

### West Side School

### **Friday Notes**

October 4, 2013

### **Principal's Corner**

Thank you to all parents for coming out on Monday for Back-to-School night. Keeping an open dialogue between parents and teachers is essential for a successful school year. This week our students viewed some of our first media presentations from the West Side Newsroom. Our news program, "West Side Speaks," featured fifth and sixth graders who used this venue to communicate with our students. Thank you to sixth graders Brianna Rose, Abigail Johnson and Serena Li for your presentation about Locks of Love. Also, thank you to Robert Shammah, Allie McCauley, Dominick Striano and Ava Farkash for your presentation about the Box Tops challenge. In addition, our fifth graders spent time with a scientist from the DNA Learning Center, who worked with them in a lab to create baggie cells. Finally, thank you Mrs. Newman and committee members for putting together the 2013-2014 parent directory.

### **Photo Day**

Photo Day is scheduled for Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>.

#### **Book Fair**

The book fair is coming! West Side's annual book fair will be on Thursday, October 24th from 9:00-3:00, with a family time from 3:00-5:00, and Friday, October 25th from 9:00-2:00. Come shop with your children for a selection of the latest book releases. You can even pre-order the new Diary of a Wimpy Kid book! A schedule of class times will be sent home soon. If you would like to help out with the fair, contact Nicole Pultz (pultz3@optonline.net) or Jill Demarco (jed1273@me.com).

### **NYS Test Results**

The ISR (Individual Student Report) letter is posted on the Parent Portal this year. They will not be mailed home. The ISR will inform parents of their child's performance on the state assessments. The only exception will be the science scores, which will come from BOCES. Scores are now available on the Parent Portal.

### **Early Dismissal**

Please help us with afternoon dismissal. It distracts classmates when their peers are picked up before our normal dismissal time of 3:05. We highly discourage dismissing students early. However, if it is absolutely necessary, please pick up your child before 2:45 in the Main Office and sign him or her out.

### **Returning to School after Dismissal**

In the event that your child needs to return to school after dismissal, he or she will need to be accompanied by an adult to enter the building. In an effort to create more independent students, this should be done only in an emergency.

### **Fall Musical**

For information regarding this year's school musical, *The Wizard of Oz*, please visit WSSTA's website www.wssta.org.

### **Recess Volunteer Program**

If you would like to volunteer at recess during the 2013/2014 school year, please contact Laurel Moynihan at <a href="mailto:laurelmoynihan@verizon.net">laurelmoynihan@verizon.net</a>. Volunteers must attend a brief committee meeting on October 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM in the Community Room.

### **Important WSS Dates**

**BOE Meeting:** Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 PM at District Office

Columbus Day - No School: Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>

PTG Meeting: Tuesday, October 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:30 AM in the Community Room

Photo Day: Wednesday, October 16<sup>th</sup>

Banking Day: Thursday, October 17th

SIT: Thursday, October 17<sup>th</sup>

West Side Win: Friday, October 18<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM – Gagnon Residence

Cultural Arts Meeting: Thursday, October 23<sup>rd</sup> at 9:30 AM in the cafeteria

**Book Fair:** October 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> (Family Time scheduled for October 24<sup>th</sup> from 3:00-5:00 PM)

Parent Teacher Conferences – Grade 2: Thursday, October 24<sup>th</sup>

Parent Teacher Conferences – Grade 3: Friday, October 25<sup>th</sup>

Parent Teacher Conferences – Grade 4: Monday, October 28<sup>th</sup>

Parent Teacher Conferences – Grade 5: Tuesday, October 29<sup>th</sup>

Parent Teacher Conferences - Grade 6: Wednesday, October 30<sup>th</sup>

West Side Wednesday: October 30<sup>th</sup> – Wear your West Side clothing!

