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Form 8-K January 03, 2002

UNITED STATES
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION
Washington, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 OR 15(d) of The Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported) January 2, 2002

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

Delaware 0-22278 06-1377322

(State or other jurisdiction of Commission File Number (I.R.S. Employer incorporation or organization)

Identification No.)

615 Merrick Avenue, Westbury, New York 11590

(Address of principal executive offices)

(Registrant's telephone number, including area code) (516) 683-4100

Not applicable

(Former name or former address, if changed since last report)

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Item 1. Changes in Control of Registrant

Not applicable.

Item 2. Acquisition or Disposition of Assets

Not applicable.

Item 3. Bankruptcy or Receivership

Not applicable.

Item 4. Changes in Registrant's Certifying Accountant

Not applicable.

Item 5. Other Events

New York Community Bancorp, Inc. (the "Company"), a Delaware Corporation, has established May 15, 2002 as the date of its Annual Meeting of Shareholders. The meeting will commence at 10:00 a.m., Eastern Standard Time, and will be held at the Sheraton LaGuardia East Hotel in Flushing, New York.

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In addition, March 29, 2002 was established as the date of record for voting at the Annual Meeting; proxy materials will be mailed, together with the Company's 2001 Annual Report to Shareholders, on or about April 10, 2002.

Item 6. Resignations of Registrant's Directors

Not applicable.

- Item 7. Financial Statements and Exhibits
 - (a) No financial statements of businesses acquired are required.
 - (b) No pro forma financial information is required.
 - (c) Attached as an exhibit is the Company's press release announcing the establishment of the Annual Meeting date.
- Item 8. Change in Fiscal Year

Not applicable.

Item 9. Regulation FD Disclosure

Not applicable.

SIGNATURE

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

January 2, 2002

Date

NEW YORK COMMUNITY BANCORP, INC.

/s/ Joseph R. Ficalora

Joseph R. Ficalora

President and Chief Executive Officer

EXHIBIT INDEX

99.1 News Release