

The Friday Notes

Celebrating 227 Years!
February 17, 2017

Principal's Corner

Congratulations to our students in grades four through six who read for over 46,000 minutes during our LightSail Reading Challenge. How incredible! Our top class was Ms. Scanlon's fifth graders and our top readers were Clara Masata, Giana Marino and Brooke Figueiredo. These students were recognized with certificates at morning assembly on Thursday. Special thanks to the PTG who also recognized our fourth and fifth graders at lunch today with ice pops. Both grades recorded over 16,000 minutes of reading! On Thursday, our second graders also celebrated the 100th day of school! Finally, to kick off our break on Friday, we welcomed Brian Heinz who gave a presentation to our West Siders in grades four through six. This presentation was followed by workshops for our fifth graders in their classrooms. Both presentations from this author focused on the writing process, and he shared his experiences traveling to the Canadian Rockies where he gathered research for numerous books. He also shared his encounters with wild animals including grizzly bears! Student Council ended our week with their last fundraiser of the month – Pajama Day. All participated and students raised money for Cohen's Children's Hospital.

Enjoy the break!

Kindergarten Registration

Kindergarten registration for all Cold Spring Harbor Central School District residents took place February 6-10, 2017. If you have a child who is age-eligible for kindergarten (must be 5 years of age on or before December 1, 2017), please notify the District Office by calling 631-367-5910. Please note: Children are not automatically enrolled in kindergarten. Each child must be registered with the district. Orientation for parents of registered kindergarten students entering school in September, 2017 will take place May 8, 2017 at 7 PM at Goosehill Primary School.



West Side Apparel

LAST CALL to place your orders for our West Side Apparel. Place your orders by March 1st. Please see flyer attached. Here is the link: <http://www.sync-sports.com/west-side>

Ice Skate Night

Ice Skate Night has been postponed to Sunday, March 12th from 6:30-8pm. A new evite will be sent. If you would like to donate baked goods for this event please contact Susan Goldstein at susan.goldstein@gmail.com or Kim Testa at kimberlyntesta@gmail.com

6th Grade Get-together

On March 24th from 12:30-2:00 (half day) there will be a sixth grade get together at West Side to make sandwiches for those in need. JoAnn Polichetti, the director at HiHi (Huntington Interfaith Homeless Initiative) will be coming to the event to give a brief description of what HiHi is all about and explain who will be on the receiving end of the children's generosity. What a great opportunity for our 6th graders! More information to follow.

Movie Night

Please join us for West Side School's movie night on Friday, March 24, 2017 at 5 p.m. We will be showing "Finding Dory." Enjoy pizza and popcorn while you watch a great movie with your friends. Dress in PJ's and don't forget your pillow! This event is for WSS students and their siblings only. Parental supervision is required for all attending-No Drops Offs Please. All WSS students will have a chance to win a raffle prize. Students must be in attendance in order to be eligible to win a prize. Any questions, please contact Rita McCarey at rmccarey@gmail.com. See you at the movie!

Literary Luncheon

Save the Date:The CSHHS Literary Luncheon will be on Wednesday, March 29th at the Huntington Country Club. We will feature Long Island author Regina Calcaterra and her best-selling memoir, 'Etched in Sand'. We are hoping to encourage members of the community to start reading now and to Save the Date! Please see flyer attached.

Yearbook

Get your pictures in the yearbook!-The Yearbook Staff invites students and parents to submit photos for the yearbook. If you've got great photos of school and community events or you and your friends just having fun, we'd like to see them. Our

photographers can't be everywhere. Help us get as many photos as possible to create a terrific book everyone will want to have.

Here is how you can submit photos online:

- Go to: <https://images.memoryebooks.com/login>
- If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: 406403601
- Browse to select the photo(s) you wish to upload.
- Enter information about the photo and provide contact information in case the staff needs additional information.
- Click "Save Details".

It's that easy! Submit your photos today! The last day to submit photos is 04/15/2017.

