



Goosehill Primary School

Weekly Notes- June 10, 2016

Dear Parents,

Next week (Tuesday, June 14th) I will present a workshop for parents on ways to encourage and support reading over the summer. **Here are just a few of the ideas we will discuss:**

- 📖 The best predictor of summer loss or summer gain is whether or not a child reads during the summer. Just 15 minutes a day can make a huge difference for a young reader.
- 📖 Children don't just need books...*they need the right books*— books that match their skill levels and their interests. High-success reading is essential. If a child struggles to read a book, it won't be fun. If reading isn't fun, a child will do everything s/he can to avoid it! Find books that are "comfortable" for your child, where s/he has to stop to decode only a few words in the whole book. Let him/her choose books and magazines that interest him/her. Joke and riddle books are great options for reluctant readers. They provide immediate gratification—*they make people laugh!* Children are more likely to become lifelong readers when reading is pleasurable. Find what your child likes and build from there.
- 📖 Visit the public library – often. Your library can often serve as the best resource to keep your child reading over the summer. One of the Cold Spring Harbor Librarians will visit our classes on Thursday to tell the students about the library's Summer Reading Club. Check your child's HW folder for the flyer describing the program and inviting them to the Kick Off event.
- 📖 Explore online reading sites for young readers. For example, www.storylineonline.net is a free site (sponsored by the Screen Actors Guild) featuring actors who creatively read books aloud. Your child can continue to use Raz-Kids at home. Try other sites, such as Starfall.com.
- 📖 Most importantly, read aloud to your child regularly. Reading aloud to your child builds comprehension, vocabulary, and a love of reading. It is the single most effective way to promote your child's success in school. At the workshop, I will present specific strategies that will help you strengthen your child's reading ability by reading aloud in an intentional way.



Have a wonderful weekend!

Mrs. Herschlein

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DATES TO REMEMBER

June 14th First graders attend Symbols of America performance at the CSHHS PAC

June 17th First Grade Moving Up Day Ceremonies

Katz & GC 9:00-10:00

DeRop, Riggles, Villa 10:30-11:30

June 21st Half Day of School 12:00 dismissal

June 22nd Half Day of School 12:00 dismissal

June 23rd Last Day of School 10:30 a.m. dismissal

*****Please remember that bus stop changes are not permitted on half days of school.**

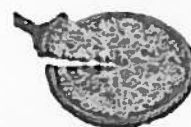
ATTENTION KINDERGARTEN PARENTS-

There will be **no cafeteria service on Friday, June 17th**. All kindergarten students must bring a bag lunch.



ATTENTION FIRST GRADE PARENTS-

Friday, June 17th is Moving Up Day It is a full day of school. First graders will enjoy a pizza luncheon and other festivities, courtesy of the GPFA.



FIRST GRADE LUNCHEON INFORMATION

The first graders will have a pizza luncheon in the afternoon with their classes. If you do not want your child to have the pizza lunch, please send a note as soon as possible and a bag lunch to school on Moving Up Day. The children will also be offered an ice for dessert. If you do not want your child to have the dessert, please send in an alternate treat. If it is a frozen treat, please contact me so that we can arrange refrigeration.

GPFA UPDATES

Moving Up Day Photos- First grade parents, please send in a 4x6 baby photo of your child ASAP if you have not already done so. The photos will be part of a special display for their Moving Up Day celebration - don't miss out! Please send in the photo through your child's folder in an envelope marked with your child's name and class to the attention of Bessi Mavronicolas. Email Bessi with any questions at bessima@yahoo.com.

School Supplies- The deadline for ordering school supplies is less than two weeks away! We have again teamed up with A. Hartz Pack To School to offer you online ordering of school supply packets for the 2016-2017 school year. This hassle-free program saves you time and money and guarantees that your child will have all of the teacher-approved school supplies needed for the new school year. To order your packet, visit <http://www.ahartzpacktoschool.com> and select your district, school and grade for the *next* school year. It's that easy! **For those entering Kindergarten or First Grade, be sure to purchase your GPFA dues when you order - You need to order one GPFA dues per family for your order to be processed.** (For students moving on to West Side or Lloyd Harbor School, you will order one PTG dues per family). ***Orders must be placed by June 22nd.*** Feel free to email Augusta Melendez with any questions at augustamelendez@gmail.com.

