



# *West Side School*

## Friday Notes

April 11, 2014

### Principal's Corner

This week our second graders participated in dribbling relays while playing basketball during Physical Education. In small groups, they also learned about the different types of whales during Science. One group I worked with learned that the orca measures between 27-33 feet long. That was just about the length of the entire classroom. Another group told me that the beluga whale has teeth and short flippers. What interesting research! Third graders studied pictographs and during Reading Workshop they practiced the "stop and jot" strategy in their new biography unit. Fourth graders shared the statistics gathered to create their line plots in Math. One class I visited used their arms to reinforce the language of geometry. During Writing Workshop, one pair of students I conferred with shared information gathered about germs and bacteria for their essay unit. After school on Friday, some of our fourth graders will participate in the Knockout Championships. Good luck! Our fifth graders spent time in the newsroom recording their infomercials that will be presented at the EdTech Showcase, exploded their volcanoes in the Science lab, and dug deeper into the world of Geometry. Finally, our sixth graders continued their study of viruses during Health, learned more about coordinate planes, and took a field trip to the Cloisters. Thank you to all of our parents who came along for the ride. Your support is greatly appreciated.





Thank you to Mrs. Berg, Mrs. Munyak, and Mrs. Roberts. This week, West Siders planted seeds for our garden on Wednesday during recess. What a wonderful spring activity!

### Field Day Survey

Calling all students in grades 3 – 6! Mr. Yost wants your feedback about previous Field Day events. To help, go to the West Side intranet, click on your grade level, and scroll to the bottom for the link to the survey.

### NYS Assessments

Students in grades **three** through **six** will be taking the NYS ELA and Math Assessments again this year. The NYS Math test will be administered on April 30-May 2. Parents can help to prepare their children for success by:

-  ensuring children get a good night's sleep before each day of testing
-  providing children with a balanced breakfast on the morning of the exam
-  encouraging children to try their hardest
-  **making sure children arrive to school on time – assessments will begin promptly at 9:00 AM**

### Absence Calls

Automated absence calls will now be made to home numbers as well as primary and secondary cell numbers. Thank you for your understanding.

### Ellis Island Reenactment is Friday, May 16

Thank you to the many parents who have responded and expressed interest in participating in this unique event. If you haven't done so already please contact Jenean Ketterer at [Alexandsophiarock@yahoo.com](mailto:Alexandsophiarock@yahoo.com) or text 516-780-4964 AS SOON AS POSSIBLE!!! We need as much assistance as possible from as many as possible. Please be on the lookout for emails regarding meeting and rehearsal schedules along with other pertinent information. Looking forward to making this a successful experience for our immigrant children.

### West Side Run

The West Side Run is scheduled for Sunday, May 18<sup>th</sup>. Please see the attached flyers for more information.

### West Side Run Club

Get in shape for the West Side Run on May 18<sup>th</sup>! Session Dates: *Thursdays - April 24<sup>th</sup>, May 1<sup>st</sup>, May 8<sup>th</sup> & May 15<sup>th</sup>*. Time: After school until 4:10 (prompt pick-up is required). Cost: \$20.00 for all 4 days payable by cash or check made payable to WSS-PTG. Eligible: Students in grades 2-6. Parents are welcome to come join in the fun and can bring younger siblings (at no additional cost). Deadline for registration is Friday April 11, 2014. Please return permission slip. Contact Cat Bauer with any questions: [bauerfamilytoronto@gmail.com](mailto:bauerfamilytoronto@gmail.com)

### West Side Clothing

Visit [www.mylocker.net](http://www.mylocker.net) and click on **Get Started**. Enter our zip code – **11791**. Then click **Search**. Scroll down and select **West Side Elementary School**. You now have the ability to purchase and personalize West Side School apparel. Happy shopping!

