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'Night of Lights' shines bright in Chestnut Hill

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Back for another year is one of Chestnut Hill's brightest events, Night of Lights, on Friday, Oct. 8 at 6:45 p.m., spectators can watch as the "Flip the Switch" ceremony kicks off. As the release states, Night of Lights will transform Chestnut Avenue into a nightly interactive exhibition of local history and architecture. Archival photos that highlight the history of Chestnut Hill, Mt. Airy, Germantown, and Springfield Township will be projected through eight storefront windows. Neighboring historic buildings are illuminated with colored lights. In addition, the event will feature an antique car display, wine tastings from Jefferson Vineyard, and remarks from local officials who will flip the switch to commence the 10th annual exhibition.

Keeping the Lights on for NYC's Media, Entertainment and Nightlife Industry with Anne del Castillo, Commissioner, NYC Mayor's Office of Media and Entertainment

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The fun doesn't stop with just the event this Friday night either. Additional events and activations are planned throughout the 10-day run that complements the Conservancy's efforts and promote the community's local history, including a prohibition-style speakeasy on Oct. 9; craftspeople demonstrations highlighting masonry, woodworking, metalworking, and stained glass on Oct. 13; a happy hour social with a fortune teller on Oct. 16; the burying of a time capsule to honor Woodward Co.'s 100th anniversary on Oct. 17; and more.

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