM to 7:00PM, at 90th Street and Fifth Avenue. The following material will be accepted: working and non-working computers; monitors; printers; scanners; keyboards; mice; cables; cell phones and pagers (No microwaves, toasters, stereo equipment or TV's). For more information contact the Lower Eastside Ecology Center at 212-477-4022.

The Lighthouse International presents "A Toast to My Favorite Things", auction, wine and food tasting on **Wednesday, November 17th**, from 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM, at 111 East 59th Street, (between Lexington and Park Avenues). Admission is \$100. The proceeds from this event will help support Lighthouse International's Music School and VisionConnection, the accessible internet portal for people who are blind or partially sighted. For more information contact Wendy Maurice at 212-821-9760, email wmaurice@lighthouse.org or Shari Harel at 212-821-9558, email sharel@lighthouse.org.

East 91st Street Marine Transfer Station Rally will be held on **Saturday, November 20th** at Asphalt Green. A time has yet to be determined. For more information visit www.graciepointcc.org.

Resources for Children with Special Needs, Inc. presents 2004-2005 free training series for families and professionals needing services for children with disabilities. For more information, call Gary Shulman at 212-677-4650, via email gshulman@resourcesnyc.org, or visit the website www.resourcesnyc.org.

MetroCard Bus: Add value to or purchase any MetroCard at this mobile unit. If you have questions about the MetroCard or the MetroCard Bus call (212) 638-7622 or visit www.mta.info.

Court Appointed Special Advocates, Inc. (CASA-NYC) is a non-profit organization that relies on community volunteers to advocate on behalf of foster care children in New York City. CASA's mission is to help children grow up in safe, permanent and loving homes. For more information contact Pamela Geraghty, Advocate Director, at 212-334-4010 or via email pgeraghty@case-nyc.org.

Manhattan Community Program offers a variety of services to adults of stranger crime, sexual assault and domestic violence. For more information call 212-316-2100 ext. 10.

Watch Community Board 8's cable television show on Channel 34 (Time Warner), the first Thursday of every month at 8:30 PM and the fourth Tuesday of every month at 7:00 PM. Detailed information regarding programming can be found on our website at www.cb8m.com

Major Street Fairs in Community Board 8M

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Madison Avenue Fund for Children

Madison Avenue between East 57th and East 86th Streets

Manhattan Community Board 8 strongly encourages you to contact us with your concerns or questions about issues affecting you and your neighbors. Bicycle riding on sidewalks, potholes, defective streetlights, noise, transit service, tree planting, movie/TV filming, and public pay telephones are just some of the issues with which our office deals on a daily basis. Street closing applications should be requested from Community Board 8 as soon as possible to reserve future dates, 90 days are required for processing. 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.