Recess Volunteers

If you would like to volunteer at recess during the 2016/2017 school year, please contact Lauren Jasinski at WestSideRecess@gmail.com.

Upcoming Events

Mid-Winter Recess	February 20 – 24
Student Return to School	Monday, February 27 th
PTG Meeting	Monday, March 6 th – 9:30 AM Community Room
Ice Skate Night	Sunday, March 12 th – 6:30 – 8:00 PM Syosset-Woodbury Rink

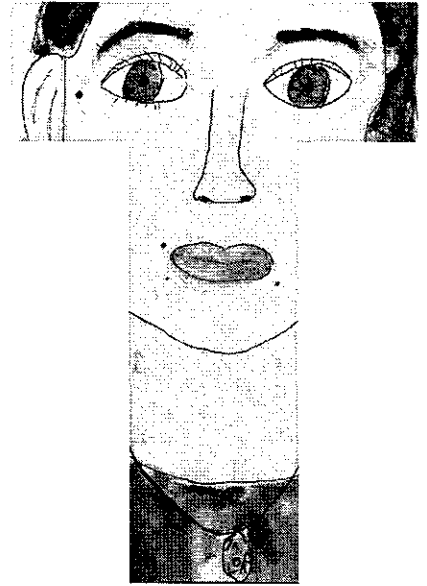
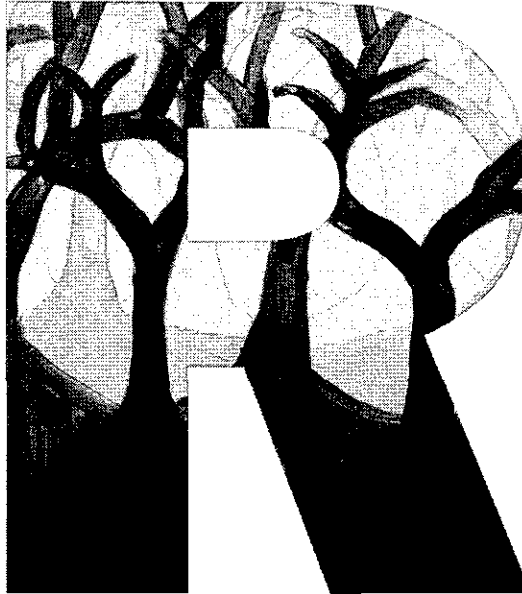
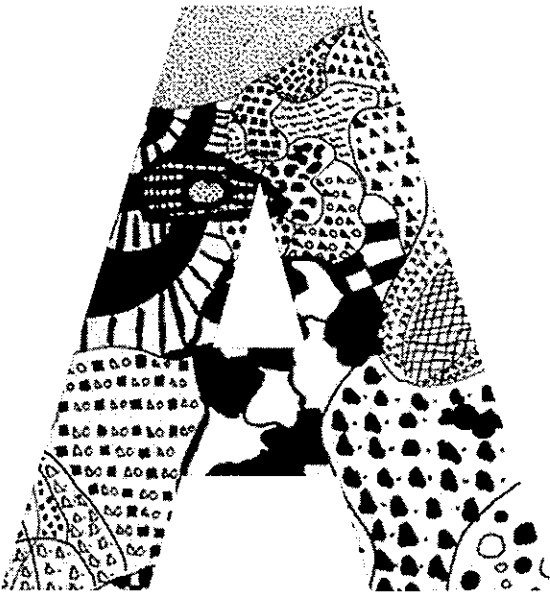
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The Cold Spring Harbor School District Presents...

