# The Friday Notes 

Celebrating 225 years! April 24, 2015

## Principal's Corner

Happy Earth Day Birthday, West Side! Today we celebrated during morning assembly with a musical presentation and poetry readings. Sixth graders, Sarah Lynch on violin and Peter Moynihan on cello, played an American folk song called Big Rock Candy Mountain. Thank you to fifth grader, Anna Hammel, and sixth grader, Annalia Alcamo for their Earth Day poetry readings. Earlier this week, Mr. David Rosner, the Director of Development, of the Ronald McDonald House of Long Island spoke to our students during morning assembly and commended them on their efforts to raise money for this charity. Our Student Council also recognized Physical Education teacher, Mr. Bill Yost, with a certificate of appreciation for his work behind the scenes.

## 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 $225^{\text {th }}$ anniversary, we have joined Facebook and Twitter. Like us on Twitter @WestSideSchool and on Facebook @WestSideSchooll 597. Look for our 225th anniversary logo!


## FOCUS

We are looking for one parent to volunteer to serve as the WSS representative for FOCUS for the 2015-16 school year. If you are interested or have any questions, please contact Nicole Pultz at pultz3@optonline.net.

## Committee Chairs Needed

We are looking for parents to volunteer to chair (or co-chair) the following committees for the 2015-16 school year. If you are looking to get involved, we have some great opportunities. We are in need of a Chair for the following committees: Beautification, Ice Skating Night, Recess, Sixth Grade Moving Up Day, West Side Kids Care, West Side Win. Please contact Michelle Schneider at mschneider@opendigital.net if you are interested or have any questions.

## $6^{\text {th }}$ Grade Get Together

Last Sunday, our West Side 6th graders had another opportunity to get together with their future LHS classmates. This took place at The Sports Hub in Syosset where they played organized games of soccer, capture the flag, field hockey and dodgeball. Thank you to all who attended and to the parents and PTG who make these great events possible.
Special thanks to Grace Cover for chairing this committee and organizing the events for our 6th grade students.

## West Side Run 2015

We're in the home stretch for the West Side Run - Sunday, May 3rd!! Please continue to send in your family sponsorships and run registrations. Pre-registered runners can pick up t-shirts and race numbers Saturday, May 2nd between 6:00-8:00 pm. Volunteers are needed to donate race day muffins and baked goods as well as help out with route barricades. Please contact Cat Baver: baverfamilytoronto@gmail.com

## West Side Kids Care

In honor of Earth Day, West Side Kids Care will once again host a sneaker recycling drive. Please help eliminate waste by bringing any and all worn sneakers to the box in the airplane lobby beginning Monday, April 20th.

## Talent Show

Keep Practicing...The Talent Show is almost here! The quality of the show is up to all of you. The more you practice, the better the show will be. Dress rehearsal will be on Thursday, May $7^{\text {th }}$ at the CSH HIGH SCHOOL PAC. Parents are responsible for getting their children there. Additional information will be sent to you regarding that rehearsal. If you are interested in volunteering day of show, please contact Randi at Randi_Weiss@hotmail.com or Jenn at Cona@.Genserlaw.com. Can't wait to see all our talented performers!!!!

## Staff Appreciation Luncheon

Let's get ready to say a great big "Thank You" to our wonderful West Side Staff! The annual Staff Appreciation Luncheon will be held on Tuesday, May 5th and we need your help to make it a success. Please be on the lookout for a volunteer spot email. If you have not signed up to contribute and would like to, please email Liz Franklin at lizfranklin@verizon.net or Nicole Boutis at nboutis@msn.com. Please help to make this an event to remember!

## Upcoming Events

West Side Wednesday
Running Club
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April 29'h
Wednesday, April 29'h
Thursday, April 30th at 3:30 PM
Community Helpers Day $\mathbf{2}^{\text {nd }}$ Grade Friday, May $1^{\text {st }}$
Parent Leaders Brunch @ LHS Friday, May ${ }^{\text {ts }}$ at 9:30 AM
$6^{\text {th }}$ Grade to the Weir Barn
West Side Run
Staff Appreciation Day

Friday, May ${ }^{\text {st }}$
Sunday, May $3^{\text {rd }}$.
Tuesday, May $5^{\text {th }}$

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## WEST SIDE KIDS CARE

## REUSE-A-SHOE SNEAKER RECYCLING CAMPAIGN

## Don't throw out those smelly, old sneakers...recycle them!

As a part of our Earth Day celebrations, West Side families will again have the opportunity to participate in Nike's Reuse-A-Shoe program. The program collects wornout athletic shoes for recycling. Nearly every part of the shoe will be transformed into Nike Grind, a material used in creating athletic and playground surfaces as well as select Nike products.

Any brand of athletic shoes is accepted. No sandals, flip-flops, dress shoes, boots, or shoes containing metal such as cleats or spikes please.

A collection box will be in the Airplane Lobby through Monday, May 4th. You can also donate at the West Side Run. So get training, and then give us your shoes!

Please contact Dana Lynch at dana@theblacktop.net with any questions.


