



Big Thank You to Police from Washington Village & Norwalk Housing Authority

Washington Village and NHA honored Norwalk Police and other members of FBI Violent Gang Safe Streets Task Force on June 6, 2010, for 18 month Gang Clean-Up Program at Washington Village. This resulted in the arrest and conviction of 22 criminals. Chief Rilling said, "Washington Village can count on us."

Clarence Jean, a student at the Washington Village Learning Center, cuts cake honoring FBI Gang Task Force and Norwalk Police as NHA Chairman Cesar Ramirez and Norwalk Police Chief, Harry Rilling, watch.



Exciting Eyes on the Prize Showing at 20 West Ave. Center

Back by popular demand the riveting Civil Rights Movement "Eyes on the Prize". Come learn what people overcame to bring everyone through the Civil Rights Movement! The movie will be presented by Sally Grose. Middle and High School students come join us starting July 7, 2010 at 1:00pm and learn more about history! Light refreshments will be served.

Resident Help Wanted

We are seeking residents as temporary employees to work with NHA contractors. The successful candidates must have carpentry or kitchen cabinet installation experience and a H.S. diploma or equivalent and a valid driver's license. If you have these qualifications and you would like to apply then contact: **Sandra-Ann Nolfo, Project Coordinator at 203-838-8471 ext. 188 or by email snolfo@norwalkha.org.**



NEED A JOB? THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY!!!

Compare Foods Supermarket, Norwalk Housing Authority & Career Resources are holding a special job fair for residents of Norwalk Housing Authority & Career Resources Norwalk program participants.

- What:** JOB FAIR
- When:** Tuesday, July 6, 2010
- Time:** 10:00am- 2:00pm
- Location:** Senior Court Community Room
9 Union Ave., Norwalk, CT

- Bring your resume (Call Sandra Nolfo, 203-838-8471 ext. 188 for resume help)
- Dress to impress for work
- Great opportunity to interview for many open positions

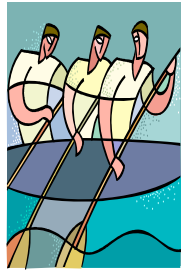


What and Who Are Hearing Officers?

A "Hearing Officer" is an unbiased person selected by Norwalk Housing Authority to hear a Grievance Hearing requested by tenants where the Hearing Officer renders a decision with respect to lease violations. Persons selected to be hearing officers for NHA: John Downy, Marc Grenier, Thomas Hickey, Curtis Law, Candace Mayer, Richard Novak, and Louis Pittocco.

High School Future Zone coming to 20 West Watch Out High School Students!!

It is time to start thinking about dropping by the new "Future Zone" coming to 20 West Learning Center in September. It will offer career counseling, help with picking out the right college or technical school, financial aid advice, info on scholarship possibilities, writing resumes, job skills, and much more. Stay tuned for more information.



\$650 Rowing Camp for FREE!

Attention NHA's 6th, 7th, 8th or 9th grade students! Take part in a FREE Rowing Camp on the Norwalk River this summer (valued at \$650.00). For registration contact Barry Dancer at 203-852-1144 x123 by July 6, 2010.

YOU CAN HELP STOP CRIME IN YOUR NEIGHBORHOOD!

Anonymously Report Crime Tips! Go on line at www.norwalkpd.com or text your tip to C-R-I-M-E-S (274637) Keyword NPD. All information will remain anonymous.





First time homeownership, is it for you?

Norwalk Housing Authority helps participants become homeowners by paying a portion of their mortgage for 15 years!!

Sharon Walls just bought a 3 bedroom cape home. Sharon is a single grandmother of two and she worked with the Family Self-Sufficiency Coordinator for 5 years in pursuit of her dream.



Marcie Barrett, a public housing participant with 3 children brought a 3 bedroom cape in Norwalk.

Gladys Ramirez, a section 8 participant qualified for the

Voucher Homeownership Program and she too brought a 3 bedroom cape for her twin boys and granddaughter.

Can you buy? Get your finances straight by coming to Norwalk Housing Authority's Budgeting, Credit, and Homeownership workshops. Call Emily Hartwell at 203-838-8471 ext. 180 or Guillermo Bendana at 203-838-8471 ext. 135 for more details.

Scholarship Awards Ceremony Set For July 14

The 2010 NHF College Scholarship Committee, currently busy interviewing scholarship applicants, will hold its Awards Ceremony at 6:00 PM, July 14, 2010 at Stepping Stones Museum for Children. All are welcome to attend.

Colonial Village Parents As Teachers Program



Parent As Teachers (PAT) is a research-based parent support and education program for families with children age prenatal to Kindergarten entry.

PAT families are frequently referred to community resources and programs such as preschool and childcare programs; food and nutrition programs; financial and adult literacy programs; early intervention, medical, mental health and behavioral services.

A collaborative partnership between the Norwalk Housing Authority and the Fox Run School Family Resource Center will assist Colonial Village residents with many of their birth to five needs. Please contact Ann Prince at 203-852-1144x 121.

Notice of Public Hearing Revisions to Housing Choice Voucher Administrative Plan and PHA Plan

NHA will be conducting a Public Hearing for revisions to the Housing Choice Voucher Administrative Plan and Public Housing Agency Plan on July 2, 2010 at 5:30pm at Leroy Downs Apts., 26 Monroe St., Norwalk, CT. Revisions are available for review at the Norwalk Housing Authority Central Office, 24 1/2 Monroe St., Norwalk during business hours. These changes permit NHA to apply for 100 vouchers for non elderly, persons with disabilities.

Early Childhood Summer Programs Exciting, Fun, & Educational



6 week YMCA Swimming Program, West Ave. 12:00-1:00pm every Tuesday beginning July 6th through August 10th. (1st Group- Ages 6 months - 2/1/2 yrs) Sponsored by United Way.

6 week YMCA Pre-school Swimming Program, West Ave., 12:00-1:00pm every Thursday beginning July 8th , through August 12th. (2nd Group-Ages 3-5yrs & those attending the Pre-school program @ Stepping Stones**) Sponsored by United Way.

My Gym: 8 Weeks of Fun Fitness Class, 346 Main Ave., 5:15-6:15pm every Monday beginning July 12th through August 30th. Sponsored by United Way.

6 days of Summer Beach and Fun ART Classes at Shady Beach from 12:30-2:30pm every Wednesday beginning on July 14th, through August 25th.

CHILDREN ENTERING KINDERGARTEN IN SEPT. 2010 ONLY!

4 Week Summer Pre-Kindergarten FREE PROGRAM at Stepping Stones, West Ave. every Thursday from 2:00-3:45pm beginning July 1st through July 29th with Celebration & Graduation for all family members. **(Parents must attend this FREE program)** Sponsored by United Way.

Contact Ann Prince, Early Childhood Coordinator at 203-852-1144 ext. 121 to register.

Come Have Dinner with CT State Senator Bob Duff on Aug. 12, 2010 at Irving Freese Senior Dinner Café

Senator Duff will arrive at 3:30pm on Aug. 12, 2010 to meet and greet residents and then he will have dinner which begins at 4:30pm. FREE van service is available for all NHA Senior developments. Call for reservations 24 hours in advance at (203) 241-2422. \$2.00 donation suggested, but not required. Call Diana Chavez for van service reservations at 203-515-3233. Irving Freese Senior Café, 57 Ward St. Norwalk.

