

# Neighbors Bulletin



Pictured: CHHMP Staff

## Community Updates

### HOMELESS MEDICAL PARTNERSHIP

The Columbia-Harlem Homeless Medical Partnership (CHHMP) is a walk-in student-run clinic providing free health services. Established in May 2007 by Columbia medical students in partnership with the Center for Family and Community Medicine, the clinic operates every Tuesday evening from 5:30 to 7:30 in the basement of St. Mary's Episcopal Church at 126th Street and Old Broadway. The clinic provides homeless and uninsured individuals in the West Harlem community with basic medical care and health education. To assure continuity, the same group of medical students, residents, and supervising physicians work at the clinic every week.

CHHMP offers physical exams, blood pressure screenings, prescriptions, and referrals to other clinics when necessary, as well as scheduled women's health visits that include cervical cancer screenings. In addition to those primary care services, which are available every Tuesday, CHHMP provides dental care and psychiatry referrals on the 1st Tuesday of every month, occupational therapy on the 2nd and 4th Tuesdays, and social work resources every Tuesday. For more details visit [chhmp.org](http://chhmp.org).

### SHAWN "JAY-Z" CARTER LECTURE SERIES



On February 4, Columbia University's African American and African Diaspora Studies Department launched the Shawn "JAY-Z" Carter Lecture Series, honoring the New York City-born rapper, songwriter, entrepreneur and philanthropist.

Drawing inspiration from Carter's multimedia success, the series will spotlight public intellectuals, artists, musicians, dancers, writers and activists, as well as scholars and other noteworthy people who have made a major contribution to our understanding of African American and African Diaspora Studies.

More information can be found at [afamstudies.columbia.edu](http://afamstudies.columbia.edu)

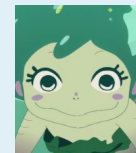
## Community Events



**Harlem Chamber Players' Black History Month Celebration**  
Feb 13 6:30PM  
Featuring virtuoso pianist Joseph Joubert, soprano Renay Joubert, Terrance McKnight of WQXR, and more!  
[neighbors.columbia.edu/HCPBHM](http://neighbors.columbia.edu/HCPBHM)



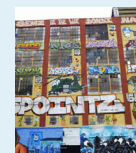
**Stem Starters Electronics Day**  
Feb 15 1PM  
FREE electronics-themed workshop for local middle schoolers and families led by Columbia University scientists and graduate students.  
[neighbors.columbia.edu/SSED215](http://neighbors.columbia.edu/SSED215)



**Lenfest Kids H2O presents 'Lu Over the Wall'**  
Feb 22 11AM & 3PM  
Bring your kids and enjoy this Japanese animated film that explores how misunderstanding can lead to conflict and how it can be overcome by the power of friendship and family.  
[neighbors.columbia.edu/luwall](http://neighbors.columbia.edu/luwall)



**Late Night Science en español**  
Feb 27 6:30PM  
The Ciencia en Español talk series will feature an all-Spanish presentation from a Columbia scientist, followed by a tour of the lab.  
[neighbors.columbia.edu/LNS227](http://neighbors.columbia.edu/LNS227)



**Archiving & Preserving Hip Hop**  
Feb 28 & 29  
Meet with and learn from leaders who are shaping the field and developing innovative ways to ensure the survival of Hip-Hop's collections and archives.  
[neighbors.columbia.edu/aph](http://neighbors.columbia.edu/aph)



**Beyond The Bars Conference**  
Mar 5 & 6  
Beyond the Bars is an annual conference on mass incarceration held at Columbia University. Each year the conference seeks to connect, galvanize and deepen the work to end mass incarceration, and to build justice and equity.  
[neighbors.columbia.edu/btb10](http://neighbors.columbia.edu/btb10)