

*Freeport  
Community  
Organizations  
Directory*

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**Freeport Memorial Library**  
144 W. Merrick Road  
Freeport, New York 11520  
516.379.3274 Fax: 516.868.9741  
[www.freeportlibrary.info](http://www.freeportlibrary.info)  
Reference email: [frreference@freeportlibrary.info](mailto:frreference@freeportlibrary.info)

African Atlantic Genealogical Society (AAGS/F)

110 N. Franklin Street  
Hempstead, New York 11550  
Joysetta Pearse, Executive Director  
Tel: (516) 379-5466 Fax: (516) 908-4077  
E-mail: [info@aagsinc.net](mailto:info@aagsinc.net)  
Website: [www.aagsinc.net](http://www.aagsinc.net)

Meets the first Friday of the month 7:30 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library. One-on-one research sessions available Wednesday mornings by appointment only. Genealogical Society of Freeport family history research.

Amateur Observers Society

270 Concord Avenue  
West Hempstead, NY 11552  
Susan Rose  
Tel: (516) 640-4433 Fax: (360) 248-3129  
E-mail: [info@aosny.org](mailto:info@aosny.org)  
Website: [www.aosny.org](http://www.aosny.org)

Astronomy group that meets the first Sunday of each month (September through June) 1:00 PM at Nassau Community College. Free public observing at Waterfront Park, Long Beach Avenue, Freeport, New York 11520, Thursdays 8:00-10:00 p.m. July & August. Young Astronomers program for children ages 7-13. Monthly public observing at the Theodore Roosevelt Nature Center.

American Legion - William Clinton Story Post #342

PO Box 7339  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Commander Calvin Andrew  
Tel: (516) 378-7607

Meets the third Wednesday of each month 7:00 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library.

American Society of Dowsers, L.I. Chapter

Margot Cassini  
Tel: (516) 796-1836  
E-mail: [margotpower@verizon.net](mailto:margotpower@verizon.net)  
Website: [www.longislanddowsers.org](http://www.longislanddowsers.org)

Meets the third Sunday of each month 1:00 PM from September to May at the Freeport Memorial Library. Long Island Chapter of the American Society of Dowsers is an open forum embracing those who wish to experience expanded consciousness through the art of dowsing. Dowsing for water is an important application of dowsing; however dowsing is not limited to water, search or location.

Archbishop Molloy Council Knights of Columbus #1974

37 South Ocean Ave.

Freeport, New York 11520

William Drew

Tel: (516) 868-4505

E-mail: [billbug@gmail.com](mailto:billbug@gmail.com)

Meets the first & third Tuesdays of each month 8 PM at Our Holy Redeemer Church basement 37 S. Ocean Avenue, Freeport, New York 11520.

Athena Club of Freeport

136 Rose St.

Freeport, New York 11520

Anne Farley, President

Tel: (516) 546-7580

Email: [Anne.farley661@gmail.com](mailto:Anne.farley661@gmail.com)

Meets the first Monday of each month (October through May) at the Freeport Memorial Library. Civic, philanthropic and social work.

Black Educators of Freeport

50 S. Brookside Avenue - Freeport High School

Freeport, New York 11520

Carol Gilliam and Florence Bell, Co-Presidents

Tel: (516) 868-8150

Meetings are scheduled as needed and are held at the Freeport Memorial Library. Teacher's group.

Business Women of Freeport

103 Bayfield Blvd.

Oceanside, New York 11572

Vivian Monahan, President

Tel: (516) 705-6068

Meets the third Thursday of each month (January through June) 6:00 PM at various restaurants.

Catholic Daughters of the Americas

Catherine Cavanagh, Regent

Tel: (516) 379-5890

Meets the second Monday of each month 7:30 PM in the Our Holy Redeemer Church basement. Catholic women's charitable group part of the International Catholic Women's Organization. Motto: Unity & Charity.

