



# The Friendship Report

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## DEAR FRIENDS & FAMILY,

This past month many curveballs were thrown our way as we are trying to adapt to our new reality. Here at Friendship Circle, we choose to take the approach of our leader and mentor, the Lubavitcher Rebbe and find the light and joy in all the chaos.

We take this opportunity to increase the love, unity, friendship, and inclusion here at Friendship Circle. We started many new initiatives such as #friendsonzoom and #thefrontstepproject.

Please remember that Friendship Circle is a family and family stays together no matter what circumstances we may find ourselves in. Please feel free to reach out for any assistance whether it be for support or just a virtual hug.

We can't wait for the day when we all will be together again celebrating in person!

Sincerely,  
**CHANA YERUSHALMI**  
**SARA GEISINSKY**  
 Friendship Circle Directors





## FRIENDS ON ZOOM

Has your child been missing his/her social interactions? Do they need a friend at this time? Enroll your child for #friendsonzoom today so that they can spend time weekly chatting with their special volunteer friends at Friendship Circle.



## FRONT STEP PROJECT

Would you like your child to have an amazing opportunity to have friends come visit in a safe and socially distant environment? Here is your chance! Volunteers will come by your front steps and chat, dance, play games and spread cheer to your child-all while strictly adhering to all safety guidelines.





## PURIM ON THE RED CARPET

was loads of fun. We had a live DJ, Waffle Bar, dancing and a LIVE walk the red carpet runway show!

## PURIM HOME VISITS

were the last event we had in person, and boy was it special! During the day of Purim itself, volunteers came around to all of our special friends' homes and started dancing, singing, handing out goody bags and most importantly adding in the Purim spirit. It was a truly joyous and festive occasion!



## Volunteer of the Month

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I love to interact with special needs adults and children. Around them I feel amazing because they're amazing people. Friendship Circle brings joy into my life and I am so lucky to call myself a volunteer.

JOSH GORJIAN



Friendship Circle of Great Neck Initiative:  
Join us as we embrace our new "virtual reality" and become a part of **#friendsonzoom**

All new and old volunteers encouraged to join. Alumni included.

Each special needs child/adult will be paired up with their very own special friend/friends. We will be providing games, art, and baking recipes for you to use. You can also use this special time to chat, play some good songs and enjoy each others company.

To register simply text **#friendsonzoom** to 646-220-2050 or DM us on Instagram @fcgreatneck



## FRIENDSHIP CIRCLE VIRTUAL

## SCHEDULE WEEK OF MAY 3

	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI
7:00AM - 8:00AM (EST)	WORKOUT					
7:30AM - 8:30AM (EST)					ZUMBA	
8:00AM - 10:00AM (EST)		SING W/RY	ZUMBA			BAKE W/RY
8:30AM - 10:30AM (EST)	STORYTIME			MAGIC		SING-A-LONG
10:00AM - 12:00PM (EST)					SHOGG	
10:30AM - 12:30PM (EST)	ZUMBA	KARATE				
11:00AM - 1:00PM (EST)			TAEKWONDO		JUST ANX BOOK CLUB	
11:30AM - 1:30PM (EST)		ART				
12:00PM - 2:00PM (EST)			STORYTIME	HOLIDAY SONGS		SHABBAT
1:00PM - 3:00PM (EST)			MUSIC & MOVEMENT	YARS CREATEZ	SOCIAL DRUGS HANGOUT	YOGA
2:00PM - 4:00PM (EST)		TAI CHI MEDITATION	DANCE	YOGA		
3:20PM - 5:20PM (EST)				KARATE		
4:30PM - 6:30PM (EST)	BEDTIME STORY		MON'S YOGA NIGHT			
5:00PM - 7:00PM (EST)				MON'S BAKING NIGHT		
				TUESDAYS TALK MENTAL HEALTH		

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FC GREAT NECK PRESENTS:

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## Virtual Music Circle

Every Tuesday at 6:00 PM



## April Birthdays:

Rojeh Samouhi,  
Hillel Sanders,  
Ella Siuni,  
Samantha Kamelhar

