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2023



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2023 Community Calendar

Date/Time		Event	Location	Sponsor
May 1-31		Mansion in May	Three Fields Cherry Lane Mendham, NJ 07945	Women's Ass'n for Morristown Medical Center
Saturday, May 6		Historical Tours of Mendham	Borough of Mendham Historic District	Borough of Mendham
Saturday, May 13, 20		Town Sidewalk Sale	Kings Shopping Center Main St	Mendham Business Ass'n
Sunday, May 7 10 a.m. - 1 p.m.		Fishing Frenzy	Mountain Valley Park Pond "Mudhole"	Borough of Mendham Police
Monday, May 29 10 a.m.		Memorial Day Honor Ceremony	Borough Park Veterans Memorial & Garabrant Center	Borough of Mendham Veterans Comm
June 19 – July 28 (Closed July 4)		Borough Day Camp	Borough Park Mountain & Park Aves	Borough of Mendham Recreation Dept.
Sunday, June 25 6:30 p.m.		Sunday Concert Kimon (Blues/Rock/Funk)	Borough Park Gazebo Mountain & Park Ave	Borough of Mendham & D.A.R.E. Program
Sunday, July 9 6:30 p.m.		Sunday Concert Carnaby Street (60s Pop)		
Sunday, July 23 6:30 p.m.		Sunday Concert Monkey Shoulder (Classic Rock)		
Thursday, July 27	7 p.m.	Mendham Day Camp "After Dark" Red vs. Blue Results	Borough Park Gazebo Doubleday Field Mountain & Park Aves	Borough of Mendham Recreation Department.
	8 p.m.	Drive-In Movie: Minions: The Rise of Gru w/Mendham Creamery (field conditions permitting)	Borough Park Lenape Field & Basketball Courts Orchard & Park Aves	
Sunday, July 30 6:30 p.m.		Sunday Concert Fab Forward (Post Beatles Solo Hits)	Borough Park Gazebo Mountain & Park Aves	Borough of Mendham & D.A.R.E
September 1-4		Annual Pastime Labor Day Carnival	Borough Park Mountain & Park Aves	Pastime Club

Date/Time		Event	Location	Sponsor
Monday, September 4	10 a.m.	Labor Day Parade	East Main St & Mountain Ave Viewing Stand @ BoroughParkGazebo	Boroughof Mendham
	11 a.m.	Labor Day Concert TheAltman Brothers (classic rock)	BoroughParkGazebo, Mountain & Park Ave	Boroughof Mendham
	9 p.m.	Labor Day Fireworks	Borough Park	Pastime Club
Saturday, September 30 8-11 a.m.		HarvestHustle 5Kand Kids Fun Run	Borough Park	Mendham BoroughHSA
Saturday, October 7 12a.m. – 5 p.m.		MendhamFest	Borough Park	Boroughof Mendham
Saturday, December 2 12-5 p.m.		MBA Holly Trail Photos with Santa PhoenixHouse 11-2pm	BoroughofMendham Business District	Mendham Business Association
December 1-15 Judging 12/16-18 6-8 p.m.		HolidayHomeLighting Contest	MendhamBorough Residential Homes	Borough of Mendham Recreation Committee

20th Year “*Mansion in May*“ 1st-31st



The Women’s Association for Morristown Medical Center is proud to present its 20th Mansion in May Designer Showhouse and Gardens at Three Fields located in the Borough of Mendham. Three Fields was designed and built between 1929 and 1930, was once owned by the Borough of Mendham's Mayor, Andrew Fletcher and is beautifully situated on 36 acres of pastoral, rolling fields. Funds



raised from the Designer Showcase ticket sales will benefit the expansion and modernization of Morristown Medical Center’s Institute of Bioskills Training and Innovation. For more information, visit mansioninmay.org or use the QR Code.



Borough of Mendham Historical Tours

In conjunction with Mansion in May, on **May 6**, the Borough of Mendham will host tours of the many historic buildings and sites within the Borough. The tours will be "Revolutionary War and Other Graves,"

"Hilltop Road-- Heart of Mendham," and "Main Street from East to West."

Rain date: May 13. See mendhamnj.org for details.



MBA Sidewalk Sale

Saturday, May 13 & 20, come shop in beautiful the Borough of Mendham. Don't miss out on special events and offers from Mendham Business Association members! Shop in the King's Shopping Center and along Main Street.

"Fishing Frenzy"



The Borough of Mendham Police Department is proud to invite families to its Annual "Fishing Frenzy". The contest is open to anyone under 16 years old, and will take place on **Sunday, May 7, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.** The pond is stocked with

rainbow trout, golden trout, and monster trout. Food and beverages will be available. Bring your fishing pole!



Memorial Day Honor Ceremony

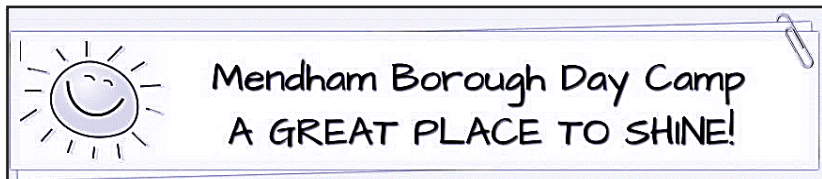
The Borough of Mendham Veterans Committee will host its 4th Annual Memorial Day Ceremony on **May 29** at 10a.m. at the Borough Park Veteran's Memorial. The Committee will be honoring military

servicemen and women who have made the ultimate sacrifice for our country and gave their lives for the freedoms we all enjoy every day. Light refreshments to follow at the Garabrant Center.



Mendham Day Camp

Registration Information 2023



Day Camp is held at Borough Park for children attending Kindergarten through 6th grade. Daily activities may include arts and crafts, sports, games, and special events.

