



The Friday Notes





Our 226th Season
June 3, 2016

Principal's Corner

This year, several of our FLES students participated in the first annual Virtual Video Contest sponsored by the New York State Association of Foreign Language Teachers. Each one of these students worked tirelessly to compete with other students from around New York State to demonstrate their Spanish speaking (and sometimes singing) skills. Congratulations to all of our West Side students for their hard work and efforts in competing in this state-wide contest! Participants were: Graham Lynch, Finnegan Moriarty, Sutton Stella, Megan Jasinski, Alexandra Pultz, Isabelle Apostolakos and Bryce Kipnes. In addition to their participation, these students earned first place in this contest: In the category of Song: Graham Lynch, Finnegan Moriarty, and Sutton Stella. In the category of Poetry Recitation: Alexandra Pultz. In the category of Authentic Speaking: Isabelle Apostolakos. Thank you to Mr. Homer and the CSH SWWAT (Students Waging War on Tobacco) Team who came to West Side on Tuesday to speak to our 5th and 6th graders about the negative impacts of tobacco and alcohol. On Wednesday, our 4th graders took the NYS Science Performance Test and will finish with state testing Monday morning with the written portion of the exam. Also on Wednesday, our 6th graders took their annual trip to St. John the Divine and the Cloisters. Thank you to all of our parents who attended. This week our 6th graders began their transition to 7th grade as they visited the junior high school. Thank you to Mr. Monastero and the staff for accommodating our students.

NYS Science Testing – Grade 4

The NYS Science Written Test will be administered on June 6th. 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**

ELA Field Testing – Grade 6

A critical part of the test development process is the field testing of questions in schools throughout the State in order to ensure the validity and reliability of the New York State Testing Program. This year the field test will be administered to our 6th grade students on June 7, in the area of ELA. Please encourage your child to do their best and ensure they are well-rested on testing day!

Field Day Rescheduled

Field Day and the Art Show will take place next Wednesday, June 8th from 9:10 – 11:15. The Sports Equipment tag sale will also take place during that time.

Playground Update

Mulch for our playground is scheduled to be delivered at the end of next week. I know our kids are excited to get back out on the equipment. Thank you for your patience.



West Side Run

Congratulations to all who participated in this year's West Side Run! We had 254 runners come out despite the wet weather to share in this fantastic day!! A huge thank you to our committee members: Ted Hilton, Scott Bowden, Carol Solinger, Jack Sergi, Nancy Fastuca and Ana Shammah who are an amazing team!! Thank you to our wonderful custodial staff who set-up and cleaned up in record time. Thank you to Mr. Simon for his tremendous support of this great event. Thank you to all the teachers both past and present who helped with registration, timing, medals and clean up: Mea Sergi, Nancy Hennegan, Linda Souprios, Margaret Diehl, Bonnie Dawkins, Jim Farmer, Kim Villa, Debbie Levesque, Bill Arloff, Julie Glass and Elsie Bowden. We couldn't have the event without them! We also had an amazing turn out of student volunteers. Many thanks to the girls High School Track Team. Thanks to all the volunteers who helped out. A special note of thanks to our Family and Business Sponsors whose generous support help make West Side School so great! – Cat Bauer

Yearbooks

There are a few yearbooks remaining. If you want to purchase a yearbook please send a check payable to WSS-PTG for \$30 and send the check to Ingrid Wright 103 Cherry Lane Syosset, NY 11791. Send the check in ASAP because there are only a few books left.

