# Summer

West Harlem Piers Park & Fort Washington Park

## **SPECIAL EVENTS**

# Sweet Spot Festival MAY Aug

SOH & Kindred Arts create a familyfriendly gathering of community, cultures & music lovers of all ages. Sounds spun by a collection of North America's renowned sound architects.

Saturday, May 20 (rain date May 21) & August 5, 3-9pm

Pier @ 125th & Marginal Sts.

#### Revival June

Dances For A Variable Population. legendary dancers, and neighborhood adults perform seminal dance techniques of the 20th Century alongside the dancers who created them.

Saturday, June 17, 6pm Grant's Memorial Plaza

#### Riverside Gallery - Art in the Park June

Tour the Riverside Park open air gallery to see three sculptures by the accomplished teams of artists in the 7th year of The Art Students League Model to Monument public art project.

# On view June-May during park hours

Join us for an opening ceremony and tour with the artists on the 145th Lawn date & time TBA

#### Quiet Clubbing Aug

Don headphones and party on the pier with hundreds of all-ages revelers and two live DJs spinning different genres. Change DJs with a flick of a switch and sway along with your friends or to your

Saturday, August 26, 5-10pm Pier @ 125th & Marginal Sts.

# Bingo SEPT

BYO food & beverages to this all ages, free to enter, B-I-N-G-O night. Each game winner receives a prize!

Fridays in September, 6-7:30pm 125th & Marginal Sts.

## **MUSIC & DANCE**

#### Shape Up NYC Zumba in West Harlem Piers Park MAY JUNE JULY

Shape Up NYC (a NYC Parks partnership with Empire Blue Cross Blue Shield and NYC Service) offers Zumba!

Saturdays, May -September, 11am Pier @ 125th & Marginal Sts.

# Dance for Seniors MAY JUNE JULY

Dances for a Variable Population master teacher Naomi Goldberg Haas and members of the intergenerational company, lead dance workshops for all ages and abilities with a focus on seniors. Celebrate moving in strong and creative ways. All fun. All welcome!

Fridays, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, September 8, 6-7pm

Lawn @ 133rd & Marginal Sts.

#### Everybody Tango! JUNE JUNE

Enjoy Argentine Tango with an introductory lesson, music, and dancing in the open air lea by Strictly Tango NYC. Lessons at 6:45 & 7:45.

Thursdays, June & July, 6:30-8:30pm Fishing Pier @ 125th & Marginal Sts.

# Harlem Dances MAY JUNE JULY AUG

Join different local companies for dance performances and lessons of different movement styles.

Third Friday, May-August, 6:30-7:30pm 125th & Marginal Sts.

May 19 NYC Bhangra / expresses the joy, passion, and energy of life Xochipilli Dance Ensemble /

diversos estilos de danza folklórica mexicana

The Movement Creative / finding new potential in ourselves and the spaces we move through.

Fusha Dance Company/ dance, drum, and culture from Africa and the Diaspora

# Friday Freshen Up MAY JUNE JULY AUG

Kick off the weekend with some local sounds at this monthly musical get-happy hour Last Friday, May-August, 7-8pm 125th & Marginal Sts.

May 26 Felisa / cumbia, bolero, bossa nova mixed with R&B, soul, and hiphop

St. Lenox / art-pop project of former Juilliard-trained concert violinist

**Eliuri** / *letras de mensaie v* conciencia social con candente auitarra rockera

August 25 Soul Science Lab / innovative Afro futuristic griot

# **FAMILY FUN**

#### Learn To Ride! MAY

New riders (5yrs & up) learn to balance, ride & enjoy life on two wheels. Reservations required, visit bike.nyc/education/classes/

Saturday, May 27, 10am-4pm

135th St. & the Greenway (under the highway)

First come, first trained; there may be a wait.

# Play Dates! MAY JUNE JULY AUG

Monthly outdoor parties featuring children's entertainers, arts & crafts, and neighborhood

Second Saturday, May-August, 1-4pm 125th & Marginal Sts.

Dave Jay / making kids laugh Magic at Coney!!! / magical variety show **Charlini** / a magic pirate journey for children of all ages

August 12 WonderSpark Puppets / The Lion & The Mouse though whimsical puppetry

#### **New York City Fish Count**

As part of the annual World Science Festival we will wade into the Hudson River to collect and count what species of fish we find. How will our site differ from others? Join us for this fun waterside event!

Saturday, June 3, 11am-1pm Fort Washington Park @ 172nd

# RiverFish Celebration June

SOH & Urban Park Rangers connect you to the life living within the Hudson River with catch and release fishing, The Fuzzy Lemons, Music with Patrick, and river-related arts & crafts. Fishing equipment provided.