Registration & Payment ON-LINE ONLY
mendhamdaycamp.com



- **Early Registration:** (April 1-May 26) \$ 99/week
- **Regular Registration:** (May 27-June 16) \$122/week
- **Late Registration:** (June 17-June 22) \$145/week
- **The Day Camp *cannot* receive paper forms or payments at the camp site.**

Camp Dates June 19-July 28 (6 total weeks)

Week 1: June 19 - 23

Week 4: July 10 - 14

Week 2: June 26 - 30

Week 5: July 17 - 21

Week 3: July 3 - 7 (closed July 4)

Week 6: July 24 - 28

- **Time: 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Monday through Friday**
- **Closed: Tuesday, July 4.**
- **Camp Night Out & Drive-in Movie: Thursday, July 28**

To guarantee a spot for your child, **registration forms and full payment must be received by May 26.** Openings submitted after May 26 will be filled, if space is available, which is dictated by staff availability. Camper-to-counselor ratios determine available spaces. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Bruce DiBisceglie, at recreation@mendhamnj.org.



Drive-In Movie & Ice Cream Camp Night Out--Color Wars

Everyone is welcome to bring the whole family and drive down to the lower Ball Field, behind the Carriage House in Borough Park and find your spot for the evening

Drive-In Movie, *Minions: Rise of Gru*. Get there early because spaces are limited and fill fast! Before the movie begins, enjoy some engaging everyday camp activities, and find the victor of the Mendham Day Camp Color Wars! **July 27th at 8:30pm.**

Labor Day Weekend Parade & Carnival



Enjoy the weekend-long carnival atmosphere at Borough Park. Carnival games, midway rides, and food sponsored by the Pastime Club run from Friday night through Monday night. The annual **Labor Day Parade is Monday at 10 a.m. and Fireworks skyrocket at 9 p.m. at Borough Park.** Sponsored by the Pastime Club.

Labor Day Parade Grand Marshalls

1987 Jack Dormer	2000 Historical Society	2011 James Cillo
1988 Cyril (Joe) Lounsbury	2001 Junior Women's Club	2012 Charles Topping
1989 The Pastime Club	2002 Borough Schools Superintendent	2013 M.S. Joan Daniel
1990 Harold Ketchum	2003 1973 Rec Committee	2014 David Crotsley
1991 David Hulse	2004 Msgr. Kenneth Lasch	2015 Lou Garubo
1992 Kate Emmons	2005 Gerard Dolan	2016 H.S. Ret. Jim Baglio, Bill Carpluk & Fred Corona
1993 Robert Snedaker	2006 Citizen Volunteers	2017 Bob & Helen Cleary
1994 Desert Storm Soldiers	2007 Veterans Dill, Kimpf, Henryand Sharkey	2018 Robert Mulcahy
1995 World War Veterans	2008 Tin Can Soldiers	2019 Dotty Fleming
1996 Catherine Emmons	2009 Michael Ackerman	2021 Dick Kraft
1997 Vic Woodhull	2010 Penny Kopcsik	2022 Neil Henry
1998 Former Fire Chiefs		2023 Pete Cillo & Bill Fleming
1999 Mendham Library		

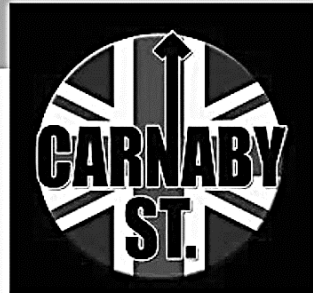
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**SUNDAY SUMMER
CONCERTS
IN THE PARK**

6:30-8PM

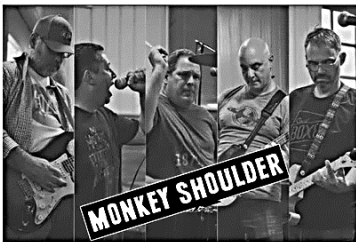
Borough Park Gazebo • 19 Mountain Ave



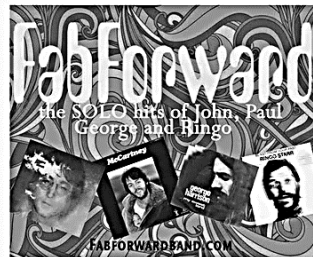
**BLUES
JUNE 25**



**'60S
JULY 9**



**ROCK
JULY 23**



**BEATLES
JULY 30**



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"On the Street and in the Classroom"



Harvest Hustle 5K and Fun Run

A great morning for fun, family and fitness takes place on **Saturday, September 30**. A Kids Fun Run kicks things off at **8:30 a.m.**, followed by a certified 5K course around the streets of Mendham. Funds raised go to benefit Mendham Borough's Home and School Association. For more information and to register, visit runsignup.com/Race/NJ/Mendham/MendhamHarvestHustle



FOOD BEER MUSIC FUN

On **Saturday, October 7 from 12-5 p.m.**, the Borough of Mendham will host its 5th Annual Food, Vendor and Music Festival at Borough Park in the center of Mendham. Make it a special day for your whole family and friends as we say goodbye to the Summer of '23 and welcome the gorgeous NJ Fall Foliage. Bring your appetite, lawn

chairs, blanket and pets. Yes, this is a pet-friendly event! Dine on a wide variety of food from your favorite local restaurants. Last year attendees enjoyed food from the Black Horse Pub, Mendham Creamery and Sorrento's Pizzeria, as well as the best of food trucks such as Señor Tacos, Colonia Grill, Mac & Cheese, and Smoketown BBQ! Enjoy the food while relaxing with friends and family and listening to the sounds of Fear of Falling, Rob Trout and the Flounders, and Catz n Dawgz!

And the day wouldn't be complete without over a dozen local arts and crafts vendors, and a beer garden provided by the Borough of Mendham Fire Department.