Camp Out

Come join other West Side families for loads of fun and enjoy some quality family time! Set up begins at 3pm on Saturday, June 4th. Games and activities will begin at 4:30pm. There will be a BBQ of hamburgers and hot dogs and a campfire with s'mores! At nighttime there will be a movie shown on a large screen on the lawn. We will also be serving freshly popped popcorn. Coffee, bagels and juice will be served Sunday morning for our sleepover guests. Bring your tents, sleeping bags, chairs, flashlights, and bug spray! Also, do not forget to pack plenty of snacks and beverages for your family. Please RSVP to the punchbowl invite sent with comment indicating the number of adults and children attending and if you are staying for dinner and breakfast. If you have any questions, please feel free to reach out to Allison Monaco amonaco400@gmail.com

2016-2017 WSS-PTG Board

Ana Shammah (President), **Michelle Rampi** (VP Committees), **Ann Tucker** (Parent Communications Coordinator), **Edina Bobelian** (Treasurer) and **Iris Vardy** (Secretary)

School Supplies

Buy Next Year's School Supplies! We have teamed up with A.Hartz Pack To School again 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(ren) will have all the teacher-approved school supplies needed for the new school year. To order your packet(s), click on the link below to select your school district, school and grade(s) for next school year. It's that easy! Get your orders in by June 22nd!

Be sure to buy your PTG dues when you order. You need to order 1 PTG dues per family, per school where you have children attending for your order to be processed. If all of your children attend the same school then only one dues payment is required per family. <http://www.ahartzpacktoschool.com/>

Please feel free to call with any questions: Jill DeMarco, 917-912-5102, jed1273@yahoo.com

Recess Volunteers

If you would like to volunteer at recess during the 2015/2016 school year, please contact Lauren Jasinski at WestSideRecess@gmail.com, if you have not added your name to the Recess Committee sign-up sheet already.

Upcoming Events

Camp Out	Saturday, June 4 th at WSS
NYS Science Written Test	Monday, June 6 th
6th Gr Trip: Quetzacoatl	Monday, June 6 th
4th Gr Spring Concert	Tuesday, June 7 th at 7:00 PM in the West Side Gym
Field Day & Art Show	Wednesday, June 8 th at 9:10 AM
3rd Gr Trip: Vanderbilt Planetarium	Thursday, June 9 th
6th Gr Trip: Camp Coleman	Thursday, June 9 th
Ellis Island Day	Friday, June 10 th
Journalism Club Field Trip to SBU	Monday, June 13 th
Unity Dance at CSHHS	Monday, June 13 th from 6:00 – 9:00 PM
2nd Grade Symbols of America	Tuesday, June 14 th at 9:45 AM at the PAC
Board of Ed Meeting	Tuesday, June 14 th at 8:00 PM at District Office

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Field Day 2016
Schedule
Wednesday June 8th



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 June 8th

During Field Day

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

Please stop in during or after Field Day festivities.

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4th Grade Spring Concert
Tuesday, June 7th
West Side School Gym

All students must report as listed below:

Orchestra: 6:15 to Stage

Band: 6:15 to Band Room

Chorus: 6:40 to Cafeteria

*Performance will begin promptly at 7:00 PM

Concert attire for all students:

Our typical formal concert attire is expected – white button downs or blouses and black pants or skirts.

Sneakers and t-shirts are not permitted. High heels are not permitted for safety reasons.

Additional notice for all orchestra and band students:

Band: Bring instruments, binders (complete with music), cleaning or oiling supplies, and reeds

Orchestra: Bring instruments, music, rosin, and rock stops

Parents should meet their children after the performance in the airplane wing.

Thank you,

Mrs. Heather Daniels-Rosenblatt, Mrs. Susan Kleiner, and Mrs. Leah Martin

Schedule for Last Week of School

Mon, June 20th Full day of school for grades K – 6

Tues, June 21st Noon dismissal (No lunch served)

Wed, June 22nd Noon dismissal (No lunch served)

Thurs, June 23rd Last day of school – 10:30 dismissal
(No lunch served)

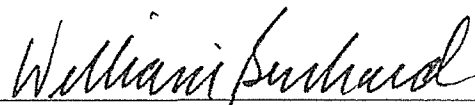
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COLD SPRING HARBOR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
75 Goose Hill Road, Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

**** PLEASE POST ****

Please be advised that a regular meeting of the Board of Education will take place on June 14, 2016, at 6:30 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 8:00 p.m.

At 8:00 p.m., the Board of Education will reconvene its public meeting to discuss Board Agenda items appropriate for Public Session, pursuant to the Open Meetings Law.