The 2016/2017

Student



Exhibition

February 3rd-28th

in the
Cold Spring Harbor Public Library

Featuring selected student work - Grades 7-12

Reception: February 8th - 6:30-8:00 pm



West Side School

COLD SPRING HARBOR CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
1597 Laurel Hollow Road, Laurel Hollow, Syosset, NY 11791

(516) 692-7950 Health Office

Dear Parents and Students,

The cold and flu season is upon us and it is especially important to remind and show your children the importance of taking care of their bodies. We all must wash our hands thoroughly and often with soap and water. Suggest that they sing Happy Birthday twice while washing their hands. If they have a runny nose, are sneezing and/or coughing, remind them to use tissues, discard of the tissues promptly, cover their mouths with their elbow, keep their hands away from their faces and not share personal items like drinks, utensils or lip balm. If you have an open cut, washing it with soap and water and keeping it covered is the best protection.

As a reminder, children should stay home from school if:

- *Fever in the past 24 hours*
- *Vomiting in the past 24 hours*
- *Chills*
- *Strep Throat- must have been taking an antibiotic for at least 24 hours before returning to school*
- *Bad cold, with a very runny nose or bad cough, especially if it has kept the child awake at night*
- *Conjunctivitis (pink eye)- must have been receiving prescription eye drops for at least 24 hours before returning to school*

As always, proper nutrition, adequate rest and frequent hand washing will help keep them healthy.

Prevention is the best medicine.

Diana Marlow, RN

School Nurse

2017 POSTER CONTEST

In celebration of World Language Month, 6th graders will have an option to participate in the LILT Poster Contest. Each participating student will make a poster at home depicting our theme:

“MANY LANGUAGES, ONE HUMANITY”

In class, we brainstormed reasons why language learning is so important. We then created a rough draft of the drawing for our poster (see attached).

The guidelines for this project are as follows:

Due Date: Tuesday, March 7th

- Each poster must be created by only one student.
- Posters must measure on 18”x24” **oaktag** in “portrait” orientation >>



- Artistic media: **only** felt tips, water colors, oil or acrylic paints, pastels, colored pencils, Crayons™ or collages.
- The use of computer for graphics, lettering or designs is not permitted, nor are 3-Deffects.
- All work must be original. Figures, slogans, etc. protected by copyright are not permitted.
- The LILT Poster Contest Theme must appear in **English** on the poster. In addition, other languages may be used. **Any grammatical errors will disqualify the entry.**
- I will provide a label with your name to place on the back of your poster.
- Package the posters flat (not rolled or folded) and protected by a large plastic bag.

Helpful tips: Be creative and unique! Have fun!! 😊

If you have any questions, please email me at srivadenevra@csh.k12.ny.us or leave me a message in the school office.

Gracias,

Señorita Rivadeneyra

* In Lieu of LILT Language competition

*Not to be confused with 4th grade Poster contest, this competition does NOT get displayed on FLES folders.

ALL POSTERS BECOME THE PROPERTY OF LILT.

FLES (Foreign Language in the Elementary School) Poster Project

Creando vínculos entre el aula y la carrera

In celebration of World Language Month, we will be participating in a poster project. Each student will make a poster at home depicting our theme:

Creando vínculos entre el aula y la carrera
Creating links between the classroom and the career

In class, we brainstormed reasons why language learning is so important. We then created a rough draft of the drawing for our poster (see attached).
The guidelines for this project are as follows:

Due Date: Friday, March 10, 2017

Each poster must be created by only one student.

Posters must measure 12 X 18 inches.

Posters may be created by using pencils, crayons, pens, watercolors, paints, or markers.
MARKERS AND/OR PAINTS ARE PREFERRED. (NO GLITTER)

Any writing on the poster must be in **SPANISH**. No English, please.

The theme: "Creando vínculos entre el aula y la carrera" **must** appear on the poster.

Students should create a poster which applies to our theme.

Students may use a variety of artistic approaches to represent the theme.

Helpful tips: Be creative and unique! Have fun!! ☺

Package the posters flat (not rolled or folded) and protected by a large plastic bag.

If you have any questions, please email me at srivadeneyra@csh.k12.ny.us or leave me a message in the school office.

Gracias,

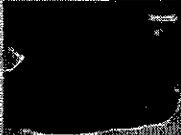
Señorita Rivadeneyra

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

Winter Fun @ the Library !!

