

Greenwich Club

F O R S I N G L E S

May/June 2023
Newsletter

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Greenwich Club for Singles is a social club for mature singles. Sponsored by Christ Church Greenwich, we provide unmarried seniors in our community with the opportunity to meet up and enjoy life through social, cultural, sports and community events. We hold regular meetings, dinners, and social events. \$45 annual membership includes newsletters, discounted member fees to events, and access to members-only gatherings. To join, please download an application from our website (www.GreenwichClub.org).

Join us for the 149th running of the...

Kentucky Derby!

Saturday, May 6

East Lyon Farm, Greenwich

Members \$45 Guests \$55



RSVP: Mail your RSVP and check payable to the Greenwich Club to C. Buckley, 5 Peck Ave., Unit #54B; Rye, NY 10580. As the event is this weekend, you may call Kate at 914-921-5917 to ask if space is available and bring your payment to the party.

Ladies don your derby hat and spring finery; gentlemen choose your favorite sport coat and derby tie; come and enjoy the company of friends, hors d'oeuvres that will delight, betting that will entice and a race that will thrill! Join your fellow members and guests for conversation as they taste and savor refreshing beverages and coconut shrimp, crab cakes, mushroom tarts, smoked salmon, spring rolls, as all watch the horses approach the gate and then race to the finish! Some will hope to win the best hat and others to win the bet on the fastest horse!

Directions on page 4.

Let's Sail Into Summer Together at This Cocktail Party for Members!

WEDNESDAY JUNE 21

6:00 P.M. - 8:00 P.M.



RIVERSIDE YACHT CLUB (South Deck)
102 Club Road, Riverside, CT

Complimentary Hors d'Oeuvres
CASH BAR | | MEMBERS ONLY
RESERVATIONS ARE LIMITED

WE STRONGLY RECOMMEND ALL MEMBERS
BE VACCINATED TO ATTEND THIS EVENT

RSVP by June 12th to Ellen Murdock: emurdock0529@gmail.com

Happy Hour at Tony's at J House, organized by Carolyn and Diane.



St. Patrick's Day dinner at Rory's, organized by Katherine Kraig.



Welcome to Spring Social in the Church Library, hosted by Winnie Walsh.



Calendar Snapshot

- May 5** Free Friday Film
- May 6** Kentucky Derby
- May 12** Free Friday Film
- May 17** Paint Nite
- May 19** Free Friday Film
- May 25** Book Club
- June 21** Riverside Yacht Club Social
- June 22** Book Club

FREE FRIDAY FILMS

<https://www.greenwichlibrary.org/friends-friday-films/>

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DATE: May 5 **TIME:** 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: Greenwich Main Library, Berkley Theater, 101 West Putnam Ave., Greenwich

MEET IN LOBBY: 6:40 p.m. and sit together on left side of the theater facing the stage.

COORDINATOR: Carolyn Möller, double-dot08@gmail.com



This cinematic meditation on power set in the international world of classical music has been nominated for six Oscars. Cate Blanchett anchors the psychological drama as an egotistical conductor whose problematic past starts to catch up with her in a film with no easy answers. Rated R

May 12 – Confess, Fletch

While searching for his fiancé’s stolen art collection, roguishly charming and troublesome investigative reporter I.M. Fletch finds himself the prime suspect in a string of murders and gets tangled in a web of wacky suspects trying to clear his name. Rated R.

May 19 – Devotion

In observance of Memorial Day, join us for this film based on the true story of Jesse Brown, the U.S. Navy’s first black aviator. Jonathan Majors delivers a powerful lead performance, joined by Top Gun: Maverick’s Glen Powell for an inspiring story of brotherhood and service in the Korean War. Rated PG-13.



Monday Night Dinners are on hiatus.

Special Dining Adventures will be announced via email as they are planned, depending on weather

Contact: Katherine Kraig
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WEDNESDAY SOCIALS and EVENTS 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.



