

Hellllooooo Roxbury!! Below is the current edition of our weekly Community Events listing for the week of March 25th ... Enjoy!

Register Now For the Following Programs

Roxbury Recreation Summer Camps

Give your kids a great summer opportunity to play with friends, learn new skills, visit new places, and enjoy the outdoors! Check out the many camps offered by Roxbury Recreation... Teen Travel, PlayWell Lego Camp, Playground Program, Pony Camps, Boys and Girls Basketball Camps, Baseball Camps, Wrestling Camp, Cheerleading Camp and more. Visit Recreation page at www.roxburynj.us for more info.

Girls Volleyball Clinics for Grades 5/6 and 7/8

Two levels offered; 5/6 grade on Mondays, and 7/8 grade on Wednesdays. Begins week of April 13, 4:30pm-5:45pm. Six sessions total. More info on Rec page at www.roxburynj.us. Fee: 70, includes t-shirt.

Spring Track Clinic - 1st/2nd Grade

Season starts mid-March; practice will be on Tuesdays and Thursdays, meets on Fridays. Coaches needed too! Register online or in-person at Roxbury Recreation. Children must be born in 2007 or later. Fee: \$45; includes t-shirt.

Spring Track - Bantam, Midget & Youth

Children currently in 2nd through 8th grade, born in 2006 or earlier, no experience necessary. Starts mid-March; practice on Tues & Thurs, meets on Sundays. Register online/ in-person at Roxbury Recreation. Fee: \$45; includes t-shirt.

Gymnastics, Inc.

Classes available beginning April 13th 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, April 14th-May 19th, 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.

Roxbury Mites Spring Soccer

Registration for the Spring 2015 season online at www.roxburysoccer.com. Registration is open to children currently in Kindergarten. Mites registration closes April 5th. Fee: \$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 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 5k Race

Register now for June 1st's race; starts at Eisenhower School. More info and register at www.roxbury5k.com.



Upcoming Events & Activities

Date: Collecting Now

Event: Franklin School PTA's Tricky Tray

Description: Franklin School's PTA is currently collecting donations for their tricky tray, scheduled for April 17th. More info at www.franklintrickytray.com

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. Deadline is end of June. 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: Now through May 1st

Event: Girls Lacrosse Fundraiser

Location: LaGratella's, Route 10, Ledgewood

Description: Spend \$30 for an in-house meal, and \$5 is donated to the Roxbury Girls Lacrosse program.

Date: Now through May 2, 2015

Event: Discount Hershey & Dorney Park Tickets

Description: Sale for Hershey tickets runs through March 29th for lowest prices; adults are \$36, children are \$30. Dorney Park tickets can be ordered until May 2nd for \$30 each. All tickets are good for the 2015 summer season. Fundraiser for RHS Music program. Visit www.roxburybands.org for more information or email rhsparktickets@gmail.com

Date: Wednesday, March 25, 2015

Event: Viewing of 'Kindness is Contagious' Documentary

Time: 7pm

Location: Bow Tie Cinemas, Succasunna

Description: This feature documentary film shows the benefits of kindness in life. The main question is: what is the nicest thing that anyone has done for you? Reserve your ticket at <https://gathr.us/screening/10095> ; once the minimum of 60 reservations has been met, the show can run. Tickets are \$11. Sponsored by Girl Scout Troop 224.

Date: Saturday, March 28, 2015

Event: Jack the Ripper Presentation

Time: 1pm

Location: Roxbury Public Library

Description: Jack the Ripper was one of the most infamous serial murder cases in the world. His identify is by far the most intriguing aspect of the murders. But within this mystery are countless other mysteries. Aspects of this case will be discussed by Dr. Mark R. Vogel, a clinical psychologist and self-confessed "Ripperologist". Registration is requested. To register call the library at 973-584-2400 ext. 501 or e-mail comments@roxburylibrary.org.