Sunday, June 24, 11am-3pm 125th & Marginal Sts.

#### Game Days Aug

Calling children 10 and under! Want something fun to do on a sunny afternoon? Games such as giant tic tac toe, hopscotch, jump rope and more will be waiting for your arrival. Small groups & neighbors welcome.

Tuesdays & Wednesdays in August,

125th & Marginal Sts.

#### Little Red Lighthouse Festival (SEPT)

Celebrate Manhattan's only remaining lighthouse with Urban Park Ranger educational presentations, visits to the lighthouse interior, readings of eponymous children's book, fishing clinics, live music, food vendors, and fun family activities!

Saturday, September 30, 12-4pm Fort Washington Park @ 181st

# Holiday on the Hudson

Join us for our tree lighting party and celebrate the season with live music, dancing, decoration making, and hot chocolate (while supplies last).

Saturday, December 9, 4:30-6:30pm 125th & Marginal Sts.

#### **PARTNER PROGRAMS IN** RIVERSIDE PARK

#### Riverside Park Conservancy **Volunteer Opportunities** Give some love to Riverside Park: chip in for

park improvement projects. Events take place rain or shine.

See riversideparknyc.org for dates and times or call 212.870.3070 for more details.

#### Overlook Concerts

For specific music information visit riversideparknyc.org

From Blues to a 50-piece band, these concerts make Sundays in the park so sweet. Sunday, April 23, 30, & May 7, 2pm

116th Street Overlook

#### **Hudson Warehouse Presents the** Classics JUNE JULY AUG

For specific show information and times see hudsonwarehouse.net

June 1- 25, June 29-July 23, July 27-August 20 West 89th Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument

#### **Hudson Warehouse** Shakespeare Workout JUNE JULY AUG

Covering the elements of Voice Production, Acting and Stage Combat. Open to all, ages 13 and up. Online registration necessary: hudsonwarehouse.net

Saturdays, June 17, July 15 & August 12, 3-5pm West 89th Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument

#### **RCTA Summer Sunset Concert** Series July Aug

For specific listings visit rcta.info or call 212.978.0277

Music includes Classical, Jazz, Reggae, Brazilian and more.

Saturdays, June 10-August 19 (no show July

Lawn north of 96th St. Clay Courts

#### **WEATHER TROUBLE?** IS THE EVENT ON?

Check > @SummeronHudson or nyc.gov/parks/soh 2 hours before the event.









EVENTS ALL

SUMMER







#### SPECIAL EVENTS & FULL DAY FESTIVAL S



Irish Arts Center kicks off SOH17 with its annual day-long Irish Dance Festival featuring performances by hundreds of the best Irish dancers and opportunities for the whole family to join in. *irishartscenter.org* 

Sunday, May 7, 1-7pm — Pier I @ 70th St.

#### The Rail Yard History of Riv erside Park South MAY AUG

Take an informative walking tour of Riverside Park South with rail history expert Tom Flagg Sundays, May 14 & Aug 6 2017, 11am

Pier I@ 70th St.

#### Mamapalooza! MAY

Celebrate all families at our annual festival featuring music, wellness activities, art, activism, and fierce feminist vendors & get inspired to sing out a message of peace, acceptance, and equality.

Sunday, May 28, 12-5pm — Pier I @ 70th St

#### **AmpLit: Amplifying Fresh Voices** in the Literature June

SOH & Lamprophonic amplify fresh voices in the literature and bring authors center stage with readings, workshops, panels, and a community market making one of life's most solitary acts, writing, a public celebration. See more lamprophonic.com/amplit-fest/

Saturday, June 10, 12-5pm — Pier I @ 70th St.

# **MUSIC & DANCE**

#### Let's Dance! JUNE

Learn to dance Salsa, Zouk and Bachata with lessons and group social dances led by master teachers from the Piel Canela Dance and Music School featuring DJ Ray Colon.

Sundays in June, 6-9:30pm — Pier I @ 70th St.

#### #TotallyPublicKaraoke JUNE JULY AUG SE

September 24, 1-4pm - Base of Pier I @ 70th St.

#### Stargazing June July Aug

SunGaze MAY JUNE JULY AUG SEPT

Join Amateur Astronomers Association to

gaze at the central star of our solar system

Sundays, May 28, June 25, July 30, August 27,

Join Amateur Astronomers Association to see the moon, planets, and stars aided by expert

Saturdays, June 10, July 8, August 12, 8-11pm Pier I @ 70th St. Base of Pier I@ 70th St.

#### FIVNYC AUG

with special scopes.

Come fly a kite at this festival for all ages! Celebrate simple fun with live music and free kite-making for children (kites while supplies

Saturday, August 19, 12-5pm Pier I @ 70th St.

