



HellHooooo Roxbury!! Below is the current edition of our weekly Community Events listing for the week of February 18th . . . Enjoy!

Register Now For the Following Programs

Jr. Gaels Cheerleading and PomPoms

Cheerleading for girls currently in 2-7 grade; PomPoms are for 1st graders. Practice begins August 4th. Registration in-person only on 3/7, 3/12, 3/14, 3/24; times listed on Rec page at www.roxburynj.us. Cheer camp also available in July.

Spring Track Clinic - 1st/2nd Grade

This program is designed to introduce children in 1-2 grade to the track program. Season starts mid-March; practice will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays, with meets on Fridays. Coaches needed too! Register online or in-person at Roxbury Recreation. Children must be born in 2007 or later for this program. Fee: \$45; includes t-shirt.

Spring Track - Bantam, Midget & Youth

This program is for children currently in 2nd through 8th grade, born in 2006 or earlier, no experience necessary. Season starts mid-March; practice will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays, with most meets on Sunday afternoons. Coaches needed too! Register online or in-person at Roxbury Recreation. Fee: \$45; includes t-shirt.

Gymnastics, Inc.

Classes available beginning February 17th for six-week programs. Mommy-N-Me, ages 2-3 ½; Gymnastic Classes for 3-5 yr olds and 6 and older; Back Handspring Class for age 8 and older. Register by calling 973-252-4300. More info at www.gymnasticsincnj.com. Fee: 115 for six weeks.

Gym Ninja for Boys

Program for ages 7 through 12. Tuesdays, February 17-March 27, 7pm-8pm. Packed with acrobatics, martial arts, parkour, plus general strength and conditioning. Tons of fun! Register at Gymnastics Inc, 973-252-4300. More info at www.gymnasticsincnj.com. Fee: \$115 for six weeks.

Fun, Fitness & Friendship Class

Offered for kids in K-4 grade on Wednesdays, 4-5pm, beginning March 9th. Non-stop action includes Four Corners, Freeze Dance, and other games. Register in-person at Roxbury Recreation. Fee: \$55. More info at www.roxburynj.us

Roxbury Travel and Rec Spring Soccer

Registration for the Spring 2015 season is now open online at www.roxburysoccer.com. Registration is open to all children currently in K - 8th grade. Register now through Feb 18th for Travel and In-Town. Mites registration closes April 5th. Fee for Travel and In-Town is \$85, Mites (Kindergarten) is \$40. Email info@roxburysoccer.com with any questions.

Mini Mites Soccer

New FREE program for 4 years olds just starting to learn soccer. Six week sessions starting in April and run for one hour each. Must be age 4 by April 6, 2015. Register at www.roxburysoccer.com through April 6, 2015.

Roxbury Baseball

Registration for the Spring 2015 season is now open online at www.roxburybaseball.com. Season begins early April and runs through mid-June. For ages 4-15; placement based on birthday as of April 30, 2015.

Roxbury Softball

Registration for the Spring 2015 season is now open online at www.roxburysoftball.com. Program is for Kindergarten through 9th grade. Season begins early May and runs through mid-June.

Roxbury Recreation Summer Camps

Check out the many camps offered by Roxbury Recreation! Camp Capra, Day Camp, Teen Travel, PlayWell Lego Camp, Playground Program, and more. Visit the Recreation page at www.roxburynj.us for more info.

Upcoming Events & Activities

Date: Collecting Now!

Event: Roxbury Social Services in Need

Time: Open Mondays, Wed and Fridays 8am-1pm

Location: 72 Eyland Avenue, Succasunna

Description: Food Pantry is in dire need of hams/frozen lasagnas for Easter meals. They can be dropped off until March 27th. Thanks for your donations!

Date: Collecting Now!

Event: Items Needed for 11th Hour Rescue

Location: Bins at Roxbury Recreation and Town Hall

Description: Please donate pet items to support 11th Hour Rescue. Needed are dog/cat food, paper towels, newspaper, old towels, dish detergent, bleach, collapsible crates, garbage bags, dog/cat toys. Sponsored by Troop 6207 Silver Award.

Date: Accepting Now

Event: Roxbury Community Garden Applications Accepted

Location: 281 Eyland Avenue, Succasunna

Description: If you enjoy gardening and would like to join the Roxbury Community Garden we are now accepting applications. For further details please contact roxburygarden@gmail.com.

Date: Now through April 13, 2015

Event: Free Tax Assistance Available

Time: 10am to 2pm

Location: Roxbury Public Library

Description: AARP Tax-Aide will be providing free tax preparation assistance. Appointments may be scheduled on Mondays and Thursdays by calling the library at 973-584-2400, x501, or by stopping by the Reference desk. In case of inclement weather registrants should call the library to confirm their appointment.

