NEIGHBORHOOD & PROJECT UPDATES:

I. BPC Resiliency Project Updates
   o South Battery Park City Resiliency Project—
     ✓ April 15 Wagner Design Activity Workshop captured input from greater BPC community on how they experience and use Wagner Park currently, and how they envision its future evolution. Video from that session here.
     ✓ For those unable to attend, please make your voice heard by WEDNESDAY, MAY 8, 2019 by completing a digital version of the design workshop activity boards.
       • Fill in the attached file electronically and email it to BPCA at: sbpc-workshop@bpca.ny.gov
       • OR print it out, complete it manually, scan, and email it to BPCA
       • OR return a hard copy in person to:
         BPCA Entry Lobby Reception Desk
         75 Battery Place, NY, NY 10280
         Weekdays 8:30am - 5:30PM

   ✓ South BPC Resiliency Project Public Meeting #3 – June 24 or 26 (TBD)
II. BPC Security  
  o BPCA worked with leadership at P.S./I.S. 276 to add security blocks to northeastern corner of sidewalk of Battery Place and 2nd Place, complementing those previously added to southeastern corner (@ 1st Place)

III. Springtime in Battery Park City  
  o In addition to the opening of our parks lawns on April 15, signs of spring abound in BPC due to the work of our horticultural team—
IV. Tribeca Bridge Repainting
   - Completed in mid-April – ahead of schedule and under budget

V. NYPD Neighborhood Policing
   - About Neighborhood Policing
   - Battery Park City’s Neighborhood Coordination Officers are:

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PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS & STATUS UPDATES

I. **BPCA Summer 2019 Program & Event Guide**
   - More than 650 public programs & events across BPC from May-August

   - Highlights of the Summer Program & Event Guide include—

     ✓ **Live Music Thursdays.** Thursday night is live music night in Battery Park City! Join us on Thursdays in June, July, and August for free outdoor concerts showcasing a range of artists and styles from around the world — including the 20th Anniversary of the Battery Park City summer classic *River & Blues* series in July.

     ✓ **Go Fish! Battery Park City’s Celebration of Life in the Hudson River Estuary:** *Saturday, May 11, 10am-1PM @ Wagner Park.* Join experienced anglers for catch-and-release fishing and learn about life in the Hudson River; event also features an art project and a nature walk. Plus: Don’t miss the kindie rock and reggae tunes of Brooklyn-based king of the dance party Father Goose!
The Art of Nelson A. Rockefeller Park: Sunday, May 19, 2PM.
Commissioned to celebrate where the city meets the waterfront, BPC’s public art is fascinating to view and discuss. Join contemporary art historian Dorothea Basile for thought-provoking dialogue starting at The Real World, moving to Pavilion and concluding at The Lily Pool, where poet and Irish Literature professor Jon Curley will discuss the poetry inscribed at the site.

Participatory Community Dances: Select Saturdays, 6:30-8PM @ Esplanade Plaza. June 1, July 27, and August 24

Silent Disco Pride Party: Saturday, June 15, 7-10PM @ Wagner Park.
Celebrate World Pride Month with a silent disco dance party featuring pride DJ’s from QuietEvents. Breath-taking sunset views and Lady Liberty serve as backdrop to the hottest beats pumped through light-up headphones. Check-in with friends sharing info about LGBTQI+ community services and stay tuned for a few more surprises that will truly make it a special night! Headphones free; deposit required.

Swedish Midsummer Festival: Friday June 21, 5PM @ Wagner Park. The Battery Park City summer classic! Celebrate the summer solstice with traditional Swedish folk dances from Barnklubben Elsa Rix, and join in lively dance around the Midsummer pole. Make wreaths from beautiful flowers representing those in bloom on the solstice in Sweden. Enjoy a parade, children’s games, Swedish delicacies, and traditional music by Paul Dahlin and fiddlers from the American Swedish Institute in Minneapolis.

Battery Park City Community Field Day: Thursday, June 27, 10am-1PM @ Rockefeller Park. School’s out! Join us at this community favorite in Rockefeller Park. Fast break to the basketball court for a trick shot show featuring NYC’s own Harlem Wizards. Kick back with some ice cream, and listen to beats by a live DJ. Engage in classic field day games like potato-sack races, relays and tug-of-war. Don’t miss out on face painting, giant lawn games, water play, and spinning the BPC Big Wheel for prizes.

