

# The Friday Notes



Celebrating 225 years!
March 13, 2015

#### **Principal's Corner**

Thank you to all of the parents who attended Tuesday's PTG meeting. We welcomed Lloyd Harbor parents as Ms. Chase, our AlS Director, gave her annual New York State Assessment presentation. It also marked the first PTG meeting lead by Mrs. Pultz, our school's new PTG President. Congratulations, Mrs. Pultz! Also, congratulations to Mrs. Wright who was appointed as the newest member of the Board of Education last month. On behalf of the entire school, we appreciated all of your leadership efforts as PTG President and wish you the best of luck in your new district-wide role. This week, Student Council announced its newest fundraiser – March Madness. All funds collected will be donated to the Ronald McDonald House. Good luck, Student Council! Please see the attachment for more details. Our faculty also met this week to continue the planning process for this year's 225th anniversary festivities. More information will be available on our Facebook page in the near future.

#### **Parent-Teacher Conferences**

Parent-teachers conferences will take place on March 20th, March 27th, and April 2nd.

#### 2014-2015 School Calendar Revisions

Next Tuesday evening, the Board of Education will be amending the calendar to reflect that Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup> will be added as an instructional day. Friday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, was added as an additional Superintendent's Conference Day which does not impact students; their last day of school remains Thursday, June 25<sup>th</sup>.

#### **NYS Testing Dates**

Students in grades three through six will be taking the NYS ELA and Math Assessments again this year. The NYS ELA test will be administered on April 14 – 16 and the NYS Math test will be administered on April 22 – 24. 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

#### Follow West Side on Facebook and Twitter

In an effort to increase communication between the home and school and to keep everyone updated about West Side's 225<sup>th</sup> anniversary, we have joined Facebook and Twitter. Like us on Twitter @WestSideSchool and on Facebook @WestSideSchool 1597. Look for our 225<sup>th</sup> anniversary logo!

#### **Pick-Up Notes and Nameplates**

We are requesting that all students bring two pick-up notes for any change in dismissal – one for the school and one for the bus driver/pick-up circle. Pick-up notes can be found on the school's website. Go to csh.kl2.ny.us and select West Side School under the Our Schools tab at the top of the page. Click on For WSS Parents on the left and select Forms. Parents have the ability to type in the information needed and print two copies. In addition, please remember to display your nameplates when picking up your child. This will help with the efficiency of our dismissal process. Thank you for your support!



#### 6th Grade Get Together-March 15th

Our 6th Grade get together with Lloyd Harbor at United Skates of America is this Sunday, March 15th from 6-8:30pm. This is going to be a fun night for our 6th grade graduates! If you have any questions, please email Grace Cover at <a href="mailto:scrapbookcover@aol.com">scrapbookcover@aol.com</a>. See you there!

#### **Talent Show**

Don't forget to sign up for the 2015 West Side Talent Show. It will be held on Friday, May 8th. The show is open to all students, 2<sup>nd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grade. \*A special note: This year students <u>WILL</u> be allowed to be in one SOLO act

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plus one group act (sixth grade group act not included). Both Parents and Students should <u>read all the rules</u> before filling out the participation form. There are two mandatory rehearsals, see form for dates. The participation forms are attached to the Notes and must be submitted no later than 3/20/15. (Late submissions will not be accepted.) Additional participation forms will be available in the office. <u>Applications must be submitted with the \$35 fee</u> (per family) payable to WSSPTG which includes the show CD and (1) T-shirt. <u>Additional performers in the same family must purchase additional t-shirts at \$10 each per performer submitted with the application</u> (T-shirts will be worn in the finale.) We are sure to have a great show with all the talented students at West Side. If you are doing a musical act, a CD or digital copy of the song must be submitted or emailed to me by 3/20/15. If you would like me to copy and edit the music, please indicate that on the application form. If you would like to volunteer to be on the committee, please contact either Randi Weiss at Randi\_Weiss@hotmail.com or Jen Genser at Cona@genserlaw.com.

#### **Literary Luncheon**

The CFA Literary Luncheon is being held on Wednesday, March 18th from 11-2pm at the Huntington Country Club. The guest speaker will be New York Times Best Selling Author Tim Green. Please see the attached flyer for ticket purchases. This promises to be a great event!

