

The Friday Notes

Celebrating 225 years!
May 15, 2015







Principal's Corner

Thank you to Mrs. Weiss and Mrs. Genser for another incredible Talent Show! Your enthusiasm and creativity continues to inspire students of all ages. Congratulations to second grader, Clara Masata, who was recognized at morning assembly this week for winning the 2015 Earth Day Poster Contest. Clara received a certificate and letter from Senator Carl Marcellino. Students in grades two through four participated in DASA (Dignity for All Students Act) workshops to review laws and regulations associated with bullying. The week concluded with a sixth grade field trip to New York City. Students visited the Cloisters and St. John the Divine. Thank you to all of our parents who joined us today!

NYS Science Testing – Grade 4

Students in grade four will be taking the NYS Science Assessments again this spring. The NYS Science Performance Test will be administered on Thursday, May 28th (make-ups on May 29th). The NYS Science Written Test will be administered on Monday, June 1st (make-ups on June 2nd and 3rd). 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**

After School Program & Intramurals Update

Our After School Program will end on Thursday, May 21st. The last week of intramurals will be the week of May 18th – Tuesday, May 19th for 4th graders and Thursday, May 21st for 5th and 6th graders.

Emergency Drills

Next week we will be conducting some emergency drills with our students. Thank you in advance for your patience as we continue to work to keep your children safe.

Flip Flops

As the weather continues to get warmer, please remind your child that students are not to wear flip flops to school. Thank you for your support as we make every attempt to keep our students safe.

Pick-Up Notes

Please remember that all pick-up notes should be given to your child's teacher. Pick-up notes should not be e-mailed to the main office as we cannot guarantee that your child's teacher will receive the update.



225th Anniversary Party

Join us on Friday, June 5th for a wonderful night to celebrate our school's 225th anniversary! It promises to be a great night with drinks, food and live music overlooking beautiful Cold Spring Harbor. Please send back your response cards as soon as possible. This is a limited capacity event...only 225 people! Tickets are going fast...do not wait to respond!

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: **Ice Skating Night, Ice Cream Social, West Side Kids Care, Sports/Game Night, Field Day.** Please contact Michelle Schneider at mschneider@opendigital.net if you are interested or have any questions.

Field Day

It is that time of year again! Field Day 2015 will be held on **Friday, May 29th** for all grades with a rain date of **Tuesday, June 1st**. **Opening Ceremonies** begin at **9:10 am**. **2nd - 5th grade activities** are between **10:00 am-11:15 am**. **6th grade activities** are between **1:00pm-2:30pm**. Please come join us parents, grandparents, aunts and uncles and siblings to cheer on our students at West Side!! There will be a BBQ provided by the PTG...hamburgers

and hot dogs for the children so you do not have to pack lunch that day as long as you want them to participate in the lunch. Hope to see you all there!

Talent Show

What an electrifying night we all shared at the 2015 West Side "Hollywood Style" Talent Show. With just about 90 performers and student crew members, the night belonged to them. They were all stars from the littlest 2nd graders to our graduating 6th graders! Every one of them deserved an Oscar! Thanks to the NYSSMA singers and Mrs. Martin who did a beautiful job opening the show with the National Anthem. A huge thanks to Mr. Simon and all our teacher's aides for your help at the rehearsals and performance. Thanks to all the very many adult volunteers: Kerri Albers, Mara Arneja, Lisa Baxter, Eileen Byrne, Eileen Gallagher, Jack Genser, Alysa Kitchen, Dana Lynch, Natalia Milhim, Mary and Vinny Samuels, Jo Schoonmaker, Ana Shammah, LoriAnn Tyree and Amir Weiss. You were an amazing team! Finally, a very special thank you to the PTG for the yummy ice cream social and especially to the community for supporting this spectacular event which allows our children of all ages to express themselves through the performing arts. Can't wait to see what new talent will be for the 2016 West Side Talent Show. Start rehearsing. The CD of the show will be distributed in the children's backpack as soon as I get them. Let's keep the talent show spirit alive!

