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BROOKLYN COMMUNITY HOUSING AND SERVICES

2019 SPRING/SUMMER ACTIVITIES

February

• February 28th – Black History and Women's Month Celebration 6pm – 8pm

BCHS holds its annual Black History and Women's History Month celebration at Navy Green. Staff and residents honor the rich history, culture and accomplishments of African-Americans throughout history, along with tributes to the achievements of great Women throughout history. The event is held in the entrance stadium of Navy Green, with dinner served in the community room.

April

• April 17th– Easter Egg Decorating 4pm - 6pm

Easter eggs are provided to the children of Arbor Inn, who then paint and decorate the eggs for Easter. Snacks and entertainment are provided in the Brooklyn Gardens Community Room.

• April 18th Easter and Passover Celebration 5pm – 7pm

Staff and residents make presentations in honor of the Passover and Easter holidays, including sampling of traditional holiday foods, in the Brooklyn Gardens Community Room. Dinner is served.

May

• May 10th- Mother's Day 11pm - 3pm

The female residents of BCHS come together for the annual BCHS Mother's Day Brunch. The event is held in the community room of Brooklyn Gardens.

• May 15th - Talented Brooklyn Gala 11am – 10pm

BCHS holds its annual Resident Art Show as the centerpiece to the annual gala. Volunteers are needed for set-up, check-in, escorting, and clean-up.

• May 18th- Gardening Day 10am - 3pm

Volunteers come and work with staff and residents to weed, plant, water and mulch, and revitalize the flowerbeds and garden areas in and around the Brooklyn Gardens courtyard.

• May 27th – Memorial Day Cookout 11am- 3pm

We kick off the summer with our first Cookout of the season at Brooklyn Gardens. Residents from all of BCHS' programs come out to the Brooklyn Gardens courtyard, and the residents and staff eat, play games and officially bring in the summer.

June

• <u>June 14th – Father's Day Brunch</u> 11pm-3pm

The male residents of BCHS come together for the annual BCHS Father's Day Brunch. The event is held in the community room of Brooklyn Gardens.

• June TBA – Staff Picnic 11am-3pm

Traditionally held in Prospect Park, BCHS' annual staff picnic is filled with good food, activities and games, as well as a raffle, and features the agency's annual Employee Recognition Award.

July

• July 4th – Independence Day BBQ 11am-3pm

Held in the courtyard of Brooklyn Gardens, we get together for our 4th of July cookout to enjoy the summer and celebrate Independence Day.

September

• September 2nd- Labor Day- 11-3pm

We close out the summer with our last Cookout of the season. Residents from all of BCHS' programs come out to the Brooklyn Gardens courtyard, and close out the summer with food, games, and music.

To register to volunteer, please email Stacey Mohammed at: Volunteer@BCHandS.org.