#### Yearbook

Yearbooks will be sold online only! No paper order forms! Please order your yearbook today! Do not get closed out! Order Your WEST SIDE Yearbook Online! Just follow the steps below:

Step 1: Visit <a href="http://www.memorybook.com/parentpay">http://www.memorybook.com/parentpay</a>

Step 2: Enter your pay code 74315 and click next

Step 3: Buy a yearbook for \$30.00 or yearbook with personalized name for \$32.25

Order online through: April 20, 2015

#### **Upcoming Events**

Report Cards Posted

Friday, March 20th

on Parent Portal:

Noon Dismissal: Friday, March 20th

Parent-Teachers Conf: Friday, March 20th

#### **Attachments from the School**

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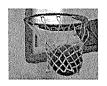
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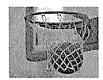
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# March Madness Fundraiser: Ronald McDonald House Charities, Inc.



This month Student Council, in honor of March Madness, is going to be working with our Phys. Ed. Teacher, Mr. Yost to have a fun Sharpshooters Tournament! We will be raising money for the Ronald McDonald House charity.

We are looking for students that are interested in participating, to fill out the bottom portion of this form so they can get donations based on the amount of baskets that they make. Also, please have them color in the attached basketball with their name and class on it so we can hang it up on our March Madness bulletin board.

For example: Mr. Simon's family pledged 50 cents for every basket Mr. Simon made. Mr. Simon made 10 baskets, so his family donates \$5. Of course, every family can donate more than they pledge, it is up to you!

To get a sense of what to pledge, Mr. Yost said an average  $5^{th}$  or  $6^{th}$  grader will make between 25-35 baskets. An average  $2^{nd}$  to  $4^{th}$  grader will make between 10-20 baskets.

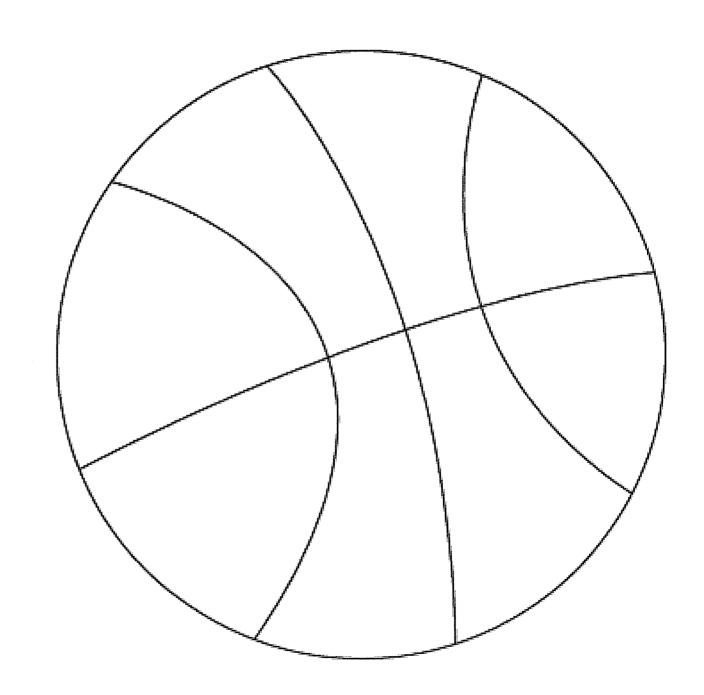
## PLEASE DON'T SEND ANY MONEY NOW!!

My child's name:		-
My child's class:		-
The every basket my	family agreed to pledge child makes.	_for
	is held in your child's Phys. Ed. Class, we will send yo you know how many baskets your child made. Thank cause!!!!	
Family signature:		

Please write your name and class on the basketball.

Then color and cut the basketball out.

Return the basketball to Mrs. Ryan or Mrs. Santoro by Monday, March 16<sup>th</sup>.





Dear West Side Families,

Please join us in supporting our upcoming 23rd annual West Side Run on Sunday, May 3, 2015. This years run is in celebration of West Side School's 225<sup>th</sup> year! 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 24 business sponsors and over 73 family sponsors who contributed last year, and we hope you will be able to sponsor this year's event.

Over the past few years your generous donations have gone towards the purchase of the following:

- New Piano for the Music Department
- Equipment for our Science Department
- New Climbing Rock Wall for the Gymnasium
- New Basketball glass backboards/hoops for the Gymnasium
- Repaving/striping of the outdoor basketball court
- Equipment for WSS Newsroom (IPTV Cart and Green Screen Technology)

Thank you to all of those who have donated. The Family Sponsors will have their names printed in the 2015 program and placed on the WSS parking lot board.

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!

Attached are both Business and Family sponsorship forms.