- Randi Weiss and Jenn Genser

Camp Out

The West Side Camp out will be held on June 6th on the West Side lawn. Set up begins at 2:00. Bring your tents, sleeping bags, chairs, snacks, and guitars! A BBQ dinner and s'mores will be served in the evening as well a light continental breakfast in the morning. There will also be a movie shown on the lawn at nighttime. Be on the lookout for the Punchbowl evite and remember to RSVP with the number of adults and children attending, and whether or not you'll be staying for the BBQ and breakfast.

6th Grade Graduation Party

Attention 6th Grade Parents: The deadline for RSVP to the 6th Grade Graduation Party is here. If you were unable to send in your response cards by today 5/15, please RSVP via email to Lolita Reichbach at gorgesborg@aol.com. She will note your response and, if attending, wait for your check via mail. If you have already sent in your RSVP, we appreciate it. Thank You!

Staff Appreciation Luncheon

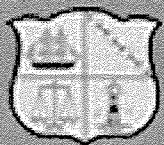
On Tuesday, May 5th, our beloved West Side Staff enjoyed a luncheon in their honor held in the community room. Our staff enjoyed delicious foods, desserts and drinks. The personal notes of thanks written by our children were especially touching! Our sincere gratitude to the many parents who volunteered and made the event so memorable. Special thanks to Dana Lynch for coordinating with Kids Care and organizing the note-writing. Sincerely, Liz Franklin & Nicole Boutis

Upcoming Events

5th Grade Maturation	Tuesday, May 19 th & Thursday, May 21 st
Budget Vote	Tuesday, May 19 th from 6:00 AM – 10:00 PM at the CSHHS Field House
Ed Tech Showcase	Tuesday, May 19 th from 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM at the CSHHS new gym
3rd Grade International Day	Wednesday, May 20 th at 1:00 PM in the gym
Memorial Day – No School	Monday, May 25 th
West Side Wednesday	Wednesday, May 27 th (Wear your West Side clothing!)
5th & 6th Grade Spring Concert	Thursday, May 28 th at 7:00 PM at the PAC
Field Day & Art Show	Friday, May 29 th 10:00 – 11:15 (Grades 2 – 5); 1:00 – 2:30 (Grade 6) Field Day Opening Ceremony begins at 9:10 AM.

Attachments from the School

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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 first hand what's happening in Cold Spring Harbor classrooms today!

