



EDGEMONT

Community Overview

Located in the hills west of Scarsdale, Edgemont is a charming community of southern Westchester County. Edgemont is characterized by its winding, tree-lined streets, tranquil wooded beauty, open green space, and numerous parks. Its residential communities represent diverse architectural styles and periods, including stately Tudors and classic Colonials — some of which date back to the 18th century — along with newly built Contemporaries and Colonials. Edgemont has distinguished itself as a small community with schools, recreational amenities and a friendly, welcoming environment, all in a striking setting of interesting wooded topography.

AREA

6.6 Square Miles

POPULATION

17,800

HISTORY

Within the unincorporated river town of Greenburgh in Westchester County lies the census-designated community of Greenville, commonly known as Edgemont. In its early years, the area was settled by northern Europeans, primarily the English and Dutch. Edgemont is how residents identify this popular New York City enclave. Edgemont originated as a development earmarked by numerous architects for summer homes for Manhattanites, and today comprises many Colonial and Tudor-style homes.

TRANSPORTATION

Edgemont has a commuting time of approximately 33 minutes into Manhattan's Grand Central Terminal via the Metro North Railroad, accessed by the Scarsdale or Hartsdale station. Express bus service from White Plains to Manhattan passes through the Edgemont area on Central Avenue.

RECREATION

The Edgemont Recreation Department offers an extensive selection of instructional classes and activities for all ages. These include an after school gym, open gym for teens and adults, karate, and gymnastics, to name just a few. League sports include soccer, basketball, softball, wrestling, baseball and football. Edgemont also offers a summer camp and teen travel program. Yearly holiday events are sponsored by the Recreation Department for the entire community to enjoy.

NATURAL RECREATION

Greenburgh Nature Center: A 33-acre woodland preserve with trails, a tranquil pond, orchard field, rolling lawns, gardens and maple sugaring site. The 21-room Manor house contains a live animal museum and a hands-on discovery room, a greenhouse and ever-changing nature and art exhibits. The center is operated by a professional staff and a volunteer Board of Directors. Programs are offered for groups of all ages in a wide range of nature and ecology topics. Edgemont residents can also enjoy a total of nine parks nearby. They may utilize Greenburgh Town Park, also known as Anthony F. Veterans Park, a 20-acre complex with three pools, lighted tennis courts, a clubhouse and cabanas.

LIBRARY

Edgemont Public Library
914.721.8200

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Edgemont School District: www.edgemont.org

Greenville Elementary School: 914.472.7760

Seely Place Elementary School: 914.472.8040

Edgemont Middle School: 914.472.7768

Edgemont High School: 914.472.7768

SHOPPING & DINING

Edgemont's location is ideal for shoppers, with its close proximity to Scarsdale and Hartsdale. In addition to some shopping and dining options locally, residents have the luxury of close access to Scarsdale Village with its plethora of shops, restaurants and quaint boutiques, as well as countless retail shops at the popular Midway Shopping Center on Central Avenue. Numerous grocery stores serve the area, as well as a Costco and Stew Leonard's, both minutes away in Yonkers.

ARTS & CULTURE

Edgemont residents have access to a wealth of artistic and cultural opportunities. Greenburgh Arts & Culture hosts ongoing exhibits of local artists and photographers, as well as a children's gallery, a poetry caravan and an annual fall flower show. A short distance away, White Plains offers myriad cultural venues, including a performing arts center, the Westchester Philharmonic, and the Westchester Chamber Symphony.



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Important Numbers

EDGEMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT:

Emergency: 911

Non-Emergency: 914.682.5300

FIRE DEPARTMENT:

Emergency: 911

Non-Emergency: 914.723.3430

HOSPITALS:

Lawrence Hospital Center

914.793.1658

Additional Information

MUNICIPAL OFFICES:

Town Clerk: 914.993.1500

Parks and Recreation Department:

914.693.8985

Senior Programs and Services:

914.722.1160

Post Office:

914.723.6481

Airports:

Westchester County Airport: 13 Miles

LaGuardia Airport: 21 Miles

John F. Kennedy International Airport:

28 Miles

Edgemont/Greenburgh Information:

www.scarsdale.com