More Fun Stuff

Date: Sunday, March 29, 2015

Event: Spring Vendor Fair

Time: 9am-3pm

Location: Roxbury High School Cafeteria

Description: Over 60 vendors, crafters and businesses will be participating. Admission is free! Sponsored by the RHS Girls Lacrosse Program.

Date: Sunday, March 29, 2015

Event: Annual Easter Egg Hunt

Time: 12:30pm

Location: Succasunna United Methodist Church, 91 Main St., Succasunna

Description: FREE event with crafts, games, and an Easter Egg Hunt for ages 10 and under. Refreshments provided. Please bring a bag to collect your eggs. For more info, contact the church office at 973-584-7349 or office@sumcnj.org.

Date: Monday, March 30, 2015

Event: Planning Your Vegetable Garden

Time: 6:30pm

Location: Roxbury Public Library

Description: Master Gardener, Stan Nathanson will discuss the key issues and choices in planning, planting and caring for your garden. This program begins with advice on determining the best location and leads into seed selection, and takes you through all the tasks and issues for the entire growing season. Registration is requested. To register, call the library at 973-584-2400 ext. 501 or e-mail comments@roxburylibrary.org.

Date: Wednesday, April 1, 2015

Event: Girls Lacrosse Fundraiser

Time: 6pm-9pm

Location: Rita's Ice in Flanders

Description: Buy a delicious dessert, and support the RHS Girls Lacrosse Program!

Date: Thursday, April 2, 2015

Event: Support RHS mini-THON

Time: 3pm-11pm

Location: Black River Barn

Description: Fundraiser for the Four Diamonds Fund, supporting the fight against pediatric cancer. Proceeds will help cover medical bills and fund cancer research. Leave your receipt at the door after eating/drinking and a portion of the proceeds will go towards the Four Diamonds Fund.

Date: Thursday, April 2, 2015

Event: Senior Spaghetti Dinner-NEW DATE!

Time: 4:30pm-6:30pm

Location: Roxbury High School Cafeteria

Description: Roxbury seniors age 65+ are invited to a free spaghetti dinner, with music and dancing! More information available at www.roxbury.org/comschool



Date: Saturday, April 4, 2015

Event: Roxbury's Egg Hunt

Time: 10am

Location: Horseshoe Lake

Description: Over 2,000 eggs will be hidden! Egg hunts are for ages 3-5 and 6-9; bring a basket to carry the eggs. Bring a camera for pics with E.B. too! Find the sparkly egg for a grand prize. Hunt is planned for Imagination Station Playground for the 6-9 age group, and the Horseshoe Lake Baseball Field for the 3-5 age group.

Date: Tuesday, April 7, 2015

Event: Building Kidz Lego Robotics

Time: 1:15pm and 2:30pm

Location: Roxbury Public Library

Description: Work in groups to build a LEGO project, and then learn how to create a program on the computer to make movement and sounds. You'll be amazed when you see your 3D project move for the first time! For Kindergarten – 2nd grade (1:15pm) and 3rd – 5th grade (2:30pm). Registration is required. To register call the library at 973-584-2400 ext. 503 or go to www.roxburylibrary.ticketleap.com

Date: Saturday, April 11, 2015

Event: Comedy Hypnotist Show

Time: 7pm

Location: Roxbury High School Auditorium

Description: Enjoy an entertaining show while helping out two Roxbury families in need for this fundraising event. Hosted by the RHS Interact Club. To add to the description: Bill Pettek is performing! Tickets are \$10 in advance, and \$12 the night of. To purchase tickets online, you can go to <http://interactclub.eventbrite.com>. The show is for all ages, and will be a lot of fun!

Date: Saturday, April 11, 2015

Event: Dave Murphy, Singer

Time: 7pm

Location: Spiritmouth Café, Redeemer Lutheran Church, Succasunna

Description: At his very core, Dave Murphy is a storyteller. The music conveys the same message as the words. It's a unified expression from a man who has drilled down deeply in life experiences as a cancer survivor, jack of many trades and world traveler. Spiritmouth Cafe is a coffeehouse sponsored by Redeemer Lutheran Church, Succasunna, NJ. Spiritmouth is open on the first or second Saturday of most months, from October to May.