We look forward to running with you on Sunday, May 3rd. 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: Cat Bauer, Scott Bowden, Ted Hilton, Jack Sergi, Carol Solinger & Ingrid Wright

## **Business Sponsor Form**

Thank you for supporting West Side School by sponsoring the WSS Run on Sunday, May 3rd!

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 West Side Run application.

Name of Company: Address:		
Contact (person & phone #):		
Business & Professional Spo	onsors: Standard Size Ad: \$250	
	Double Size Ad: \$500	
	Other	

Business card and artwork is due by Friday March 27, 2015. Please email artwork even if it has been sent in years past.

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

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

Please email company logo/artwork to: Cat Bauer – <u>bauerfamilytoronto@gmail.com</u>.

Any questions, please contact: Cat Bauer or another committee member. Thank you for your support!

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# **Family Sponsor Form**

	radvance for support Family:	ing the WSS	Run! Below is a copy of the Family Run on Sunday, May 3rd.	Sponsor form.
Family spons	sors (names on WSS	Sponsor Boa	rd & 2015 Application)	
-	Gold Patron	\$200		
	Patron	\$150		
	Sponsor	\$100		
	Supporter	\$ 50		
	Other			
Platinum Spo	onsorships (names or 500 West Side Run Trophies	_	or Board, 2015 Application and on b \$2000 \$ 700	-
	Timer Company Ch	arges	\$ 700 \$ 700	
	Printing of 6000 Ar	•	\$ 650	
Please make	checks payable to W West Side Run Con West Side School P 1597 Laurel Hollow Laurel Hollow, NY	TSS/PTG. Re amittee TG V Road		

Any questions, please contact: Cat Bauer - bauerfamilytoronto@gmail.com or another committee member. Thank you for your support!





#### To be Eligible:

- The show is open to all Westside students in grades 2-6.
- A \$35 Fee MUST be submitted with your application. This fee includes the cost of the 2015
  West Side Talent Show T-shirt and CD. NO APPLICATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED WITHOUT
  PAYMENT AND A *T-SHIRT SIZE*.
- Applications are due by <u>3/20/15</u>. Late submissions will not be accepted. All students must return a completed and signed Talent Show Participation Form with check and T-shirt size.
- Soloists and groups of any size are eligible.
- Students may perform in only *one* number, with the exception of sixth graders, who will have the opportunity to perform a big group number at the end of the show if they choose. A sixth grade parent is encouraged to volunteer as coordinator for this act. Please contact Randi Weiss at Randi\_Weiss@hotmail.com if you are interested.
- All music, whether it's for a dance, song or background music, is due by 3/20/15. The CD should be labeled with the student's name(s), song name, and artist/composer.
- If a CD is NOT submitted by the music deadline 3/20/15, (1) edited copy of the music, using the first 2 minutes of the song will be cut down for you. You may also specify your two minutes or less by using a time counter (ex. :20-2:20 seconds) and emailing that information to Randi by the date above. A CD will then be sent into school to one of the children in the group. Additional copies of that CD will be your responsibility. Absolutely no changes will be accepted after that date.
- You must attend your designated rehearsal date which will be on either Wed. April 22 or Thurs. April 23 at Westside School, depending on which act you have been assigned to, as well as the dress/tech rehearsal on Thurs. May 7 at the Cold Spring Harbor High School Performance Arts Center (PAC) to perform in the show. This is mandatory. *If you are unable to commit to these rehearsals, please do not sign up to be in the talent show.*

### Planning your act:

- Lyrics, costumes and performances should be compliant with school policy and appropriate for all audiences. Clean versions of songs only.
- All acts will be limited to 2 minutes.
- Submit your application and music early as we are limiting the same song to be performed only twice during the show. Any soloist or group who submits their application with a same song already approved to two other groups will have to choose a new song for their act.
- Most of all be creative and show off your true talent! Unique acts are always appreciated!!

# West Side Talent Show Rules (page 2)

#### Rehearsals:

- The show will be broken up into two Acts with an intermission in between.
- Parents must send a note to the child's teacher when their child is scheduled to stay after school for rehearsal. If your child does not have a note, the teacher will have to send your child home in the usual way.
- All students will be assigned to one of the two Acts. Students will only need to attend rehearsals for their designated Act on either Wed. April 22 or Thurs. April 23 at Westside in the Gym. All performers must attend the dress rehearsal on Thursday May 7 at the PAC Theater in the CSH High School.
- All students must sign in with a Talent Show committee member upon arrival, and sign out when leaving the rehearsal.