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

**Participate in many
student-run exhibitions, including:**

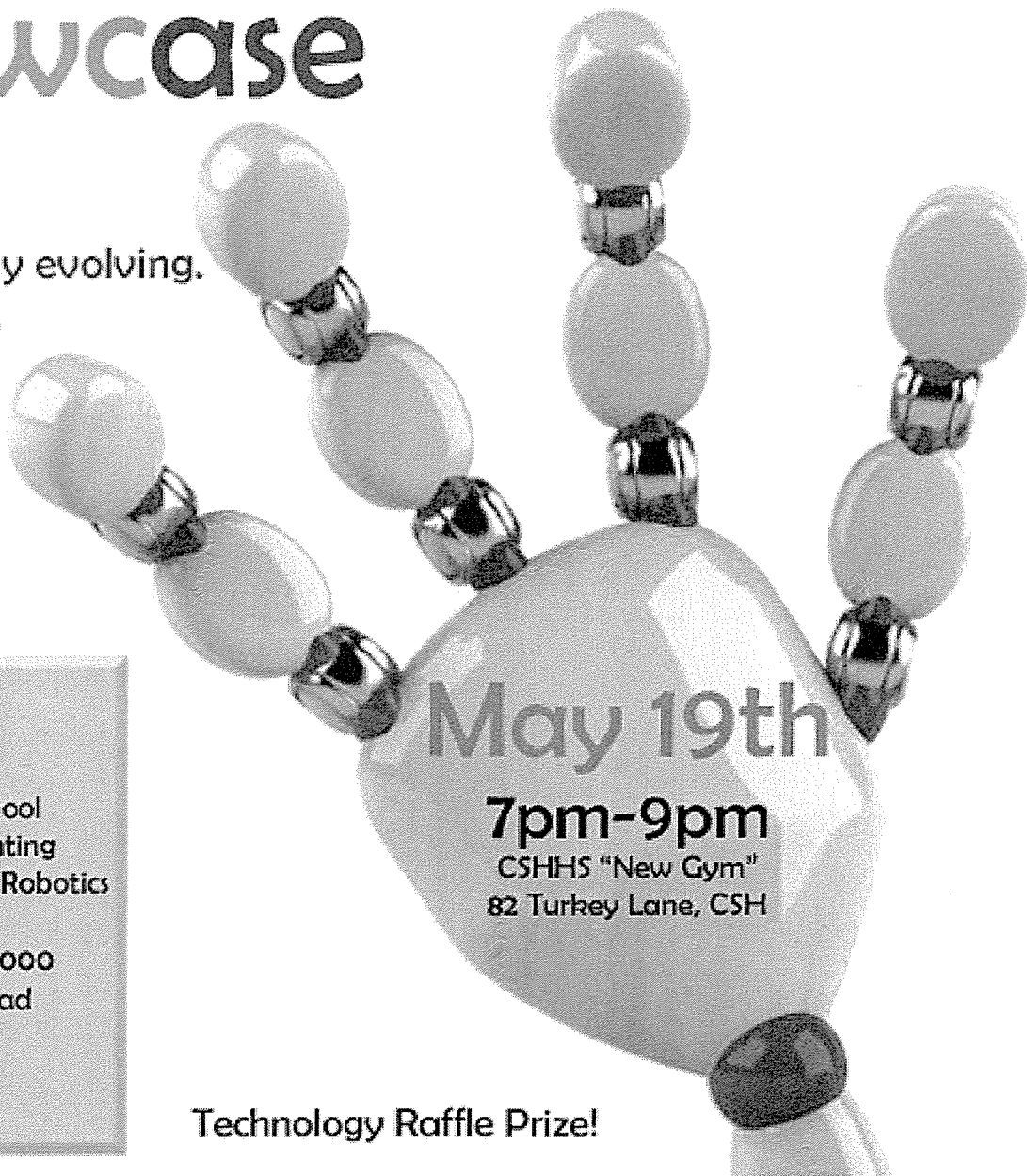
Robotics - Elementary through High School
3-D Engineering CAD Software / 3-D Printing
Gateway to Technology using Lego and VEX Robotics
eSpark Personalized Learning
Differentiating Instruction with Achieve 3000
LightSail: Interactive Reading on the iPad
Virtual Enterprise
3-D Animation
and many more!

May 19th

7pm-9pm

CSHHS "New Gym"
82 Turkey Lane, CSH

Technology Raffle Prize!



EAST WOODS SPRING FAIR CARNIVAL

31 YELLOW COTE ROAD, OYSTER BAY

MAY 16TH 11AM - 9PM *OPEN LATE

MAY 17TH 11AM - 5PM

EAT



Join us for fabulous array of food provided
by NYC Gourmet Food Trucks

Sweet Chili*Waffles & Dinges* Dub Pies * Toun
Eat Me Drink Me * The Morris Truck * Cool Haus

SHOP



Visit our Vendor Sale for trendy and fun boutiques
or our Estate Sale for special and incredible vintage
finds!

PLANT



Our Gazebo Plant sale has plenty of annunals and
perrenials for your spring planting!

PLAY



Games, Rides, Crafts - Fun for all ages!
Family fun open until 9pm on Saturday!