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Holly Trail Photos with Santa



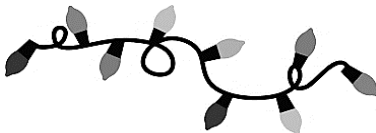
On Saturday, December 2, from 12-5 p.m., the whole town comes out for the annual Holly Trail. The Borough of Mendham businesses and service organizations offer treats and events for residents, including the "Where's Santa Game" and complimentary "Cookies and Photos with Santa" at the Phoenix House from 11-3 p.m. Registration for "Photos with Santa" is required. For details, please visit mendhamnj.org or use the QR Code.

The Day includes a Community Jazz Christmas Concert at the Mendham United Methodist Church 3-4:30 pm, and ends with the Tree Lighting at Borough Park Gazebo with High School Carolers and Santa's arrival on his firetruck "sleigh" at 4:45pm.



Holiday Home Decorating Contest

Department of Recreation will be hosting its **5th Annual Holiday Home Decorating Contest** in December 2023. **Submissions are due December 21st.** The judging period takes place between December 22-31, 6-8 p.m. Decorations must be *"Do It Yourself"* only. Decorations installed by a commercial entity are not eligible for the contest. Application information is at mendhamnj.org on the Recreation Home Page or use the QR Code.



Emergency Services

******Dial 911 If You Need Immediate Help!******



Borough of Mendham Police Department

The Borough of Mendham Police Department enforces all criminal, local and motor vehicle laws of the State of New Jersey here in the Borough to keep our community and streets safe. The officers routinely patrol the Borough's business and residential areas looking for suspicious activity to prevent crime and assist our residents. The police department also provides additional services, such as child car seat installation/inspection, vacant house checks, community crime prevention programs, safety programs, school programs such as LEAD and tours for local scouting organizations. The Borough police officers respond to ALL emergency calls including fire and first-aid calls. Police patrol cars are equipped with first-aid equipment including defibrillators. Several police officers are also EMT certified.

Police Department's Business Office hours are Monday-Friday 9:00 am to 4:00 pm (excluding holidays). To file a police report or speak with an officer, call any time of day or night, seven days a week. There is no need to wait for the business office to open. The patrol officers on duty are always willing to assist and speak with you. Just request the dispatcher to have an officer call you or stop by at your location.

Website: mendhamnj.org

Phone Non-Emergency: 973-543-2993

Phone Non-Emergency Dispatch: 973-543-2527

Facebook: Mendham Borough Police Department



Mendham Borough Fire Department

Formed in 1905, the Mendham Fire Department provides volunteer fire protection, rescue, and fire-prevention education to the over 5,000 residents of and visitors to the Borough of Mendham. We operate out of one station that protects a primarily residential area of about six square miles.

We respond to an average of over 250 calls each year and are always looking for volunteers to serve as our next generation of firefighters. However, being a member doesn't always involve fighting a fire or going through the necessary training to respond to every alarm. We have several members from the community who serve the department in a variety of roles and responsibilities. We gladly accept anyone who wants to help by donating their time and energy to keep our town, our neighborhoods, and our families safe. There is a job for everyone who wants to be involved.

Website: mendhamfd.net

PhoneNon-Emergency: 973-543-4682

Facebook: MendhamFireDept

Instagram: MendhamFD





Mendham Borough First Aid Squad

To deal with the advanced training requirements, operational procedures, and report documentation more effectively, the Mendham Borough First Aid Squad is an independent organization from the Mendham Fire Department. While the Squad continues to support the Fire Department in emergency situations, the squad operations, governance, and fund-raising is conducted independently. Volunteers answer more than 500 calls a year.

Volunteering with the Mendham First Aid Squad is a rewarding and wonderful way to support and enhance the quality of life here in Mendham. The critical life-saving skills you'll gain as a volunteer can help your family, friends, and neighbors as much as the community at large.

Visit the squad at the Borough Firehouse from 10-11 a.m. on Sundays.

Website: mendhamfirstaid.org

Phone Non-Emergency: 973-543-7178

Facebook: MendhamFAS



Utility Emergency Contact Numbers



PSE&G: 1-800-436-PSEG
or Text OUT
to 4PSEG (47734)



JCP&L: 1-888-LIGHTSS
(1-888-544-4877)

OUTAGE INFORMATION

Jersey Central
Power & Light
A FirstEnergy Company



NJAWC: 1-800-272-1325



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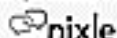
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Call to Cell and Home Phone

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WHAT IS NIXLE?

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Sign Up on the Borough's Website

mendhamnj.org



Nixle Alerts may include severe weather, criminal activity, severe traffic, missing persons, and local events. Information is immediately available over your cellphone by text, email or over the web. Sign up at [**mendhamnj.org**](http://mendhamnj.org) and click the Nixle icon on the left-hand menu or use the QR Code.

Community Services

Borough Animal Control



Animal Control Solutions (ACS) is the authorized animal control service provider for the Borough of Mendham. They can be reached at **(908) 722-1271**, or animalcontrolsolutions.org

Domestic Animals

Contact ACS directly for all domestic animal issues (dogs and cats), including loose, stray, dangerous and injured domestic animals. ACS is required to shelter unclaimed domestic animals at their facility when necessary. All sheltering costs are the owner's responsibility and will be charged accordingly. Every effort will be made by ACS to locate the owner prior to sheltering.

Deceased Animals (Non-Deer)

ACS will not remove deceased animals from private property. ACS will only remove deceased animals from municipal roadways and properties, excluding deer.

Deceased Deer

Morris County is responsible for the removal of all deceased deer from all municipal and county roadways. Call the Mendham Borough Police non-emergency number **973-543-2993** or mbpd@mendhamnj.org

Animal Cruelty

Report all animal cruelty issues to the Borough Police Department Humane Law Enforcement Office, Ptl. Joseph Kennedy, at **973-543-2993, Ext 1842**.