### **Attachments from the School**

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### COLD SPRING HARBOR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT 75 Goose Hill Road, Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

### \*\* PLEASE POST \*\*

Please be advised that a regular meeting of the Board of Education will take place on October 8, 2013, at 6:30 p.m. at The Francis Roberts Community Center, at which time the Board of Education may consider a motion to adjourn to Executive Session to discuss matters appropriate for Executive Session. If no such motion is adopted, the meeting will recess until 8:00 p.m.

At 8:00 p.m., the Board of Education will reconvene its public meeting to discuss Board Agenda items appropriate for Public Session, pursuant to the Open Meetings Law.

William Bernhard, District Clerk

REMINDER

### WEEKDAY, EVENINGS ONLY, INTRAMURAL PROGRAM JUNE -- AUGUST, 2014

<u>Mixed Boys/Girls Evening Intramural Leagues</u>
<u>Instructional • Private Training</u>

### **BASKETBALL IN HOUSE REGISTRATION**

@ West Hollow Middle School

Monday

April 7, 2014

6 PM - 9 PM

Thursday

April 10, 2014

6 PM - 9 PM

Open to students entering grades K-12<sup>th</sup> & beyond in September, 2014.

Also, the highly successful, adult leagues where players compete at higher levels (A, B or C).

### **DON'T GET SHUT OUT OR DELAY, REGISTER NOW!!**

Fees:

Registration: (11/1/13 thru 4/30/14 postmarked):

1<sup>ST</sup> child: <u>\$200;</u> each add'l child <u>\$175</u> Late Registration: (<u>after 4/30/14 postmarked</u>)

1<sup>st</sup> child: \$225; each add'l child \$200 NO EXCEPTIONS!

If your child participated in the 2013 summer program, he/she has already been rated. If not, please have them, and their friends, dress in proper athletic attire. If you can not attend registration and wish to avoid a late fee, please send a completed registration form on or before April 30, 2014, with applicable fee, to HHHYBL, P.O. Box 227, Huntington Station, N.Y. 11746. New registrants will be evaluated later. If you require additional information on the youth basketball program, the new adult men's league (different levels) and/or private training, e-mail Dennis: @ cmish11746@aol.com.

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

Please make checks payable to "HHHYBL" (a nonprofit 501C3 entity)

www.hillsbasketball.com (application on reverse)



All applications must be accompanied by payment in full based on the following:

Registration: Thru April 30, 2014, \$200 1st child, additional children: \$175.

After April 30, 2014, \$225 1st child, additional children \$200. No refunds. No exceptions!!

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# COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH LACROSSE



# REGISTRATION NOW OPEN FOR SPRING 2014 Boys 2<sup>nd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Travel Girls 3<sup>rd</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade Travel \*Registration Closing OCTOBER 31<sup>st</sup> Register TODAY!! Go to cshlax.com

\*All late registrants for travel will be charged \$100 late fee.
K-1 Boys and K-2 Girls non-travel registration will remain open.



# Presents Dr. Rona Novick, PhD October 17<sup>th</sup> at the PAC 10:00am

# Raising Socially Responsible Children in our Media Challenged World

Whether your child has entered kindergarten or is looking at colleges, we guarantee you will laugh and leave with practical tips and strategies that work.

Dr. Novick is a Clinical Child Psychologist and University Professor in Education

For questions contact:

Nicole Pultz at <a href="mailto:pultz3@optonline.net">pultz3@optonline.net</a>
Marie Strunk at <a href="mailto:3mstrunk@optonline.net">3mstrunk@optonline.net</a>

### For Families! Programs & Services from the Cold Spring Harbor Library's Information Services Department

### Make a Memory!

### Free Museum Passes at your Library

Library card holders can visit the following museums for free:













- Passes are for use by Cold Spring Harbor card holders in good standing, 18 and older,
- Reserve up to three months in advance
- Passes are loaned out for three days, except if borrowed on Thursday; then they will be due on Monday.
- Late charges are \$10/day

For more information about any Adult Program, contact the Cold Spring Harbor Library Information Services Desk at 631-692-6820 or askref@cshlibrary.org.

