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Reach over **150,000** weekly readers in print and over **1,000,000** annual unique visitors online





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About Straus News - Manhattan



Published since 1970, Our Town is the East Side's largest community newspaper, read from Gramercy to Carnegie Hill — the wealthiest neighborhoods in the city. With vital community news that is covered by no other newspaper in the city, Our Town has become a must-read for all East Siders — from the affluent Fifth Avenue executive to the Lenox Hill mom. Readership: 50,000

The West Side Spirit, Manhattan's beloved West Side community weekly, has been distributed from Clinton to Columbia University since 1985. From Riverside Drive families to the film stars on Central Park West, The West Side Spirit is the award-winning newspaper residents rely on for the news and views of their neighborhood. Readership: 50,000





Our Town Downtown is a merry hybrid of traditional community newspaper and lifestyle magazine. Our Town Downtown is a local newspaper, published weekly, with a flair for design and an emphasis on dining, real estate, education and the goings-on around town. It was merged with New York Press for the arts and listings coverage to present the best picks of the week within walking distance: from Chinatown to Soho to FiDi and many other neighborhoods, our coverage area has it all.

Readership: 50,000

Since 1972, The Westsider has reported the community news between 60th and 125th streets, from Central Park to theHudson River, to an exclusive group of subscribers. For individuals and business owners, The Westsider is a must-read to stay in touch with the neighborhood. Readership: 1,200



CHELSEA CLINTON NEWS

One of the oldest weekly newspapers in Manhattan, Chelsea Clinton News has been published since 1939. It covers the upscale neighborhoods between 14th Street and 59th Street from Fifth Avenue to the Hudson River. Its affluent and influential subscribers rely on us to keep them informed about local news and cultural events. **Readership: 1,000**



A WEEKLY SPECIAL ARTS FEATURE SECTION CITYLE AND A CONTRACT AND A

As "New York's Review of Culture" *CityArts* is leading the way in both print and online to spearhead critical thinking about Film, Museums, Music, Art, Theatre, Dance, Opera, Games, and Television enriching and enlivening New York's arts scene. "We're bringing thinking back to culture," *CityArts* Editor Armond White has proclaimed.



CityArts is an essential part of New York's cultural landscape-- the first word on the city's best sights, sounds and experiences. We are affordable and flexible. Advertisers reach an affluent mix of readers and appear in an attractive and upscale setting.



CityArts

CityArts appears as a special section each week in *Our Town, West Side Spirit,* and *Our Town Downtown* and gives advertisers direct access to more than **150,000** readers who are educated, affluent and arts-oriented.



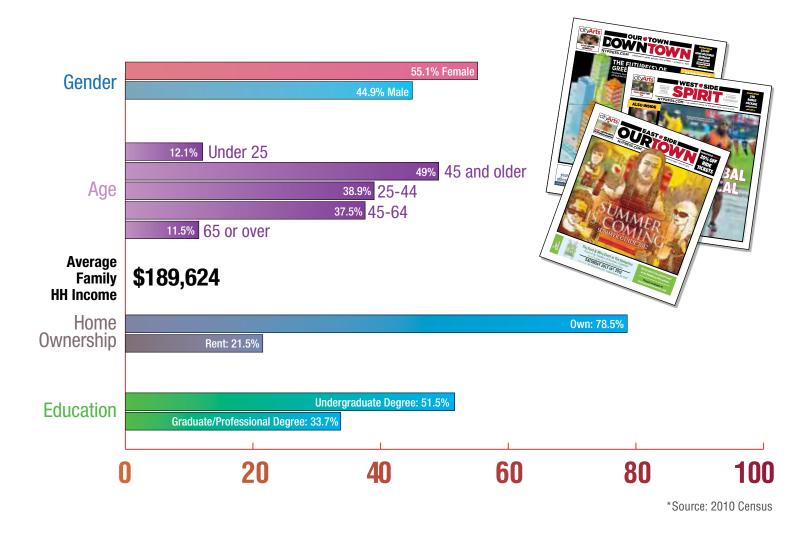






No other media group in New York can reach the Upper East Side, Upper West Side and Downtown like Straus News - Manhattan.