Mendham Area Senior Transportation Services (MAST)



MAST Services and scheduling of rides are coordinated by MASH. MAST provides rides to doctor appointments or grocery shopping for all senior and disabled adult residents in the Borough of Mendham and Mendham Township. For more information call **973-543-2666** or visit mashnj.org

Borough Health Department Services



Promoting Public Health

Bernards Township Health Department



Mendham Borough Board of Health contracts for public health services, including food licensing, septic and new well inspections and public bathing facilities inspection with the Bernards Township Health Department and the Visiting Nurses Association of Somerset Hills. Bernards Township Health Department also publishes a monthly newsletter for residents with helpful health information. For more information, visit bernardshealth.org or call **908-204-3070**.



HEALTH MATTERS

Monthly Newsletter from the Bernards Township Health Department

Mendham Borough Library



Mendham Borough Library is a community-centered environment, providing user-friendly resources, education, and entertainment for people of all ages. The library is a center for literary, cultural and community activities, and is committed to being fiscally responsible, appropriately staffed and technologically current to continually anticipate the needs of our community.

We offer a variety of programs from Babies and Books to our Teen Advisory Group to Device Advice and many other unique programs each month. Aside from having five PCs for public use and free WiFi, our patrons meet regularly to play bridge, canasta, and cribbage, and participate in our monthly book club and knitting group. Yoga is also offered twice a week. Additionally, we

have the most current books, magazines and DVD's on our shelves and available online for free. We have a public notary on staff and offer free or discounted tickets to area museums and exhibits. Come see what we have to offer and enjoy the community in our library!

Location: 10 Hilltop Road, Mendham (next to Hilltop School)

Hours: Monday-Thursday, 10 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.; Friday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.; Saturday 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Closed Sundays and holidays.

Website: mendhamboroughlibrary.org

Phone: 973-543-4152



Morris County Adaptive Recreation Program (McARP)



The Arc is the nation's largest volunteer organization devoted solely to improving the lives of all children and adults with intellectual and related developmental disabilities. McARP exists to provide services to help these people reach their potential. The Morris Chapter of the Arc, is a major provider of services and fun activities for individuals and their families.

Contact McARP at **973-326-9750** or visit arcmorris.org/.

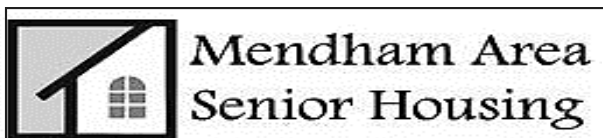
Voter Information



For more information on registering to vote and elections, contact the Borough of Mendham Clerk at **973-543-7152** or visit mendhamnj.org and click on "Voter Information".



Mendham Area Senior Housing (MASH)



Mendham Area Senior Housing Corporation (MASH) is a 40-unit, smoke-free apartment community providing subsidized rents for 35 of those units. Established in 1980 through an inter-church initiative and alliance with Mendham Borough, MASH is a tax- exempt, non-profit corporation managed by 3 staff members and governed by a Board of Trustees. MASH is conveniently located next door to the Kings Shopping Center. Offices are located at 1 Heritage Manor Drive in Mendham, NJ. For more information call **973-543-2666** or visit mashnj.org

Morris County Human Services



Morris County Human Services will provide you with information, give you referral options, and help link you to publicly funded community mental health services. With oversight of the Freeholder-appointed Mental Health Addictions Advisory Board, we

also act as service system and client advocates when needed. The Morris County Commissioners and New Jersey Division of Mental Health and Addictions Services provide funding for many community-based services:

- Counseling
- National Self-Help Organizations
- Crisis/Psychiatric Services
- NJ Association of County Mental Health
- Detoxification
- NJ Family Care
- Jewish Family Service of Metrowest New Jersey
- NJ Workability
- Long Term Medical Treatment
- Residential and Supportive Housing
- Morris County Adjuster
- Short Term Inpatient Treatment
- Stigma-Free Morris County Support Services and Outreach

“HELP IS HERE FOR YOU!”



Call **973-285-6852** or visit

morriscountynj.gov/Departments/Human-Services

Youth Sports Organizations

The following are local sports organizations offering intramural recreation, as well as more competitive programs in which teams compete outside the community.

Baseball

*Chester Mendham
Baseball & Softball Club*
PO Box 322, Mendham, NJ 07945



Games are played April through June on fields throughout the Borough and Township. All-star competition begins in June. The league offers teams at various levels, from T-ball through Babe Ruth Seniors (baseball) and Kinder through Juniors (softball).

Coaches and umpires are always needed. If you are interested in coaching or umpiring, including being a Youth Umpire (High School Students) contact lauren_caruso@hotmail.com.

Baseball Age Range: 4-14 years

Softball Age Range: 4-14 years

Registration Dates: December 1 - March 1 (late fees apply after deadline)

Season: April-November, with indoor winter training from January through March, and support travel teams in the Spring, Summer and Fall in both Baseball and Softball from ages 7 to 13.

Email: Tom Selementi, Director, Baseball: tselementi@hotmail.com

Pat Antonio, Director, Softball: pat@rxsalespros.com

Website: cmbaseballsoftball.org

Email: chestermendhamsclub@gmail.com

Facebook: CMBaseballSoftball.org

Basketball



MENDHAM
B A S K E T B A L L

This program includes a clinic for grades K-4, recreation for grades 5-8, and travel teams in grades 4-8. Boys and girls play on separate teams with practices and games held at local schools for the clinic and recreation components.

Age Range: K-8

Registration Dates: Early October

Season: December-March

Website: mendhambasketball.com

Email: Info.mendhambasketball@gmail.com



Twin Boro Bears Cheerleading



The Twin Boro Cheer program focuses on teamwork, confidence, and fun! The program is open to Mendham and Chester students entering Grades 1-8 in the fall. Twin Boro Cheerleaders cheer for the Twin Boro Bears Football games on fall weekends, with practices during the week. Our goal is to provide our cheerleaders with a motivating, exciting and challenging experience.

