

SPRING 2021 ISSUE THE CITY OF GLEN COVE NEWSLETTER

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Summer Youth Employment Program is hiring 14-15 year old teens for summer 2021!

Applicants (not parents) must call 516-671-4600 between May 1-5 and leave a voicemail for Jacki.

A MESSAGE FROM MAYOR TENKE



I'd like to take this opportunity to reflect on what a year it has been since the COVID-19 pandemic began affecting our community. Despite the fact that challenges continue, and the virus may continue to impact our lives, there is finally optimism as we approach Spring. Although City Hall has been closed to the public in an effort to protect our employees and residents, our City employees have been here, hard at work every day, keeping the

City functioning. To help keep the volume of visitors to City Hall at a safe number, we have instituted a "Lock Box" at the rear entrance of City Hall to drop off bill payments or other correspondence. We have also launched a new website, www.glencoveny.gov, which is more user-friendly and provides access to forms and payment options online. Additionally, all our public meetings are live-streamed and interactive so that residents have an opportunity to participate. I have also been working with our County and State officials to advocate for pop-up vaccination sites in Glen Cove to provide our seniors and under-served residents with easy access to the vaccine. I am happy to report that we were able to offer two pop-up sites on March 4th and March 11th and vaccinated over 800 Glen Cove residents. I will continue to advocate for additional pop-up sites for our residents and I encourage everyone eligible to plan to get the vaccine. Additionally, now that the vaccine distribution is in full swing and becoming more accessible, we are making plans for the full re-opening of City Hall. Of course, the safety of our employees and the public will always be paramount. In the meantime, we continue to make progress on many city projects, some of which we have highlighted on the following pages. We are also happy to report that City Camp is back and better than ever along with Baseball, Softball, Soccer, Football, Cheerleading, Tennis and Lacrosse. We are also working hard to make sure that our Downtown, our Beaches and our Parks are ready for all our COVID-weary residents this summer! I am looking forward to seeing you all out and about in our beautiful City in the coming months. But don't forget your mask! Remember "Wearing is Caring"!

- Mayor Timothy Tenke

MAYOR













Ke Dr. Eve Lupenko Ferrante

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Danielle Fugazy Scagliola

Marsha Silverman

Gaitley Stevenson-Mathews

Rocco Totino

PROJECT UPDATES



The initial scope of work to reline the old well was abandoned after the engineers discovered it had deteriorated beyond its useful life. Based on that new information a



major change order was enacted to install a brand new well at the Seaman Road site. Work is now in full swing and the estimated time of completion is Spring of 2022.

Morgan Park Bathrooms

Work on the Morgan Park Bathrooms was successfully re-bid and awarded to a reputable contractor who started work in February. All plumbing and electrical rough-in work have been substantially completed as well as the installation of the



new AZEK coffered ceilings in the exterior areas. Work is running ahead of schedule and should comfortably be completed before Memorial Day.

Pryibil Beach

There is ongoing coordination with our consultant on having interim repairs of the pier that would allow for the reopening prior to the Mayors Snapper Derby and a more substantial rebuild of the structure within the following 12 months.



New tree plantings, additional benches, and sand replenishment will be completed by Memorial Day.

Stanco Park Playground

The City has hired an engineer and will begin the replacement of the playground surface as soon as a Contractor is secured. The current surface has succumbed to water damage and there will be a new drainage system and material installed to ensure the safety of our youth. Look for more updates on **www.glencoveny.gov**

New City Website

The City of Glen Cove launched a new City website.

www.glencoveny.gov I encourage all residents to "subscribe" for notifications by going to https://glencoveny.gov/ subscribe-to-updates/ If you want to be kept up-to-date with important



messages concerning Glen Cove. You can select to be notified by either email or text message, from several categories including: Agendas and Minutes for City Council, Zoning Board of Appeals, and/or Planning Board meetings, Recreation, Glen Cove Ferry, News and Emergency Notices.

Morgan Park-Sea Wall

The Morgan Park Sea Wall is in the design phase and is scheduled to go out to bid in the Fall for the construction phase. Work will be completed sometime in late 2021 or early 2022.



Crescent Beach

With the aid of a subsurface pipeline expert, the City was able to locate a culvert that was clogged and contributing to the contamination at Crescent Beach. Additionally, there has been ongoing coordination and cooperation from adjacent property owners of Crescent Beach for the placement of specialized helix filters that would also aid in the removal of certain types of bacteria from the waters entering the beach. Environmental plantings and provisions for sand replenishment have been designed to mitigate bacterial levels in the immediate area. All of the foregoing is awaiting permitting from the NYSDEC. Beach reopening will be dictated by the speed of permits from proper authorities and cooperation from adjacent property owners.