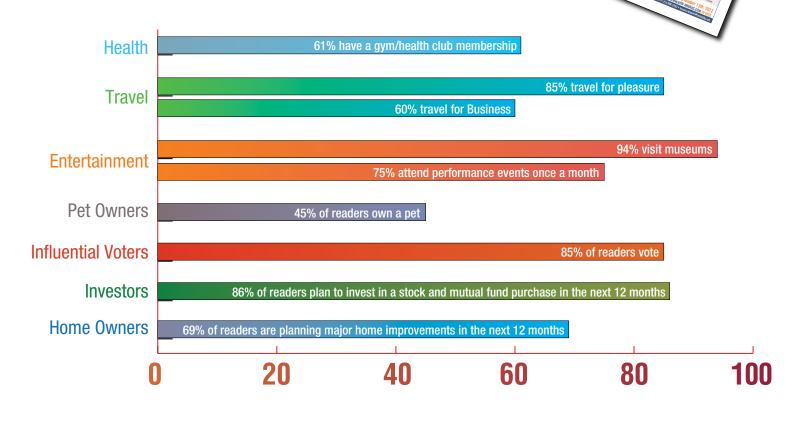
Our readers are community-conscious decision makers with real spending power. They are information-hungry New Yorkers with expendable income that mirror the city's diverse demographic landscape. **Total Readership: 150,000**



Our Readers

Our readers are active New Yorkers.

Reach an exclusive audience that values New York's rich cultural & entertainment scene. Our readers are active and engaged.



*Source: Marist Poll, 2009 & CityArts 2010 readership survey

DOWNTOWN

Reach our readers where they live.

How are the papers distributed?

West Side Spirit, Our Town Downtown and Our Town are distributed to 3,000 doorman buildings, street news boxes, local cafes and merchants, schools and banks. Chelsea Clinton News and The Westsider are home delivered to subscribers each week.

THEWESTSIDER

Profile:

Readership: 1,200 The Westsider reports the community news between 60th and 125th streets, from Central Park to the Hudson River.



Profile: Readership: 50,000 West Side Spirit is distributed from W. 28th Street to W. 125th Street.

Distribution:

75% Doorman buildings11% Newsboxes14% Retail locations

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Profile:

Readership: 1,000 Chelsea Clinton News covers the upscale neighborhoods between 14th Street and 59th Street from Fifth Avenue to the Hudson River.



Profile: Readership: 50,000 Our Town is distributed from E. 34th Street to E. 96th Street.

Distribution: 75% Doorman buildings 11% Newsboxes 14% Retail locations • Unique Audience: 49% of New Yorkers report they <u>do not</u> read a daily newspaper. Weekly community newspapers reach 47% of New Yorkers who do not read a daily newspaper.

• **Retention:** In **86%** of the households that receive a weekly community newspaper, the newspaper is read every week.

• **High Reference Rate:** Almost half of weekly community newspaper readers (**45%**) keep each issue of the newspaper in their home until the next issue arrives, referring to each issue twice on average.



Profile: Readership: 50,000 Our Town Downtown is distributed from 23rd St. down to Battery Park City

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Our Papers Get Results

We had a nice turn-out at our most recent Information Session, and many of the attendees cited one of the Straus News -Manhattan papers as the source of their hearing about us. Because we are pleased with the results of the ads we placed, **We are considering a more long term arrangement.**

- NYU Division of Vascular Surgery





Our **registration for our current fall semester of courses is up 33-1/3 percent** from the last semester, and Straus News - Manhattan played a big role in helping us make that happen.

- Jewish Association for Services for the Aged (JASA)

Straus News - Manhattan spreads Animal League America's mission Uptown, Downtown & All Around Town. **A trusting source for our advertising campaigns** for Pet Adoption here at our Port Washing, NY Campus; Adoption Events taking place throughout NYC; and Special Events taking place to enhance our mission to rescue, nurture & adopt nearly 20,000 animals annually.

– North Shore Animal League America



Live Events



STRAUS NEWS MANHATTAN OFFERS A WIDE ARRAY OF OPPORTUNITIES AT HIGH-PROFILE EVENTS.

Downtown OTTY Awards

Our Town Downtown thanks the people who make Lower Manhattan spectacular. The Downtown OTTYs honor a diverse group of amazing people from all neighborhoods, professions and backgrounds but the one thing they have in common is their commitment to making downtown an incredible place.

OTTY Awards The OTTY Awards (Our Town Thanks You) salute New Yorkers who live and work on the East Side. The awards aim to highlight the energy and imagination of people whose accomplishments have improved the neighborhood. The well-attended event draws in a crowd of merchants, authors, actors, businessmen and businesswomen and more.

Building Workers of the Year Awards Straus News is partnering with SEIU 32BJ, the building service workers union, to honor the workers who keep the city's commercial buildings running smoothly. The awards ceremony highlights building service workers in NYC with special awards for emergency lifesavers, good Samaritans and lifetime service awards.