<p>Snowman on the Beach Tuesday @ 2 pm For children in grades K-6</p>	<p>Afternoon Art: Macaroni Snowflakes Drop in any time Friday, @ 2-4 pm For children of all ages</p> 	<p>Winter Resist Art Wednesday @ 11 am For children of all ages</p> <p>Snacks & a Movie: The Secret Life of Pets Wednesday @ 2 pm For children of all ages (PG; 87 Min.)</p> 
<p>Breakfast and Books Thursday @ 10:30 am For children ages 2-5 with Adult</p>		

TEEN & IN BETWEEN
FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 5-12

<p style="text-align: center;">MOVIE</p> <p>Tuesday, February 12, 2:00 p.m. <i>Miss Peregrine's Home for Peculiar Children</i> (PG-13; 127 min.) Snacks will be provided</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">RAINBOW PANCAKES</p> <p>Thursday, February 23, 3:30 p.m. Make and Eat Rainbow Pancakes</p>
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For more information about any Kids or Teen Programs, contact a Youth Services Librarian at

Programs and Services from the Information Services Department

BREAKFAST & BRUNCH COOKING DEMO & TASTING
Saturday, March 4 at 11am



Lucy Van Horn will introduce you to ricotta pancakes, mozzarella sandwiches, overnight French toast, and waffles in ways you've never tried before. Class starts at 11am, and you should be enjoying these delicious creations by 1pm.

Open to adults & young adults ages 16+.
Max: 20 students.

Fee: \$5 cash or check, payable to the CSH Library.

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

COUNCILWOMAN SUSAN A. BERLAND

AND THE HUNTINGTON YOUTH COUNCIL

PRESENT THE ANNUAL

“SPORTS SWAP”



DIX HILLS ICE RINK
575 VANDERBILT PARKWAY
SATURDAY, MARCH 11TH, 2017
2:00 P.M. — 4:00 P.M.

BRING YOUR GENTLY USED HOCKEY, FIGURE SKATING, BASEBALL, LACROSSE AND SOCCER EQUIPMENT TO THE OFFICIAL DROP-OFF BOX AT THE DIX HILLS ICE RINK FROM FEBRUARY 25TH to MARCH 10TH TO RECEIVE A VOUCHER FOR EACH ITEM DONATED.

BRING YOUR VOUCHER TO THE ICE RINK ON SATURDAY, MARCH 11TH TO SHOP, SWAP AND SOCIALIZE WITH FELLOW HUNTINGTON RESIDENTS!

Residents unable to donate equipment can still shop for any equipment by donating \$5.00 for each item purchased.
 The Council will be donating all proceeds to a
 Town of Huntington charity.



Mark Cuthbertson
 Councilman

Susan A. Berland
 Councilwoman

Frank P. Petrone
 Supervisor

Eugene Cook
 Councilman

Tracey A. Edwards
 Councilwoman





February 6, 2017

Dear Parents:

I would like to invite and encourage any parent who will have one or more child attending West Side School for the 2017-2018 school year to consider submitting their name to obtain a position on the WSS-PTG Board. Taking a position on the board is a great way to get involved in your children's school and most importantly a great way to create friendships and be part of the community. The Nominating Committee will be chaired by Jenean Ketterer. The PTG would like to thank Ms. Ketterer and all of the committee members for volunteering their time.

The positions to be filled, along with a brief description highlighting some of their responsibilities are outlined below:

President or Co-President's: Work collaboratively with the WSS-PTG Board to establish and maintain the goals and objectives of the organization throughout the year. Preside at all meetings of the PTG and the PTG Board. Act as a liaison to the Principal. Attend or appoint a representative to attend various district wide meetings. Update the school website with important information and dates to remember.

Vice President or Co-Vice President's: Coordinate the work of the committees and of the organization and work with their chair people, coordinate the sign-up forms for parents interested in serving on a committee. Oversee and monitor all standing and special committees and act as a liaison between committee and Board members. Responsible for the transfer of materials from outgoing committee chair people to their successors. Update school website with committee updates and special dates to remember.

