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**DEADLINES for ad submissions are  
Mar. 15, June 15, Sept. 15, Dec. 15.**

**MP 9966 – Gregory Christiano**, 450 East 184<sup>th</sup> Street (between Washington & Park Avenues), 256 Logan Avenue, East 222<sup>nd</sup> Street & White Plains Road, **School of Our Saviors** – Has anyone seen Philip Ambrosio, John Gaffney (Sergi), Clifford Garrett?  
Contact: gregoryjnc@hotmail.com.

**MP 9967 – Jay M. Rosen**, 3407 DeKalb Avenue, **P.S. 80, DeWitt Clinton '51** – Looking for Howard Koorhan, Steven Stein, Jerry Wycoff, Joyce Bucholtz.  
Contact: jay1933@yahoo.com.

**MP 9968 – Ronald Kane** (birth name Ronald Klotsky), 3204 Kingsbridge Avenue, **P.S. 7, J.H.S. 7, Science '60** – Still in touch with some folks from way back when, but looking for Elias Theodoratis from Mechanical Engineering at CCNY and any stickball players, handball players, and stoop-sitters on West 232<sup>nd</sup> Street between Broadway and Kingsbridge Avenue.  
Contact: ronald.s.kane@gmail.com.

**MP 9969 – Susan Feller Kane**, Bailey Avenue, 3410 Kingsbridge Avenue, 1815 Prospect Avenue, **P.S. 7, J.H.S. 143, Walton High School '64**.  
Contact: ronald.s.kane@gmail.com.

**MP 9970 – Japhet Zayas**, 1195 & 1774 Clay Avenue, **P.S. 53, Jordan L. Mott (J.H.S. 22), Grace Dodge H.S. '74** – Looking for Woodrow Morales, Gilbert Gonzalez, Robert Cedeno, Miguel Sanchez.

**MP 9971 – Barbara Ann Dolan**, 917 Ogden Avenue (Highbridge), **Sacred Heart, Mother Cabrini H.S. '65** – Has anyone had contact with Karen Kumer, Charlotte Gottlieb, or Seth Nadel?  
Contact: bdrn@optonline.net.

**MP 9972 – Howard Farkas**, 1120 Wyatt Street, 228 West 259<sup>th</sup> Street, **P.S. 6, J.H.S. 98, James Monroe '61** – Hoping to locate Jerry Simon.  
Contact: zachfwa@optonline.net.

**MP 9973 – Michael Schwartz**, Harrison Avenue and 180<sup>th</sup> Street, **Clinton '64** – Looking for old friends from The Bronx.  
Contact: blacktree1946@gmail.com.

**MP 9974 – Richard C. Cohan**, 328 East 180<sup>th</sup> Street, **St. Simon Stock, Cardinal Hayes '58** – Looking for Billy Purcell.  
Contact: cohanos9@aol.com.

**MP 9975 – Herman Kunes**, 1402 Prospect Avenue & 1338 Stebbins Avenue (1933-1942), **P.S. 54, J.H.S. 40, Morris H.S. '42** – Fond memories being brought up in The Bronx.  
Contact: chuckmmm@aol.com.

**MP 9976 – Rick Herman**, Gun Hill Road, Castle Hill (Olmstead Avenue) – Seeking Norwood friends & classmates: Barry Levine, David Kantrowitz, Aileen Kowal, Lenny Silverman, Sandra Schiowitz, Andrea Levinson, Bobby Harris, Philip LoCasio. From Castle Hill: Denise Cappelli, Donna LoCastro; where is Linda Rodriguez?  
Contact: yanksect17@verizon.net.

**MP 9977 – Bob Fink**, 1996 Morris Avenue, **St. Margaret Mary School '49**, Manhattan Prep '53, Manhattan College '57, **Fordham University School of Law '61** – Hoping to find long-lost friends. Presently living in Atlanta.  
Contact: rmfink@mindspring.com.