### Important WSS Dates

**Spring Break**: April 14<sup>th</sup> – April 21<sup>st</sup>

**Earthday Birthday**: Tuesday, April 22<sup>nd</sup> – Please remember to wear “Earthy” colors!

**West Side Wednesday**: April 23<sup>rd</sup>

**EdTech Showcase**: Thursday, April 24<sup>th</sup> from 7:00 – 9:00 PM at CSHHS Field House

**Fashion and Film Rock the Runway**: Friday, April 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM a CSHHS

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Maturation Parent Meeting**: May 7<sup>th</sup> at 2:00 in the Conference Room

**5<sup>th</sup> Grade Maturation**: May 8<sup>th</sup> and May 9<sup>th</sup>

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# Cold Spring Harbor Schools

Supported by the

Cold Spring Harbor Educational Foundation

## EdTech Showcase

Methods of teaching and learning are rapidly evolving. Staying current with technological advances in education is vital to student achievement and success.

Come experience firsthand what's happening in Cold Spring Harbor classrooms today.

It's an event you won't want to miss!



Technology raffle prizes every hour for attendees!

## April 24th

## 7pm-9pm

CSHHS Field House

### **Over 30 student-run exhibitions, including:**

3D Printing Demonstration

Students as Publishers - eBooks

West Side School Modern Science Fair

Creating PSAs using Tech Tools

iPads in the Elementary Classroom

Ted ED

Hawk Talk - Student Video Broadcast

Virtual Enterprise

Digital Art and iMovies

Robotics Club

Developing Entrepreneurial Skills with Technology and many more!



WEST SIDE SCHOOL

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Contact Cat Bauer with any questions: [bauerfamilytoronto@gmail.com](mailto:bauerfamilytoronto@gmail.com)

Please detach and return permission slip below.

I give permission for my child \_\_\_\_\_ in class \_\_\_\_\_  
to participate after school \_\_\_\_\_ on \_\_\_\_\_  
Enclosed is \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (Exact cash or check made payable to the West Side PTG)

In case of an emergency, please contact:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_



Dear West Side families,

Please join us in supporting our upcoming 22nd annual West Side Run on Sunday, May 18th. West Side School in the Cold Spring Harbor School District is proud to have had so many generous sponsors for the Run in past years. We appreciate the 19 business sponsors and over 74 family sponsors who contributed last year, and we hope you will be able to sponsor this year's event.

Over the past 5 years, the PTG has been able to purchase 15 document cameras which are used in conjunction with the SMART Boards for lessons, an IPTV Cart which is used in the broadcasting of our news program, West Side Speaks. We were able to purchase a new piano for the music department, purchase 3 large Art canvases of the children's work for the halls and office. We refurbished the outdoor basketball courts. We were able to purchase pavers and landscaping for the Main entrance and center island. We buy a new tree every year to celebrate Earth Day/WSS Birthday which continues the arboretum the school is proud of. We were able to purchase the two new glass basketball back boards in the Gym and a new grill for our Field day and camp out events as well as new microscopes for the Science Department. We hope to continue making contributions to our children's education.

Thank you to all of those who have already donated. As a reminder, the Business & Professional Sponsorship minimum donation is \$250. This will include your logo placed on the back of WSS Run T-shirts, your company name printed in the 2015 program, and your company name placed on the WSS parking lot board. Over 500 T-shirts will be circulating with your logo on it!

The Family Sponsors will have their names printed in the 2015 program and placed on the WSS parking lot board.

Attached are both Business and Family sponsorship forms.

We look forward to running with you on Sunday, May 18th. Thank you in advance for your generosity and for supporting a long standing tradition and fun family event at our school!

The West Side Run Committee



### Business Sponsor Form

Thank you for supporting West Side School by sponsoring the WSS Run on Sunday, May 18th

Business and professional sponsors will have their logo appear on the back of over 500 T-shirts that will be seen throughout the community for years to come. Their name will also appear on the WSS Sponsor Board located in the parking lot and will be printed in the 2015 WS Run application.