Age Range: 1st-8th Grades

Registration Dates: April-End of May

Season: Mid-August-Early November. Plus, mandatory Cheer Camp August 14-17

Website: twinborobears.org

Email: cheertwinboro@gmail.com

Facebook: TwinBoroBearsCheerleading



Mendham Chester Running Club Cross-Country/Track & Field



Age Range: 5-15 years

Registration Dates: January 30 - March 11 (Track & Field);

Season: Spring Track and Field

Website: mendham-chesterrunningclub.teamsnapsites.com

Email: coachedt@protonmail.com

Facebook: Mendham-Chester-Running-Club

Football



The Twin Boro Bears program is open to boys and girls, grades K-8th, from the Mendhams and Chesters. The league ranges from the instructional level K-2 (non-contact/flag) through varsity (8th grade). Excellent equipment is provided.

Age Range: K - 8th Grade

Registration Dates: April through August

Season: August - November

Website: leagueathletics.com

Facebook: TwinBoroBears

Instagram: TwinBoroBears



Hockey



West Morris Wolfpack Youth Ice Hockey Club provides a safe and fun environment for hockey players of all to develop. As a recreational program, we emphasize learning, sportsmanship, and FUN! Our practices and games take place at nearby rinks, and our teams compete in the Morris County Youth Hockey League against other towns primarily in Morris County. Practices are a minimum of once per week at times that are reasonable for young working families. Our games are almost always on weekends. The Hockey Club is affiliated with USA Hockey. Our program relies solely on the support of volunteers. Our board members and coaches all maintain active training certifications with USA Hockey including SafeSport training.

Age Range: 4-14 years

Registration Dates: May - December

Season: September - March

Website: wolfpackicehockey.com

Email: Communications@wolfpackicehockey.com

Facebook: WolfpackIceHockey

Instagram: wmwolfpackhockey



Lacrosse



Lacrosse is open to girls in 3rd through 8th grade and boys in 1st through 8th grade. Teams compete against area towns and are sanctioned by US Lacrosse. Free clinic lacrosse is available for K through 2nd graders, boys, and girls, and is held at West Field in April and May.

Age Range: K - 8th Grade

Registration Dates: Various. See website for details.

Season: March - June

Website: cmlax.com/

Email: cmlax1234@gmail.com

Facebook: ChesterMendhamLacrosse

Instagram: ChesterMendham_lax

Wrestling



The world's oldest sport thrives, as the Patriots Wrestling Team offers opportunities for K through 8th graders who seek the fun and challenge of this character-building sport.

Age Range: K - 8th Grade

Registration Dates:

Season: November - February

Website: mcpatriotswrestling.com

Email: mendhamchesterwrestling@gmail.com

Facebook: Mendham/Chester Patriots Wrestling



Morris Rugby



Morris Rugby was formed in 1977 by a group of players dedicated to the growth of rugby for all ages and abilities. Tackle programs include both Boys and Girls teams for under 12/14's, High School, Men's, Women's, and Master for the over 35's. During early summer the Morris Youth League, which includes several local town teams, provides an opportunity for kids Kindergarten to 9th Grade to play flag rugby with mini tournaments in June & July.

Age Range: K-Adult

Season: Year-round depending on age bracket.

Website: morrisrugby.org

Email: contact@morrisrugby.org

Facebook: MorrisRugby



Soccer



The West Morris Soccer Club provides recreational clinics for boys and girls, starting at Pre-K with basic skills and short games. Recreational teams for 1st through 8th grades, as well as travel and elite premier teams in grades 3 through 12 for players who want to

make a greater time commitment and play at a more competitive level. Premier and travel tryouts are held each Spring for the Fall season.

Age Range: K - 12th Grade

Registration Dates: Various. See website for details.

Season: Various. See website for details.

Website: westmorrisoccer.org

Email: wmscpresident@gmail.com

Facebook: WestMorrisSoccerClub



Adult Sports

Hiking



Visit www.hikemendham.org for trail maps, suggested short hikes and more!

Running



The Do Run Runners are a group of adult athletes who love to run and race. The club sponsors group runs/walks from Freedom Park in Randolph on Saturday morning, starting at 8:30 a.m., throughout the year. Please use 640 Millbrook Ave, Randolph, NJ 07869 for GPS directions. The cost to join the Do Run Runners is FREE.

Season: Year-round

Email: Mark Washburne, mwash314@aol.com

Facebook: Do Run Running Club



Softball



The Mendham 30+ Men's softball competes with teams from the Mendhams and Chesters. Games are played locally, Saturday evenings or Sunday mornings.

Registration: Early April to form/join a team

Email: dtppsoftball1@gmail.com

Phone: John Rosamilia 973-543-9551



Borough of Mendham Recreational Facilities



THE BOROUGH OF MENDHAM		
Location	Address	Facilities
Borough Park (Doubleday Field, Elliott Field & Lenape Field, Park & Orchard Tennis Courts)	Mountain, Park & Orchard Avenues	Concert gazebo, ball fields, basketball, chess benches, tennis courts, playgrounds
FirstRespondersTurf Court	Borough Park, Orchard Avenue Entrance	Soccer, field hockey, lacrosse, kickball
Franklin Field	Franklin Road	Soccer, lacrosse
Pastime Field	Valley Way	Regulation Little League field
Mountain Valley Park	Mountain Avenue	Fishing, ice skating, hiking (Patriot's Path), picnicking
BottiPark (Formerly West Field)	West Main Street	Soccer and lacrosse ONLY, pavilion

Sports League scheduling for use of Borough Facilities must be made no later than December 31st of the prior year. After December 31st, reservations are granted depending on availability. Submit reservations at mendhamnj.org click on Recreation. For questions email bdibisceglie@mendhamnj.org



Borough of Mendham Tennis

Completely rebuilt in 2020, the Borough Tennis Courts are located at the corner of Orchard Street and Park Ave. To best serve the residents a digital reservation system is available to reserve court times. Use the QR Code or go to mendhamnj.org Recreation Department Home Page to reserve your space.