Date: Friday, April 17, 2015

Event: Roxbury High School's 2nd Annual mini-THON

Time: 2pm-10pm

Location: Roxbury High School

Description: Mini-THON is an 8-hour dancing fundraiser for the Four Diamonds Fund, supporting the fight against pediatric cancer. Proceeds will help cover medical bills and fund cancer research. You are encouraged to attend and support the event through a monetary donation via: 1. Check made out to RHS Key Club 2. Online at this link: <http://bitly.com/1849in5>

Date: Friday, April 17, 2015

Event: Franklin School's PTA Tricky Tray

Time: 6pm

Location: Roxbury High School

Description: Doors open at 6pm and drawing is at 7:30pm. See website www.franklintrickytray.com for presales prior to April 3. Any questions please email fsptatrickytray@gmail.com.

Date: Saturday, April 18, 2015

Event: RHA Stream Clean-Up at Drakes Brook

Time: 9am-12pm

Location: Canal Street and Ledgewood Park

Description: Raritan Headwaters Association and Roxbury Environmental Commission are looking for volunteers to help with trash removal at the steam site. Please register at www.raritanheadwaters.org/streamcleanup or call 908-234-1852, x315.

Date: Saturday, April 18, 2015

Event: Free Workshop – Protecting Senior Assets

Time: 10am-11:45am

Location: First Presbyterian Church, 99 Main Street, Succasunna

Description: This is a free workshop presented by Robert Bernstein, ESQ., Elder law attorney and sponsored by the church Deacons.

Date: Saturday, April 18, 2015

Event: Document Shredding Fundraiser

Time: 10am-2pm

Location: Horseshoe Lake, 72 Eyland Ave, Succasunna

Description: Support RHS Ice Hockey team, and bring your documents in need of shredding. Donations accepted.

Date: Sunday, April 19, 2015

Event: Layups for Life 3 on 3 Hoop It Up Tournament

Time: 10:30am

Location: Roxbury High School

Description: A fun afternoon of basketball along with food, contests, raffles, silent auction and more! Boys and girls ages 15+, all skill levels welcome. Sign up with a team or as a single player. Benefits Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center. Hosted by Dan Exter, Roxbury alumni and cancer survivor. Register by April 6th, \$20 per player. More info at www.facebook.com/layups4life

Date: Sunday, April 29, 2015

Event: Applebee's flapjack Fundraiser for RHS Boys Lacrosse

Time: 8am-10am

Location: Applebees, 50 International Drive South, Flanders

Description: Enjoy pancakes, sausage, scrambled eggs and a beverage while supporting RHS Boys Lacrosse. Tickets are \$12 each. Please email roxbury_lacrosse@yahoo.com for tickets, or call 973-219-6293.

Date: Saturday, May 9, 2015

Event: Lake Hopatcong Foundation Block Party

Time: 10am-5pm

Location: Hopatcong State Park, 6 Lakeside Blvd, Landing

Description: Celebrate and support NJ's largest lake at this not-to-be-missed Block Party! The park will be buzzing with community organizations, local businesses, food vendors, antique and craft vendors, entertainment of local bands, local artists, morning yoga, and children's activities. The whole scene overlooks beautiful Lake Hopatcong. Visit www.lakehopatcongfoundation.org for more info.

Date: Thursday, May 14, 2015

Event: Roxbury High School Media Conference

Time: 9am

Location: Roxbury High School

Description: Roxbury High School students are hosting their 2nd Annual Media Conference on May 14th, 2015. A variety of speakers will share their knowledge and experiences in television/movie production, journalism, public relations, and communications. Over 200 high school students state wide will be in attendance for this event.

Date: Monday, May 18, 2015

Event: Taste of Roxbury

Time: 6:30pm-8:30pm

Location: Roxbury High School

Description: Attendees can sample food prepared by local restaurants. This fundraising event benefits community charities. Hosted by the Roxbury Area Chamber of Commerce. More info at www.roxburynjchamber.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! :)