Name of Company:

Address:

Contact (person &  
phone #):

Business & Professional Sponsors:	Standard Size Ad:	\$250
	Double Size Ad:	\$500
	Other	

Business card or artwork is due by Friday, April 11th

Please make checks payable to WSS/PTG. Checks and artwork can be sent to:

West Side Run Committee  
West Side School PTG  
1597 Laurel Hollow Rd  
Laurel Hollow, NY 11791

Any question please contact: Connie Robins @ [connierobins@verizon.net](mailto:connierobins@verizon.net).



### Family Sponsor Form

Thank you to all who have already sponsored the WSS Run! However, to those who haven't had a chance, below is a copy of the Family Sponsor form. Thanks in advance for supporting the WSS Run on Sunday, May 18th!!!!

Family: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Family sponsors (names on WSS Sponsor Board & 2015 Application)

Gold Patron	\$200
Patron	\$150
Sponsor	\$100
Supporter	\$ 50
Other	_____

Platinum Sponsorships (names on WSS Sponsor Board and 2015 Application )

500 West Side Run T-shirts	\$2000	_____
Trophies	\$ 700	_____
Timer Company Charges	\$ 800	_____
Printing of 6000 Applications	\$ 500	_____

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# COLD SPRING HARBOR ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS

## APRIL 2014

<b>AVAILABLE DAILY: \$ 2.75</b> <b>SERVED AS COMPLETE MEALS</b>  CHEESE SANDWICH PIZZA SLICE  <b>MONDAY - TURKEY&amp; CHEESE ON A ROLL</b> <b>TUESDAY - HAM &amp; CHEESE ON A ROLL</b> <b>WEDNESDAY - TURKEY WRAP</b> <b>THURSDAY - BEEF BOLOGNA &amp; CHEESE</b> <b>FRIDAY - TUNA SALAD ON A ROLL</b>  ALL COLD CUTS BOAR'S HEAD BRAND	<b>BREAKFAST SERVED DAILY 8:30 - 8:45am \$1.75</b> <b>INCLUDES MILK, JUICE AND FRUIT</b> AVAILABLE DAILY - BAGELS AND CEREAL MONDAY & WEDNESDAY - FRENCH TOAST STICKS TUESDAY & THURSDAY - PANCAKES FRIDAYS - EGG & CHEESE BAGEL BREAKFAST IS AN IMPORTANT START TO EVERY DAY   	<b>SERVED DAILY</b> MILK CHOICES: 8oz WHITE SKIM or 1%, FAT FREE CHOCOLATE 100% FRUIT JUICE - 4oz APPLE OR ORANGE FRESH FRUIT BOWL CHILLED CUPPED FRUIT FRESH BABY CARROTS WE OFFER WHOLE GRAIN BREADS
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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
	<b>1</b> <b>BRUNCH FOR LUNCH</b> FRENCH TOAST STICKS SAUSAGE LINKS(P) ORANGE SMILES CUP OF JUICE MILK CHOICE	<b>2</b> <b>TANGERINE CHICKEN</b> <b>AND BROCCOLI</b> STIR FRY FRIED RICE PINEAPPLE BITS MILK CHOICE	<b>3</b> <b>DOUBLE CHEESE</b> STUFFED CRUST PIZZA RAW VEGGIES WITH DIP FRESH APPLES MILK CHOICE	<b>4</b>  <b>½ DAY</b> <b>NO</b> <b>LUNCH</b> <b>SERVED</b>
<b>7</b> <b>BONELESS FRITTERS</b> DIPPING SAUCE BUTTERED EGG NOODLES SAUTEED ZUCCHINI FRESH APPLES MILK CHOICE	<b>8</b> <b>TACO TUESDAY</b> MEAT(T) & CHEESE SIDE OF SALSA BROWN RICE CINNAMON APPLESAUCE MILK CHOICE	<b>9</b> <b>PASTA PASTA</b> CHICKEN & BROCCOLI GARLIC AND CHEESE ITALIAN BREAD CHILLED PEACHES MILK CHOICE	<b>10</b> <b>SOUP &amp; SANDWICH</b> GOLDEN GRILLED CHEESE HOT SOUP CHOICE BABY CARROTS PINEAPPLE BITS MILK CHOICE	<b>11</b>  <b>½ DAY</b> <b>NO</b> <b>LUNCH</b> <b>SERVED</b>