# FROM THE COLD SPRING HARBOR CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT...

### MADE FOR EACH OTHER

PERFECT MATCHES OF FICTION AND NON-FICTION FOR EVERY READER



OR START WITH A TOPIC YOU LOVE AND FIND YOUR NEXT



631-692-6820

# COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

### REGISTRATION FOR THE 2013 - 2014 SEASON

Please print out the application, fill it out completely & mail with your check, made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League" to:

Chris Northacker 1 Saw Mill Lane Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

**DEADLINE:** Oct. 5, 2013

PLAYERS: All Boys and Girls in grades 3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup>

FEE: \$135.00 (includes home/away jerseys & shorts, basketballs, referees, scorekeepers, insurance, facilities use fees and trophies)

Cash or check made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League"

- \* League starts November 2013 thru February 2014
- \* 8 to 10 games with referees and scorekeepers
- \* 1 Practice a week plus 1 Game a week
- \* Playoff games for every team
- \* Trophies for every player

If you have any questions, please call Chris Northacker at 631-678-2772

PARENTS WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!! LET US KNOW ON THE APPLICATION IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN COACHING.

### COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$135.00** (3<sup>rd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> grade players)

Make Check Payable to: <u>CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE</u>

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### CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE 2013 - 2014 Season

### Evaluations for ALL Players (3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> grades)

### @ West Side School

Tuesday, Oct. 15th

6:30 to 7:45pm 8:00 to 9:15pm 3<sup>rd</sup> gr. Boys 5<sup>th</sup> gr. Boys

Wednesday, Oct. 16th

6:30 to 7:45pm 8:00 to 9:15pm 3/4<sup>th</sup> gr. Girls 6<sup>th</sup> gr. Boys

Thursday, Oct. 17th

6:30 to 7:45pm 8:00 to 9:15pm 4<sup>th</sup> gr. Boys 5/6<sup>th</sup> gr. Girls

• Please wear shorts & sneakers & be ready to play basketball. **BE ON TIME.** 

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Practices will start on Tuesday, Nov. 12, 2013

## CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE 2013 - 2014 Season

I agree to make every effort to attend all practices and games for the 2013 - 14
Basketball season. I understand that I will be excused for illnesses & family
obligations. I will call my coach as soon as I know I can't make a practice
and/or a game. Basketball is a team sport & I understand that if I miss too
many practices, I am letting my team down.

Player's Signature

As a family, we agree to follow the CSH Youth Basketball League's rules for Behavior during practices and games. There will be NO wandering the halls or classrooms and no school property will be touched. All siblings and/or friends who are brought to the games, will be supervised by an adult at all times. Everyone is to be in the gym watching the games. If any child needs to use the bathroom, they will be escorted there by an adult. We will cheer on all the players on the court & be respectful of the referees, scoreboarders and coaches. All <u>Custodians are to be treated with the utmost respect.</u>
Our program cannot run without them.

Parent's Signature Player's Signature

# COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH BASKETBALL CLINIC

### REGISTRATION FOR THE 2013 – 2014 SEASON

Please print out the application, fill it out completely & mail with your check, made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League" to:

Chris Northacker 1 Saw Mill Lane Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

**DEADLINE:** Oct. 5, 2013

PLAYERS: All Boys and Girls in 1st and 2nd grade

FEE: \$85.00 (includes uniforms, basketballs, insurance, facilities use fees & trophies)

Cash or check made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League"

- \* Separate clinic for boys and girls
- \* Clinics to be held on Saturdays at Goosehill Primary School
- \* Clinics run from December 2013 thru March 2014
- \* 9 weeks of basketball
- \* Trophies for every player

If you have any questions, please call Bridget Perlmutter at 631-367-1096

PARENTS WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!! LET US KNOW ON THE APPLICATION IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN COACHING.

### COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

**REGISTRATION FEE: \$85.00** (1st and 2nd grade players)

Make Check Payable to: <u>CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE</u>

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