For more info: www.eastwoods.org/springfair or 516.922.4400

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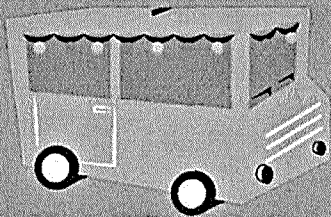
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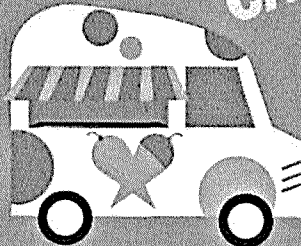
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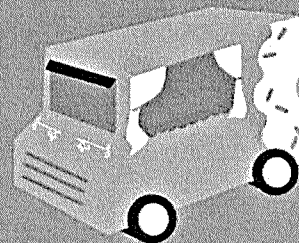
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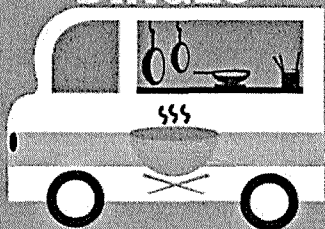
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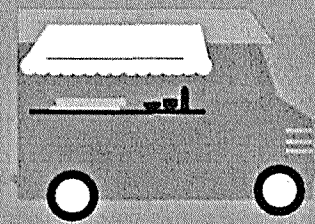
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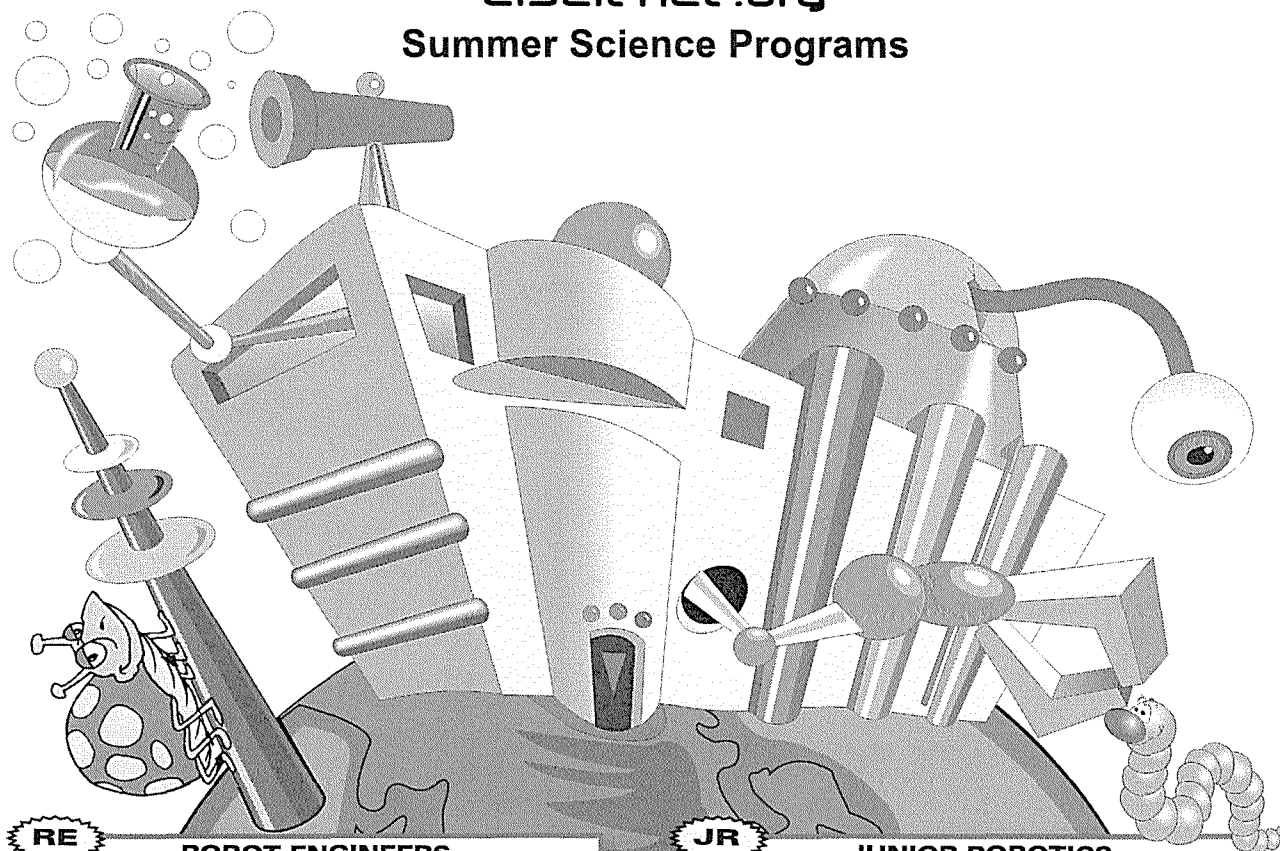
FOR MORE INFO CALL 516 922 4400

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Science Enhancement Opportunities

LiScience.org

Summer Science Programs

**RE****ROBOT ENGINEERS**

Discover the science of robots! Learn how different robots work and use their components to explore what is around them. Use your engineering skills to build a working robot to take home! (Children entering grades 3-6)