DAR Ruth Floyd Woodhull Chapter

2885 Lenox Road

Oceanside, New York 11572

Kathryn Travers, Regent

Tel: (516) 665-9294

E-mail: [Kathrie@yahoo.com](mailto:Kathrie@yahoo.com)

Website: [www.nydar.org/chapters/rfwoodhull.html](http://www.nydar.org/chapters/rfwoodhull.html)

Meets the first Saturday of each month (October through June) at the Freeport Memorial Library. Always interested in new members, all are welcome.

ETS (Eager To Serve)

423 Atlantic Avenue Mailing Address : PO Box 215

Freeport, NY 11520 Freeport, NY 11520-0270

Freeport, New York 11520

Levada Felder, Executive Director

Jaime Parrish, Executive Assistant

Tel: (516) 223-9592

E-mail: [getchip@optonline.net](mailto:getchip@optonline.net)

Website: <http://eagertoserve.org>

ETS' mission is to promote, foster and advance the health, welfare and well-being of young people by providing activities that steer them away from unlawful and unsupervised activities, involve their families and enable them to succeed in school. This agency also provides emergency assistance.

Freeport Animal Shelter

2 Rider Place

Freeport, New York 11520

Stephanie Cieslik, President

Tel: (516) 378-4340

Website: [www.freeportanimalshelter.com](http://www.freeportanimalshelter.com)

Open 7 days a week: Wednesday-Friday 11am- 7pm; Saturday-Tuesday 11am-4pm. Are willing to take dogs & cats from owners, but not strays. Donations are welcomed. This is a non-profit, no-kill shelter.

Freeport-Baldwin ELKS 1253 B.P.O.E.

360 Atlantic Avenue Mailing Address : PO Box 270

Freeport, NY 11520 Freeport, NY 11520-0270

Kathleen Fletcher, Exalted Ruler

Michael Miller, P.E.R. Secretary

Tel: (516) 223-8877 (emergency)

Tel: (516) 378-1253- Lodge-Opens at 3 PM

E-mail: [cypoppop11@verizon.net](mailto:cypoppop11@verizon.net)

Fraternal organization that meets the second and fourth Thursday of each month 8:00 PM at the Freeport Lodge #12543 located at 360 Atlantic Avenue, Freeport, New York 11520.

Freeport Camera Club

Eileen Goldbach

Tel: (516) 623-3398

Meets the second & fourth Wednesday of each month (September through June)  
7:00 p.m. at the Freeport Memorial Library.

Freeport Chamber of Commerce

300 Woodcleft Avenue

Freeport, New York 11520

Geri Quibell, President

Maureen Mercogliano, Secretary

Tel: (516) 223-8840 Fax: (516) 223-1211

E-mail: [freeportchamber@juno.com](mailto:freeportchamber@juno.com)

Website: [freeportchamberofcommerce.com](http://freeportchamberofcommerce.com)

Local business organization that meets the second Tuesday of each month  
(except July and August) at various restaurants.

Freeport Chess Club

Michael Pappaceno

Tel: (631) 940-0886

Meets every Thursday 6:30-9:30 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library. Beginners  
to Master players are welcome and the dues are \$25.00.

Freeport Community Chorale

2704 Beach Drive

Merrick, New York 11566

David Stayer, President

Tel: (516) 868-8718 Fax: available by appointment only

Email: [davidandloristayer@verizon.net](mailto:davidandloristayer@verizon.net)

Meets every Tuesday (September - December and February - May) 8:00 PM  
Presents two concerts a year at the Freeport Memorial Library.

Freeport Community Concert Association

31 Delaware Avenue

Freeport, New York 11520

Marc Josloff

Tel: (516) 223-7659

Email: [freeport\\_concert\\_association@yahoo.com](mailto:freeport_concert_association@yahoo.com)

Website: [www.freeportconcertassociation.com](http://www.freeportconcertassociation.com)

Meets two to four times per year without a pre-determined scheduled.

Non-profit organization that offers six concerts per year between September and  
April. Music genres include classical, international, world, dance, vocal and jazz.

Freeport Democratic Club  
750 Guy Lombardo Avenue  
Freeport, New York 11520  
James Caracciolo  
Tel: (516) 868-1823  
E-mail: [freeportdemocraticclub@hotmail.com](mailto:freeportdemocraticclub@hotmail.com)  
Website: <http://nassaucountydems.com/content/freeport-democratic-club>  
Meets fourth Tuesday of every month 7:00 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library.  
Democratic Party business.

