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Welcome Message

Welcome!

The Nyack and Valley Cottage Libraries' Community Spotlight Greenbook is a crowd-sourced business and resource guide for Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC).

The name "Green Book" is a homage to the Negro Motorist Greenbook, published by Victor Hugo Green from 1936 to 1966 as a guide for Black travelers seeking safe and welcoming accommodations in Jim Crow America. Our version of the Greenbook has a similar goal - to identify BIPOC-led and BIPOC-friendly businesses, artists, organizations, vendors, and performers.

This guide is by no means exhaustive; it's a work in progress, and we welcome suggestions for improvements or additions.

Enjoy!

-Nyack and Valley Cottage Libraries

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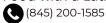
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- -Green Book for libraries. Green Book for Libraries. (n.d.). https://librarygreenbook.com/

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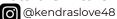
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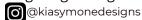
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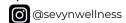
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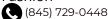
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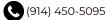
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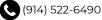
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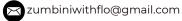
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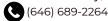
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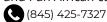
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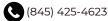
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