YOUTH SERVICES & RECREATION

Spring is in the air on our fields at City Stadium! Our newly formed Glen Cove Baseball/ Softball Association has worked diligently to ensure our batting cages are revamped and fixed! Our batting cages will have state of the art turf installed with the latest netting to ensure the safety of all inside.



As part of our new, up and coming baseball season, we are looking to revamp our fields with a softball specific field and a new state of the art scoreboard, plus dugout covers for all fields. More tournaments have been scheduled and we are looking to bring back the prestigious Mayors Trophy in July! Through various fundraising efforts and help of our baseball community we are excited to see what the future holds.

• **BEACH PASSES** – you can obtain your 2021 beach pass through the mail by scanning and e-mailing a copy of your car's registration to **dmoran@glencoveny.gov**, or by sending it through the mail to:

CITY OF GLEN COVE 9 GLEN ST. GLEN COVE, NY 11542 Attention: Recreation Department

*FOR NEW RESIDENTS: If your car is not yet registered to your Glen Cove address, please include proof of residency along with your cars registration. Acceptable proof includes a utility bill or copy of a lease agreement. It must show your name and Glen Cove address.

If any questions, please e-mail **dmoran@glencove.gov**, or call the Recreation Department directly at 516-676-3766 during regular business hours.

• **BOAT RAMP** located at the end of Garvies Point Road. In operation daily Memorial Day- Labor Day. Resident daily rate \$10 and Non- resident daily rate \$30. Resident season permit \$35 and non-resident season permit \$150. Residents may see the boat ramp attendant for permits.

• **TENNIS LESSONS** are available for Glen Cove residents aged 4-16, June- August at Stanco Park. The fee is \$95 per player for 6 lessons. Residents may visit The City of Glen Cove website **www.glencoveny.gov** or call the Recreation Department (516)676-3766 for information.

• **SWIMMING LESSONS** available at Pryibil Beach July-August for children aged 4-13. Please check the City of Glen Cove website for additional information as summer approaches.

• GROUP TENNIS LESSONS @ STANCO PARK While session 1 is at capacity, Sessions 2 and 3 still have open slots. Session 2 is 7/12-7/29, M/W or T/Th Session 3 is 8/2-8/19, M/W or T/Th Call 516-676-3766 or email kfoster@glencoveny.gov for more information

Memorial Day Ceremony 2021

Like so many Cities and Towns throughout Long Island, and the Country, the Glen Cove Memorial Day Parade Committee made a decision to cancel this year's Annual Parade due to the continued uncertainty about COVID health conditions in the community. However, the Committee will sponsor an outdoor Memorial Ceremony to honor our war dead on Monday, May 31st @ 11:00 a.m. in lieu of the traditional Parade. The Ceremony will take place at Veterans Memorial Monument Park (North St. & Forest Ave.) The Committee is pleased to announce that the 2021 Honoree is Sgt. Ralph W. Young. A Glen Cove native, Sgt. Young graduated from Glen Cove High School and attended Lincoln University, the first historically black degree-granting university in the United States. He served as a crew member aboard an air transport ferrying vital war supplies to China from India by way of the Himalaya Mountains. In April 1945, Young was killed when his aircraft crashed into the mountains.

Also being honored will be Dr. Chester "Chet" Pierce. Dr. Pierce, a WWII U.S. Navy veteran, is being named as a "Son of Glen Cove." Born in Glen Cove in 1927, Dr. Pierce was a psychiatrist who was a tenured professor of education and psychiatry at Harvard Medical School. He was the first African-American full professor at Massachusetts General Hospital, was past president of the American Board of Psychiatry and Neurology, and was a consultant for the acclaimed educational children's television series Sesame Street. Dr. Pierce passed away in September of 2016.

Please join the City of Glen Cove in honoring our war dead on Memorial Day, and every day, by proudly displaying the American Flag and taking a moment to say a prayer for the proud men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice for our Country.

WELCOMING NEW BUSINESSES TO OUR DOWNTOWN!

Simpliciti Café

Simpliciti Café is a lively Café located in Downtown Glen Cove. They offer a variety of delicious healthy foods and drinks such as acai bowls, smoothies, protein shakes, salads and so much more! For more about Simpliciti Café's menu visit:



https://www.facebook.com/simpliciticafe/

Chef Morris Café

Chef Morris Café is an espresso bar and bistro with a Salvadorian flare. They offer many of your favorite café classics like coffees and espressos, decadent deserts, lunch specials as well as some traditional latin dishes. For more about Chef Moris Café visit: https://www.facebook.com/ ChefMorisCafe/



SouthDown Coffee



SouthDown Coffee is a hip and modern twist of the traditional café. Located in Downtown Glen Cove, their café offers a warm and artistic aesthetic perfectly paired with award winning premium roasted coffee. For more about SouthDown Coffee visit: https://www.southdowncoffee.com/

