

Greenwich Club

F O R S I N G L E S

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Newsletter

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Greenwich Club is a fellowship of and for unmarried adults living in Fairfield, Westchester and surrounding counties, sponsored by Christ Church Greenwich. Members are offered an opportunity to work and play together, to become better acquainted with each other and with themselves. To join, please download an application from our website (www.GreenwichClub.org). Annual dues are \$45.



Summer Bash Porch Party – Oak Hills Restaurant on the Green – a beautifully balmy summer evening. Coordinators: Andrea Anthony, Ellen Murdock

Calendar — For details see the weekly e-blasts or the current newsletter on the website

Day	Date	Event	Day	Date	Event	Day	Date	Event
Mon	July 3	Dining at Zody's	Mon	July 24	Dining at Trips	Sun	Sept. 3	Polo at Greenwich Polo Club. (See pg. 3)
Mon	July 10	Dining at Trips	Mon	July 31	Dining at Zody's			
Mon	July 17	Dining at Zody's	Mon	Aug 7	Dining at Trips	Mon	Sept. 4	BBQ at Lew's home, Norwalk (See pg. 4)
Sun	July 23	Greenwich Hike w/Hiking Group: Lunch at Loraine's home (See pg. 4)	Mon	Aug 14	Dining at Zody's	Wed	Sept. 13	Opening Fall G.C. meeting
			Mon	Aug 21	Dining at Trips			
			Mon	Aug 28	Dining at Zody's			

BOARD CORNER

Welcome to 3 new Greenwich Club Board Members. Maryellen Vassallo and Ellen Murdock are GC “Acting” Co-Presidents. Ellen is also GC Administrator; Maryellen is Treasurer. Andrew Schillizzi is Social Chair.

A special Thank You!! to **Gill Hall** for serving as President for the past 10 months.



Andrew Schillizzi relates his background: He was employed for 20 years by MERCEDES BENZ USA as general manager. He served as general manager of the following automotive dealerships: Mercedes Benz Elizabeth NJ, Mercedes Benz Greenwich, Cadillac of Palm Beach, and Jaguar of White Plains. Andrew enjoys tennis, pickleball, fishing and the beach. He raised two wonderful children, Kaitlyn & Ryan. He lives in Stamford and is “honored to be on the Board of Greenwich Club.”

Ellen Murdock relates her background: She worked for PepsiCo/Pepsi for 16 years with a final position of pension analyst. She then attended Manhattanville College to obtain her Masters in Education. Ellen taught for 22 years in the Greenwich School District at both Hamilton Avenue and Cos Cob Schools. In addition, she was the elementary school principal for the summer school program for six years. After retiring four years ago, Ellen started an LLC that provides at-home administrative support for clients. Ellen enjoys a variety of activities that include: volunteering, hiking, traveling, the arts, being an elected representative on the Greenwich RTM, and spending time with family and friends. She lives in Cos Cob.



Maryellen Vassallo relates her background: For the last 14+ years she has worked for Blue Orchid Capital (Fund of funds) in Greenwich as “a managing director and head of investor relations.” Prior to that Maryellen held numerous positions in the financial sector and worked many years in NYC. Maryellen also sits on the Board of a 501(c)3 Foundation and enjoys tennis, fly fishing, the Greenwich Club, and other activities too numerous to mention. Maryellen attended NYU and Arizona State University and is a CT Notary Public. She lives in Cos Cob.

MONDAY NIGHT DINING 6:30 PM

Trips

348 Hope St., Stamford, CT
203-324-2600

DATES: July 10, 24, Aug. 7, 21

Zody's 19th Hole

E. Gaynor Brennan Golf Course,
451 Stillwater Ave., Stamford, CT

DATES: July 3, 17, 31, Aug. 14, 28

DISCOUNT: GC members enjoy a 10% discount on several menu items.

GREENWICH POLO CLUB! Sunday September 3

EAST Coast OPEN, Greenwich CT
Gates open at 1:00 PM
Match starts at 3:00 PM
Event ends 5:00 PM
Tickets are \$40 per car.

We were only able to purchase tickets for 3 cars (so we can only accommodate 12 people). We will carpool. At 12:30 meet at Christ Church parking lot (near Temple). There will be 4 people in each car. Total cost per person will be \$10. This enables you to watch the matches at ground level and to visit the on-site Polo Museum.

