

HEAT BEAT

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NYPD National Night Out



CB4 HEAT table at the 44th Precinct National Night Out.

The Community Board 4 (CB4) HEAT Team hosted a table at the 44th Precinct in the Concourse section of the Bronx while the CB 5 HEAT Team visited the 46th Precinct in Fordham Heights. The CB 12 HEAT Team in Manhattan split into two teams: one which hosted a table at the 33rd Precinct in Washington Heights and one which visited the 34th Precinct in Inwood.

HEAT display tables at each NNO event offered two games, including HEAT Points and HEAT Car, where official HEAT water bottles and activity books were awarded to winners. HEAT participants also gave away free HEAT fans and visors to all in attendance and took pictures with community members who wished to show their support for the HEAT mission.

This year's annual New York City Police Department (NYPD) National Night Out (NNO) took place on Tuesday, August 1. The NNO provides an opportunity for the NYPD to build a better relationship with the community by giving residents a chance to meet and interact with the police officers working in their neighborhoods. NNO events take place at each precinct in NYC and each event is unique to the community that the precinct serves.



CB5 HEAT team playing HEAT-Points at the 46th Precinct National Night Out.

Many different community organizations attended this year's NNO events in support of NYC's Finest. Officials from the Mayor's Office, City Council, community based programs and big companies like McDonalds and Snapple joined residents and police and participated in the many fun activities for children and adults. At each NNO, participants who followed HEAT's social media pages were entered into a raffle for HEAT tote bags full of HEAT souvenirs. The HEAT teams thank the NYPD for their service and for allowing them to be part of such a great event.



CB12A HEAT team with residents Ana & Claudia at the 33rd Precinct National Night Out.



CB12A HEAT team with residents at the 34th Precinct National Night Out.

The goal of the **HEAT** program is to educate community residents and stakeholders about the dangers associated with illegally opened fire hydrants. Promote and advocate for the use of spray caps on fire hydrants.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We bring the HEAT

August 7

Police Athletic League
2255 Webster Ave.
Bronx, NY 10457 (CB5)
10:30 AM - 12:30 AM

August 8

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2255 Webster Ave.
Bronx, NY 10457 (CB5)
10:30 AM - 12:30 AM

**Come for a
fun time
and a
chance to
win HEAT
free
Giveaways!**

HEAT & Hydrants



CB12 HEAT team with Mr. Sapienza and FDNY.



FDNY explains spray caps to DEP Press.

On Thursday, August 3, the CB 12 HEAT Team got a chance to do their canvassing along with the Department of Environmental Protection's (DEP) press personnel. DEP interviewed two HEAT participants to get an inside scoop on the benefits of the HEAT Program. CB 12 HEAT Team also had the opportunity to meet DEP Acting Commissioner, Vincent Sapienza. Mr. Sapienza thanked HEAT participants for their contribution to DEP's mission. Later on, the team joined DEP at NYC Fire Department (FDNY) Engine 93/Ladder 45/Battalion 13 to witness the installation of a spray cap on a fire hydrant.

Fordham Plaza & HEAT



Fordham Road Instagram page posted a picture of HEAT Participants at event.

The CB 5 HEAT Team members attended the Fordham Fever Friday event in Fordham Heights on August 4. This event occurs on the first Friday of every month at Muller Plaza and is frequented by pedestrians from the shops on Fordham Road. This month's event was an excellent opportunity for the HEAT Team to reach many shoppers and event attendees. The team gave out HEAT fans, visors, and activity books to the attendees.

HEAT All-Stars



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