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## CIYC WORK PARTIES 2011

February 5-6, 12-13, 19-20, and 26-27  
9am – 4pm

Dear Members,

We are once again excited about the annual CIYC Work Party weekends. Numerous projects big and small are planned, so there is plenty to be done (in case you were concerned). This year we'll attempt to come to grips with reality and include all four weekends in February, which will allow more to be accomplished, ample time for clean-up days, and more date opportunities to volunteer. Among other things, planned projects include painting, small repairs and renovation, cleaning, completing some room projects already begun, and new lighting in select areas. Three weekends will involve projects, with the last weekend spent on tying loose ends and clean-up.

During the past few years the February work parties have saved the club many thousands of dollars that otherwise would have resulted in substantially higher membership dues or assessments. Whatever your skill level and specialty – Pro, handy person, or simply enthusiastic - please, we need you to come and help.

As always, in addition to keeping the club in top condition, the work parties are a great opportunity to socialize with fellow members. A further benefit is attracting potential new members who stop by during these work parties – it is an impactful sight – and why we advertise these weekends as “Open House” weekends. Please let your friends know that they are welcome to drop in, meet a few members, and experience our can-do spirit and Club pride.

Lunch will be provided and a reservation would help us in our planning. To sign up for your favorite project or to let us know how you can help out, email Brad Stone at [bdstone@rcn.com](mailto:bdstone@rcn.com), or call the Clubhouse at 718 885-2487.

This year, at the suggestion of members at the Fall Membership Meeting, the Board of Directors has reinstated a February Work Party Commitment Contribution. The amount is \$100 for all active members.

Rather than an increase in dues, it has been structured this way because members can receive a rebate of the fee, upon request, if they participate in 2 work party sessions.

Best Regards,

CIYC Board of Directors