



HYDE COMMUNITY CENTER



Hyde Community Center
"The Heart of the Highlands"

Happenings

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A Hearty Soup Social for All

Hot Soup to Chase the Chills on Saturday, January 26 from 6 to 8 p.m.

This publicity for our joint Newton Highlands Area Council/NHCDC Hyde Center Winter Soup Social event is the only reminder most people will need, because it's a "do not miss" event! For those

of you new to the community, this is a great opportunity to sample some of the best soup in town for FREE! These



Some Winter Social 2001 participants, left to right: Michael Fizek, Laura Fizek, baby Mason Osborn, JoAnn Grigoli, David Harvey, and Joyce Pollock holding her child (Mason's twin), Charlotte Osborn.

incredible soups are freshly-made and donated by top restaurants right in the neighborhood. There'll be

some bread and basic beverages provided, but you are invited to bring your own crackers, crusty bread, and favorite drinks. To "top it off," there will be ice cream sundaes for dessert from yet another top-quality local establishment.

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Featuring: Familydance

On the second Saturday of every month, now through June, peek into the gym any time between 6:30 and 8:00 p.m. You'll see smiling parents and laughing young children holding hands and dancing in a circle, or twirling around and waving their arms in rhythmic response to a favorite tune.

On second thought, join the event, which is led by volunteer and dance movement therapist Julie Leavitt Kutzen and her husband Neil Kutzen. Familydance has been proudly sponsored by the Hyde since 1997.

A Winter FunFest for the Family

To Benefit the Women's Lunch Place

Date: January 27

Time: 1:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Location: Hyde Center

Admission: \$5 per family, \$3 per individual

FunFest (fun-fest) n. 1. An afternoon filled with games, music, magic, crafts and surprises. 2. An opportunity for kids of all ages to have fun while raising money for a terrific cause. Questions? Call the FunFest Hotline at (617) 278-6235.

The Women's Lunch Place was created to provide a safe comfort-

able daytime refuge, nutritious food, and basic resources for women and children who are homeless and poor. Their philosophy is remarkable in its simplicity and purity of heart: "No one, no matter what her circumstances, should have to face hunger or homelessness. . . Anyone could find herself homeless or poor; no one is innately superior because she is not homeless; we have more similarities than differences with people who are homeless and poor; we must seek common ground. . . Giving as we are able. . ."

The Women's Lunch Place is located at 67 Newbury Street, in Boston. You may contact them at (617) 267-1722.

Special points of interest:

- Visit our Web site at www.hydecenter.org. You'll find everything you need, including schedules, rental reservation fees and forms, newsletters, photos, links, and more....
- Special-needs children are always welcome in our children's programs.
- Newton Highlands Community Development Corporation (NHCDC) is the non-profit organization that runs the Hyde Community Center.
- Call Patty Kellogg at the Hyde anytime if you have questions, comments, or requests. Call 617-527-HYDE, or 617-527-4933.

January - Early March

Programs and Events at the Hyde

Winter FunFest

to benefit Women's
Lunch Place



**Sunday,
January 27**

1:00 – 4:00 p.m.

**Fun for the whole family!
There'll be games, music,
magic, and crafts.**



**PLAY IT
AGAIN!**
Music of, by,
and for Teens

THE SECOND
SATURDAY OF EVERY MONTH,
THROUGH JUNE—NEWTON RESI-
DENT HIGH SCHOOL ID REQUIRED.

\$5 cover. 8:30 to 10:30 p.m.

Limited exit from 9:00 to 10:00 p.m.



*Free mid-
winter
feast!*

*Winter
Soup Social*





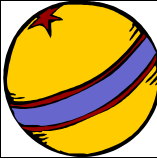




**Saturday, January 26
6:00 to 8:00 p.m.**

Co-sponsored by the Newton
Highlands Area Council and
Newton Highlands CDC.