The following list shows what part of the shoe and approximately how many pairs of athletic shoes, or the manufacturing equivalent thereof, generally go into making each type of athletic surface:

- Outdoor basketball court (midsole foam): 2,500 pairs
- Outdoor tennis court (midsole foam): 2,500 pairs
- Full field or soccer pitch (outsole rubber): 50,000 - 75.000 pairs
- Mini soccer field (outsole rubber): 10,000-20,000 pairs
- Running track (outsole rubber): 75,000 pairs
- Playground (outsole rubber): 2,500 pairs
- Indoor wood basketball court (upper fabric): 2,500 pairs
- Indoor synthetic basketball court (midsole foam): 2,500 pairs


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 $225^{\text {th }}$ 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

## Family Sponsor Form

Thank you to all who have sponsored the WSS Run! Below is a copy of the Family Sponsor form.
Thank you in advance for supporting the WSS Run on Sunday, May 3rd.
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, 2015 Application and on back of 2014 T-shirts) 500 West Side Run T-shirts $\quad \$ 2000$
Trophies $\$ 700$
Timer Company Charges $\$ 700$
Printing of 6000 Applications $\$ 650$ $\qquad$
Please make checks payable to WSS/PTG. Return to:
West Side Run Committee
West Side School PTG
1597 Laurel Hollow Road
Laurel Hollow, NY 11791

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


Ticket to the event includes entertainment, food, drinks, prizes, Raffles and a Silent Auction. Order before March $15^{\text {th }}$ and receive bonus raffle tickets!!
Funds raised at this event go towards assisting the student athletes of the Cold Spring Harbor IrIS High School.

## Event Sponsors:

The Taglich Family • Fort Hill Estates, Inc. • The Hooks Family • The McCormack Family • The Acker Family The McAteer Family • Seahawkssportscamps.com • The Reim Family

Name $\qquad$ Phone Number $\qquad$ Email $\qquad$
$\square$ Yes, I would like to attend The Seahawks Booster Club Fundraiser on May 2, 2015 Number of Tickets $\qquad$ $X \$ 50$ each $=$ $\qquad$ Total (Make checks Payable to Seahawks Athletics Booster Club) Each ticket purchased includes $\$ 200$ "Booster Bucks" (tickets sold at the door will be $\$ 75.00$ )
$\square$ No I cannot attend but would like to support our Cold Spring Harbor Athletes
$\square$ One Pair \$50
$\square$ Two Pair $\$ 75$
$\square$ Three of a Kind \$100Full House $\$ 150$Straight Flush \$500
$\square$ Straight $\$ 200$Royal Flush $\$ 750$
$\square$ Flush \$250
$\square$ Four of a Kind \$1000

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

## ** PLEASE POST **

Please be advised that a special meeting of the Board of Education will take place on April 28, 2015, at 7:30 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 7:30 p.m.

At 7:30 p.m. the Board of Education will reconvene its public meeting and workshop to discuss Board Agenda items appropriate for Public Session, pursuant to the Open Meetings Law.


## 2015 HUNTINGTON SPORTS LEAGUE

## T-BALL/BASEBALL/SOFTBALL SEASON

COME JOIN THE FUN AS THE HUNTINGTON SPORTS LEAGUE (HSL) PREPARES FOR THEIR $60^{\text {TH }}$ ANNIVERSARY SEASON OF SERVING THE YOUTH OF HUNTINGTON.

FOR THE BOYS WE OFFER T-BALL FROM GRADES K-2, WITH EACH GRADE'S RULES INDIVIDUALIZED, AND BASEBALL FOR GRADES 3-4, 5-6 \& 7-8-9.

FOR THE GIRLS WE OFFER T-SOFTBALL FOR GRADES K, $\mathbf{1}^{\text {st }}$ \& $2^{\text {ND }}$ \& SOFTBALL FOR GRADES 3-4, 5-6 \& 7 THRU 12.

REGISTRATION FEES RANGE FROM $\$ 65$ TO \$85 WITH A FAMILY MAX OF $\$ 170$

ALL GAMES ARE PLAYED AT LOCAL FIELDS AND PROFESSIONAL UMPIRES ARE USED FOR GAMES $3^{\text {RD }}$ GRADE AND OLDER IN BOTH SOFTBALL AND BASEBALL.

THE SEASON RUNS FROM THE END OF APRIL TO THE END OF JUNE. TO REGISTER YOUR CHILD PLEASE GO TO WWW.HUNTINGTONSPORTSLEAGUE.ORG \& PLEASE BRING A FRIEND!!!!!

 Residents and Their Furry Friends are Invited to the fth Annual


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## Library's Youth Services Department. Registration Required!

## FLOWERPOT CAKES

Monday, April 27 \& Wednesday, April 29 4:30 p.m.
for children in grades K-6


Create your own edible flowerpot cake!
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

## Clear Out Your File Cabinets! Paper Shredding Event Saturday, April 18, from 10am to 1pm



Bring two or three boxes of your papers and have them properly disposed of by our professional shredding company. PAPER only, no magazines, newspapers, cardboard, or carbon paper. Drive right up; the shredding truck will be in the library's parking lot.

## For Kids \& Teens! Programs from Cold Spring Harbor

 Library's Youth Services Department. Registration Required!
## MOTHER'S DAY GIFTS

## Mother's Day Printed Tea Towels

Monday, May 4 \& Tuesday May 5 4:30 p.m.
For children in grades K-6
Create your own stamps and make a special gift for someone you love!
Registration required.

## Mother's Day Chocolate

Friday, May 8, 3:30 p.m.
For children of all ages


Dip treats in chocolate for a sweet Mother's Day gift.

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# CANTA LIBRE: <br> GRANDJANY REVEALED 

Sunday, April 26 at 2 pm
Canta Libre, a harp, flute, and strings ensemble, will perform Latin American compositions and fresh interpretations of French-born American harpist and composer, Marcel Grandjany. Advance registration is requested.