Secretary: Will keep and maintain an accurate record of all WSS-PTG meetings, as well as recording, distributing and posting the minutes of the WSS-PTG meetings for approval. Ensure that WSS-PTG bylaws are made available to members, non-members, and committee chair people as needed. Will conduct all correspondence, and act as the historian for the organization. Will initiate the Nominating Committee process. Update the school website with relevant information.

Treasurer: Responsible for receiving and recording all monies of the organization, including membership dues, reimbursements of all approved expenses and purchases and paying all bills associated with the organization. Will prepare, along with the PTG Board, an annual budget and will present a financial statement at all PTG meetings. In addition, is responsible for preparing with an accountant the appropriate state and federal tax return forms.

Parent Communications Coordinator: Responsible for maintaining the Class Parent volunteer lottery. Will communicate monthly with all class parents to obtain updates on all class activities. Will keep and maintain up to date information on all students for the school directory.

Each Board member must attend the monthly general WSS-PTG meetings, starting June of the incoming year and including the summer months, as well as monthly Executive PTG Board meetings. If you would like more information on any position, please call Ana Shammah at (516) 805-9143. We encourage your participation and look forward to hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Dr. Iris Vardy

WSS-PTG Secretary

The position on the WSS-PTG that I wish to submit my name for is: _____

Name: _____

Telephone Number: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

The deadline for submission is **February 27, 2017**. The WSS-PTG slate will be presented at the April 3rd WSS-PTG meeting. All those applying for the Board positions will be notified of the results as soon as the Nominating Committee has completed task.

Please mail this form to:

Jenean Ketterer

11 Woodvale Drive

Syosset, NY 11724

Lasting Legacy Field Hockey Club

Spring Program 2017

U12 AND U14 PROGRAM

March 19th, 26th

April 2nd, 9th, 23rd, 30th

May 7th, 14th, 21st

June 4th

Breezy Park, Huntington
5pm - 7pm

U16 AND U19 PROGRAM

March 19th, 26th

April 2nd, 9th, 23rd, 30th

May 7th, 14th, 21st

June 4th

Breezy Park, Huntington
7pm - 9pm

ELEVATE YOUR SKILLS WITH OUR INTERNATIONAL COACHING STAFF

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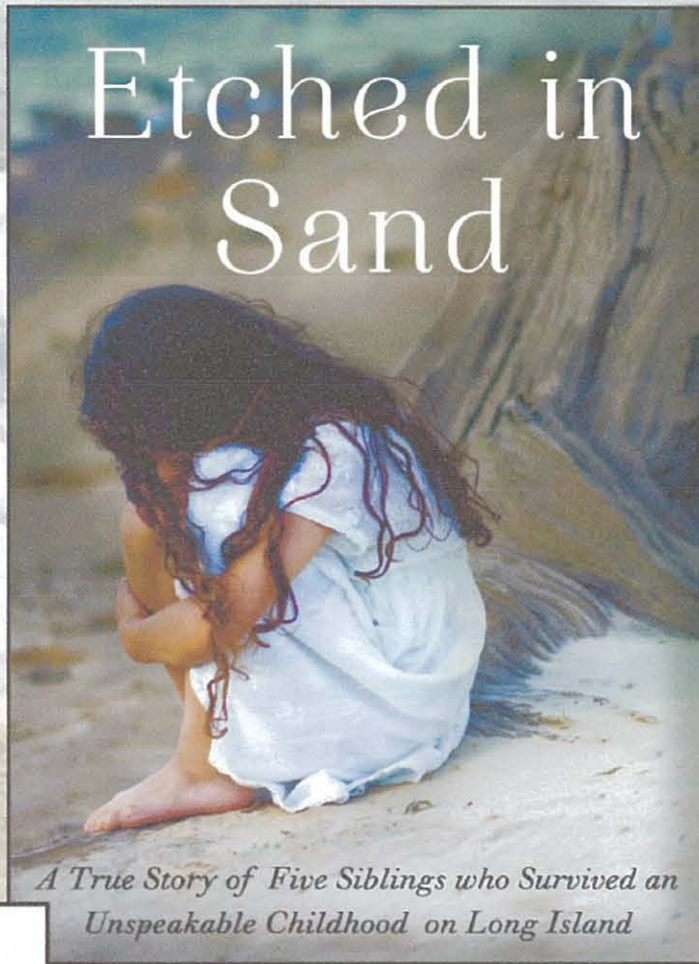
Visit our Website for Fall Program Details

