

STAMFORD DOWNTOWN

MONTHLY E-NEWSLETTER



Michael and Veronica McKeown, owners of Penny Cha



Exterior of Penny Cha

WELCOME PENNY CHA

With a promise to energize this quiet corner of Kiwanis Park, Stamford residents Veronica and Michael McKeown, are introducing a new bubble tea concept featuring homemade boba. This tapioca pearl is the secret ingredient which complements all the fresh fruit and makes these delicious healthy bubble teas. Sourced from China and India as well as other exotic regions, Penny Cha delivers a unique experience.

The Penny Cha logo marries their passion for creating the finest bubble tea and their favorite furry friend, their dog Penny. Opening Friday, October 20th at 12:30 PM, all are welcome to celebrate the grand opening.

A promotional banner for a "Lunch Hour" promotion. The banner has a pink background. At the top, it says "WEDNESDAYS 1hr" in a green speech bubble. Below that, "Lunch HOUR" is written in large, stylized yellow letters. To the left of "Lunch" is "OCT 18" and to the right of "HOUR" is "NOV 15". Below the main text, it says "Join us for special pricing at participating COLUMBUS PARK AREA RESTAURANTS in Stamford Downtown". At the bottom, it says "FOR DETAILS VISIT STAMFORD-DOWNTOWN.COM/EVENTS".

Columbus Park neighborhood restaurants have created a special lunch hour promotion on Wednesdays designed for busy office and remote workers. With menus priced at \$10 or \$20, these restaurants aim to deliver a great dining experience within an hour framework. The 5-week promotion is available on Wednesdays only, October 18th through November 15th. Check out the menus of participating restaurants at Stamford-Downtown.com.

MILL RIVER PARK AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM



The brand-new Mill River Park Afterschool program is officially open! This enrichment program provides children from grades K - 8 with exciting activities that expand their minds, encourage their talents and build new skills, both independently and in groups, with the support of experienced staff. Plus, bussing is provided from school to the Park for Stamford Public School students. Enrollment is open on a rolling basis, so visit their [website](#) to learn more and snap up your spots today!

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STAMFORD STUDIOS FACILITIES AVAILABLE TO RENT



Stamford Studios is a full-service media production facility based in the heart of Stamford Downtown. For fourteen years, Stamford Studios has been home to nationally syndicated shows which currently include *The Steve Wilkos Show* and *Karamo*. Following high demand due to the Connecticut State Film, Television, and Digital Media tax credit, **Stamford Studios facilities are now available to rent!** From studio-based, broadcast productions to digital media, corporate events, and everything in between, Studios A & B are well equipped for your next project.

Additionally, the Stamford Studios Digital Factory located at 15 Bank Street is celebrating its first birthday and is ready to play host to original digital content, podcasts, live streams, and more. This space is perfect for inspiring creativity and filming on a budget. To learn more about each facility and what they can offer, visit StamfordStudios.com.



Point72 Giant Balloon Inflation Party • Saturday, November 18 • 3-6pm

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Seeking Star Volunteers!

- Clowns
- Helium Balloon Handlers
- Route Marshals

No Prior Experience Necessary • Free Training Session

Stamford Downtown Special Services District is looking for enthusiastic individuals for the Stamford Downtown Parade Spectacular on

Sunday, November 19, 2023

Clowns & Balloon Handlers must be at least 16 years of age.
Route Marshals must be at least 21 years of age.

Please sign up by October 27.

To download a volunteer application, please visit the event calendar at stamford-downtown.com

or contact us at:
volunteer@stamford-downtown.com
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1,775
TRASH (LBS)
REMOVED



18
HOURS WITH BILLY
GOAT MACHINE



169
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ENGAGEMENTS



14
HOURS
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615
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SIDEWALKS



31
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2023

12:00 PM - 5:00 PM

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PARTNERSHIP
UNVEILS THE
STAMFORD IN SERVICE PANEL
DURING THE

VETERANS
★ DAY ★

CEREMONY
SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 2023
IN VETERANS MEMORIAL PARK
1:00 PM

ALL ARE WELCOME!

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WOMEN RISING 2023

ANNUAL GALA AND
AWARDS CELEBRATION

JOIN US ON FRIDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2023

Hyatt Regency Greenwich
1800 East Putnam Ave., Old Greenwich, CT

Networking Reception and Raffle 11:00 am
Lunch and Awards Ceremony 12:00-2:30 pm



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