Teen Art Experience: July 8-26, 10am-4PM @ 6 River Terrace. Join other teens as we explore BPC’s unique urban landscape and make artwork inspired by its parks, gardens and world-class public art installations. Gain new perspectives with visits to our neighborhood museums and institutions. In-studio and outdoor sessions in drawing, painting, ceramic sculpture and printmaking will be led by professional artists. We will collaborate on group pieces and create individual work for culminating art shows. Registration required; weekly rates available.
CB1 Battery Park City Committee Report – 1 May 2019

✓ **Saturday Family Workshops: 11am-12:30PM @ Rockefeller Park.** May 18, July 27, and August 24 (more info here)

✓ **TIME:SPANS Festival: Saturday, August 10, 7PM @ Wagner Park.**
TIME:SPANS is an annual festival dedicated exclusively to the presentation of twenty-first century music. BPC hosts the festival’s opening night performance of Klaus Lang’s Bright Darkness by Israel-based Ensemble Nikel. Enjoy an immersive experience in this surround-sound performance by physically entering into a musical journey with audience members and musicians.

✓ **Battery Dance Festival: August 11-16, 7-9PM @ Wagner Park.** Celebrate the 38th year of New York City’s longest-running public dance festival presented by Battery Dance. Enjoy six days of exciting international and local dance companies against one of the most beautiful backgrounds in the city. More info: [batterydance.org/batterydancefestival](http://batterydance.org/batterydancefestival)

II. **ePermit Application Expansion**
   o Originally launched in December 2017, BPCA’s ePermit system allows users to submit permit applications and make payments
   o Tool expanded to now include following permit locations:
     ✓ Community Center @ Stuyvesant High School
     ✓ BPC Ball Fields
     ✓ Pier A Plaza
     ✓ 6 River Terrace
     ✓ 200 Rector Place

III. **BPC Ball Fields: Spring Hours**
   o BPC Ball Fields are open 8:00am-9:00PM daily
   o [BPC Ball Fields Availability (March – June 2019)](#)

IV. **Lost & Found Contact Information**
   o Allied Universal Command Center
     200 Rector Place
     (212) 945-7233 [bpcallied@b pca.ny.gov](mailto:bpcallied@bpc.ny.gov)
V. Community Center at Stuyvesant High School | 345 Chambers Street

- CCSHS Hours (September-June): Mon.-Fri., 7-10 PM; Sat. & Sun., 1-9 PM
- Deeply-discounted, full-access, annual membership rates:
  - Adults (18+): $199
  - Adult BPC Residents: $179
  - Youth, Seniors (62+) & Military: $79
  - BPC Resident Youths, Seniors & Military: $59
- Day passes also available – $15 for adults and $10 for youth, seniors, military & BPC residents

VI. BPC Community Composting

- Drop off anytime between 7:30am-5pm on weekdays
- Two convenient locations:
  - 75 Battery Place (BPC Parks Headquarters)
  - Tribeca Tool Room (Lower Level of Chambers Street & River Terrace)
- Thank you for helping keep Battery Park City beautiful!

ANNOUNCEMENTS / UPCOMING:

I. 2019 BPCA Board Meetings – 200 Liberty Street, 24th Floor, 2:00PM (schedule subject to change)

- May 21
- June 25
- July 30
- August 27
- September 24
- October 29
- November 19
- December 17
II.  **NYPD First Precinct Community Council**
- Thursday, May 30, 6:30pm @ NYPD 1st Precinct (16 Ericsson Street)
- 1st Precinct Updates: twitter.com/NYPD1Pct
- More info: www.1stprecinctcc.org

III. **2019 BPC Open Community Meetings – 6 River Terrace, 6-7:30PM (tentative dates)**
- Wednesday, June 19
- Tuesday, October 2

**PERMITTED WALKS / RUNS:**

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<td>Sat – May 4, 9:45am-12:00PM</td>
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<td>Sat – May 4 (setup) &amp; Sun – May 5 (event), 5:00-10:00am</td>
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<td>NYPD Run Club</td>
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<td>Sun – May 19, 7:00am-1:00PM</td>
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<td>Event no longer using Vesey Street. Registration at PS 89 – Brief ceremony at NYC Police Memorial – proceed to Liberty &amp; West Sts. – exit BPC @ SHS Plaza</td>
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## BPCA – Allied Universal Quality of Life Statistics
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