**MP 9978 – Murray M. Kramer**, 1031 Freeman Street, **P.S. 66, P.S. 98 (Herman Ridder J.H.S.), Monroe H.S.** – Looking to find Joseph Lewis & John Liptay.  
Contact: mkramer@nyise.org.

**MP 9979 – Kenneth S. Fiorella**, 2280 Grand Avenue, **P.S. 91, Creston J.H.S., DeWitt Clinton '70** – Has anyone heard from Michael Orenstein or Ira Pilosoff?  
Contact: kfiorella@rubinfiorella.com.

**MP 9980 – Rochelle Pruzan**, 665 Allerton Avenue, **P.S. 96, J.H.S. 135, Columbus '72** – Can anyone help me locate Francine Friedman?  
Contact: repruzan@optonline.net.

**MP 9981 – Ronald R. De Rubeis**, 2140 Crotona Avenue, **St. Martin of Tours, Fordham Prep '55**.  
Contact: derubeisronald@yahoo.com.

**MP 9982 – Angela Parini Aglione**, Webster Avenue near Gun Hill Road, **P.S. 94, J.H.S. 80, Evander Childs, Hunter College**. Contact: angagl27@aol.com.

**MP 9983 – Mark Goldstein**, 1883 Southern Boulevard, 4162 Murdock Avenue, **P.S. 68, John Philip Sousa J.H.S. 142, Samuel Gompers Vocational Tech High School '64** – Looking for John Markmann.  
Contact: goldie442@verizon.net.

**MP 9984 – Robert G. Stevenson**, Valentine Avenue (near Poe Park), **P.S. 5**. Contact: rstevenson88@optimum.net.

**MP 9985 – Elaine Norelli**, 2160 Crotona Avenue, 285 East 173<sup>rd</sup> Street, 2448 Washington Avenue, **P.S. 45, P.S. 16, Roosevelt High School '69** – Hoping to locate Ann Grey and Luanne Fiorito.  
Contact: enorelli@optonline.net.

**MP 9986 – Jacqueline Birnbaum**, 120 Gale Avenue, **P.S. 95, John Peter Tetard J.H.S. 143, Science '69** – Has anyone heard from Martha Lask? Contact: jacqueline.birnbaum@gmail.com.

**MP 9987 – Joel Saland**, 1812 Andrews Avenue, 3713 Fairfield Avenue, **P.S. 26, P.S. 82, Science '58**.  
Contact: jsaland2@gmail.com.

**MP 9988 – Carmelina Bocchieri Ignelzi**, 698 Melrose Avenue (corner of 155<sup>th</sup> Street), 727 Elton Avenue (between 154<sup>th</sup> & 155<sup>th</sup> Streets), **P.S. 3, Grace Dodge '49** – Would love to find Amelia Marrama, Joan del Biondo, and Lillian Kelly.  
Contact: nymillie@icloud.com.

**MP 9989 – Nancy Segal**, Riverdale, **P.S. 24, J.H.S. 141, Science '60** – Hoping to find Susan Rolider, Judith Goldman, Joyce Stuart.  
Contact: nsegal@fullerton.edu.

**MP 9990 – James Cawley**, 3142 & 3110 Kingsbridge Terrace, 1875 University Avenue, **Our Lady of Angels, Cardinal Hayes '66** – Anyone know Ted Bonte?  
Contact: cawleyjp@msn.com.

**MP 9991 – Kathleen O'Leary Rouse**, 1139 White Plains Road, Parkchester, **Blessed Sacrament**.  
Contact: krouse@optonline.net.

**MP 9992 – Maria Trozzo**, Kingsbridge Avenue & West 231<sup>st</sup> Street, 3054 Kingsbridge Avenue, 2523 University Avenue, **St. John's Grammar School**.  
Contact: msullivan045@aol.com.

**MP 9993 – Carolyn Memoli Seibel**, 666 East 232<sup>nd</sup> Street, **Immaculate Conception '60** – Would like to make contact with Joy Engholm, Andrea Daniels, & Maurisa Fisher.  
Contact: peterams2@aol.com.

