



# Goosehill Primary School

Weekly Notes- May 29, 2015



Dear Parents,

**FIELD DAY** is next week! (Thursday, June 4<sup>th</sup>) Mr. Malone has created races using the themes from many of Dr. Seuss's books. The children have been learning and practicing the events during physical education class and are excited about the chance to show you all they can do!

Parents and grandparents are welcome to join us for Field Day. (Please carpool!) Younger/preschool siblings are also welcome. We respectfully request that you not take school age children from their classes to attend siblings' events.

**KINDERGARTEN 9:00-10:15**

Please do not arrive before 8:50. You will be guided to a parking space on the field.

**FIRST GRADE 10:30 – 11:45**

~~Please do not arrive before 10:20. Kindergarten~~  
parents will be exiting the field/parking lot at 10:15.  
You will be guided to a parking space.

- ✓ Lunch will be served in the cafeteria **for kindergarten students only.**
- ✓ **First graders-** Please send a bag lunch to school to enjoy at your class Reading Picnic after Field Day.
- ✓ All children **must wear sneakers** and comfortable clothing.
- ✓ **Sunglasses and sunscreen** are strongly recommended.
- ✓ **Please carpool**, as parking will be limited.
- ✓ Field Day is a **full day of school**. All students will return to their classrooms with their teachers at the conclusion of their Field Day events and will enjoy a Slushy ice pop, courtesy of the GPFA.

\*If it rains Wednesday night or the weather looks questionable in the early morning on Thursday, the GPFA will send an email blast to all families postponing the event. The postponement will also be posted on the District Website **by 7:30 a.m.** on Thursday. In the event of a postponement, we will schedule a rain date based upon the forecast.

The teachers, staff, and I look forward to seeing you at Field Day and at all of our June celebrations and activities!

Warm regards,

Lynn Herschlein

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**Parent Workshop- How to Encourage and Support Summer Reading- Friday, June 12<sup>th</sup> 9:30-11:00**  
Mrs. Herschlein will provide parents with tips and strategies to help ensure that their children continue to develop as readers over the summer.

**First Grade Moving Up Day- Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>**

Our ceremony will be a celebration of all our students have learned and how much they have grown during their time at Goosehill Primary School. The ceremony will be held in the cafeteria beginning at 9:30 a.m. and will last approximately 45 minutes. It will be followed by a short reception in the courtyard, courtesy of the GPFA kindergarten parents. You will receive an invitation in your child's backpack.

*\*\*\*Please do not arrive before 9:15. You will be guided to a parking space in the field. Please try to carpool!*

**Dates to Remember**

June 2	First Graders release turtles at the CSH Fish Hatchery
June 3	FOCUS sponsors a 1 <sup>st</sup> to 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade transition meeting for current first grade parents 9:30
June 9	Current First Graders visit LHS/WSS for 2 <sup>nd</sup> grade Orientation
June 12	Parent Workshop- How to Encourage and Support Summer Reading
June 15	First Grade attends the Symbols of America program at the High School PAC
June 22	<b>Goosehill Primary School Moving Up Day for First Graders</b>

**Schedule for the Last Week of School**

<b>Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup></b>	Full day of school
<b>Tuesday, June 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	Noon dismissal
<b>Wednesday, June 24<sup>th</sup></b>	Noon Dismissal
<b>Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b><u>Last Day of School 10:30 dismissal</u></b>

**Notes from the GPFA**

**Field Day:** Parents are invited to attend all activities. Younger siblings are welcome too!

Kindergarten: 9:00 – 10:15 a.m. First Grade: 10:30 -11:45 a.m. There will be a regular school day following Field Day activities. Car pooling is suggested. Be sure to send your child to school in sneakers and comfortable clothing.

**Goosehill Moving Up Day for First Grade students: Monday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>.** More details to follow.

**School Supplies:** Please use the link provided below to order school supplies for the 2015-16 school year. **Please be sure to add your school dues for the appropriate school to your cart before check out.**

**Only one order of dues is required per family per school.**

**Orders without GPFA dues will not be processed.**

Please contact Augusta Melendez with any questions. Order deadline is June 26, 2015.

Order now at [www.ahartzpacktoschool.com](http://www.ahartzpacktoschool.com)

