

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.



Come Celebrate ST. PATRICK'S DAY!

WHERE: Zody's 19th Hole
at the E. Gaynor Brennan Golf Course
ADDRESS: 451 Stillwater Ave.
Stamford, CT 06902

WHEN: Thursday, March 17th, 2016
We will start promptly at 6:30 p.m.

You will find yourselves in a very festive atmosphere, with fun-loving Irish laughter, and an abundance of merriment as well as good food and drinks. Zody's is a popular venue, and therefore space is limited. We do not want to turn away people as was necessary last year. Everyone enjoyed themselves, and so we expect to fill those 20 seats quickly.

The menu will include Shepherd's Pie and Corned Beef and Cabbage, as well as Zody's regular menu (separate checks).



For current members only. RSVP required. Only 20 people accepted.

March Calendar - Greenwich Club

For details see the Weekly Eblasts or the current Newsletter on the website (www.greenwichclub.org)

Day	Date	Event
Wed	2	Early St. Patrick's Day Celebration (Church Library)
Mon	7	Dining at Trips, Stamford
Wed	9	Exercising with Glenda Blume (Parish Hall)
Mon	14	Dining at Zody's, Stillwater Ave., Stamford
Wed	16	NO MEETING
Thur	17	Celebrate St. Patrick's Day at Zody's!
Fri	18	Free Friday Film (Greenwich Library)
Mon	21	Dining at Trips, Stamford
Wed	23	60 Minutes: Open discussion on any topic
Mon	28	Dinner at Zody's, Stillwater Ave.
Wed	30	Dining Adventure - Asiana Cafe, Greenwich

See inside for details

Tech Tip

Have you ever misplaced the GC newsletter or email and you need to find directions or dates pronto? Not to worry ... the newsletters are posted monthly on our website so you can check event dates, info, and news. Or you can look back for info and photos in former editions for the past 24 months. **Here's how: 1. Go to: www.greenwichclub.org 2. Click "Newsletter Tab" on top of page 3. Click on month**



KICKOFF! SuperBowl 50: Denver Broncos 24 – Carolina Panthers 10. MVP Von Miller - LB, Broncos. A Members Only "Tail Gate" held at the "Barn" Club-house at Lyon Farms, Greenwich. ▼



BOARD CORNER

Hello! It's Winnie and Carolyn ... your Hospitality team! "Hospitality is a wonderful attribute, it is also an attitude."

It has been more than a year that we have coordinated and planned each month's first Wednesday for our social evening. By greeting you at the door, it has given us the opportunity to meet so many of you. With just a few minutes of chatter before we head for the snack table, we catch up on vacation plans, family activities, etc. It has been fun greeting you and making you feel welcome.

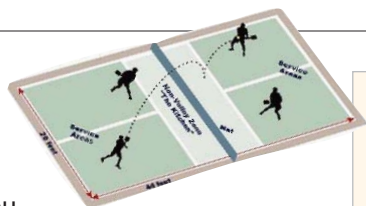
We are sending this message to encourage your participation to build our volunteer base by including as many members as possible to help with our social activities and weekly programs. Your ideas are always welcome.

Soon we will be planning our outdoor activities with concerts at the local parks and picnics at nearby beaches. If you have the inclination to jump in and help out, please let us know. We are most appreciative of your generous offers to give of your time in keeping with our hospitality goals in Greenwich club.

Next month we will inform you of a new 'sunshine club' idea which we plan to implement for our caring membership. 'Nothing matters except to have a happy heart'...warm wishes for St. Patricks Day and Easter too!!! P.S. the groundhog says 'early spring'!!!!

Winnie and Carolyn

Let's Play Pickleball!



Pickleball has gained steady popularity in the past few years.

It's a sport similar to tennis, but is played on a court 1/3 the size. A paddle is used and a plastic wiffle ball. It is played both indoors and outside and is especially appealing to "mature adults" because it is a ton of fun, good exercise, easier than tennis since one does not cover as much ground and it has a shorter learning curve.

For those interested in seeing what it is all about, on **April 2** we will visit a local Pickleball Tournament in Greenwich (no charge to watch). PBall is offered several times a week, day and night in Greenwich, Norwalk, Ridgefield, etc. It is popular in FL, AZ, OH, UT and 25 other states. If the game turns you on, Town of Greenwich offers Demo Days with instruction. But first come take a look and see for yourself if you might want to try it.

Details to come in April NEWSLETTER. For those who wish to get a "heads up", go to YouTube and search on Pickleball.