**MP 9994 – Gail DelSavio**, 2676 Grand Concourse, **P.S. 54, Our Lady of Refuge** – Would love to locate Perry DeSantis and Denise Cautillo.  
Contact: gdel@delhitel.net.

**MP 9995 – Phyllis Spinner Tenenbaum**, 1182 West Farms Road, **Monroe '61**.  
Contact: gpt20@aol.com.

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**MP 9996 – Gayle Schwartz**, 1627 University Avenue & 175<sup>th</sup> Street, **P.S. 104, Macombs J.H.S., W.H. Taft '61** – Looking for Steven Falco, Joseph Harris (lived in my building), and Ann Harris (his sister).  
Contact: gayle.schwartz.nyc@gmail.com.

**MP 9997 – Anna Marie (Villanova) Iannotta**, 679 Van Nest Avenue, 1753 Melville Street, **P.S. 34, St. Dominic School, St. Catharine Academy '61** – Looking for Charles Nixon.  
Contact: aiannotta@att.net.

**MP 9998 – Howie Gelbtuch**, 795 Pelham Parkway, **P.S. 89, J.H.S. 135, Christopher Columbus '67** – Searching for Cheryl Polishook.  
Contact: hcg66@aol.com.

**MP 9999 – Roberta Abramowitz Seltzer**, 2710 Webb Avenue, **P.S. 86, J.H.S. 143, Walton High School '61**.  
Contact: missroberta@hotmail.com.

**MP10000 – Stuart Germain**, Highbridge, 6 East 167<sup>th</sup> Street, **P.S. 114, J.H.S. 22, N.Y. School of Printing** – Anyone know Paul Gordon?  
Contact: slgermain@gmail.com.

**MP 10001 – Paula (Danowski) Costella**, 530 Olmstead Avenue (Castle Hill Projects), 1340 Purdy Street, **Saint John Vianney, Columbus '79** – Searching for Maureen Allen.  
Contact: pcostella@me.com.

**MP 10002 – Maryann Gorman**, 2707 Sedgwick Avenue, **Our Lady of Angels, St. Barnabus**.  
Contact: mg20708@aol.com.

**MP 10003 – Gail Lish**, 49 West 225<sup>th</sup> Street (Marble Hill Projects), 2555 Grand Concourse, **P.S. 122, J.H.S. 143 (John Peter Tetard), Roosevelt H.S. '68** – Would like to locate Kathy and Susan Reynolds. Contact: rgonthego@aol.com.

**MP 10004 – Sarah DiPalma Benfari**, 2166 Clinton Avenue, 670 Garden Street, **St. Martin of Tours Elementary, Aquinas High School** – My father owned the dairy and grocery store at 2309 and 2311 Arthur Avenue. Would love to find Elsie and Elaine Spadaccini, as well as Joseph DeCandido.  
Contact: sbenfari@hotmail.com.

**MP 10005 – Bonnie Johnson**, 198 Brown Place, **P.S. 7** – Looking for old friends.  
Contact: symphony7343@gmail.com.

**MP 10006 – Fern A. (Travin) Glasser**, 1471 College Avenue, 265 McClellan Avenue, 1258 College Avenue, **P.S. 70, P.S. 88, P.S. 90, J.H.S. 22 (Jordan L. Mott), Taft '72** – Trying to locate Sally Sax and Juliette Sohn.  
Contact: fglasser1@gmail.com.

**MP 10007 – Judith Heineman Shuldiner**, 610 Trinity Avenue (across from St. Mary's Park), 1210 Stratford Avenue (right off Westchester near the Soundview train station), 1545 Archer Road (Parkchester), **P.S. 77, P.S. 102, J.H.S. 123, Monroe H.S. '65, CCNY**.  
Contact: juhestories@aol.com.