Freeport Exempt Firemen's Association  
122 St. Marks Avenue and 9 N. Long Beach Avenue  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Richard Gempel, President  
Tel: (516) 378-6118  
Meets the second Monday of each month (September through June) 8:00 to 10:00 or 10:30 PM at 9 N. Long Beach Avenue.

Freeport-Hempstead Toastmasters Club  
Shelley Schubach, President  
Tel: (516) 489-0364  
E-mail: [Sschubach@optonline.net](mailto:Sschubach@optonline.net)  
Website: [www.toastmasters.org](http://www.toastmasters.org)  
Meets the first & third Monday of each month except for holidays at 7:00 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library. Organized to help develop public speaking skills, open to the general public.

Freeport Historical Society  
350 S. Main Street      Mailing Address : P.O. Box 323  
Freeport, NY 11520      Freeport, NY 11520-0270  
Cynthia Krieg, President  
Tel: (516) 623-9632  
Blog: [www.freeportlihistory.blogspot.com](http://www.freeportlihistory.blogspot.com)  
E-mail: [Freeporthistoricalsociety@yahoo.com](mailto:Freeporthistoricalsociety@yahoo.com)  
Museum hours are 2:00-5:00 PM on Sundays (May through November).

Freeport Kiwanis Club  
320 Lena Avenue  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Greg Abbate, President  
Tel: (516) 867-6970  
Meets the first Wednesday at Freeport Memorial Library & the third Wednesday at the Baldwin Coach diner.

Freeport Lions Club  
Cindy Lamb, President  
P.O. Box 493  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Tel: (516) 868-2091  
Website: [www.freeportnylions.com](http://www.freeportnylions.com)  
Meets the second Tuesday of each month 6:45 p.m. at Wild Fish restaurant.

Freeport-Merrick Rotary  
PO Box 564  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Chris McBride, Contact person  
Tel: (516) 378-5643  
E-mail: [imagine\\_that@verizon.net](mailto:imagine_that@verizon.net)  
Website: [www.rotary.org](http://www.rotary.org)  
Meets every third and fourth Thursday at the Schooner.

Freeport Police Benevolent Association  
PO Box 130/John P. Lundergan Hall  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Shawn Randall, President  
Tel: (516) 623-5527

#### Freeport Pride

Youth Services Division :  
46 Pine Street Freeport, NY 11520  
Ted Levy, Director  
Tel: (516) 378-1111 Fax: (516) 378-1114

Drug Treatment Services :  
33 Guy Lombardo Avenue Freeport, NY 11520-0270  
Yolanda Carrion, Director  
Tel: (516) 546-2822 Fax: (516) 546-5051

E-mail: [email@freeportpride.org](mailto:email@freeportpride.org)

Website: [www.freeportpride.org](http://www.freeportpride.org)

Provides drug treatment & prevention services and youth counseling services, education, Freeport youth outreach services, tutoring, cultural enrichment, violence & pregnancy programs.

Freeport Republican Club  
PO Box 546  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Angie Cullin, Executive Leader  
Tel: (516) 623-2145  
Political club that meets the third Wednesday of each month (September through June) 8:00 PM at the Freeport Recreation Center.

Freeport-Roosevelt NAACP  
PO Box 292, 434 Nassau Road  
Roosevelt, New York 11575  
Douglas Mayers, President  
Tel: (516) 223-0111  
Meets the second Wednesday of each month 7:30-9:30pm at Transfiguration Parish School.

Girl Scouts of Nassau County - Freeport Association  
110 Ring Road West  
Garden City, New York 11530  
Harriet Gibaldi, Field Director  
Tel: (516) 741-2550 ext.238  
Website: [www.gsnc.org](http://www.gsnc.org)  
Meets at the Freeport Memorial Library. Available for every girl every where.