**For Kids & Teens! Programs from Cold Spring Harbor Library's Youth Services Department. Registration Required!**

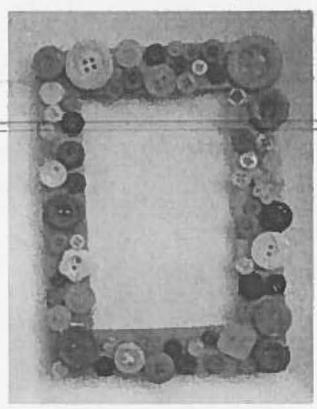
**FATHER'S DAY GIFTS**

**TABLET STAND**

**Monday, June 15 & Wednesday, June 17, 4:30 p.m.**

**For children in grades K-6.**

**Make a tech-y treat for someone you love!**



**BUTTON PICTURE FRAMES**

**Tuesday, June 16, 10:30 a.m.**

**For children ages 2-5 with adult.**

**Create a special frame for someone you love.**

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

**Programs and Services from Cold Spring Harbor Library's Information Services Department**

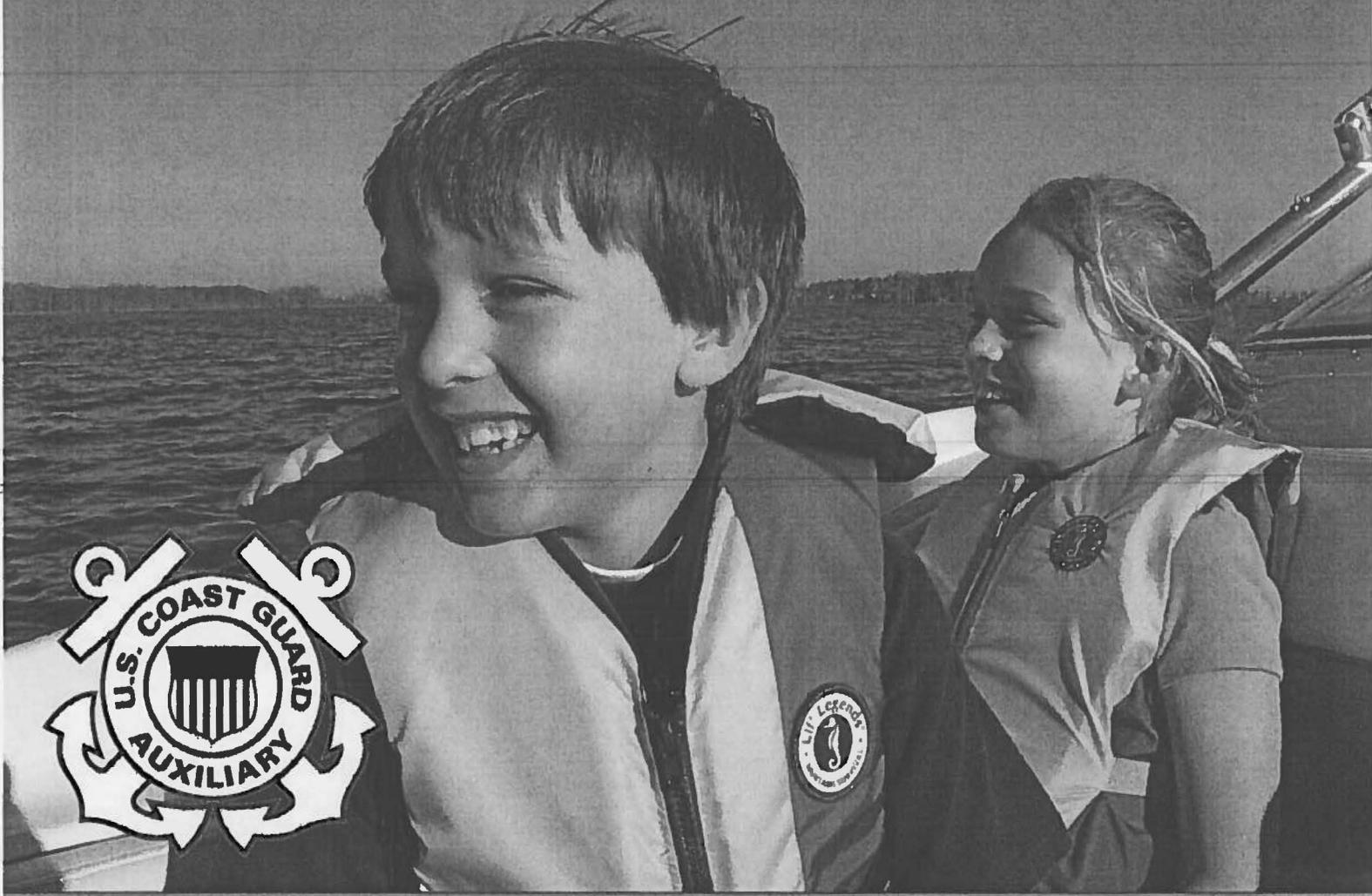


**Introduction to Kayaking  
Wednesday, June 3 at 7pm**

Local author and kayaking authority Kevin Stiegelmaier will talk about getting started with this popular Long Island activity. Hear tips to keep you safe and having fun, as well as recommendations for the best places to kayak. Copies of his book *Paddling*

**For more information about any Adult Program, contact Information Services at the Cold Spring Harbor Library at 631-692-6820.**

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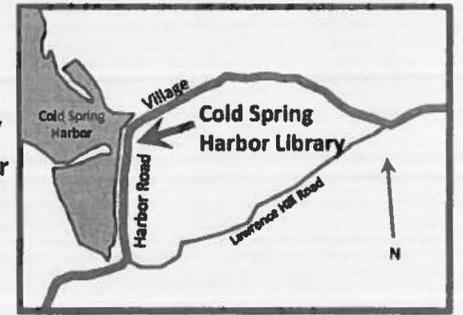
**Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> 10 am to 5 pm**

**Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup> 10 am to 5 pm**

**Reservations required: [cgauxcsh@gmail.com](mailto:cgauxcsh@gmail.com)**

**Cold Spring Harbor Library  
And Environmental Center**

*95 Harbor Road,  
Cold Spring Harbor*





# HECKSCHER FAMILY HOUR

## Guided Tour and Activity

**Sunday, June 7, 2015**

1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

Children ages 5 - 10 years



Children and their families are invited to join museum educator Tami Wood for a family-friendly tour of the Museum's *Before Selfies: Portraiture through the Ages* exhibition.