#### **Courtesy and Conduct:**

- Those students who would like to volunteer for backstage crew or other jobs for the night of the show should contact Jen Genser at Cona@Genserlaw.com
- Please take your time in deciding if you will be performing a solo or a group act. This is a full commitment for you and your fellow group members. We would like to avoid any unnecessary tears so please make this a binding agreement with those you sign up with.
- Once a group has been formed and paperwork submitted, there will be absolutely no switching from group to group with only one exception as followed. If a person does drop out for any reason, the person left in the group may continue to perform solo or may find another student who has not signed up for any act to take their place. If that person cannot find another person to join them, at that point they may join an existing group if the group has approved it.
- If a student drops out of an act. That student will not be permitted to participate in any other acts for the 2015 talent show.
- Students can submit their applications via backpack, labeled "West Side Talent Show"

A Message from Randi and Jen. To all the wonderfully talented students at West Side, this is your chance to shine in front of your friends and family. As much work goes into producing this magical event, the content and entertainment value is all up to you! Be prepared, professional and dedicated to making this the best Talent Show yet!

# West Side School Annual Talent Show Friday May 8, 2015

## **Participation Form**

Check #	
Amt\$	
Shirt Size	e

(Must be submitted by 3/20/15 Late Submissions will not be accepted)
Please return to school in an envelope marked "West Side Talent Show- Attn: Randi Weiss"

Student's Name:	Grade:	_ Teacher:	Date:
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Parent's e-mail:( <i>Please write <u>neatly</u> as a</i> Description of the act:	ll correspondence	s will be sent through e	-mail)
Soloist Group act (If group, identify one po	oint of contact		)
Name of Act or song and artist/composer	·:		
If group act, list all participants: (Full name	e and grade)		
*There is a \$35 fee per family to participal once complete and (1) West Side's Got Tathe finale.) Please make check payable to Additional shirts for other family menual be submitted with a separate application this application.	alent T-Shirt pri o WSSPTG and e abers who are	or to the show (Kids nclose it with your c participating in the	will be wearing the T-shirt in ompleted application.  show are \$10 each and must
*Parents/non-performers, if you are not \$10 each in support of your child & friend		the show, we welcom	ne you to purchase a t-shirt at
Parents and Students: By signing belo participate in the 2015 Westside School courtesy and conduct. Please see Randi (Cona@Genserlaw.com) with any question	Talent Show.  Pl Weiss (Randi_W	ease carefully reviev	with your child the section on or Jen Genser  REMEMBER:
Parent's Name:	Student's Nan	ne:	$\sqrt{-CHECK\#}$
Signature:	Signature:		
Would you like to help during the audition	ons/rehearsal/s	how/concession?	√ - Music
West	Side's Got Talent	Γ-Shirt Order Form	
Student's Name Grac	deTea	cher	Total # of T-shirts Ordered
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Funds raised at this event go towards assisting the student athletes of the Cold Spring Harbor Jr/Sr High School

www.cshathletics.com

Library Luncheon

with guest speaker

# TIM GREEN

New York Times best selling author Former Star NFL player



Wednesday, March 18, 2015 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM at the Huntington Country Club 483 W. Main St. Huntington

> \$75 per person, \$750 for a table of 10 Checks payable to

> > **CFA**

**RSVP by March 1st** 

Mail to: Lauryl Palatnick 215 Harbor Road, CSH, NY 11724 For more information, contact Connie at connie@cpggold.com

I am unable to attend, please accept my donation of \$

Free blow out at Salon Mayan by Ben for all attendees.



Name:			
No. of Tickets:	@ \$75/ticket =	<del></del>	
Phone No.:			
Please Sit Me With:			

# SOCCER REGISTRATION IS OPEN

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# www.cshhsoccer.com





## Passport to the Past 2015 Summer Camp Programs "Bringing History to Life"

# Looking for a unique, non-competitive summer camp for your children where they can experience history hands-on?

The Huntington Historical Society is offering three <u>two-week, half-day (9am – 12pm)</u> summer camp sessions for children ages 7 to 12. In addition, we are offering a <u>NEW "Pee-Wee Pioneers"</u> one-week, half-day session for children ages 5 – 7 only.