Hi-Hello Child Care Center Inc.  
212 S. Ocean Avenue  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Joann Bousquet, Executive Director  
Tel: (516) 379-1825 Fax: (516) 379-1880  
E-mail: [hihellochildcare@aol.com](mailto:hihellochildcare@aol.com)  
Website: [www.hihellochildcare.org](http://www.hihellochildcare.org)  
Infant, pre-school and school-age center. Provides child care.

Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America  
2080 Kenneth Road  
Merrick, New York 11566  
David S. Zwerin, Commander  
Tel: (516) 868-1393  
E-mail: [David@zwerin.com](mailto:David@zwerin.com)  
Meets the third Thursday of each month at Congregation OHAV SHOLOM 145 S. Merrick Avenue, Merrick, New York 11566.

Long Island African Violet Society  
2281 Lincoln Street  
North Bellmore, NY 11710  
Carol Sulewski  
Tel: (516) 781-5629  
Meets the fourth Monday of each month 7:30pm at the Freeport Memorial Library. For the month of December meets the second Monday. Informs the public about nuturing and caring for violets. One springtime show per year.

Long Island Arts Council at Freeport  
130 East Merrick Road – Freeport Recreation Center  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Marnie Katzman, Executive Director  
Tel: (516) 223-2522 Fax: (516) 223-6991  
E-mail: [infoliacf@gmail.com](mailto:infoliacf@gmail.com)  
Website: [www.liacfreesport.org](http://www.liacfreesport.org)  
Cultural programs and services.

Long Island POW/MIA Coalition of Veterans  
Joyce Rommel, President  
Tel: (516) 546-3641  
Please call for further information.

Long Island Scandinavian Society  
PO Box 376  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Doris Schlaich  
Tel: (516) 632-5834  
Meets the third Thursday of each month at the Freeport Memorial Library.  
Scandinavian-American cultural activities.

Nassau Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous  
361 Hempstead Turnpike  
West Hempstead, NY 11552  
Tel: (516) 292-3040 (Hotline)  
E-mail: [intergroup@nassauny-aa.org](mailto:intergroup@nassauny-aa.org)  
Website: [www.nassauny-aa.org](http://www.nassauny-aa.org)  
Meets Monday, Wednesday, and Friday 4:30 – 6:00 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library. Requirement for membership is an honest desire to stop drinking.

Operation SPLASH-Stop Polluting Littering & Save Harbors  
PO Box 228  
Freeport, New York 11520  
Rob Weltner, President  
Tel: (516) 378-4770  
E-mail: [operationsplash@optonline.net](mailto:operationsplash@optonline.net)  
Website: [www.operationsplash.net](http://www.operationsplash.net)  
Meets the first Tuesday of each month (except January & February) 7:30 PM at Freeport Recreation Center. All volunteer, not-for-profit organization.

Roosevelt/Freeport Family Development Center

281 Babylon Turnpike

Roosevelt, New York 11575

Eric Poulson

Tel: (516) 379-4000 Fax: (516) 867-6301

Email: [epoulson@eocnassau.org](mailto:epoulson@eocnassau.org)

Website: [www.eoc-nassau.org/community.html](http://www.eoc-nassau.org/community.html)

Provides referrals to other agencies: Drug-free program, after school programs, fill out medical forms for Medicaid & Medicare, summer youth programs, employment assistance programs, housing assistance, NA support group, and food pantry.

South Shore Audubon Society

P.O. Box 31

Freeport, NY 11520

Wendy Murbach, President

Tel: (516)546-6303

Website: [www.ssaudubon.org](http://www.ssaudubon.org)

Meets for its general meeting the second Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM at the Freeport Memorial Library. No general meetings June, July, and August.

Stearns' Park Civic Association

PO Box 713

Freeport, New York 11520

Sharon Payne, President

Tel: (516) 867-1388

E-mail: [info@stearnsparkcivic.com](mailto:info@stearnsparkcivic.com)

Website: [www.stearnsparkcivic.com](http://www.stearnsparkcivic.com)

Civic Association. Meeting dates and place varies, please call for more information.