#### West Side County Fair SEPT

Enjoy a BIG day of county fair magic in Manhattan with carnival rides and games. awesome bands, sideshow performers. aerialists, local food and merchandise vendors. cotton candy, and more!

Sunday, September 10, 1-6pm 68th – 70th Sts. (rain date: Sunday, September 17)

Amaze the crowd when you rock the mic at #TotallyPublicKaraoke nights. Bring your friends, your voice, and your courage. All ages Fridays, June 2, July 7, August 4, September 1, 6-10pm — Pier I @ 70th St.

Make Music New York June

# On the Waterfront: American Music for Piano

Duet highlights American four-hand music played by young students and professional adult headliners.

Wednesday, June 21, 4:30-7pm

#### Amplified Sundays July

Vibrantly danceable live music accompanied by spectacular sunsets over the Hudson River! Sundays in July, 7pm — Pier I @ 70th St.

July 2 Mr. Reed / NYC soul artist backed by

July 9 Lyla Canté / Cantor meets Flamenco quitarist & sparks fly

July 16 Innov Gnawa / venerable & hypnotic gnawa music is the "The Moroccan Films on the Green Festival

July 23 Dahlia Dumont's Blue Dahlia / international reggae, sewn with French chanson, ska, and tango

July 30 La Mecánica Popular / a unique blend of processed Peruvian-style quitar licks & experimental synths

#### Silent Disco June

Don headphones and party on the pier with hundreds of all-ages revelers at this Ouiet Clubbing event featuring two live DJs of different genres. Shift DJs with a flick of a switch and sway along to the same song as your friends or to your own tune.

Saturday, June 3, 5-10pm — Pier I @ 70th St.

#### Dance Safari! SEPT

A quided walk searching out site-specific dances choreographed for Riverside Park South. Wear comfortable shoes. For featured choreographers visit nyc.gov/parks/soh

September 23 & 24, 5-6:30pm Meet @ 68th St. & Riverside Blvd.

#### **MOVIES**

#### Pier I Picture Show JULY AUG

Pack a picnic, bring a friend and settle in for a movie out on the Pier. Open Captioned.

Wednesdays, July 5-August 16, dusk (~8:30 pm) Pier I @ 70th St.

Blazing Saddles	
Dr. Strangelove	
What's Up Doc	
The Truman Show	
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The French Embassy and NYC Parks present

Festival featuring free French films in NYC

Friday, July 21 & July 28, 8:30pm

Pier I @ 70 St. (rain dates July 22 & 29)

the 10th annual outdoor Films on the Green

parks. Visit frenchculture.org for more details.

August 16 Beetlejuice

August 2 The Muppets Movie Tots Soccer & Pee Wee Basketball August 9 The Big Lebowski

> All little ones syrs and under welcome at this introduction to soccer and basketball.

*Tots Soccer* 9:30–10:30am

#### Locomotive Lawn Live MAY JUNE

Moosiki Kids Musical Storytime fosters a love of reading at a young age with musical stories & sing along encouragement on our comfy & danceable turf lawn right by the big locomotive. Great for kids 5yrs & under!

KIDS

Thursdays, May 11 – June 29, 10:30-11:15am Locomotive Lawn @ 61 St.

#### Children's Performance Series

Music, storytelling & theater for young audiences up to age 7. Wear sunscreen! Stroller parking in designated area is mandatory.

#### Thursdays in July 10-10:45am Pier I@ 70th St.

July 6 Mister G / a one-of-a-kind, interactive, bilingual fiesta for the whole family

July 13 Lucy Kalantari & the Jazz Cats interactive jazz-scat-along play

July 20 Danny Weinkauf and his Red Pants Band Live! / fun & intelligent edu-

July 27 Life's A Real Dream / Lard Dog & The Band of Shy slurp the noodle of

Pee Wee Basketball 10:30–11:30am

Thursdays, August 3-31 71st St. Soccer Field & Basketball Courts



## Pilates in the Park June July Aug

Join Melissa Ricci, CPT, PMA from Base Fitness® for a multi-level class that tones and balances your muscles, aligns your body, and strengthens your core! Bring your own mat.

Tuesdays, June 6th-August 29, 6:30pm The Plaza @ 66th St.

# Yoga - Evening Salute to the Sun

Hatha Yoga with Hollis and a beautiful sunset Suitable for all fitness levels. Please wear loose, comfortable clothing and bring your own mat.

Wednesdays, June 7-September 27, 6:30pm The Plaza @ 66th St.

#### Senior Movement June July

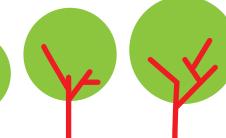
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Thursdays, June 1-July 27, 6:30pm Pier I @ 70th St.