Yearbooks- Yearbook orders are due! If you are interested in purchasing a yearbook for your child, simply complete the order form that was sent home and return it along with a payment of \$30 ASAP. Checks can be made payable to the GPFA. Email Mel Saladino with any questions at mel.saladino@yahoo.com.

Important Dates for Next Year- While we all have summer on our minds, planning is already underway for the 2016-17 school year! Mark your calendars for the following upcoming dates. The Welcome Back Picnic will take place **Friday, September 9th from 4:30-6:30pm** and the Parents' Night Out fundraiser will be **Monday, November 7th from 7-10pm**.

Box Tops and Labels for Education- Even though school is out in the summer, you can still raise money for Goosehill! Put your kids to work clipping Box Tops and Labels for Education over the summer months and send them in once the school year begins. Thanks!

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

Father's Day Scribble Mugs

Monday, June 13 @ 4:30 pm

For children in Grades 3 - 6

Decorate a special Father's Day Mug
for your favorite grown up guy!



Father's Day Mouse Pad

Tuesday, June 14 @ 4:30 pm

For children in Grades K-2

Add some color and style to Dad's
office by making a decorative mouse pad!



Father's Day Cards

Thursday, June 16 @ 11:00 am

For children in ages 2-5

Choose from a variety
of supplies and create a unique
card to give to Dad this year!

Mix it up Mayhem

Friday June 17 @ 3:30 pm

For children of all ages

Make some cool crafts you might
have missed!

Sensory Storytime

Wednesday, June 15 @ 11:00 am

For children in ages 2-5 with adult

Join us in this inclusive program for a sensory enriching
experience where we will read stories, sing songs dance with
instruments and play with some sensory stations.

Children's Summer Reading Club Kick off Carnival

Thursday, June 23, from 5:00-7:00 Rain date: Friday, June 24)



Children's Summer Reading Club

Monday, June 27 - Friday, August 19 from 5:00-7:00 pm

Registration begins at the Summerfest Kickoff on p.m.

(and is ongoing throughout the summer.



Record reading time and book titles to win tokens to redeem for prizes. Going away
this summer? Come in to register and pick up time sheets before you go. Return them
by Friday, August 19 to receive tokens and prizes

NEW! All Stars Reading Club - for pre-readers ages 2 and up. Each week bring in your
list of books that have been read to you to pick up the prize of the week.

