

Gramercy Park Block Association
Events, Projects & Activities for 2005

- 1/25/05 – Membership drive and mailing
2/14/05 – Valentines Day “Thank You’s” to officers of the 13th Precinct, neighborhood workers, etc.
3/05 – Olive Leaf Health project continued – health care for emergency personnel who worked 8.5 months at World Trade Center and neighborhood residents who lived near World Trade Center
3/3/05 – NYTB Spring Benefit – New York Theatre Ballet’s dance scholarship and mentoring program, Project LIFT, for children living in city homeless shelters
3/14/05 – Historic District’s Council donation
3/16/05 – Housing & Services, model of affordable housing, Spring Benefit donation
3/20/05 – Trustee Event – Calvary Church Palm Sunday Procession in Gramercy Park
3/27/05 – Trustee Event – Easter Egg Hunt in Gramercy Park – deliver cookies to neighborhood storekeepers, 13th Precinct – poster, newspaper article, binders, files, photographs, DVD for archives
4/1/05 – Community Clothing Drive to donate clothing to career program participants at Kenmore Hall
4/5/05 – Annual Board Meeting
4/18/05 – National Trust Historic Preservation
4/05 – Trustee Event – Gramercy Park Day – focus on horticulture, history, architecture and design of Park and neighborhood with support of GPBA Events Committee – children plant flowers in the Park
5/05 – P.S. 40 Partnership – music/art programs and St. Augustus Gauden’s Park planting and clean up
5/15/05 – Planting of 13th Precinct Memorial Garden – Epiphany school children
5/21/05 – Concerned Citizens speak donation – Journal Ad and Benefit
6/2/05 – Annual Outdoor Spring Concert bringing neighborhood residents together – Gramercy Village Orchestra – Public Safety
6/5/05 – Explorer Post 1313 Concert support donation
6/12/05 – Detective Rodney Lewis fundraiser donation
6/24/05 – Madison Square Park Conservancy donation – support for adult and children’s programming
6/30/05 – Planting tree gardens around Gramercy Park – Quality of Life
8/05 – Website – designed and published www.gramercyparkblockassociation.org
8/2/05 – Night Out Against Crime – 13th Precinct/Community Crime Prevention, Harrison Chair – website, poster, newspaper article, binders, files, photographs, DVD for archives
8/13/05 – NYPD/ESU blankets with logos – to give thanks
9/11/05 – World Trade Center Remembrance Concert at Calvary Church – Archives
9/18/05 – Children’s Carnival Union Square Community Coalition’s Educational event
9/22/05 – Police Officer Moira Smith scholarship fund donation
10/1/05 – Educational Scholarship fund donation Staten Island University – Heather Massuci
10/3/05 – Hurricane Katrina donation
10/10/05 – Union Square Community Coalition educational event donation
10/31/05 – Trustee Event – Halloween in Gramercy Park – Board, Events and Children’s Community Service Committee to volunteer – website, poster, newspaper article, binders, files, photographs, DVD for archives
11/7/05 – Central Park Conservancy
11/18/05 – Brochure mailing for membership drive and tee-shirts – Archives
11/29/05 – Annual holiday event – NYTB Nutcracker – invite 13th Precinct families to join us – Project LIFT donation
11/05 – Annual community Thanksgiving dinner with 13th Precinct and the ESU – neighbors send food and cards of thanks for holiday dinner for men and women working during the holiday – Archives
12/3/05 – NYPD 13th Precinct Children’s Holiday Party – Epiphany Church
12/10/05 – NYPD ESU Children’s Christmas Party – Epiphany Church – Archives
12/15/05 – Children’s Christmas caroling – visit neighborhood buildings and sing carols to elderly, homebound residents and then proceed to 13th Precinct to carol and decorate their Christmas tree – reception at Salvation Army Parkside Residence – Board, Events and Children’s Community Service Committee to volunteer – photographs, DVD for archives
12/15/05 – Holiday outreach – deliver gratuities, cakes, cookies, flowers, holiday gifts, etc. to community workers who support efforts of GPBA
12/17/05 – Community NYPD Emergency Service Unit Party – photographs, DVD for archives

12/19/05 – Annual holiday event – NYTB Nutcracker – invite 13th Precinct families to join us
12/22/05 – Holiday toy drive – Paddy Maguire’s Ale House
12/24/05 – Trustee annual Christmas Eve Caroling in Gramercy Park – website, poster, newspaper article,
binders, files, photographs, DVD for archives
12/28/05 – Brotherhood Synagogue Chanukah Menorah Lighting in Gramercy Park – reception Brotherhood
Synagogue
12/30/05 – Daughter of NYPD Detective education scholarship