Tickets will be given to whomever sends the first 12 checks. If there is bad weather, the match will be moved to the next weekend.



This is a "Greenwich Club Members Only" event.

Coordinator: Andrew Schillizzi. If questions, email Andrew at schillizzi@yahoo.com
 Please mail checks, made out to Greenwich Club, to: Maryellen Vassallo, 98 Valley Road #15, Cos Cob, CT 06807

It's Summertime...and the livin' is easy...

FIREWORKS:

For details on Fireworks (entertainment info, free or fees) visit each town's website.

- June 30** Stamford: Cummings Park (rain date July 1)
- July 1** Greenwich: Greenwich Point and Binney Park (rain date July 2)
- July 1** Darien: Darien High School (rain date July 2)
- July 3** Westport: Shuttle Longshore (rain date July 5)
- July 3** Norwalk: Calf Pasture Beach (rain date July 5)



GREENWICH SUMMER CONCERT SERIES:

Wednesdays, 7:15-8:45, Roger Sherman Baldwin Park (Raindates: The following Thursday)



- July 12** Billy and the Showmen – R&B
- July 19** Squeaky Clean – 1950 Classic Rock
- July 26** Gunsmoke – Country
- August 2** Bearcats – Jazz
- August 9** Souled Again – Motown
- August 16** The Short Bus – Pop Rock Covers
- August 23** Ticket to Ride – Beatles

MISCELLANEOUS:

- June 15-July 2** Shakespeare on the Sound, Pinkney Park, Rowayton (Macbeth)
- July 6-July 16** Shakespeare on the Green, Sterling Farms Golf Course, Stamford (Merry Wives of Windsor)
- July 12 approx.. 7:30** The Bookends Band, (HOT music!), Waveny Park, New Canaan
- July 21, 7:30-9:30** Barnhart-Midiri Quartet, Branford Elks Lodge, 158 S. Montowese Street, Branford, CT 06405 Open, reserved seating. \$30 per person. Call 203-208-1481 to purchase tickets. Plenty of parking. Open bar, no food served
- July 30, 1:00-6:00** Bierfest, Harugari German-American Club (Singing, Schuhplattlers) - Albert Walz Pavilion, 66 Highland St., West Haven, \$5.00 per person Harugari.org 203-933-9930



HIKING

For the monthly hiking schedule, directions and other information go to: www.thehikinggroup.com Meetup site: <http://www.meetup.com/The-Hiking-Group-Ct-NY>

* **SAVE THE DATE! Sunday July 23**

Come hike in Greenwich with the Hiking Meetup Group. After, have lunch at Loraine Salerno's home in Greenwich. Time and info will be sent via eblast. Info: imsalerno@hotmail.com

* **SAVE THE DATE! Monday, Sept. 4, Labor Day**

Barbeque at Lew Clark's home in Norwalk, CT. Time and info will be sent via eblast and in September Newsletter. All are welcome.



BOOK CLUB

The Book Group meets on the fourth Thursday of the month at 1:30 p.m. at Ann Sexton's house, 57 Drum Hill Lane, Stamford, CT. Ann is a former librarian, and all books selected for discussion are of interest to both men and women. New members are always welcome. For more information, call Ann Sexton, 203-968-8090.

The FREE FRIDAY FILM is on hiatus for the summer and will return in September.

DIRECTIONS

Trips, 348 Hope St., Stamford, CT

From I-95 north: Exit 9, left at light and left at second light, then right onto Courtland Ave./CT 106. Follow to end, turn left onto Glenbrook Road, stay straight to Church Street (with church on your right). Turn right onto Hope Street. 368 is on the left. From I-95 south: Exit 9, right on U.S. 1/East Main, 1st right onto Courtland Ave./CT 106, follow directions above.

Zody's 19th Hole, E. Gaynor Brennan Golf Course, Stamford

From I-95 north: Take exit 6/Harvard Ave. At end of ramp, go straight one block. Turn left at next light onto West Ave., go straight across Post Road, then bear left around the island, turning onto Stillwater Ave. Continue on Stillwater about 1/8 mi. On your right you will see the golf course. Turn into parking lot. From I-95 south: turn right off of exit 6 onto West Ave., then follow the directions above.

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