#### Bodyroll Workout w/ VIVA! SEPT

A '90s inspired dance aerobics class designed to getchu feeling suppa duppa fly with slammin' moves to bangin' grooves!

Tuesdays in September, 6:30pm The Plaza @ 66th St.



# Summer Hudson

# Mid Riverside Park

# Tai Chi (MAY) JUNE JULY (AUG

Join Silvana Pizzuti to learn and practice Tai Chi. a slow moving martial art with health benefits for all fitness levels.

Sundays, May 7- August 13, 8am - West 89th Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Plaza

# Riverside HIIT MAY JUNE

Veteran Donald Calliste leads a series of exercises with varied tempos that send your body into fat burning overdrive & continue fat burning after you've completed your workout.

Tuesdays, May 9-September 26, 6:30-7:15pm Terrace @ 108th St.

# Yoga Flow MAY JUNE

Link mindful breath with movement in this full spectrum yoga practice that includes modifications and intensifications depending on experience level. Veteran Nina Semczuk helps you cultivate strength, flexibility, balance, and focus while enjoying yoga outdoors.

Thursdays, May 11-September 28, 6:30-7:30pm - Lawn @ 78th St.

# Butt & Gut MAY JUNE JULY AUG SEPT

Veteran Donald Calliste leads a class to tone and define your core. lower back, and glutes combined with cardio exercises that will maximize your fat burning potential.

Saturdays, May 13-September 30, 10:30-11:15am Meet @ Soldiers' & Sailors' Monument Plaza

#### Make Some Noise: A Celebration of Women and Music MAY

SOH rejoins with Barnard College for an evening celebrating women in music with a selection from NYC colleges and universities performing in an astounding natural setting.

Saturday, May 13, 5-9pm Crabapple Grove @ 95th St.

#### **GRO Girls Welcome Season** Opener Jam MAY Girls Riders Organization & SOH celebrate

the skateboarding season with a meet and greet, open skate, girls all level learn to ride, board decorating, and ending with a game of S.K.A.T.E. Bring your board and full gear (helmet, elbow & knee pads for those over 18 / + wrist guards for those under 18) to join in.

More GRO & SOH girls skate Saturdays: June 24, July 22, August 26, 1-4pm

Saturday, May 27, 12pm-4pm Riverside Skate Park @ 108th St.

#### Make Music New York JUSTICE, a site specific sound and

movement performance inspired by the Ancient Greek myth of Atlas and Athena and human equilibrium between ourselves, the earth, and the unfolding natural universe.

Wednesday, June 21, 7:30pm Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument

# Human Chess SEPT

Become your favorite game piece and navigate the chess board as a team sport.

Thursdays in September, 4-6pm West 89th Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument Plaza

#### Riverside Park Skate Clinic



Three day cumulative skateboarding instruction for beginners and intermediates creating a strong skill foundation (safety, creative fun, teamwork) and taking it to the next level: contest preparation.

Space limited & pre-registration required - 212.408.0219

Thursday & Friday August 31 & September 1, 4-7pm & Saturday September 2, 11am-3pm Riverside Skate Park @ 108th St

#### Riverside Park Skate Jam SEPT

Our annual celebration of Riverside Park's 108th St. Skate Park with competitions, open skate, raffle, food vendors, and all day fun. Bring your board and full gear (helmet, elbow & knee pads 18yr+ / add wrist guards for under 18yrs) to join in, or check your board at the gate and hang out

Sunday, September 3, 12-5pm Riverside Skate Park @ 108th St.

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**If** Summer on the Hudson

FOR CALENDAR VIEW with links to video and sound from 2017's artists, PLEASE VISIT www.nyc.gov/parks/soh

#### **SOH GENERAL INFO:**

the Hudson programming is FREE TO THE PUBLIC. Seating is limited, unreserved, and available on a firstcome, first-served basis beginning 1-2 hours before the event. If there is heavy rain at the time of the event, the event will be cancelled. If attendance reaches maximum capacity management reserves the

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Riverside Park South is located on the Hudson River between 59th & 72nd Streets with entrances @ 59th, 68th, 72nd. Riverside Park South Park closes @11pm.

right to close participation.

- West Harlem Piers Park is located on the Hudson River between 124 & 135th Sts. Riverside Park & West Harlem Piers Park close @ 1am.
- Permanent food & drink concessions (cafes) are located in the park @ 70th, 79th, & 105th. Mobile vendors can be found in various locations throughout the park.
- Restrooms are located @ 70th. 72nd, 79th, 83rd (Playground), 91st (Playground) 97th (Playground), 105th (Ballfields) 123rd (Playground) & 148th (Playground).



To donate or to volunteer please contact the Riverside Park Conservancy.