**MP 10008 – Evelyn D'Alessio Franzese**, 2275 Bassford Avenue, 1968 Bathgate Avenue, 2259 Bassford Avenue, **Our Savior School, J.H.S. 127, Walton '70** – Does anyone know Maria Varcasia Cote or Barbara Bucceri?  
Contact: efranze@sbcglobal.net.

**MP 10009 – Steve Paintner**, 1057 Boynton Avenue, 840 Hunts Point Avenue, 600 Timpson Place, **J.H.S. 123, Monroe '69** – On the lookout for Alan Freilich. Contact: bmocl@hotmail.com.

**MP 10010 – Julius Klausner**, 2095 Mohegan Avenue (southwest corner of 180<sup>th</sup> Street & Mohegan Avenue, above a grocery store), **P.S. 67, J.H.S. 98 (Herman Ridder), Roosevelt H.S. '67** – Met my wife as a "soda jerk" at Krum's.  
Contact: jklauscpa@gmail.com.

**MP 10011 – Dorothy Klausner**, 2035 Creston Avenue near Burnside Avenue, 2136 Wallace Avenue near Lydig Avenue, **P.S. 28, J.H.S. 117 (Wade), Science '68** – After graduating from Bronx Science, I became a teacher there for my entire career. Contact: nydk1011@aol.com.

**MP 10012 – Michael Meaney**, 1840 Phelan Place, 1098 Woodycrest Avenue – Wants to find Keith McDonnell & Rosemary Centamore. Contact: michaelmeaney999@gmail.com.

**MP 10013 – Diane Walewski**, 705 & 735 Elton Avenue, **St. Adalbert, Aquinas '73** – Has anyone got contact info for Carolina Lucia?  
Contact: dwgogreen909@hotmail.com.

**MP 10014 – Diane (Gaarn) Dunne**, 273 East 175<sup>th</sup> Street, **St. Margaret Mary, Aquinas High School** – Looking for Betty Foley, Patsy Lunn.  
Contact: djoy2663@yahoo.com.

**MP 10015 – Anita (Schlemowitz) Shaw**, 2704 Decatur Avenue, **Roosevelt '49** – Daughter of Leo Shaw, owner of Leo's Candy Store from 1947-1964 (either 2672 or 2694 Decatur Avenue) A local baseball team, the Decatur Cardinals, kept their trophies in the store window. If anyone has any pictures of the store, please get in touch. Contact: lrs3432@gmail.com.

**MP 10016 – George Morris**, 1040 Nelson Avenue, **Sacred Heart School (Grades 1-8), Cardinal Spellman H.S.** – Would love to hear from any living relatives of Paul Sontag, a Holocaust survivor and owner of a fruit store who gave me my first job (165<sup>th</sup> and Nelson, ca. 1960), or Gustavo Tate, a Cuban refugee who owned the candy store across the street on 165<sup>th</sup>, and let me practice my H.S. Spanish on him. Contact: esolgeorge@aol.com.

**MP 10017 – Brenda Ricketts**, 681 Cortlandt Avenue (Melrose Houses), **P.S. 3, J.H.S. 38, Morris High School '65**.  
Contact: rickettsbrenda869@gmail.com.

**MP 10018 – John DiNome**, 1828 Longfellow Avenue, **St. Margaret's of Crotona Riverdale, Cardinal Hayes '76**. Contact: jd58@optonline.net.

**MP 10019 – Stanley Cohen**, 2357 Walton Avenue, 2386 Davidson Avenue, **P.S. 33, J.H.S. 79, Clinton '51** – Looking for Alvin Geller, Alan Garber, & J. David Markowitz.  
Contact: scohen2714@yahoo.com.

**MP 10020 – Dorothy E. (Leibman) Petrucelli**, 400 East 183<sup>rd</sup> Street, 1940 Hone Avenue, 380-382 East 183<sup>rd</sup> Street, **P.S. 85, J.H.S. 115 (E.B.B.), Walton H.S. '59**. Contact: petroqueen@aol.com.