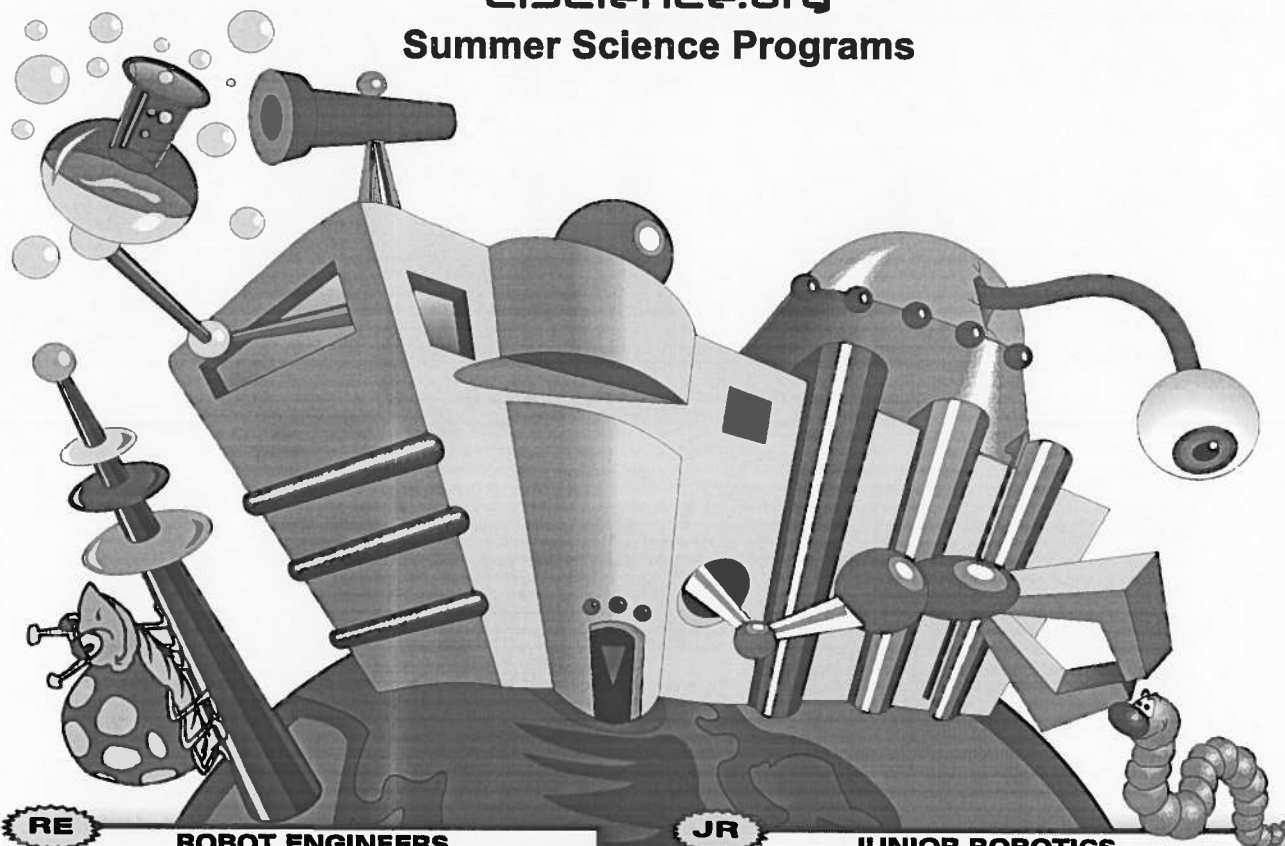
For more information about any Kids Or Teen Programs, contact a Youth Services Librarian at the
Cold Spring Harbor Library 631-692-6820

SEO

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)

BRIX

BRIXOLOGY

NEW!

Using LEGO® bricks children will build different engineering-themed projects every day. They will explore the mechanical, structural, aerospace, nautical, and bioengineering fields, and participate in collaborative engineering challenges to solve real-world problems. Each day they will take home an educational toy to reinforce each concept. (Children entering grades 2-6)