JR**JUNIOR ROBOTICS**

This introduction to robotics explores basic circuitry, mechanical science, and robot building. Each camper works daily on a robot to bring home at the end of the week! (Children entering grades K-3)

FS**FORENSIC SCIENCE**

Focus on the science of forensics in this hands-on look at crime scenes! Collect evidence, recreate a crime scene, and identify suspects as you learn the science of sleuthing. (Children entering grades 2-6)

FA**FLIGHT ACADEMY**

Explore the aerodynamics of birds, kites and rockets! All week long you will build flying machines as you explore Newton's laws of motion. (Children entering grade K-4)

DA**DETECTIVE ACADEMY**

Step into the shoes of a detective as you explore the tools detectives use to uncover crimes! Learn about spy equipment and discover the technological tools of detection. (Children entering grades 2-6)

NASA**NASA - SPACE EXPLORERS**

Learn about the four forces of flight, the challenges of space travel, and participate in a rocket launch in this hands-on space exploration camp. (Children entering grades 2-6)

SIM**SCIENCE IN MOTION**

Learn the science of engineering as we discover what machines and nature have in common. Build structures and discover how animals move and use simple machines as you run a crazy obstacle course. (Entering grades K-4)

AR**ADVANCED ROBOTICS**

Learn about how different robots operate. Put your robotic knowledge to the test! Use your skills to build your very own Robotic Arm to take home! (Children entering grades 3-6)

R&R**ROBOTS & REACTIONS**

Work with robots and create chemical reactions as we uncover the nuts and bolts of the universe. Each camper builds a working robot to take home! (Children entering grades 2-5)

CCW**CRAZY CHEMWORKS**

Get your goggles ready to handle real lab equipment and experiment with chemical changes. Explore the microscopic world of molecules as we discover states of matter! (Children entering grades 2-6)

EUR**EUREKA!**

Using a little help from some famous inventors, along with their own ingenuity, children will overcome a series of challenges using some basic materials. They will use their minds to come up with inventive ways to use simple machines, create forts, working light sticks, and even catapults! (Children entering grades 1-6)

For day-by-day descriptions
and more information visit
www.LiScience.org
516-300-1147

SUMMER SCIENCE

Enroll for 1, 2 ... Up to 9 Weeks!

For Grades K to 6

HALF-DAY: 9:00am to 12:00pm

FULL-DAY: 9:00am to 3:30pm



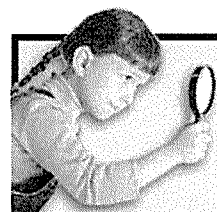
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PRICING (might be higher at some partner locations)	EARLY BIRD Before June 1st	REGULAR PRICE After May 31st
HALF-DAY - 5 days	\$239	\$255
HALF-DAY (if only 4 days are offered)	\$199	\$205
FULL DAY - 5 days	\$339	\$355
FULL DAY (if only 4 days are offered)	\$275	\$295

ADDITIONAL fees for ROBOTS CAMPS (already included online)	HALF DAY	FULL DAY
JUNIOR ROBOTICS	\$20	\$30
ROBOTS & REACTIONS	\$25	\$35
ROBOT ENGINEERS	\$35	\$45
ADVANCED ROBOTICS	\$45	\$55

CAMP THEME	ENTERING GRADE (as of Sept. 2015)
EUR = Eureka : Inventor's Camp	1 - 6
NASA = NASA Space Explorers	2 - 6
DA = Detective Academy	2 - 6
FS = Forensic Science	2 - 6
FA = Flight Academy	K - 4
CCW = Crazy Chemworks	2 - 6
SIM = Science in Motion	K - 4
R&R = Robots & Reactions	2 - 5
JR = Junior Robotics	K - 3
RE = Robot Engineers	3 - 6
AR = Advanced Robotics	3 - 6

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For details, other locations or to register go to

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WEEKLY – Full & Half-Day Science Camps

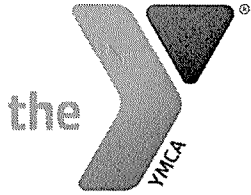
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Ages K-5th, Teens & C.I.T.'s

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Students will enjoy working on all aspects of a production, acting, set design, singing and dancing. Other classes also include: Sign & Song, Hip Hop, Jazz, Tap, Irish Step, Fitness and other specials. Recreational swim, water slides and trips also included. Performance is held at a school auditorium the third Thursday night of each session.