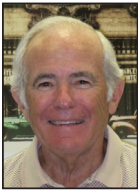
**MP 10021 – Martin Rosen**, 1925 University Avenue, **P.S. 26, Macombs Junior High, Clinton '42**.  
Contact: mrosen9113@aol.com.

**MP 10022 – Roz Mazor Ross**, 1372 Shakespeare Avenue, **P.S. P.S. 104, J.H.S. 104, Central Commercial H.S. '51**.  
Contact: rozjoeross@aol.com.

**MP 10023 – David Lax**, 1215 Nelson Avenue, Noonan Plaza (168<sup>th</sup> Street & Nelson), **P.S. 11, P.S. 73, Taft H.S. '69**.  
Contact: dldnu@aol.com.

**MP 10024 – Susan H. (Wishik) Liss**, 1833, 1849, 1853 Loring Place South, **P.S. 26, Macombs J.H.S. 82** – Have gotten back in touch with Sue Moskowitz.  
Contact: susanhliiss@yahoo.com.





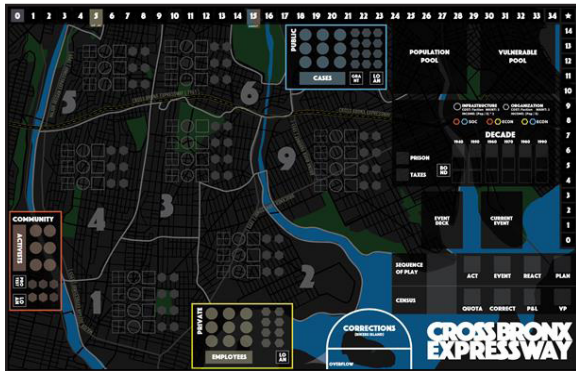
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**Prototype Game Board for  
Cross Bronx Expressway game**



**A derelict building in The Bronx**

Beginning in the 1940s, New York embarked upon infrastructure and urban renewal projects that would reshape the city, including the culturally-rich working-class neighborhoods of the South Bronx. The game takes its name from one particularly infamous infrastructure project, an expressway conceived of and championed by the city's "construction coordinator" Robert Moses, which from 1948 to 1972 gradually cut through the borough, disrupting neighborhoods and businesses alike. This, and other similar infrastructure projects, impacted the local fabric of existing communities in ways that are still having an effect to this day. If players manage to keep the city afloat, new opportunities emerge to transform the South Bronx according to their own vision, but if too many vulnerable people are lost or if the city goes bankrupt, everyone will lose. Can you cooperate better than the historical actors did and pull the South Bronx back from the brink of disaster?

New York City faced high demand for water following the Great Fire of New York in 1835. The solution to the lack of freshwater was the Old Croton Aqueduct, which went into service in 1842. It was one of the first modern aqueduct systems in the United States. The aqueduct was originally a single pipe that crossed the Harlem River, but it could not sustain the city's rapidly-growing needs. During this time, an engineering team led by John B. Jervis started building High Bridge. It opened in 1848 and brought water from the Croton River in Westchester County to Upper Manhattan via two 36-inch pipes inside the bridge. In the early 1860s, the two pipes were replaced by one 90-inch pipe.

Schools Chancellor David C. Banks recently helped break ground on the construction of a state-of-the-art school in the West Bronx. Opening in September of 2024, the 433-seat school at 1302 Edward L. Grant Highway in Highbridge will be five stories high, fully air-conditioned, and will serve children from pre-k through the fifth grade, all constructed by the School Construction Authority (SCA). The building will contain three pre-k classrooms, three kindergarten classrooms, 15 standard classrooms, two district special education classrooms, plus reading and speech resource rooms. Additionally, the building will feature art and music rooms, as well as a library and cafeteria.



**Chancellor Banks is joined by city and state  
legislators during a ground-breaking ceremony  
in the West Bronx**

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