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



SUMMER SCIENCE

Enroll for 1, 2 ... Up to 10 Weeks!
For Children Entering Grades K to 6

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

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

NASSAU LOCATIONS		SUMMER 2016																			
		Week 1		Week 2		Week 3		Week 4		Week 5		Week 6		Week 7		Week 8		Week 9		Week 10	
		8/27 - 7/1		7/8 - 7/8		7/15 - 7/15		7/22 - 7/22		7/29 - 7/29		8/5 - 8/5		8/12 - 8/12		8/19 - 8/19		8/26 - 8/26		9/2 - 9/2	
	Duration	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM	AM	PM
CARLE PLACE	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	BRIX		CCW		DA		R&R		NASA		JR		SIM		RE		FS		AR	
CARLE PLACE	Full-Day 9:00-3:00							R&R				JR				AR				AR	
FARMINGDALE	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	AR		NASA		CCW		RE		BRIX				JR				SIM			
GARDEN CITY	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	CCW				JR				DA		AR		RE		R&R		NASA		FS	
MASSAPEQUA	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	SIM		FS		AR		CCW		RE		DA		FS		AR		FA		BRIX	
MASSAPEQUA	Full-Day 9:00-3:00					AR				RE						AR					
MERRICK Temple Israel South Merrick	Half-Day 9:00-11:00	BRIX				SIM		AR		FS		NASA		FA		CCW		DA			
MERRICK	Half-Day 12:30-3:30									BRIX		BRIX									
NEW HYDE PARK	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	R&R		FA		RE		BRIX		JR		SIM		AR		DA		R&R		RE	
NEW HYDE PARK	Full-Day 9:00-3:00			R&R				RE		JR				AR				R&R		RE	
OLD BETHPAGE	Half-Day 9:00-12:00					R&R				JR				RE		BRIX		SIM		CCW	
OLD BETHPAGE	Full-Day 9:00-3:00					R&R				JR				RE							
PORT WASHINGTON Port Washington Jewish Ctr	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	R&R				DA		BRIX		JR		SIM		NASA		R&R		FS			
PORT WASHINGTON Port Washington Jewish Ctr	Full-Day 9:00-3:00			R&R						JR						R&R					
RYONSSET MATSU Kids Gym	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	RE		JR		FS		FA		SIM		CCW		R&R		NASA		BRIX		JR	
WANTAGH St. Francis De Chantal Church - Mosaic School	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	FA		SIM		R&R		NASA		AR						BRIX		RE		DA	
WANTAGH St. Francis De Chantal Church - Mosaic School	Full-Day 9:00-3:00					R&R				AR								RE			
SUFFOLK LOCATIONS		Week 1		Week 2		Week 3		Week 4		Week 5		Week 6		Week 7		Week 8		Week 9		Week 10	
	Duration	8/27 - 7/1		7/8 - 7/8		7/15 - 7/15		7/22 - 7/22		7/29 - 7/29		8/5 - 8/5		8/12 - 8/12		8/19 - 8/19		8/26 - 8/26		9/2 - 9/2	
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BLUE POINT	Half-Day 9:00-12:00			DA																	
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MILLER PLACE	Half-Day 9:00-12:00					FA		DA													
PORT JEFFERSON STATION North Shore Jewish Ctr	Half-Day 9:00-12:00	DA				BRIX				R&R		FA		CCW		FS		JR			
SHOREHAM	Half-Day 9:00-12:00							FS		FA		R&R				JR					
SHOREHAM	Full-Day 9:00-3:00											R&R				JR					

* MOST PROGRAMS ARE MONDAY TO FRIDAY FROM 9AM-12PM OR 9AM-3PM UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED IN COLOR *

PRICING (might be higher at some partner locations)		EARLY BIRD Before May 31st	REGULAR PRICE After May 31st
HALF-DAY - 5 days		\$240	\$280
HALF-DAY (if only 4 days are offered)		\$195	\$210
FULL DAY - 5 days		\$340	\$380
FULL DAY (if only 4 days are offered)		\$280	\$300

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

4 DAY CAMPS	
WEEK 2: All camps are 4 days this week due to the holiday (Tuesday to Friday)	
GARDEN CITY: All camp weeks are 4 days Mon-Thur (9am-12pm) NO EARLY BIRD AVAILABLE	
MILLER PLACE: All camp weeks are 4 days Mon-Thur (9am-12pm)	

CAMP THEME	ENTERING GRADE (as of Sept. 2016)
BRIX = Bridgeology	2-5
NASA = NASA Space Explorers	2-5
DA = Detective Academy	2-5
FS = Forensic Science	2-5
FA = Flight Academy	2-5
CCW = Crazy Chemistry	2-5
SR = Science in Motion	2-5
R&R = Robots & Reactions	2-5
JR = Junior Robotics	2-5
RE = Robot Engineers	2-5
AR = Advanced Robotics	2-5

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For details, other locations or to register go to

www.LiScience.org

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WEEKLY - Full & Half-Day Science Camps

Camp Weeks Starting at

\$195

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Daily take home
projects for all themes
Visit our website for other
locations and day-by-day
camp descriptions