Session 1 & 2

Morning classes will be held at Goose Hill Primary at 75 Goose Hill Rd. CSH. After lunch students are bused to the YMCA for afternoon classes and pick up.

Session 3 Is held at the Huntington YMCA.

- Before , After Care and transportation is available.
- Session 1 & 2 students can be dropped off at the YMCA for transportation.
- More details: edie.cafiero@ymcali.org



Huntington YMCA
60 Main St Huntington NY 11743 www.ymcaali/hunt.org

- 631-421-4242 ext. 132

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

NARCAN Training

Wednesday, May 20th 7pm

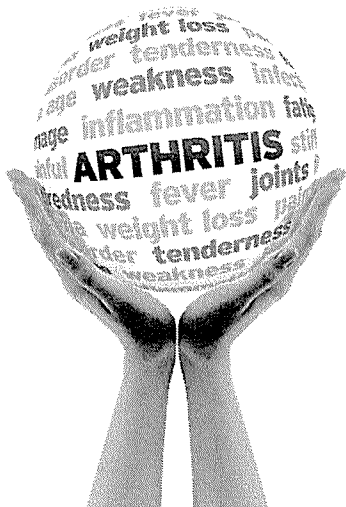
Participants will learn to recognize the signs of an Opioid overdose, attempt rescue breathing and how to administer a medication called Naloxone or Narcan that can reverse the fatal effects of an overdose on Heroin or prescription painkillers to save a person's life.

No prior medical experience is necessary to participate in the training. All trainees above age 18 will receive a kit.

Call for more information or to register for the program.

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***



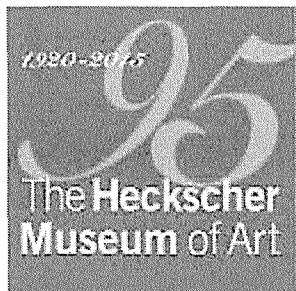
Arthritis & You

Tuesday, May 19 at 7pm

A North Shore-LIJ physician will discuss the types of arthritis, pain remediation, treatment plans, and what you can do to slow the progression of the disease that afflicts people of all ages. Q&A to follow.

Advance registration is requested.

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



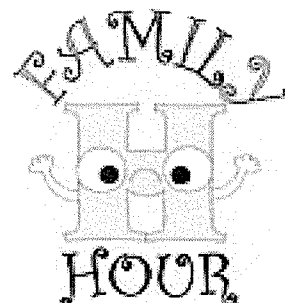
HECKSCHER FAMILY HOUR

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 Stettheimer, *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

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\$40 per person

*Price includes class, book and
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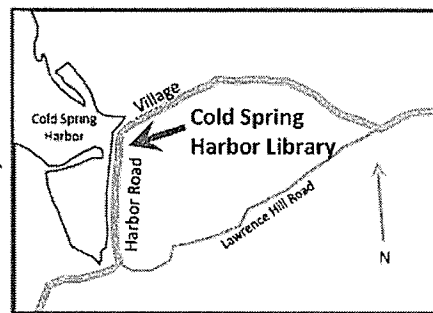
Saturday, May 16th 10 am to 5 pm

Saturday, June 13th 10 am to 5 pm

Reservations required: cgauxcsh@gmail.com

**Cold Spring
Harbor Library**
And Environmental Center

95 Harbor Road,
Cold Spring Harbor



Field Day 2015
Schedule
Friday, May 29th



Opening Ceremonies

Including class parade & sportsmanship relays

Begin at **9:10**

2nd Grade – 5th Grade Field Day Activities

Assisted by our 6th graders

10:00-11:15

BBQ Lunch for Students

Provided by our PTG

6th Grade Field Day Activities

1:00-2:30

We are looking forward to a spirited West Side Field Day. Please remember the day is designed for the students to be able to demonstrate their skills, cooperation and team spirit.



West Side Art Show also on May 29th

During Field Day

Artwork will be on display in the 5th & 6th grade hallway.

Please stop in during or after Field Day festivities.