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NY Mets’ Art Shamsky at Coffee with Grandpas United – December 16, 2021

Topic: The Amazin’ NY Mets - The 1969 World Series and beyond

WHITE PLAINS, NY – Dec. 16, 2021 – All grandfathers are invited to attend our next virtual Coffee with Grandpas United via Zoom on Thursday, December 16 at 9:30am-10:30 am. We are honored to welcome guest speaker, Art Shamsky of the 1969 “Amazin’ Mets,” the team that beat the odds to win the World Series that year.

In 1969 our country was divided over the Vietnam War and still reeling from the assassinations of Martin Luther King Jr. and Robert Kennedy the year before. That summer, two unbelievable things happened: a man landed on the moon and the perennially hopeless Mets suddenly had the chance to win the World Series. Mr. Shamsky will be sharing stories of life on and off the baseball field and the importance of feeling connected in these challenging times.

Grandpas United will also present updates on ongoing and new intergenerational programs supporting White Plains youth.

This free monthly speaker series is hosted by Grandpas United, an inter-generational initiative of the White Plains Youth Bureau. To register and receive the Zoom link or for more information, please email GrandpasUnitedWPYB@gmail.com.

The mission of Grandpas United of the White Plains Youth Bureau is to utilize the talents, skills and experiences of our Grandpas to improve our community. We aspire to serve as male role models and mentors to enhance the growth and development of our youth, while sharing our talents and experiences with one another, enabling us to maintain our dignity, self-respect and self-worth. For more information, visit www.whiteplainsyouthbureau.org

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