For More Information: www.lastinglegacyfh.com

Inquiries: lastinglegacyfh@gmail.com

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

Looking for your next book club read? Look no further!



SAVE THE DATE!

The Cold Spring Harbor Jr/Sr High School
CFA Literary Luncheon featuring **Regina Calcaterra**
Wednesday, March 29, 2017

Etched in Sand: The True Story of Five Siblings Who Survived an Unspeakable Childhood on Long Island tells the story of how Regina & her four siblings persevered through an abusive childhood only to find themselves faced with challenges from the foster-care system.

For the past 25 years, Regina Calcaterra has spent her policy and legal career in both the private and public sectors and is the recipient of the Geraldine Ferraro Award of Courage. An attorney for the State of New York, Regina is a frequent commentator for national news outlets and a passionate advocate for children.

Her story of determination is inspiring to all readers.

Proceeds to benefit the Cultural Arts and CFA Programs at CSH Jr/Sr High School

For more information, contact Claire Costa at ccosta21@optonline.net or Monica Stingi at mdstingi@hotmail.com

Winter wearing you down?



Huntington Historical Society

Break up the 2017 Winter Break! Bring the kids down to one of Huntington's Historic properties for one, two, or all three of our fun and creative historical activities! There is something for everyone, grades 1 -6. Snack is included.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 21 "Calling All Weavers!" 9:00 -12:00 at The Conklin Barn, 2 High Street

Our most popular summer activity hits the Winter! All children will explore a variety of weaving methods, weaving on our four shaft looms, tapestry weaving, and Kumihimo, a form of Japanese Cord making. All will go home with a piece of their very own hand woven fabric, as well as a Kumihimo weaving disc and cord.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 22 "A visit to 1900: A Kid's View" 9:00-12:00 Trade School, 209 Main Street

We will be touring the 1905 Trade School and the Soldiers and Sailors Memorial Exhibit "Guilds in the Guilded Age". Naturally, there will be a variety of activities exploring Huntington Circa 1900; crafts, including shadow puppets and paper flowers, games, and photographs of 1900 life in Huntington will be showcased.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 23 "I can't Believe my Eyes!" 9:00-12:00, Conklin Barn, 2 High Street

Was there life before TV? What did kids do for fun without video games? Find out what "moving pictures" used to mean; we will build early optical illusion toys, such as Bird in a Cage and a Zoetrope. Kids will also get to experience an original stereograms, and a Magic Lantern Show!

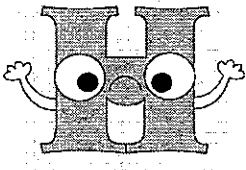
COST PER CLASS: \$30 per class for members, \$35 for non-members.
Two classes \$55/\$60 Three classes \$80/\$85)

CLASS SPACE IS LIMITED, CALL SOON TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT!!!!

Please contact Wendy Andersen (631) 427-7045 ext. 404 or email
wandersen@huntingtonhistoricalsociety.org.