Experience the exhibition through close looking, lively conversation, and hands-on gallery projects.

Registration is recommended.  
Space is limited.

**Museum Admission (children free)  
+ \$5 activity fee per child**



Images (clockwise details): Julian Alden Weir, *The Miniature*, 1888. Alex Guofeng Cao, *MARILYN vs. MONALISA*, 2009. Franz Wolfgang Rohrich, *Charles V of Holland*, and *Jeanne La Folle, His Mother*, n.d. Thomas Anshutz, *Portrait of Rebecca Whelan*, c. 1908. Penrhyn Stanlaws, *August Heckscher*, 1925. Florine Stetthelmer, *Portrait of Louis Bouché*, 1923.

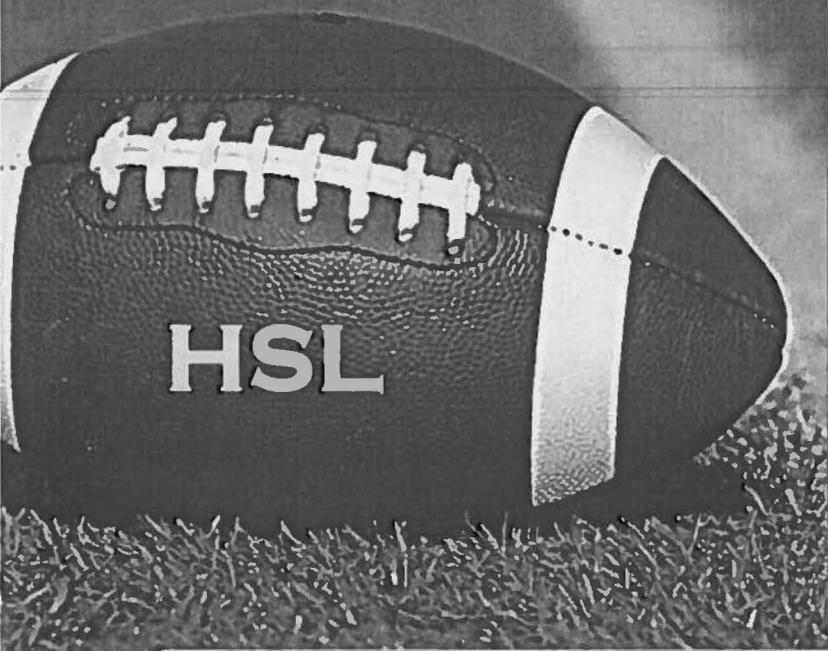
**UPCOMING AT THE HECKSCHER MUSEUM**  
**HECKSCHER FAMILY HOUR**

Sunday, September 20, 2015 | 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm

2 Prime Avenue, Huntington, NY 11743 | 631.351.3250 | [www.heckscher.org](http://www.heckscher.org)

## HSL TACKLE FOOTBALL LEAGUE

The Huntington Sports League Tackle Football program is a fun entry level tackle football program that prides itself on teaching kids the proper and safe way to play Football. For over 60 years, the league has helped thousands of young men play and enjoy the great game of Tackle Football.



HSL

- Two Divisions – 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Grade  
5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> Grade
- Season Starts in September and Ends in November – *No Summer Practices*
- Each Team Plays 6 -8 Regular Season Games
- NO TRAVEL – All Games and Practices in Huntington – *Many games on Friday nights under the lights, on the new turf field at Breezy Park*
- Helmet & Game Jersey Provided
- Beginners Welcome
- Playoff & Super Bowl
- NFL Style Team Uniforms
- High Coach to Player Ratio – *All our coaches are "Heads Up" certified*

**REGISTER BY 7/1 TO RECEIVE DISCOUNT**

**[WWW.HUNTINGTONSPORTSLEAGUE.ORG](http://WWW.HUNTINGTONSPORTSLEAGUE.ORG) (CLICK TACKLE FOOTBALL)**

**Any Questions Or Concerns, Contact Us At [coachforall@verizon.net](mailto:coachforall@verizon.net)**



## **FOCUS**

**Invites you to attend a discussion on**

### ***Transitions from 1<sup>st</sup> Grade to Elementary School***

***For parents of incoming 2nd graders***

***Wednesday June 3***

***9:30am***

### **Goosehill Community Room**

**We will have a panel of parents to answer questions**

**What school supplies does my child need?**

**Where is drop off at the School?**

**How do I handle Play Dates and Buses?**

**When do clubs start?**

**How will my child know how to get around school?**

**What are some of the new events I can expect?**

**So many questions,**

**You need answers!**

**Get your questions answered here!**

Refreshments will be served.