

# Community Center Rental

Location: 614 Seaman Avenue, Baldwin, NY 11510

Hours: 8:30 am – 10:00 pm Tuesday - Sunday.

The New York Kali Mandir Community center offers rental opportunities on first come, first serve basis for meetings, parties and religious activities. The hall can seat 75 people.

## Rental Policy:

### 1. **Permitted, and not permitted uses:**

The use of the hall is classified into three categories, namely

(i) Religious use, (ii) Family use, and (iii) Social use.

#### *Religious*

- Poojas/bhajans
- Conferences, discourses and classes

#### *Family*

- Marriage, Upanayan, birthday celebration, rituals like Sradham and Tila Tarpanam are permitted. But rituals relating to last rites (immediately after death) are not permitted.

#### *Social*

- Music/dance recitals that are generally consistent with the temple principle are permitted.
- Secular educational classes such as language classes, financial planning etc. offered as a service to the community are permitted.

### 2. **Food distribution**

- The kitchen located adjacent to the hall is used for preparing food for the temple ceremony. Renters are not permitted to cook in the premises. Facility will be provided for reheating cooked food items.
- Only vegetarian food is allowed. Renters are requested to refrain from bringing foods containing onion and garlic.
- Alcoholic beverages, tobacco products are prohibited in the buildings and on premises.

<b>Community Center Rental</b>	<b>Members</b>	<b>Non-Members</b>
½ Day weekday	\$150	\$200
½ Day weekend	\$200	\$250
Full day weekday	\$300	\$350
Full day weekend	\$350	\$400

The Community center can be rented on hourly basis at \$40 per hour on weekdays and \$50 on weekends.

**NYKM offers food catering for any event at reasonable rates.**

To make a reservation or inquire about food catering for any event:

Call Samiran Chakroborty (Priest) at 516 771-5254 or email your request at [nykmdevotee@gmail.com](mailto:nykmdevotee@gmail.com).