



The Barclays Center, a state-of-the-art arena designed by Frank Gehry, will bring the Nets and major professional sports back to Brooklyn after more than 50 years. This 18,000-seat, multi-purpose facility will create a sports and entertainment hub in the heart of Downtown Brooklyn.

The arena design features transparency and accessibility: the scoreboard will be visible to passersby on Flatbush Avenue, and the concourses provide expansive views to the street and city beyond. Through design, amenities and programming, Barclays Center will set a new standard for fan experience.

- Location:** Situated at the intersection of Atlantic and Flatbush Avenues, with Dean Street to the south, and 6th Avenue to the east
- Developer:** Brooklyn Arena, LLC, an affiliate of Forest City Ratner Companies (FCRC)
- Architect:** Frank Gehry
- Capacity:** 18,000 seats for basketball
Up to 19,000 seats for concerts
- Suites and Premium Seating:** 118 private suites, 12 courtside suites
40 loge boxes
3,200 club seats
- Naming Rights Partner:** Barclays Services Corporation
- Primary Tenant:** Nets Basketball
- Transportation:** Situated next to the City's third major mass transportation hub with 12 subway lines, including: 2, 3, 4, 5, M, N, R, Q, B, D, C and G lines and the Long Island Rail Road

Events: Projected 200+ events per year, including Nets basketball, concerts, community shows, family shows, amateur athletics, graduations

Amenities: 6 clubs and restaurants
Levy Restaurants is the restaurateur of the Barclays Center, and will provide a wide range of cuisines, including kosher dining options throughout the facility

Sustainability: Designed to achieve LEED Certification

Community: Barclays and Nets/FCRC together will invest \$5 million in a nonprofit organization aimed at assisting Brooklyn's youth. The Barclays/Nets Community Alliance is committed to improving program areas in: Education, Health Care, Community Development, and Amateur Athletics. The alliance is in the process of repairing and renovating school playgrounds and spaces for sports, sponsoring sports tournaments, clinics and educational tours, as well as providing a mobile health care facility.

Ownership: State of New York

Schedule: Groundbreaking for the arena is expected 4th Quarter 2008.