School Recreation Facilities

BOROUGH SCHOOLS		
Location	Address	Facilities
Hilltop School	10 Hilltop Road	Baseball field, playground
Mountain View School	100 Dean Road	Baseball field, soccer, playground
WEST MORRIS REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL		
West Morris Mendham High School	65 East Main Street	Ball fields, multi-purpose fields, track, tennis courts

All reservations for School facilities must be made with the appropriate Board of Education Office.



Schiff Nature Preserve



The Schiff Nature Preserve comprises 768 acres of privately owned preserved land managed by Schiff Natural Lands Trust, Inc. The preserve is in Mendham and Chester in the heart of beautiful Morris County. Where Schiff's Nature Center are located the main trailheads offering 12 miles of marked trails that cross forest, stream, mountain, and meadow landscapes. Hikers can find much to enjoy at Schiff!

Schiff offers a calendar of educational and passive recreational programs and hikes throughout the year. Special events such as the annual Maple Sugaring Demonstration, Environmental Film Festival, Music in the Woods, Farm to Table Benefit, and all seasonal programs can all be found on Schiff's website.

Additionally, Schiff offers nature-themed Badge Programs and Camping for Scouts, Birthday Parties, and School Field Trips.

GPS Address: 339 Schiff Drive, Mendham

Website: schiffnaturepreserve.org/

Email: info@schiffnaturepreserve.org

Phone: 973-543-6004

Facebook: schifflandtrust

Instagram: schiffnaturepreserve



Youth Organizations

Cub Scouts



When your son becomes a Scout, he can go places, test himself, and have one-of-a-kind adventures he can't get anywhere else. Boys in K through 5th Grade are eligible to join Cub Scout Pack 133.

Pack 133 Website: mendhampack133.org

Email: recruiter@mendhampack133.org

Facebook: mendhampack133



Scouts BSA

Boys ages 11-17 years old are eligible to join a Scouts BSA Troop. The Borough of Mendham has two Scout BSA Troops and is home to Troop 1, the first BSA Troop in the USA. The Borough has been a beneficiary of many wonderful Eagle Scout Projects.



TROOP 1 – MENDHAM, NJ
BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

Website: mendhamtroop1.org

Facebook: MendhamTroop1



BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA
Troop 130

Website: mendhamtroop130.org

Facebook: @MendhamTroop130

Instagram: @mendham_troop130

Email: Scoutmaster.130mendham@gmail.com



Troop 1, Founding Scoutmaster, William "Green Bar Bill" Hillcourt & Lord Baden-Powell, founder of the worldwide Scouting Movement, 1936.



Girl Scouts brings their dreams to life and work together to build a better world. Through programs from coast to coast, Girl Scouts of all backgrounds and abilities learn to empower themselves as they discover their strengths and rise to meet new challenges—whether they want to climb to the top of a tree or the top of their class, lace up their boots for a hike or advocate for the environment, or make their first best friends.

Backed by trusted adult volunteers, mentors, and millions of alums, Girl Scouts leads the way as they find their voices and make changes that affect the issues most important to them.

Girls can join at any time throughout the year; however, Fall is best since this is when troops are formed.

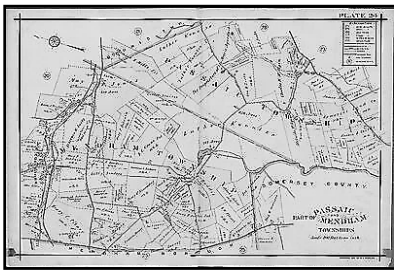
Ages: Daisies (K-1st grade); Brownies (2nd-3rd); Juniors (4th-5th); Cadettes (6th-8th); Seniors (9th-10th); Ambassadors (11th-12th)

Website: gsnnj.org



GS Troop 97604 Bronze Award “Air Bees & Bees” Pollinator Project

Community Organizations



Mendham Borough Historical Society

The MBHS brings together people and organizations interested in the history and

genealogy of the Mendams. MBHS acts as a resource to collect, display, and preserve material, documents, and objects from our heritage.

Meeting Dates: 4 times a year

Location: Garabrant Center, 4 Wilson Street, Mendham

Email: duffy958@comcast.net



Mendham Business Association

"Support Mendham Businesses -Shop Local"

Mendham is a great place to shop and conduct business! The MBA works

continuously throughout the year to promotes local businesses and shopping in Mendham. It sponsors several local business and community events. Some of the local favorites are:

- Spring Townwide Sidewalk/Garage Sales
- The Holly Trail each December
- Annual Golf Outing which raises scholarships for high school seniors. Seniors who reside in the Mendhams and have a GPA of at least 3.5 may apply for the scholarships.

Website: mendhambusiness.com

Email: info@mendhambusiness.com

Phone: Bob Diffen (Mendham Jewelers): 973-543-7833





Mendham Garden Club

The Mendham Garden Club was founded in 1932. The Club is a group of local volunteers who have maintained the Historic Phoenix House Garden and the “Welcome to Mendham” Oak Tree Triangle sign since 1938—over 85 years. It also maintains the Phoenix House Porch flower display. The club is a “working garden club” and busy from spring through fall, planting and maintaining these two public spaces. The club brings the gardens back to life each spring. It is busy in early spring pruning, dividing, and planting new flowers and then maintaining the gardens throughout the Summer. In the fall, it installs an Autumn Harvest display at the Oak Tree Triangle. In November, the club decorates the Phoenix House for the holidays with evergreens.

The Club welcomes new members and invites both seasoned gardeners and beginners to join in the fun designing and maintaining these public garden spaces! It has a “come when you can” philosophy, understanding that everyone has other commitments. So please feel free to join us! The club can always use help watering the flowerpots on the Phoenix House porch – an easy way to earn service hours, or get your children involved in giving back to our beautiful community. All levels of volunteer commitment are welcome!