The Heckscher Museum of Art

2 Prime Avenue, Huntington, NY 11743 | 631.351.3250 | Heckscher.org



HECKSCHER FAMILY HOUR Guided Tour & Activities

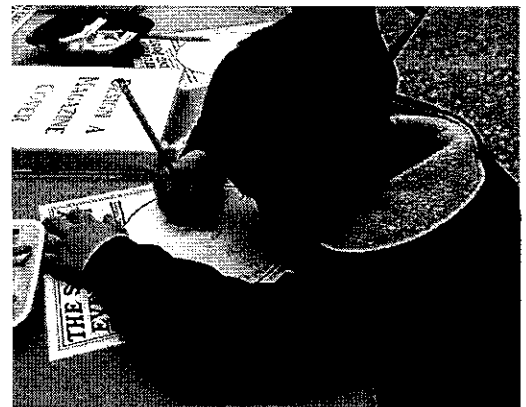
1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
Children ages 5 - 10 years

Sunday, March 19, 2017
Long Island's Best

Children and their families are invited to join museum educator Tami Wood for a family-friendly tour of the Museum's exhibitions. Experience the artwork through close looking, lively conversation, and hands-on gallery projects.

Registration is recommended. Space is limited.

**Members Free, Non-Members Museum Admission
(children free) + \$5 activity per child**



The Heckscher
Museum of Art

UPCOMING AT THE HECKSCHER MUSEUM

International Slow Art Day
Saturday, April 8, 2017

Like & follow
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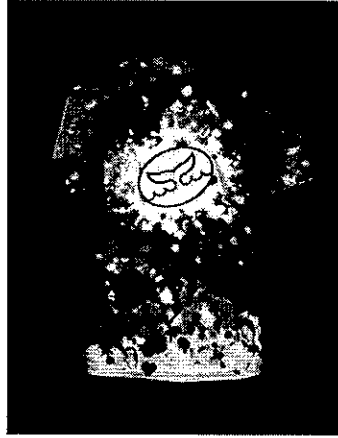
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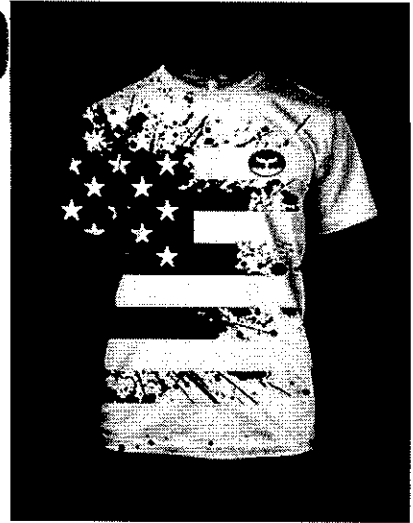
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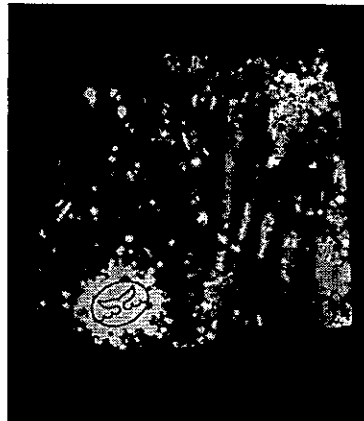
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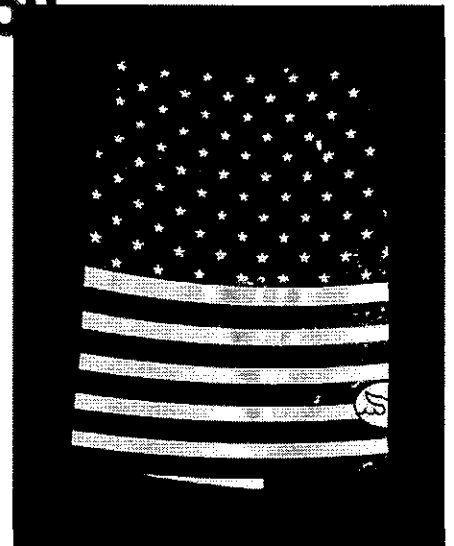
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all we have to offer!
All orders need to be placed by
March 1, 2017***