Date: Wednesday, February 18, 2015

Event: Roxbury Area Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Meeting

Time: 11:30am-1:30pm

Location: Quality Inn, Route 46, Ledgewood

Description: All area business owners are welcome to attend. Our speaker will discuss important state and federal tax updates for businesses. For full information and to RSVP, visit <http://roxburynjchamber.org/event/luncheon-meeting-201502/>

Date: Saturday, February 21, 2015

Event: New Soccer Referee Certification Course

Time: 8am-4pm

Location: Roxbury Senior Center, 72 Eyland Ave, Succasunna

Description: Class will be offered to those ages 14 and older. Course is taught by the NJ Referee Committee. To register, please contact Stuart Marcus at marcus3@optimum.net. (Snow date will be Saturday, February 28th.)

Date: Tuesday, February 24, 2015

Event: Preventative Health Stroke Screening

Location: Senior Center, 72 Eyland Ave, Succasunna

Description: Life Line Screening has partnered with over 150 hospitals across the country and has screened nearly 8 million participants. These ultrasound screenings can help save a life. Pre-registration is required. Call 888-653-6450 for appointment. More info at www.lifelinescreening.com/community-partners

Date: Tuesday, February 24, 2015

Event: Roxbury Woman's Club

Time: 7:30pm

Location: Roxbury Senior Center, 72 Eyland Ave, Succasunna

Description: Come join us for our monthly meeting and stay for refreshments. This month's topic is "How Family Engagement is Changing for Schools" presented by Mrs. Ameerah Palacios, APR, MBA, Community Relations/Community School Director for Roxbury Public Schools. The Club's community activities and upcoming events are on Facebook, give us a 'like'. Call 973-584-8891 for further information.

Date: Wednesday, February 25, 2015 from

Event: 1st Roxbury Global Hi-5 Multi-Cultural Event

Time: 6pm-9pm

Location: Roxbury High School Dining Hall

Description: The goal of this family event is to bring together people for the purpose of enhancing multi-cultural awareness in Roxbury; all ages are invited to attend. Over 20 participants are hosting booths to offer some of the following: samples of the native cuisine, Irish and Greek dancers, a German choir, an appearance by Ben Franklin, and a children's craft table. Suggested donation of \$3.00 for adults. Snow date of March 11th. Please go to www.roxbury.org/globalhi-5 for more information or contact Marcia Cordeiro at mcordeiro@roxbury.org.

Date: Friday, February 27, 2015

Event: 6th Annual Fish and Chips Dinner

Time: 4:30pm-7:30pm

Location: Roxbury Fire Company #1, 122 Main Street, Succasunna

Description: Join the Fire Company #1 for dinner; chicken plates also available. Tickets are sold every Tuesday at Company #1, and at the door on the night of the event. Adults are \$16, children are \$10 per meal. Take-out meals are also available. Catering by Argyle Fish & Chip Restaurant, dessert by the Sweet Spot Bake Shoppe. Call Jerry at 973-945-9423 for more information.

Date: Saturday, February 28, 2015

Event: Free Guided Hike at Ice Age Trail

Time: 10am

Location: 12 Orben Drive, Landing

Description: Join the Trails Committee for a 1.5 mile hike, with beautiful views from the ridge line overlooking Mt. Arlington and Landing. Steep grades hiking to and from the summit. Parking available. Please register at www.hikerobury.org

Date: Wednesday, March 4, 2015

Event: Roxbury Area Chamber of Commerce Networking Event

Time: 5pm-7pm

Location: AAA Northwest, Roxbury Mall, Succasunna

Description: Multi Chamber free evening networking event. For full information and to RSVP, visit <http://roxburynchamber.org/event/business-after-hours-201503>

More Fun Stuff

Date: Saturday, March 7, 2015

Event: Roxbury High School Band's Winter Classic

Time: 4pm

Location: Roxbury High School, 1 Bryant Drive, Succasunna

Description: Competition of high school percussion groups and indoor color guard is open to the public, \$8 general admission and \$6 seniors/students. Percussion units compete first, followed by color guard programs. Category and caption awards announced at the end of the day. Concessions will be available, as well as 50/50 raffle and Candy/Air Grams. Sponsored by US Bands and hosted by RHSBPA and the RHS Instrumental Program. For more info visit www.roxburybands.org.

Date: Saturday, March 21, 2015

Event: SmartSitter Baby-Sitter Training

Time: 9am-3pm

Location: Senior Center, 72 Eyland Ave., Succasunna

Description: This hands on, safety based baby-sitter training program is designed to teach young people, ages 11 to 16, the many skills of becoming a great baby-sitter. Students receive a SmartSitter manual complete with family emergency forms, plus a SmartSitter certificate of completion. For more information call SmartSitter at (908) 303-6560. Registration form available on Recreation page at www.roxburynj.us

Saturday, March 28, 2015

Event: Free Guided Hike at Veterans Park Blue Trail

Time: 10am

Location: 45 Patricia Drive, Flanders

Description: A great 1.6 mile trail hike for kids! Slight elevation changes on a wide easement road. See if you can find the two dirt bikes in the trees along the trail. Please register at www.hikeroxbury.org

To submit your event, please send an email to Sandie DiDomenico at didomenicos@roxburynj.us with the date, event, time, location and brief description. This service is available for non-profit events. Thanks! :)