Soca Brazilian Jiu Jitsu Glen Cove, NY



Soca Brazilian Jiu Jitsu Glen Cove, NY is a Jiu Jitsu facility that offers Brazilian Jiu Jitsu for all ages and skill levels. For more information visit https://www.facebook. com/socabjjglencove/

Bleu Clarinet

The Bleu Clarinet located here in Downtown, Glen Cove offers a variety of foods ranging from American, Caribbean, Asian, and Italian. By creating a soulful atmosphere with the sounds of jazz accompanied with the fusion of cultural cuisines, The Bleu Clarinet allows for the perfect setting to enjoy lunch or dinner. For more about The Blue Clarinet visit: https://www.facebook.com/ BleuClarinet/





Metropolitan Restaurant and Bar

Metropolitan Restaurant and Bar is an elegant restaurant, bar, and catering

hall that offers an experience of sophistication and class right here in Downtown Glen Cove. The Newly constructed restaurant and bar allows for authentic dining and offers traditional American and Indian cuisine. For more about Metropolitan Restaurant and Bar visit: https://www.themetropolitancaterers.com/



- SAVE THE DATE! May 2021	
1&2	FRIENDS OF WELWYN PRESERVE SPRING CLEANUP: 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. 100 Crescent Beach Road (Meet in HMTC parking lot) Please wear a mask and bring gloves.
8	SHED THE MEDS: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m., Behind GCPD, 1 Bridge Street, Our Police, volunteer EMS Corps and the Substance Abuse Free Environment (SAFE) will coordinate the safe, secure and environmentally responsible disposal of your unwanted/expired medicine.
15	CITY OF GLEN COVE BEAUTIFICATION COMMISSION GREAT AMERICAN CLEANUP: 9:00 a.m. – 12 p.m. Behind City Hall. Facial Coverings and Social Distancing Are Required
22	PAPER SHREDDING: 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. or until truck is full, 100 Morris Avenue, shred confidential residential information and securely recycle your papers, limit 2 Banker's boxes (12"x10"x15") per resident *Proof of residency required, residential recycling only
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Glen Cove Welcomes New Loop Bus

We are proud to announce the arrival of our new Loop Bus. Unlike the former loop bus, the new bus is ADA compliant with 16 passenger seats and two wheelchair lifts. The City received a grant from the Federal Transit Administration which covered 85 percent of the cost. Glen Cove's loop bus service runs Monday thru Friday between 9:00 am and 2:45 pm to multiple areas in Glen Cove including shopping centers, medical offices,

the hospital, City Hall and more. A schedule is available online at https://glencoveny.gov/ transportation/ or by contacting the DPW Dept. at 516-676-4402.



COVE ANIMAL RESCUE is super excited to announce our new TNR voucher program for Feral Cats Only. There is no need to wait for monthly TNR, we are now working with Dr. Kolbert & his team at Glen Cove Animal Clinic who will be spaying/neutering feral cats by appointment Mondays & Wednesday's at his Glen Cove location.

Please call 516-676-5913 to make an appointment. Glen Cove Residency Required. Cove Animal Rescue will give you a voucher to make your appointments directly with Glen Cove Animal Clinic. You must bring the original voucher with you at the time of drop off. Traps are still available at the shelter for a refundable deposit. All cats must be in traps. No carriers are permitted. Let's all do our part to keep the feral cat rate down in Glen Cove!



Current Resident Glen Cove, New York 11542



Garvies Point Update

Spring has truly arrived at Garvies Point, welcoming all residents of Glen Cove to come see the recently completed public parks, dog park, and visit amazing local businesses and markets.

Starting on June 5th, the newly-named Deep Roots Farmer's Market, formerly Sea Cliff's Farmers Market, will return to one of the public parks within Garvies Point.

There's ample public parking to make a day of it – visit the Farmer's Market, stop by Garvies Point Brewery for a locally-brewed craft beer, and eat lunch at Brendel's Bagels. Glen Cove residents also have long loved kayaking from Mercadante Beach and biking and hiking within the Garvies Point Preserve, now more easily accessible than ever.

All of the Garvies Point public parks and open spaces, including the waterfront esplanade of just over one mile, as well as the Children's Playground and Gazebo areas should be opened and fully operational by late Spring/Early Summer 2021.



Congratulations to Glen Cove Hospital!

The ninth Northwell hospital to achieve Magnet, Glen Cove Hospital has demonstrated the highest standards of nursing professionalism, collaboration and patient care. On behalf of the City of Glen Cove, congratulations on earning Magnet designation!



Welcome Back Senior Center!

Executive Director Christine Rice and Mayor Tenke welcomed back Senior Center members on April 12th!

The Senior Center is open at a limited capacity, registration required, Monday- Friday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. for programming and hot lunch.

For more information, call Jacqui or Heidi at 516-759-9610