When scheduled, meetings are held at the Christ Church Parish House Library, 254 East Putnam Ave., Greenwich, CT 06830. Enter under the cloister (covered walkway). The parking lot is on the east side of the Church.



May 17 - Paint Night, 7 p.m., Christ Church Library. Hosted by Lew Clark. Greenwich Club is giving you the opportunity of another fun paint nite. The Club is

providing acrylic paints, brushes, an easel, a canvas and maybe some wine for inspiration. A finished scene will be provided for you to copy with expert guidance and instruction from Paul Clark (Lew’s son), an experienced paint nite instructor. The result will be something you can hang on the wall even if it is the closet. The Club is asking for a \$20 fee to purchase the supplies. And you must make reservations through Lew Clark (203-846-2762 or lewiswc2022@yahoo.com) so we know the quantity of supplies needed.

June 21 - Riverside Yacht Club “sail into summer” cocktail party. See page 1 for details.



SAVE THE DATES!

August 5th: Summer Lobsterfest at Greenwich Point Park



August 19: Pool Party hosted by a new member (rain date August 20)



BOOK CLUB

The Book Group meets on the fourth Thursday of the month at 1:30 P.M. at Ann Sexton’s house, 57 Drum Hill Lane, Stamford, CT. Ann is a former librarian, and all books selected for discussion are of interest to both men and women. New members are always welcome! For more information: Call Ann Sexton, 203-968-8090

BOARD CORNER

The Greenwich Club Board and Committee Chairs are grateful for the opportunity to continue to move our club forward for our members.

The Board continues to be aware of ongoing concerns of our members regarding attending social indoor gatherings. The health and safety of our members, friends, and families is of the highest priority and is at the forefront of planning events. The Board is able and willing to plan club events for our members. To successfully plan for future events, we need to hear your voice regarding the type of activity you would like to attend:

- Day or evening events
- Weekday or weekend
- No/low cost vs. higher-end events
- BYO food/picnic type of activity or prepared food
- Local or distant day trips

Please feel free to email Greenwich Club at greenwichclubct@gmail.com or talk in-person to a Board member. We are listening!

The Board wants to thank Katherine Kraig for planning the St. Patrick’s Day celebration at Rory’s in Darien. A fun Irish time was had by all!

We extend a warm welcome to our newest member James. We look forward to greeting him at one of our future events.

With the ‘Members Only’ cocktail party at the Riverside Yacht Club in June, now is the time to renew your membership or join so that you can attend this annual special event.



HIKING

For the monthly hiking schedule, directions and other information go to: www.thehikinggroup.com Meetup site: <http://www.meetup.com/The-Hiking-Group-Ct-NY>



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DIRECTIONS:

East Lyon Farm Clubhouse, Weaver Street, Greenwich

From the Post Rd. (Route 1). Take E. Weaver St. (a gas station is on the corner) and bear right onto Weaver St. Go past the blinking light, then turn right onto E. Lyon Farm Dr. Go up the hill and take first left into parking lot. The barn is at the end of the path. From Glenville Rd. take a left onto Weaver St. (A gas station is on the corner.) Follow Weaver, then turn left just before the blinking light. There is ample parking. Don’t go into the West Lyon Farm complex. If you must park in the road, please park all on one side.

Riverside Yacht Club, 102 Club Rd., Riverside, CT

I-95 exit 5, turn left at the light and proceed west on Route 1 (East Putnam Ave./Post Rd.). Proceed through the next traffic signal. The second traffic signal will be at the intersection of Route 1 and Riverside Ave. A large brick church (St. Catherine of Sienna) will be on your far left corner. Turn left onto Riverside Ave. and proceed about a mile down the road, over the railroad bridge. At the stop sign, bear right to continue on Riverside Avenue. Club Rd. will be the second road on your right after the bridge. Turn right onto Club Rd. and proceed to the end to enter Riverside Yacht Club.