To Volunteer or Join:

Please contact Laurie Trank: laurietrank@gmail.com

Facebook: Mendham Garden Club



Mendham Seniors



The Mendham Seniors offer programs such as Social Services Information, trips, and entertainment pertinent to senior citizens. They meet twice a month. Participants bring their own lunch and beverages and desserts are provided by the club. The group also takes day trips, transportation for which is sponsored by our local governments. All residents aged 55+ are welcome to join. Guests are warmly welcome as well.

Email: mary.cillo@cbmoves.com

Phone: Mary Cillo 201-400-7222

Location: The Garabrant Center, 4 Wilson Street

Meeting Dates & Time: 2nd & 4th Mondays of the month 11 a.m.





The Pastime Club

"Progress in Sports"

The Pastime Club, founded in 1915, through its fundraising activities supports youth athletics, community activities, veterans' organizations, and the Boy Scouts. The Pastime Club is the Charter Organization of the Mendham Troop 1 Boy Scouts. The first BSA Troop in the USA. The club is located at 3 Hilltop Road, near the Phoenix House.

The Club's primary fund-raising event is the annual Labor Day Carnival. The club hosts a four-day event with rides, games, and a food tent. The event culminates with "The Big One" 50/50 drawing followed by a stunning firework display on Labor Day evening.

The Club is home to the Pastime Lanes, a four-lane bowling alley. Pastime Lanes have been a tradition in Mendham since 1953 and is open to Pastime Club members.

Website: mendhampastimeclub.com/

Phone: 973-543-4844 (club); 973-543-6631 (lanes)

Facebook: MendhamPTC



Rotary Club of the Mendhams



Founded in 1975, the Rotary Club of the Mendhams welcomes men and women from diversified business and professional vocations. In its leadership role as a service organization throughout the world, Rotary extends membership to people who will voluntarily and willingly dedicate themselves to the ideals of Rotary and a commitment to "Service Above Self."

Our annual Antique Show at Mendham High School raises funds for charitable assistance to individuals and organizations in need and to perform numerous service projects that enhance the quality of life for all in our communities. Some of our supported projects include scholarships to Mendham High School students, Mendham Little League, Kopila Valley School and Children's Home, Nepal, Market Street Mission, and the Dictionary Project "Gift of Knowledge, which provides dictionaries to all 3rd grade students.

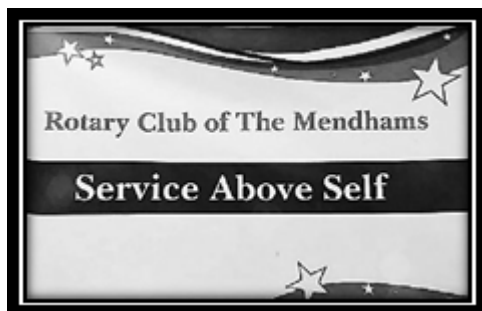
Rotary invites all who are interested in improving our communities and helping make the world a better place in which to live.

Meeting Dates and Time: Bi-monthly on Wednesdays at 6:30 p.m.

Location: The Lamplighter Restaurant, 190 West Main Street, Chester. Join us for dinner!

Website: portal.clubrunner.ca/4065

Facebook: MendhamRotary





Shade Tree Commission 5th Annual “Fall Foliage” Photo Contest

Send your Borough of Mendham Fall Foliage Photos in for your chance to win a tree, of your choice, to be planted in front of your home and published on the Borough Website! Be creative but remember the main subject should be trees. The photos must be of a local Borough of Mendham location and labeled with the name of the location and the photographer's name.

Email Photos To: dpw@mendhamnj.org

Deadline: December 1, 2022

Judges: Shade Tree Commission



West Morris Junior Women's Club

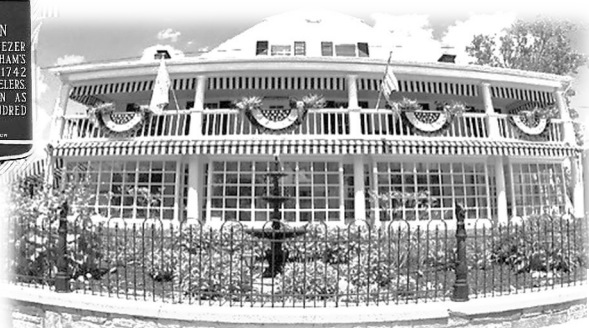


The West Morris Junior Women's Club (WMJWC) founded in 1957 is a community-based volunteer organization connecting women in Mendham and the surrounding West Morris area. The club sponsors charitable, civic, and social activities, as well as cultivating lifelong friendships. Its mission is to unite women of West Morris and neighboring communities to volunteer to build a better community. WMJWC sponsors an annual Thanksgiving food drive, spelling bee, school scholarships, senior luncheon, women entrepreneurial event, and charity fundraisers.

Meeting Dates and Time: 8 p.m. 2nd Thursday of the month (except July and August)

Facebook & Website: wmjwc.org **Instagram:** [westmorrisjuniors](https://www.instagram.com/westmorrisjuniors)

Historic Places of Interest



Black Horse Pub and Tavern

The oldest continuing food establishment in New Jersey, as both an inn and restaurant has sat at the Black Horse's present location since the early eighteenth century. Originally the farmhouse home of Ebenezer Byram, it was opened as tavern to travelers in 1742. Stop in and enjoy a wonderful meal and history!

Location: 1 West Main Street

Hilltop Cemetery

Situated on one of the highest points in the center of the Borough, Hilltop Cemetery was established in 1777. It lies on gradually sloping ground behind Hilltop Presbyterian Church with beautiful views over the Borough. Tied to the Borough of Mendham and revolutionary war history it is the resting place of 27 Revolutionary War soldiers. The Hilltop Cemetery is a non-denominational resting place and is used by Presbyterian, Catholic and Methodist congregations.