Campers will be able to wear colonial costumes, play original colonial games, tour historical sites, handle various historical artifacts that typically are viewed only behind glass displays in museums, and enjoy hands-on colonial-era activities such as:









Weaving on looms

Carding wool

Limberjack toy making

Butter churning

## Registration Information

Session 1:	June 29 – July 10	9:00am -			
Session 2:	July 13 – July 24	12:00pm	\$300 for Society members / \$400 non-members		
Session 3: July 27 – August 7		Ages 7 - 12			
<b>NEW</b> Pee-Wee Pioneers	August 10 – August 13 (4 days)	9:30am – 12:00pm Ages 5 – 7 <b>only</b>	\$120 for Society members / \$180 non-members		

Refund Policy: Tuition is refundable minus a \$30 registration fee up to 30 days prior to session start date

2015 PASSPORT TO THE PAST SUMMER CAMP REGISTRATION FORM (one form per camper)  To Register: Return this registration form with payment to Huntington Historical Society, 2 High Street, Huntington, NY 11743 or call 631-427-7045 x404 to register and pay via phone.				
Session (drcle one): 1 2 3 Pee-Wee Pioneers Camper	s Name	Age (as of June 29):		
Parent/Guardian Name:	Phone: Primary	Secondary		
Street Address:	Email:			
City: State:Zip				
Registration Fee \$ Plus (optional) \$60 Society F	amily Membership Total	Payment \$		
Payment Type (dircle one) Check (payable to Huntington Historical Credit Card Number:				
Billing Address (if different from above):				

# Fun, Fun, Fun!

# Annual Lion's Club Egg Hunt

Welcome Parents and Children (up to 12 years old)

DATE: Saturday, April 4, 2015

PLACE: The Francis Roberts Community Center
75 Goose Hill Road
Cold Spring Harbor

TIME: 10:00 AM SHARP!!

Rain or Shine

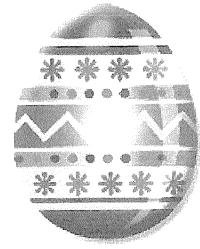
DONATION: Please bring a non-perishable food item to help the Huntington Community Food Council

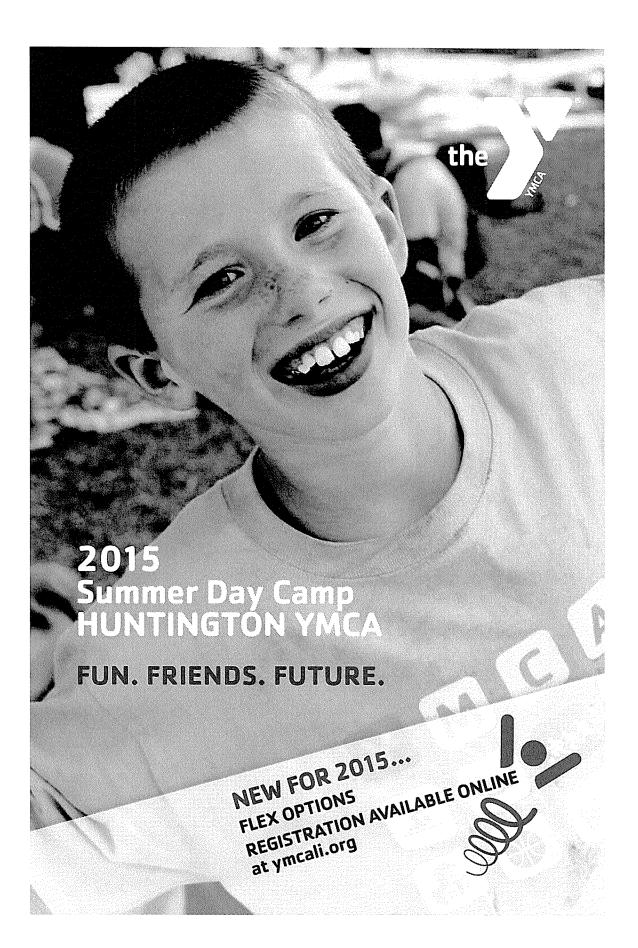
PRIZES, EGG RACES, AND LOTS OF COLORED EGGS!!



For Info Call Skip Norton (631)692-6179







#### GENERAL INFORMATION

The Huntington YMCA Day Camp is proud to be accredited by the American Camping Association.

#### **CAMP OPEN HOUSE DATES:**

Come and meet the camp directors.