# SPRING RECESS

<b>21</b>  <b>SPRING</b> <b>RECESS</b> <b>NO</b> <b>CLASSES</b>	<b>22</b> <b>SOUTHERN STYLE</b> OVEN FRIED CHICKEN ROASTED CAULIFLOWER SLICED PEACHES MILK CHOICE	<b>23</b> <b>SOUP &amp; KNISH</b> CHICKEN SOUP PICKLE CHIPS CARROT STICKS FRESH APPLE MILK CHOICE	<b>24</b> <b>DOUBLE SLIDERS(B)</b> WHOLE GRAIN BUN LETTUCE & TOMATO OVEN FRIES PICKLE CHIPS FRESH FRUIT MILK CHOICE	<b>25</b> <b>PIZZA PARTY</b> PIZZA SQUARE OR PIZZA BAGEL ANTIPASTA SALAD CHILLED PEARS MILK CHOICE
<b>28</b> <b>CHICKEN TENDERS</b> <b>ALL WHITE MEAT</b> <b>DIPPING SAUCE</b> RICE PILAF SWEET CORN FRESH FRUIT BOWL MILK CHOICE	<b>29</b> <b>BBQ PULLED PORK</b> WHOLE GRAIN BUN SWEET POTATO CINNAMON FRIES SALAD CUP FROZEN FRUIT BAR MILK CHOICE	<b>30</b> <b>HOMEMADE FAVORITE</b> MACARONI AND CHEESE STEAMED BROCCOLI MIXED FRUIT COCKTAIL MILK CHOICE		<b>BEEF (B)</b> <b>TURKEY (T)</b> <b>PORK (P)</b> <b>CHICKEN (C)</b> <b>OFFICE OF FOOD</b> <b>AND NUTRITION</b> <b>GERRI TIGER</b> <b>SCHOOL LUNCH MGR</b> <b>367-6970</b>

Cold Spring Harbor Central School District  
**SHARED-DECISION MAKING**  
SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT TEAM • SELF NOMINATION FORM

**We are in the process of putting together our School Improvement Teams (SIT) for the 2014-2015 school year.** The purpose of SIT is to improve the educational performance of all students in the schools through the collaborative participation of team members in the decision-making process.

Each school's team consists of teachers, administrators and parents. One of our parent representatives from each school must be a parent of a special education student. Each team is required to meet at least once a month from September to June, and to the extent possible, the meetings will be scheduled at the end of a regular school day. One parent per household, per school enrolled is eligible for nomination. **If you are currently sitting as a member of SIT, it is necessary to resubmit your name.** The term of office is for one year, not to exceed a three-year term.

If you will be able to commit to these meetings, and have the desire to participate in this very important and innovative process, please complete the form below.

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1. NAME: \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE#: \_\_\_\_\_

**2. Please indicate the school you wish to represent:**

NOTE: Your child must attend this school as of September 2014.

- ☐ Goosehill Primary School (4 Representatives)
- ☐ Lloyd Harbor (4 Representatives)
- ☐ West Side (4 Representatives)
- ☐ Cold Spring Harbor Jr/Sr High School (6 Representatives)

**3. ☐ I would like to serve as a parent of a student with special needs.**

(1 representative per school.) Your child must have an individualized educational plan.

**4. Indicate the grade(s) your child(ren) will enter the fall of 2014:**

\_\_\_\_\_ grade(s)

If more names are received than slots available, there will be an election. At that time, you may be asked to provide a brief statement and/or reasons for seeking this position in 30 words or less. This statement will be printed on the ballot. Your school association executive board will inform you of the election procedures in April. All elections will be completed by April 30<sup>th</sup>, 2014. If you have any questions about the SIT committee, contact your building principal.

