Here is what's happening at Felicity House in July



July Calendar of Events

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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7	8	9 Anime SIG 4pm - 6pm People's Improv Theater Workshop 6:00 pm- 8:00pm	10	Zumba 4pm - 5:00pm People's Improv Theater Workshop 6:00 pm- 8:00pm	Open Hours 1-5pm LEGO SIG 2pm - 4pm Magic & Mentalism 5pm-7pm	13
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Event Descriptions

SIG: Anime, Tuesday, July 9th, 4:00pm-6:00pm

For this month, the anime group will watch Laid-Back Camp about high school student, Nadeshiko, who goes on an outdoor adventure to see Mount Fuji.

Workshop: People's Improv Theater Workshop, Tuesday, July 9th from 6:00pm-8:00pm and Thursday, July 11th 6:00pm-8:00pm

Ready to flex your acting and improv skills? Professional improvisers from the People's Improv Theater will lead us through games and exercises that explore beginner improv techniques. We'll cover the principles of "Yes, And" and how to build a story and scene. Come prepared to use your imagination, get out of your comfort zone, and learn to

think on your feet!

Fitness: Zumba, Thursday, July 11th, 4:00pm-5:00pm

Whether you're a beginner or long-time Zumba fan, come join us for this calorie-burning dance fitness party. Comfortable w orkout clothing and shoes are mandatory.

Open Hours: Fridays, July 12th and 19th from 1:00pm-5:00pm, Friday, July 26th 3:00-5:00pm, and Thursday July 18th from 6:00pm-8:00pm

Open Hours are opportunities to use the lounge, art studio, and other public spaces at Felicity House to socialize, puzzle, relax, or work on projects. A guest artist will be available to assist with projects. Open to community members only.

On Friday, July 26th we're having our third annual Harry Potter Open Hours. This year, class is in session! Come ready to attend Hogwarts and learn a thing or two about Herbology.

On Thursday, July 18th from 6pm-5pm, all needlew ork lovers are invited to casually join our knitting instructor, Dorota, to work on individual projects in embroidery, sewing, crocheting, or other needlecrafts.

SIG: LEGO SIG, Friday, July 12th, 2:00pm-4:00pm

Another month, another round of LEGOS. Lego SIG is a chance for LEGO enthusiasts to get together in this monthly special interest group to build together with individual bricks and advanced LEGO sets.

Performance: Magic and Mentalism, Friday, July 12th from 5:00pm-7:00pm and Tuesday, July 23rd, 6:00pm-8:00pm

As seen on NBC and ESPN, Jason Suran returns to Felicity House for a mind-blowing show where he does the seemingly impossible in both magic and mentalism. From bending spoons with his brain to card tricks that will boggle the mind, he's one of the most sought-after performers of magic in America.

Disability Pride Parade, Sunday, July 14th at 10:00am

The Disability Pride Parade NYC was formed to promote inclusion, awareness, and visibility of people with disabilities. Join Felicity House as we march in the fifth annual parade. All parade participants will be asked to meet on Sunday, July 14h at 10:00am in the lobby of 162 Fifth Avenue (the entrance is on 21st street between 5th and 6th ave). We will walk to the parade together starting at Madison Square Park and head down to Union Square where you can choose to stay on your own to participate in the parade's festival and celebration.

Fitness: Yoga & Meditation, Tuesday, July 16th, 4:00pm-5:30pm

Get your zen on with professional yoga instructor, Kyla Barkin. Workout clothing and clean socks are mandatory. After the yoga workout concludes, participants are invited to enjoy optional guided meditation from 5:00 pm to 5:30pm.

SIG: Writer's Room, Tuesday, July 16th, 6:00pm-8:00pm

The Writer's Room is quiet space where community members can come to work on facilitated writing prompts with a professional writing instructor. Nicole Kear, author of *Now I See You* is back to facilitate prompts. There will be an optional opportunity to share your work and receive feedback from the instructor.

Town Hall: Thursday, July 25th 5:00pm-6:00pm

Town Hall is a leadership meeting that helps us plan future programming. All Felicity House participants are invited to join, listen, bring up ideas, and share feedback on current programs and events. Comments can be shared during the meeting or by putting them in the suggestion box.

SIG: Book Lovers, Friday, July 19th, 2:00pm-3:00pm

The Book Lover's Special Interest Group will be reading the first published book in one of the most magical series in literature: The Chronicles of Narnia. In *The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe*, four children stumble on the magical land of Narnia through the wardrobe closet in their spare room. The children must fight the clock and face the White Witch in order to save Narnia and their new magical friends.

SIG: Improv, Friday, July 19th, 5:00pm-6:30pm

This monthly SIG offers a low-pressure opportunity to exercise your improv skills. The Improv SIG is led by professional instructors who will take us through a series of fun and exciting improv games.

Circles:

Circle 1 Tuesday, July 30th, 3:30pm-5:00pm

Circle 2, Thursday, July 25th, 6:00pm-7:30pm

Circle 3, Tuesday, July 30th, 6:00pm-7:30pm

Circle 4, Thursday, July 25th, 6:00pm-7:30pm

SIG: Movie Lovers, Friday, July 26th, 4:00pm-5:00pm

As the legendary movie critic Roger Ebert pointed out, Chris Columbus' Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone does "full justice" to the original novel. At Today's Movie SIG, we will use video clips from this film to further explore the impact of good character development, cinematography, and music. Join us for a guided discussion in Muggle Movie Studies!

Movie Night: Harry Potter and the Prisoner of Azkaban, Friday, July 26th, Friday 5:00pm

In honor of our magic-themed month, we'll watch the highly praised third movie in the Harry Potter series, The Prisoner of Azkaban. Harry Potter's third year at Hogwarts starts off badly when he learns that killer Sirius Black has escaped from Azkaban prison and is bent on murdering him. While avoiding Sirius, Harry also wonders why Black wants to harm him. Pizza and popcorn will be provided.



On July 14th, community members are invited to march with Felicity House in the fifth annual Disability Pride NYC Parade. The theme this year is creativity. Please get in touch with your staff contact if you would like to join us in the parade.



Congratulations to Ali Stroker for making history by becoming the first ever wheelchair user to win a Tony!

On May 20th, Ali performed at Felicity House. You can read more about our event with Ali <u>here.</u>

Do you know a woman with autism who is looking for a social community? Connect with us today and discover what Felicity House has to offer.

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