Here's one video illustrating the basics of the game. Check out all the action!

www.youtube.com/watch?v=YGGQk9H62Qo



Book Club

March Book Club meeting information will follow at a later date.

WELCOME TO NEW MEMBER BETTY STROLL OF WESTPORT!



Zody's 19th Hole

E. Gaynor Brennan Golf Course,
451 Stillwater Ave., Stamford, CT
DATES: March 14, March 28
DISCOUNT: GC members enjoy a 10% discount on several menu items.
COORDINATOR: Jay Kane, 203-661-9478

Trip's

348 Hope Street, Stamford, CT
203-324-2600; Reserved in the name of Greenwich Club
DATES: March 7, March. 21
COORDINATOR: Phyllis Sattar, psattar1@yahoo.com



WEEKLY WEDNESDAY DISCUSSION AND SOCIAL

7:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

NEW LOCATION: MEETINGS NOW HELD AT THE CHRIST CHURCH PARISH HOUSE LIBRARY ADJACENT TO THE FAMILY ROOM, 254 EAST PUTNAM AVE., GREENWICH, CT



March 2 Eat, Drink and Be Irish! Come help us celebrate St. Patrick's Day early... "Get your Green on!"....our leprechauns will be leaping. Please remember to bring an appetizer or beverage to share. If you forget, please contribute \$5 in the bucket. Time: 7:30-9:00 p.m. Location: Christ Church Parish House Library, 254 E Putnam Ave., Greenwich, CT.

March 9 Exercise with Glenda Blume, Silver Sneaker Program Advisor, who will talk about the importance of exercise for your health and the Silver Sneaker program. She will give a 45-minute exercise session. You should wear sneakers or comfortable rubber soled shoes and clothing you can move in for a work out. Location: **Christ Church Parish Hall (next to the big parking lot).**

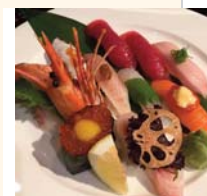


PLEASE NOTE: Health and Medical Recommendations: For your own safety, we recommend that you consult with a physician prior to attending this exercise class, especially if the following applies to you: over 48 years of age, a history of being a smoker, personal or family history of heart disease, high blood pressure, diabetes or other chronic illness, have had recent surgery or limited muscle skeletal problems.

March 16 NO MEETING

March 23 60 Minutes: Open discussion on any topic.

March 30 Dining Adventure: Asiana Cafe, Greenwich (Chinese, Thai, Japanese cuisine). Directions on pg 4.





Hiking

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

March 6, Squantz Pond, New Fairfield, CT (B+)
Meet: 11:00 AM, 249 Route 39, New Fairfield, Ct
Leader: George Hoffecker 203-273-2181

March 13, Hudson Highlands, Beacon, NY (B+)
Meet: 11:00 AM, 640 Wolcott Ave, Beacon, NY
Leader: Bill 914-263-3894

March 20, Greenwich Point, Greenwich, CT (C)
Meet: 10:30 AM, Shore Road, Old Greenwich, CT
Leader: Loraine Salerno 203-869-2515

March 27 Easter Sunday, No Hike

FREE FRIDAY FILM March 18 **The Trip**

TIME: 8:00 p.m.

PLACE: Greenwich Main Library,
Cole Auditorium, 101 West Putnam Ave.,
Greenwich



MEET IN LOBBY: 7:40 p.m. and sit together on left side of theater facing stage.

The Trip (2010 Britain) With Steve Coogan, Rob Brydon and directed by Michael Winterbottom. When Steve Coogan is asked by The Observer to tour and write about the best restaurants in England's Lake District, he envisions the perfect getaway with his beautiful girlfriend. When she backs out, he sets out with his best friend and the source of eternal aggravation, Bob Brydon. A comedy full of sly references, in-jokes, and endless hilarious impersonations. (108 min.)

COORDINATOR: Pat Daigle

DIRECTIONS

Asiana Cafe, 130 E. Putnam Ave., Greenwich (1,000 ft. West of Christ Church)

I-95 north: exit 3, Arch St., keep left toward the Greenwich Business District. Turn left onto Arch St., then stay straight to go left onto Sound View Drive. Turn right onto Field Point Rd., then take third left to stay on Field Point Rd., then slight right onto West Putnam Ave. 130 E. Putnam is on the right. I-95 south: exit 4, turn right onto Indian Field Rd. Take second left onto E. Putnam. 130 is on left just past Milbank Ave. **(Plenty of parking behind restaurant off of Milbank Ave.)**

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, CT

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 the parking lot. From I-95 south: turn right off of exit 6 onto West Ave., then follow the directions above.

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