WESTY Awards Each year, West Side Spirit community newspaper salutes New Yorkers who live and work on Manhattan's West Side. Awards are given to honor members of the West Side community whose accomplishments have improved the neighborhood. The event draws a large audience of authors, actors, educators, merchants and more.



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Website Advertising





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2013 Retail Rate Card

		VSpape n, West Side		Town Dowr	itown)		3 Newspapers (Our Town Downtown, Our Town & West Side Spirit)						
	Open	8x	13x	26x	40x	52x	Open	8x	13x	26x	40x	52x	
Cover Strip	1,140	1,050	1,000	850	690	630	2,880	2,650	2,510	2,140	1,730	1,590	
Back Page	2,500	2,450	2,400	2,350	2,300	2,100	6,750	6,615	6,480	6,345	6,210	5,670	
Pg 3 & 5	2,100	1,940	1,830	1,560	1,260	1,160	5,300	4,880	4,620	3,930	3,180	2,920	
Centerfold	3,960	3,650	3,450	2,940	2,380	2,180	9,990	9,200	8,700	7,400	6,000	5,500	
Full Page	1,880	1,730	1,640	1,400	1,130	1,040	4,750	4,370	4,140	3,520	2,850	2,620	
Junior Page	1,660	1,530	1,450	1,230	1,000	920	4,190	3,860	3,650	3,110	2,520	2,310	
1/2 Page	1,330	1,230	1,160	990	800	740	3,360	3,100	2,930	2,490	2,020	1,850	
1/3 Page	970	900	850	720	590	540	2,450	2,260	2,140	1,820	1,470	1,350	
1/4 Page	790	730	690	590	480	440	2,000	1,840	1,740	1,480	1,200	1,100	
1/6 Page	550	510	480	410	330	310	1,390	1,280	1,210	1,030	840	770	
1/8 Page	440	410	390	330	270	250	1,120	1,040	980	830	680	620	

2 Newspapers (choose any two) (Our Town, West Side Spirit or Our Town Downtown)

5 Newspapers

(Our Town Downtown, Our Town, West Side Spirit, CCN & Westsider)

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Cover Strip	2,060	1,900	1,800	1,530	1,240	1,140	3,490	3,210	3,040	2,590	2,100	1,962	
Back Page	4,500	4,410	4,320	4,230	4,140	3,780	12,490	11,025	10,800	10,575	10,350	9,450	
Pg 3 & 5	3,780	3,480	3,290	2,800	2,270	2,080	6,410	5,900	5,590	4,760	3,850	3,530	
Centerfold	7,130	6,560	6,210	5,280	4,280	3,930	12,090	11,130	10,520	8,950	7,260	6,650	
Full Page	3,390	3,120	2,950	2,510	2,040	1,870	5,750	5,290	5,010	4,260	3,450	3,170	
Junior Page	2,990	2,760	2,610	2,220	1,800	1,650	5,070	4,670	4,420	3,760	3,050	2,790	
1/2 Page	2,400	2,210	2,090	1,780	1,440	1,320	4,070	3,750	3,550	3,020	2,440	2,240	
1/3 Page	1,750	1,610	1,530	1,300	1,050	970	2,970	2,740	2,590	2,200	1,790	1,630	
1/4 Page	1,430	1,320	1,250	1,060	860	790	2,420	2,220	2,100	1,790	1,450	1,330	
1/6 Page	990	920	870	740	600	550	1,690	1,560	1,470	1,250	1,020	930	
1/8 Page	800	740	700	600	480	440	1,360	1,260	1,190	1,010	820	750	

Insert Rates \$75 per 1,000 inserts. (10,000 insert minimum)

Four Color **\$150** per Insertion per paper.

Ad Specs



Acceptable Formats

InDesign CS5, Illustrator, Photoshop, Acrobat PDF (embed all fonts)

PDFS: All fonts must be embedded. All images and artwork must be CMYK. Do not use compression on images. Please make pdf files Acrobat 4.0 compatible as transparencies in higher versions are unstable.

Microsoft Word files will have to be remade.

Please do not insert pictures into Word documents if they can be sent separately.

Linescreen is 85 for Black and White, 100 for Color pages.

Web images are not acceptable for newsprint – Minimum resolution for picture is 300 dpi, minimum resolution for text is 170 dpi.

Emailed Ads

Please include the advertiser's name and run date in the subject line of the email. In the body of the email please include contact information, should there be a problem with the ad. Please make sure to email ads to your sales representative.

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