Dates: Saturday, January 24 1:00pm — 3:00pm
Sunday, March 8 12noon — 2:00pm
Saturday, March 28 11:00pm — 1:00pm
Wednesday, April 15 6:30pm — 8:00pm
Saturday, April 25 1:00pm — 4:00pm
Saturday, May 16 12noon — 2:00pm
Saturday, June 6 1:00pm — 3:00pm

# CAN'T DO THE FULL 3 WEEKS? We have Flexibility.

1 week and 2 week options



#### CAMP SESSION DATES

 Session I:
 June 29 – July 17

 Session 2:
 July 20 – Aug. 7

 Session 3:
 Aug. 10 – Aug. 28

 Bonus Week:
 Aug. 31 – Sept. 4

#### **CAMP HOURS**

Full Day 9:00am – 4:00pm

Extended day 9:00am – 2:00pm (Kiddie Camp only) Half Day 9:00am – 12noon (Kiddie Camp only)

12:30pm - 3:30pm (Preschool Healthy Kids and Dance/Theatre)

#### **PAYMENT SCHEDULE, FEES AND DISCOUNTS**

A non-refundable, non-transferable deposit of \$100 is required at registration for each session for each child. The remaining balance must be paid in full by May 31, 2015. Fees include one camp T-shirt per child, per summer. Trip fees for Youth Camp, Sports Camp, Teens and CITs are included.

CAMP FEES (PER SESSION)		FLEX OPTIONS*		
	3 WEEK	2 WEEK	1 WEEK	
Kiddie Camp Half Day (M-F)	\$540	\$383	\$216	
Kiddie Camp Extended (M/W/F)	\$475	NA	NA	
Kiddie Camp Extended (M-F)	\$780	\$553	\$312	
Kiddie Camp Full Day (M-F)	\$995	\$706	\$398	
Youth Camp (M-F)	\$975	\$692	\$390	
Teens in Action (M-F)	\$1,100	\$781	\$440	
CITs (M-F)	\$565	NA	NA	
Sports Camp (M-F)	\$975	\$692	\$390	
Sports Camp CITs	\$565	NA	NA	
Preschool Healthy Kids 2 Day/Half Day (M/W)	\$275	NA	NA	
Preschool Dance/Theatre/Half Day (T/TH)	\$275	NA	NA	
Performing Arts Camp	\$1,200	\$825	\$480	
Performing Art Teen Stars	\$1,200	\$825	\$480	
Performing Arts CITs	\$565	NA	NA	
Bus Transportation	\$275	\$195	\$110	
BONUS WEEK			\$300	

\*Flex Fare Rates are applied per designated session (1-2 weeks within the same session). The purchase of individual weeks (no limit) will be offered at the one-week flex fare rate.

#### DISCOUNT POLICY

- 10% discount if paying in full at time of registration prior to March 31, 2015
- 5% discount if paying in full at time of registration from April 1, 2015 to April 30, 2015
- \$50 Sibling Discount on five full day programs / \$25 Sibling Discount on five half or extended day programs

#### MEMBERSHIP FEES

- Campers need to be a YMCA Member at the time of registration and for the duration of camp.
- A youth program membership is \$90 per year.

#### CAMP FLEX OPTIONS:

#### Need 1 Week Here? 2 Weeks There?

At the Y, we offer 3-week session blocks because we find that consistency helps kids form friendships, advance their swim skills, and experience everything our Summer Day Camps have to offer. That said, we know how busy families can be during the summer and if you need more flexibility, we're here to help. If you'd like to purchase summer camp weeks "a la carte," just come in and let us know which weeks work for your family.

Please be aware that to take advantage of flexible scheduling, you must register in person. Space may be limited. Flexible scheduling is offered based on camp capacity: children who are part of our 3-week sessions have priority on all off-campus trips. Restrictions that may apply:

- Discounts not applicable
- Flex-fare available for 5 days a week programs only
- · Trips may be missed
- Flex Fare rates will not be adjusted for new/additional registrations.

#### **REGISTRATION INFORMATION**

Registration begins on Saturday, January 24, 2015 from 1:00pm – 3:00pm.

Registration is in person at the YMCA. Registration will continue at the YMCA after this date. In order to register, please bring the following materials with you:

- · Current record of immunizations
- Emergency pick up names and phone numbers

#### **BEFORE & AFTER CAMP CARE**

Extended hours are available for an additional fee.

- A \$15 non-refundable deposit is required.
- The balance is due along with your camp fee according to the camp payment schedule.

7:00am – 9:00am Fee: \$95 / session 4:00pm – 6:30pm Fee: \$95 / session

#### FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE

Financial assistance for camp is based on financial need.

- A financial assistance application must be completed in full and received no later than March 31, 2015 for consideration by the financial assistance committee.
- Please allow at least 30 days for committee decision.
- For financial assistance info please call 631-421-4242 x\*140.
- Applications are evaluated on a first-come, first-served basis. Financial assistance does not guarantee
  a camp spot; you must register and leave a deposit to ensure a spot.