***Please return this form to the District Office no later than April 10<sup>th</sup>, to the attention of School Improvement Team.***

Cold Spring Harbor School District  
The Francis Roberts Community Center  
75 Goose Hill Road  
Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

# KIDS OF DISTINCTION SCHOLARSHIP



**Kids Helping Kids®**  
Robert A.J. Eslick, Philip M. Eslick  
Co-Founders, Kids Helping Kids®  
by Kids Way, Inc.



**Town of Oyster Bay**  
**John Venditto**  
Town Supervisor

## 2014 Application/Nomination Form 'Kids of Distinction' Community Service Scholarship Program Criteria:

(Ten Candidates will be Selected each Awarded a \$2000 Scholarship)

1. Nominees must be in Grades 5 through 12  
(Five candidates will be selected in Grades 5-8 and five candidates will be selected in Grades 9-12)
2. Nominees should have participated in activities for the benefit of their community or neighborhood  
(outside of school-related activities)
3. Nomination Forms should include references for verification of deeds performed by nominee
4. Nominees must be residents of the Town of Oyster Bay  
(Past scholarship recipients are not eligible for re-nomination)

Name of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade Level of Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Nominating Individual: \_\_\_\_\_

Address of Nominating Individual: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Relationship to Nominee: \_\_\_\_\_

(i.e. Self, Parent, Teacher, Benefactor, Agency etc...)

A completed copy of this form must be filed for every nomination made.

Copies of this form can be duplicated.



**ALL NOMINATIONS MUST BE POSTMARKED NO LATER THAN MAY 16, 2014**



# KIDS OF DISTINCTION SCHOLARSHIP



"There are so many wonderful young people living in the Town of Oyster Bay who not only demonstrate academic or extracurricular skills, but also do a little something extra to help make the world a better place. We felt it was important to recognize our young residents who involve themselves in voluntary community, charitable or civic activities on their own individual initiative." -Supervisor John Venditto

In the space below, please type or print a description of the nominee and his/her contribution to their community or neighborhood. Please add additional sheets if necessary. Be sure to also submit references for verification of deeds done.

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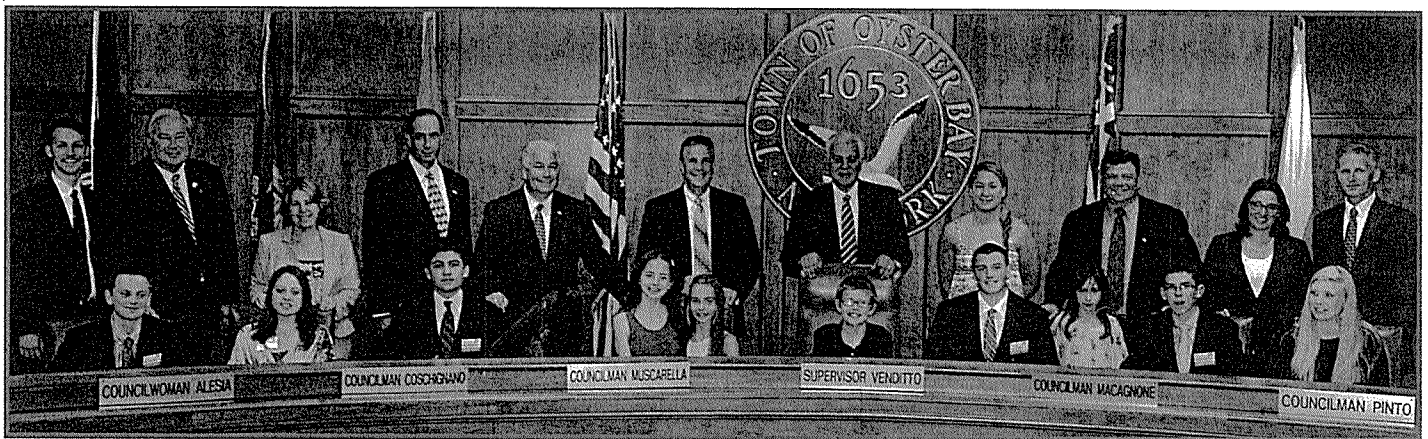
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Winners will be recognized at a meeting of the Oyster Bay Town Board (at Town Hall in Oyster Bay) and will receive a \$2,000 scholarship from Kids Helping Kids® by Kids Way, Inc. [co-sponsored by Empire Bakery Equipment - Mr. Claude Zarate ([www.empirebakery.com](http://www.empirebakery.com)) and NY Auto Giant - Mr. John Pickett ([www.nyautogiant.com](http://www.nyautogiant.com))] and also receive a commemorative 'Kid of Distinction' plaque.