Superintendent of Schools

235 North Ocean Avenue

Freeport, New York 11520

Dr. Kishore Kuncham 7/09

Tel: (516) 867-5205

Email: [kkuncham@freeportschools.org](mailto:kkuncham@freeportschools.org)

Website: [www.freeportschools.org](http://www.freeportschools.org)

United Federation of Teachers/Retired Teachers Chapter

52 Broadway

New York, New York 10004

Betty Silver-Rapaport, Coordinator for Nassau County

Tel: (718) 225-0931

Website: [www.uft.org/news/teacher/retired](http://www.uft.org/news/teacher/retired)

Meeting dates and time are to be determined. Seminars for retired teachers.

Village of Freeport-Human Resources

46 North Ocean Avenue

Freeport, New York 11520

Tel: (516) 379-1114

Website: [www.freeportny.com](http://www.freeportny.com)

Job listings and Summer Youth program for ages 16-18. Income eligibility requirements applies.

## **COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS**

### ***List of Agencies***

African Atlantic Genealogical Society (AAGS/F)  
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Alcoholics Anonymous, *see Nassau Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous*  
Amateur Observers Society  
American Legion - William Clinton Story Post #342  
American Society of Dowsers, L.I. Chapter  
Animal Shelter *see Freeport Animal Shelter*  
Archbishop Molloy Council Knights of Columbus #1974  
Arts Council, *see Long Island Arts Council at Freeport*  
Athena Club of Freeport  
Audubon Society, *see South Shore Audubon Society*  
Black Educators of Freeport  
Business Women of Freeport  
Camera Club, *see Freeport Camera Club*  
Catholic Daughters of the Americas  
Chess Club, *see Freeport Chess Club*  
Community Chorale, *see Freeport Community Chorale*  
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Dowsers, *see American Society of Dowsers, L.I. Chapter*  
Democratic Club, *see Freeport Democratic Club*  
EOC, *see Roosevelt-Freeport Family Development Center*  
ELKS, *see Freeport Baldwin ELKS #1253 B.P.O.E.*  
ETS (Eager To Serve)  
Freeport Animal Shelter  
Freeport Baldwin ELKS #1253 B.P.O.E.  
Freeport Camera Club  
Freeport Chamber of Commerce

Freeport Chess Club  
Freeport Community Chorale  
Freeport Community Concert Association  
Freeport Democratic Club  
Freeport Economic Opportunity Commission of Nassau County (EOC) *see*  
*Roosevelt-Freeport Family Development Center*  
Freeport Exempt Firemen's Association  
Freeport-Hempstead Toastmasters Club  
Freeport Historical Society  
Freeport Human Resources *see Village of Freeport-Human Resources*  
Freeport Kiwanis Club  
Freeport Lions Club  
Freeport-Merrick Rotary  
Freeport Police Benevolent Association  
Freeport Pride  
Freeport Republican Club  
Freeport Roosevelt NAACP  
Freeport Rotary Club *see Freeport-Merrick Rotary*  
Girl Scouts of Nassau County – Freeport Association  
Hi-Hello Child Care Center Inc.  
Human Resources *see Village of Freeport-Human Resources*  
Humane Society, *see Freeport Animal Shelter*  
Jewish War Veterans of the United States of America  
Kiwanis Club, *see Freeport Kiwanis Club*  
Knights of Columbus *see Archbishop Molloy Council Knights of Columbus #1974*  
L.I. Humane Society & Dog Protective Association, Inc., *see Freeport Animal*  
*Shelter*  
Lions Club, *see Freeport Lions Club*  
Long Island African Violet Society  
Long Island Arts Council at Freeport  
Long Island POW/MIA Coalition of Veterans

Long Island Scandinavian Society

NAACP, *see Freeport Roosevelt NAACP*

Nassau Intergroup of Alcoholics Anonymous

Operation SPLASH-Stop Polluting Littering & Save Harbors

Police Benevolent Association *see Freeport Police Benevolent Association*

Republican Club, *see Freeport Republican Club*

Retired Teachers, *see United Federation of Teachers/Retired Teachers*

Roosevelt-Freeport Family Development Center

Rotary Club, *see Freeport-Merrick Rotary Club*

Scandinavian Society, *see Long Island Scandinavian Society*

South Shore Audubon Society

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