William Bernhard, District Clerk

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**** PLEASE POST ****

Please be advised that a meeting of the Cold Spring Harbor Audit Committee will take place on June 24, 2016, at 8:30 a.m. at The Francis Roberts Community Center.



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Councilwoman Susan A. Berland invites you to be a “Fisherman” for a day!

30 Winners between the ages of 7 to 13 will spend the afternoon of
Tuesday August 9, 2016

On a Fishing Charter boat learning the “Tricks of the Trade” from
The Suffolk County Senior Citizens Fishing Club &
The Imperial Sportsmen Club of Long Island!

Send us your best-written essay telling us why YOU should be one of the lucky
“catches” of the day!

In Your Essay, be sure to include:

- 1) Why you want to spend the day on the water.
- 2) Why you think it’s important to protect the fish and their habitat.

**ESSAYS MUST BE TYPED AND SHOULD INCLUDE YOUR NAME, AGE, ADDRESS AND
HOME TELEPHONE NUMBER**



Submission deadline is **FRIDAY, JUNE 24th, 2016.**
Lunch will be provided by Almarco Italian Grill on New York Avenue

Please address submissions to:

**Councilwoman Susan A. Berland
“Fisherman for a Day” Contest
Huntington Town Hall
100 Main Street
Huntington, NY 11743**



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COUNCILWOMAN

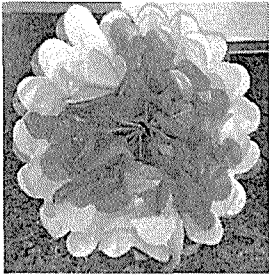
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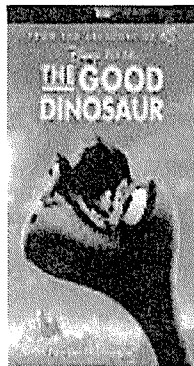
For Kids & Teens! Programs from Cold Spring Harbor Library's Youth Services Department. Registration Required!



Tissue Paper flowers
 Monday, June 6 @ 4:30 pm
 For children in Grades K-6
 Create your own giant tissue paper flowers!

Sunshine Storytime
 Friday, June 10 @ 10:30 am
 For children in ages 2-5
 Join us for stories and crafts filled with Sunshine!

Snack & a Movie
 Monday, May 31 @ 4:30 pm
 For children of all ages
 Come in for some prehistoric fun! We'll be showing
The Good Dinosaur
 (PG 100 min)



Little Scientists
 Tuesday, June 8 @ 2:00 pm
 For children ages 4-5
 Enjoy the wonderful world of science with books, and hands on activities



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 the Information Services Department

SIGNATURE EVENTS

Cold Spring Harbor Library
presents

Neal Stuart & The Empire State
 Sunday, June 5 at 2:30pm



Remember when you played your 45's, listened to your transistor radio, watched American Bandstand or Ed Sullivan and heard "Step-by-Step," "Sixteen Candles," and "The Worst That Could Happen"? Neal Stuart and The Empire State will present a heartfelt tribute to Johnny Maestro and his music. Bring the whole family!

Free and open to all. Advance registration required.



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

Lasting Legacy Field Hockey Club Cold Spring Harbor Junior Seahawks

Summer Program 2016

LEARN TO PLAY LIKE AN INTERNATIONAL PLAYER



GRADES 3 - 6

Tuesday Nights

July 5th, 12th, 19th, 26th August 2nd, 9th

**Cold Spring Harbor High School Upper Turf Field
5:30pm - 7:00pm**



The Summer Clinic Program is designed to teach players a variety of skills used by international field hockey players in a fun and nurturing environment.

Sessions include dribbling, passing and receiving, and shot selection. Players will be introduced to 1v1 offensive and defensive skills with a gradual buildup to small-sided games.

Players will be coached by Cold Spring Harbor players who are members of Lasting Legacy's Nationally Ranked #8 club team.

Website: www.lastinglegacyfh.com

Inquiries: lastinglegacyfh@gmail.com

Lasting Legacy Field Hockey Club 501(c)(3) Corporation