Oyster Bay Town officials with past scholarship winners at a 'Kids of Distinction' Awards Ceremony, along with Kids Helping Kids® by Kids Way Inc. representatives and sponsors.

Please mail the completed form to:  
KIDS HELPING KIDS®  
by Kids Way, Inc.  
PO Box 252  
Old Bethpage, NY 11804-1133

Any questions, please contact  
KIDS HELPING KIDS®  
at (516) 249-9449  
or e-mail [HappyKidsClub@aol.com](mailto:HappyKidsClub@aol.com)

**Councilman Mark Cuthbertson and the Town of Huntington  
present a Spring**

# "Eggstravaganza"

**Wednesday, April 16th, 10:00am — 1:00pm**

**Heckscher Park (tennis court area)  
25A and Prime Avenue, Huntington**

**\* Treat Filled Eggs**

**\* Face Painting**

**\* Craft Tables**

**This FREE event is for children ages 3-8.**

**ADVANCED REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

**Go to [www.tohparks.com](http://www.tohparks.com) and click on "Special Events" to register.**

**Please print out receipt and bring to event.**

**Please bring canned food item for local food pantry.**

**Call 351-2877 for more info.**

**Sponsored by**



**STATION SPORTS**  
Family Fun Center

Mark Cuthbertson  
Councilman

Susan A. Berland  
Councilwoman

Frank P. Petrone  
Supervisor

Eugene Cook  
Councilman

Tracey A. Edwards  
Councilwoman

This notice is distributed to students solely as a community service by the school district. Such distribution should not be considered to be an endorsement or approval by the district of either the sponsor or the activity.

# ***From Cold Spring Harbor Library***

**Budget**

**Thank you for supporting your Library  
134 yes, 43 No**

***From Cold Spring Harbor Library's Youth Services Department.***

***Registration Required!***

## **Spring Break FUN @ the Library**

**Monday, April 14**

**BOARD GAME BONANZA**

11:00 a.m., for children of all ages



**TISSUE PAPER FLOWERS**

2:00-4:00 p.m., for children of all ages

**Wednesday, April 16**

**SPRING STORY & CRAFT**

11:00 a.m., for children ages 2-5 with adult

**RAINBOW LOOM CLUB**

2:00 p.m., for children in grades 3-7



**Friday, April 18**

**AFTERNOON ART: FLOWER ART**

2:00 p.m., for children of all ages

**Tuesday, April 15**

**LEGO CLUB**

11:00 a.m., for children in grades K-6

**PUZZLEMANIA**

2:00 p.m., for children in grades K-6

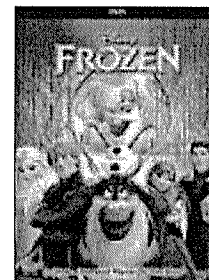
**Thursday, April 17**

**COFFEE FILTER BUTTERFLIES**

11:00 a.m., for children ages 2-5  
with adult

**SNACK & A MOVIE**

2:00 p.m., for children of all ages  
Frozen (PG; 102 min.)



**For more information about any Kids or Teen Programs, contact a Youth Services Librarian  
at the Cold Spring Harbor Library - 631-692-6820**

C.S.H.  
LIONS  
EGG HUNT

GOOSE HILL  
PRIMARY SCHOOL

RAIN  
OR  
SHINE

SATURDAY

APRIL 19<sup>TH</sup> 2014

at 10: A.M. SHARP  
UP TO 12 YRS. OLD

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