#### REFUND POLICY

Deposits and Camp fees are non-transferable and non-refundable after April 30th.

- There will be no pro-rating or reduction of fees based on missed days due to illness shorter than 5 consecutive days.
- Medical refund requests must have a doctor's note within 5 days of the illness.
- The YMCA reserves the right to suspend or remove a child from camp. Refunds may not be given wherein this decision is necessary.

Please note: Starting January 24th registration is continuous and ongoing at our friendly Member Service desk or online at ymcali.org.

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 an approval of either the sponsor or the activity.

#### KIDDIE CAMP

Laura.Messina@ymcali.org or ext.\*126 3 years old by May 31st, 2015

This is a wonderful introduction to YMCA Summer Camp, with unique experiences to enhance both physical and emotional growth. The program utilizes the air-conditioned classrooms, enclosed outdoor playgrounds and other areas for all the following activities:

- Swim Lessons Arts & Crafts Special Events
- Kid Fitness Dance Waterslides Science. All children must be completely toilet trained, pull ups are not permissible.

Kiddie Camp-Full Day 9:00am - 4:00pm Children ages 3-5 who have not yet attended Kindergarten.

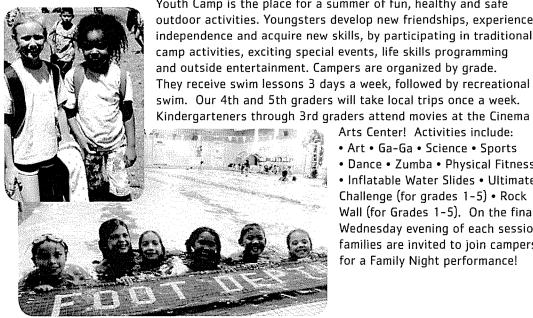


Kiddie Camp-Extended Day 9:00am - 2:00pm Children ages 3-5 who have not yet attended Kindergarten.

Kiddie Camp-Half Day 9:00am - 12:00pm Children ages 3-5 who have not yet attended Kindergarten & children who have completed Kindergarten but who are not ready for a full day program. These kindergartners will be placed with the oldest Kiddie Campers.

#### YOUTH CAMP

Completed K-5th grade Michelle.Burke@ymcali.org or ext.\*146



Youth Camp is the place for a summer of fun, healthy and safe outdoor activities. Youngsters develop new friendships, experience independence and acquire new skills, by participating in traditional camp activities, exciting special events, life skills programming and outside entertainment. Campers are organized by grade. They receive swim lessons 3 days a week, followed by recreational swim. Our 4th and 5th graders will take local trips once a week.

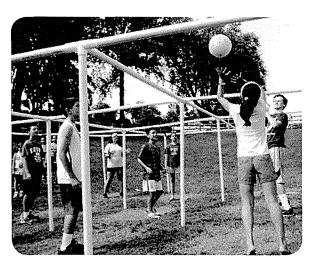
Arts Center! Activities include:

- Art Ga-Ga Science Sports
- Dance Zumba Physical Fitness
- Inflatable Water Slides Ultimate Challenge (for grades 1-5) • Rock Wall (for Grades 1-5). On the final Wednesday evening of each session families are invited to join campers for a Family Night performance!

#### **TEENS IN ACTION**

Completed 6th and 7th grade ext.\*146

"Teens in Action" is a great choice for the too cool for camp crowd. Teens experience the feeling of freedom while being well supervised by trusted & mature staff. It's a great opportunity for your camper to enjoy some adventures as we leave the campgrounds twice a week for fun and exciting trips. Activities include sports, team building, leadership training, swimming, and a variety of workshops to keep kids interested.



## **COUNSELORS IN TRAINING (CIT)**

PROGRAM AVAILABLE FOR ALL CAMPS

Completed 8th and 9th grade ext.\*146



The CIT program combines the fun of camp with leadership and on the job training skills. The CITs will assist counselors with camp groups. Each CIT will have the opportunity to facilitate an activity for campers. All interested applicants must schedule an interview with our Camp Director at x\*146. Please visit our website www.ymcali.org or call our Camp Director at x\*146 for specific details on each of the CIT programs.