Unless noted with (\$), programs below take place weekly
and are free and open to the community.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1:00 – 4:00 p.m. Winter FunFest <i>January 27</i> Family fun and games. \$ FunFest Hotline 617-278-6235	<i>COMMUNITY RATE is available to regular weekday renters from the Highlands. Call 617-527-4933 to see if your group qualifies.</i>	10:00 a.m. – noon GymFun \$ For toddlers and caregivers. <i>Through mid-Apr. Come to join!</i>	11:00 a.m. – noon San Chin for Seniors or those with a disability. <i>Free! Weekly. Through June.</i>	10:00 a.m. – noon GymFun \$ For toddlers and caregivers. <i>Through mid-Apr. Come to join!</i>	<i>EARLY BIRDS Gym rentals on weekdays before 4:00 p.m. qualify for a 20% price reduction!</i>	
6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Drop-In Basketball All abilities. All adults. <i>All year. Free!</i>	5:30 – 7:00 p.m. New Hyde Mondays Call for info. <i>School year.</i>	6:30 – 8:00 p.m. Family Gym Night Games and fun: non-competitive alternative to sports! <i>Free! Weekly, through mid-Apr.</i> 6:30 – 7:00 p.m.: Grades K – 2 7:00 – 7:15 p.m.: Ages overlap 7:15 – 8:00 p.m.: Grades 3 – 5	12:30 – 1:30 p.m. Intelligent Exercise Elements of yoga, dance, PT. \$ Call 527-4933 or 781-891-0933 8:00 – 9:30 p.m. Drop-In Women's Basketball All are welcome. <i>Free! Call Tal at 617-795-1664.</i>	5:00 – 6:00 p.m. Teen Time: a Brigham House & Hyde Center Collaborative program. Call Bob Staulo at 617-527-2887 for information.	7:00 – 9:00 p.m. Funtastic Friday <i>January 11 February 8 March 15 Held through the school year</i> \$ For 5th grade Parks and Rec. 617-552-7120	6:30 – 8:00 p.m. Familydance <i>Second Saturday of every month.</i> Dance and play for the whole family. 8:30 – 10:30 p.m. Teen Music Night High school musicians play range of music for peers. \$ Jan. 12, Feb. 9, March 9
8:00 – 10:00 p.m. Drop-In Volleyball All abilities, all adults. <i>All year. Free!</i>	<i>NIGHT OWLS Weekday rentals between 10:00 p.m. and 11:00 p.m. qualify for a 20% price reduction!</i>	8:00 – 10:00 p.m. NHCDC Open Board Mtg. <i>January 8 NewTV Conf Rm.</i>	8:00 – 10:00 p.m. NHCDC Open Board Mtg. <i>February 12 NewTV Conf Rm.</i>		8:00 – 11:00 p.m. Sock Hop? One may be in the works: call the Hyde at (617) 527-4933 to check the status. If it's on, it will be- <i>February 1</i> \$	6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Winter Warm-Up Soup Social <i>January 26</i> Gourmet soup and extras. Sponsored by Area Council, NHCDC, and area shops. <i>Free.</i>

Family Gym Night: January through mid-March

	<p>Think Fast! A fraction of a second may be too long!</p>	<p>Earthquake!</p>	<p>January 15</p>		<p>Let the earth move under your feet!</p>	<p>Relay for Days Teamwork is terrific!!</p>		<p>January 22</p>	<p>January 29</p>	
<p>Balls of Fun! Hey! We're on a roll!</p>			<p>February 26</p>	<p>"Hyde" and Seek! Don't make a squeek!</p>		<p>Tag! You're It! You'll be glad they didn't name it Tackle!</p>				
<p>February 5</p>	<p>Fun Fun Fun! Let us know when you're done!</p>		<p>February 12</p>	<p>Make Your Move! Come on in!</p>	<p>March 5</p>	<p>March In! You won't want to miss a step!</p>				

Soup Social for All
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Burn Off Calories With the Kids

After you've packed on enough calories for the rest of the week-end, pop over to the other side of the gym which we reserve for shooting hoops and for children's free play. So cool off that cabin fever and come out to meet a lot of people from your neighborhood, and see some old friends.



Drop in on Sundays Our Basketball and Volleyball Programs are Free!

Highlanders: these programs are for you

You don't have to wonder if you'll fit in, or if you are talented enough for our basketball or volleyball programs. Admittedly, it helps if you've at least played before, but mostly you only have to decide that it's finally time to join. What a great New Year's resolution!

Come try our terrific drop-in basketball any Sunday evening, 6:00 to 8:00 p.m.; there's no pre-registration necessary. The same is true for our drop-in volleyball, which is from 8:00 to 10:00 p.m., and features a professional net setup. These coed programs are completely sponsored by the NHCDC/Hyde Center, and are coordinated by volunteers. Questions? Call 527-4933.



Did somebody put helium in that ball??

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To the entire family whose head of household is listed as:

The Hyde is in your neighborhood, and it's here for you.

CALLING ALL HIGH SCHOOL MUSICIANS FROM NEWTON !

If you're ready to perform, we're the place.

This is *the venue* for Newton teen bands! Performances of, by and for Newton high school musicians at the Hyde Center in the Highlands, from 8:30 to 10:30 p.m., on the second Saturday of every month, now through June. Newton resident high school I.D. (public/private), plus \$5 at the door is required for entry; with limited exit from 9:00 to 10:00 p.m. Book your Newton high school (public/private) teen musical group with David at

617-650-0385. All styles of music welcome. We're one block down from the Highlands "T," or park on street nearby. Call the Hyde for more info, 617-527-4933. Parents are welcome to attend at no additional cost.



Teen band night at the Hyde Center is a wonderful opportunity for Newton high school-aged musicians to perform.



Bring your wee one to GymFun and share some magical memories.

GymFun Toddler Playgroup: Limited Time Remains for Membership

Tues/Thurs 10 a.m.-Noon program
Session II starts January 29

Highlands Residents \$25
Newton Residents \$30
Non-Residents \$35

Note: There is limited space in this program, which offers memberships on a first-come, first-served basis. You may go to the class to register, though later in the season it is advisable to call 617-527-4933 to confirm that there is still space available.