Website: hilltopcemetery.com

Location: 18 Hilltop Road



Phoenix House and Garden



The Phoenix House, constructed around 1800, originated as an academy for young ladies. Shortly after the completion of the Washington Turnpike around 1806, William Phoenix purchased the building for use as an inn. From 1857 to 1907 it was used by his daughters as a genteel boarding house—though legend has it that Miss Phoenix continued to sell liquor through a side-door in the kitchen. The building is a fine example of the Federal style, with a Greek Revival-style porch added in 1840. Since 1938, the Phoenix House has been the home of the Borough of Mendham Municipal Offices. Visitors are welcome to spend a little time in the peaceful Phoenix Garden, maintained by the Mendham Garden Club.

Mendham Borough Mayors

1906-1916	E.E. Elliott	1961-1964	John Dippel
1917-1922	Dean Sage	1965-1970	Andrew Fletcher
1923-1934	Charles Day	1971-1974	Robert Mulcahy
1935-1936	W.W.Lounsbury	1975-1978	Harold Ketchum
1937-1938	Michael Coghlen	1979-1990	Michael Ackerman
1939-1940	Frank Freeman	1991-1994	William Steelman
1941-1942	W.W.Lounsbury	1995-1996	Charles Reeves
1943-1946	James Bioff	1996-1998	Michael Ackerman
1947-1952	Clyde Bowers	1999-2006	Richard Kraft
1953-1956	Lawrence Thompson	2007-2018	Neil Henry
1957-1960	Walter Rockerfeller	2019-Present	Christine Glassner



YOGA in the Park

Yoga Instructors & Borough Residents Nathalie Masse,
Melissa Wojcik & Dana Leigh Nix have volunteered to teach
FREE YOGA CLASSES to Borough Residents.

Tuesday Evenings

6:30-7:30pm

Starts June 20th

Check Website below or click on QR Code for 2023 Schedule

Register at:

buttonwoodfarmliving.as.me/



*No Experience Needed, All Levels.
Bring your yoga mat, beach towel or props and
come unwind!*

Location



Small field at far end of
Borough Park. Best
access point is Municipal
Parking Lot behind
businesses on North side
of Main St.



Borough of Mendham Recreation Committee

The Recreation Committee is responsible for planning, promoting, and organizing recreational programs within the Borough and administering them in the interest of the entire community. The Committee is the advisory agent to the Borough Council on all recreational matters and works with and makes recommendations to the Council Recreation and Parks Committee. It oversees the scheduling and operations of the Borough tennis courts, sports fields, recreation facilities, concert series, parades, events & Day Camp.

Meetings
3rd Thursday of the Month
7:30pm
Garabrant Center
4 Wilson St.



APPOINTMENTS

Five Members, Two Alternate and Two Student Members

- Serve 3-year term.
- Appointed by the Mayor with advice and consent of Council.

REGULAR MEMBERS

Dianne Ackerman
 Stephanie Fourie
 Rob D'Urso
 Ned Panfile
 Kevin Lanahan

ALTERNATE MEMBERS

Russ Fritz

RECREATION DIRECTOR

Bruce DisBisceglie

TERM OF OFFICE

01/01/2023 - 12/31/2025
 01/01/2022 - 12/31/2024
 01/01/2023 - 12/31/2025
 01/01/2018 - 12/31/2023
 01/01/2023 - 12/31/2023
 01/01/2022 - 12/31/2023

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BULK TRASH PICK-UP



Mendham Borough Bulk Trash

Collection Guidelines

Acceptable Items

- **Bulky Waste**

Furniture, carpets, mattresses, bed springs, space heaters, water softeners, patio sets, BBQ grills

- **"White Goods"**

Household appliances, automatic dishwashers, washing machines, dryers, air conditioners**, refrigerators**, freezers**

****Refrigerant must be removed. Please call a refrigeration specialist for more information. Items must have a sticker on them indicating refrigerant was removed before Blue Diamond will collect.**

Items must be placed curbside prior to 6:00am Monday

Pick up every Monday

If there is a Holiday on Monday, then Bulk Trash will be picked up Tuesday. Please check the Borough's website for Holiday updates.

Do NOT place bulky items in bags

If a material fits in a bag then please dispose in your regular trash.

Long items should be cut to 5' lengths, tied & bundled, weighing no more than 40lbs.

Items Not Accepted

- **Automotive**

Whole vehicles, parts of a vehicle, batteries, tires, accessories such as mufflers and wheels

- **Construction Waste**

Building construction, alteration or demolition waste, toilets, sinks, bathtubs, cabinets, asphalt shingles, concrete slabs, steel, iron, concrete pipes, railroad ties, any type of fencing, wood/plastic pallets

- **Electronics Waste**

Computers, laptops, monitors, televisions, printers, fax machines.

- **Hazardous Materials**

- **Large Cardboard Boxes**

- **Oversize/Overweight**

Any item weighing more than 300 lbs. or too large to be loaded into garbage truck

- **Vegetation**

Brush, tree parts, leaves, grass clippings

- **Wooden Swing Sets**

Mendham Borough contracts Blue Diamond Disposal to pick up bulk trash items every Monday. If a holiday falls on a Monday pick up will be the next day, Tuesday. If the trash is not picked up, please call Public Works at 973-543-6535 after 1:00pm Monday and provide the following information: your address, telephone number and a description of the material left behind.



Borough of Mendham

2 W. Main St.

Mendham, NJ 07945

mendhamnj.org

973-543-7152

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HEADING TO THE GROCERY STORE? Besides your list, make sure you bring plenty of reusable bags!! NJ is banning both plastic AND paper bags at large grocery stores. So, be Litter Free NJ and keep bags in your car.



**PLEASE BRING
YOUR REUSABLE
BAGS
WHEN YOU SHOP!**

njclean.org