#### SPORTS CAMP

Completed K-5th grade ext.\*146

**Sessions 1 and 2** Held off-site at a local Huntington School

Sports Camp is the perfect environment for the "athletically enthusiastic" child. We provide a fun atmosphere for children and ensure the focus is not on winning but about having fun through sportsmanship, teamwork and respect. It is the perfect way for children to learn new skills and develop great friendships in a safe environment. Each week children will be taught the necessary skills for "sport of the week" ending with a tournament to be held every Friday. Experienced counselors who have a passion for sports will lead the campers in a variety of activities including but not limited to: • Soccer • Basketball • Lacrosse • Floor Hockey • Team Handball • Ultimate Frisbee • Baseball • Kickball • Volleyball • Flag Football • Ga-Ga • Game Room • Trivia • Skill Drills • Tournaments

Sports Camp is held off site at one of the local Huntington District Schools. Children will visit the YMCA to participate in recreational swim, rock climbing, waterslides, batting cages as well as other field games. Each session will also feature a fun field trip. On the last Tuesday of each session families are invited to participate in Family Sport Night.

#### **WORLD OF SPORTS CAMP**

Completed K – 5th grade ext.\*146 **Session 3 only** 

Held at the Huntington YMCA



A fun-filled addition to your child's summer, this three week session will be action packed with numerous sports, team building activities and camp games. The focus will be on developing skills, understanding rules, and play experience in soccer and basketball, recreational swim, rock climbing, water slides, batting cages, GA-GA and other special events.

#### PRESCHOOL SPECIALTY CAMPS

Ages 2-5 years

Edie.Cafiero@ymcali.org or ext.\*132

#### PRESCHOOL DANCE/THEATRE

Tues./Thurs. 12:30pm - 3:30pm

Includes tap, ballet, jazz, acting, singing, story time and art. This program can be combined with morning Kiddie Camp. Takes place at the YMCA HEC Building.

#### **PRESCHOOL HEALTHY KIDS**

Mon./Wed. 12:30pm - 3:30pm

Each day is a different healthy lifestyle theme. Classes include: art, physical fitness games, activities and story time. Can be combined with morning Kiddie Camp. Program takes place at the YMCA HEC Building.

#### PERFORMING ARTS CAMP

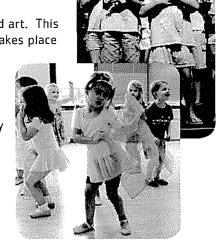
Completed K-5th grade ext.\*132

Sessions 1 and 2 Held off-site at a CSH School

Session 3 Held at the Huntington YMCA

We make performing arts fun! Each day, after lunch, campers return to the YMCA. Campers will work on every aspect of a final production and enjoy: • Acting • Voice • Dance • Art • Yoga • Ballet (Optional) • Set Design • Irish Step • Sign Language • Creative Writing Class • Recreational Swim • Water Slides • Book Club. The final performance is a staged variety show

by a professional director and held in a school auditorium the third Thursday night of the session. Included in fee is a weekly field trip.



#### TEEN STARS (PERFORMING ARTS CAMP)

Grades 6th and 7th ext.\*132
Teens work with a director on their own production. They will work in a leadership capacity and participate in classes.

#### SUMMER CAMP BONUS WEEK

Kiddie and Youth Camp only August 31st - September 4th ext.\*146

The Huntington Y is excited to offer an additional bonus week of camp this summer! From August 31st through September 4th your child can enjoy the benefits of body, mind and spirit at the Y. Why not extend the fun?



Note: Subject to change due to your school district calendar.

#### WATERFRONT CAMP

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The Y is happy to offer both learn to Sail & learn to Kayak programs at the Centerport Beach boathouse. In order to ensure everyone's safety, all students take a swim test the first day of class and everyone is required to wear a Coast Guard approved life jacket while sailing or kayaking.

The YMCA will provide instruction for basic kayaking & sailing skills, along with boating & water safety. The sailing courses are designed for children ages 8 - 18 & kayaking for ages 9 - adult. Adult sailing is also available upon request.

No prior experience or equipment is required in order to participate. The YMCA will provide necessary gear for both programs with the exception of boating shoes. The 2015 season starts June 29th and ends August 7th. The sessions run weekly, morning or afternoon, Monday through Friday.

In person Waterfront registration will begin Friday, May 8, 6pm and will be ongoing. There is no YMCA membership required and \$50 of the registration fee is non-refundable.

#### TRANSPORTATION

ext.\*146

We are happy to offer door-to-door service to the following areas for the 2015 Camp season: • Huntington/Cold Spring Harbor • Northport/East Northport • Centerport/ Greenlawn • South Huntington • Dix Hills/Melville • Deer Park/Commack • Syosset. If you do not see your town listed, please ask and we will try to accommodate you. Transportation requests made after May 31st are not guaranteed. A \$50 deposit is required for each session. Please note: your child may be on the bus for up to one hour.



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