West Side School

The Friday Notes

Celebrating 227 Years! September 30, 2016

Principal's Corner

What a week! On Monday our students enjoyed a treat during lunch as parents served tomato sauce and bread in celebration of another successful summer of our West Side Garden Co-op. Thank you to Mrs. Berg and all of our parent volunteers for helping out. In addition, our After School Program began with a huge turnout. Thank you to Mrs. Newman and Mrs. Dudek for organizing this experience for our students. West Siders arrived on Wednesday showing school spirit as students and teachers sported various West Side and Cold Spring Harbor spirit wear. However, on Thursday they dressed a bit more formally for Photo Day. Thank you to Mrs. Wright and our parent volunteers for another successful day which ended with a group photo of our sixth graders on the front steps. A number of these sixth graders had lunch with me this week. They shared goals for the school year and identified areas in which we can improve. Thank you for sharing! On Thursday our School Improvement Team met for the first time. While the team is still finalizing goals, it is clear that we will be looking to the community to help with our efforts to teach students the importance of grit and a growth mindset. Finally, thank you to all of the parents who came to West Side today to say thank you to Mrs. Schaul. The staff continued the celebration with a luncheon later in the day. Thank you again, Mrs. Schaul, for all of your years of service!

Pick-Up Notes

Please remember that all pick-up notes should be given to your child's teacher. We ask that you <u>send in two</u> (one for the teacher and one for the bus driver/pick-up circle). 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. Please call the main office if you have an emergency.

West Side Spirit Wear

Looking to show your West Side School spirit? Visit our spirit wear shop and design your own T-Shirts, hoodies etc. Go to: <u>http://www.mylocker.net</u>.



West Side Win

Our West Side Win fundraiser is in full swing!!! If you would like to purchase a raffle ticket(s) please do so as soon as you can. We have already sold 111 tickets and we are striving to reach 200 tickets sold. Raffle Tickets are \$100 each with a chance of winning a grand prize of \$2,000 or more. All raffle ticket holders are cordially invited to the West Side Win Cocktail Party, being held on **Friday**, **October 14th @ 7PM at the Vardy-Stearn residence**, to celebrate this amazing fundraiser! There will be music, drinks, passed hor'douvres and the winner(s) will be announced at the party. Please Support this important fundraiser. You may send in your check via your child's backpack to the main office with the envelope provided in the invitation along with your RSVP or in an envelope labeled West Side Win Attn: Edina Bobelian. The money raised goes towards funding all of the exciting family events we sponsor throughout the year as well as the many cultural arts programs provided for the children. If you have any questions or would like to donate beverages for the party, please reach out to Allison Monaco <u>amonaco400@gmail.com</u> or Allison Standerwick

astanderwick@verizon.net Thank you!

Tomato Sauce Day

Thank you to the following women who provided delicious sauce for our children on Tomato Sauce Day and helped serve our children during their lunch time: Laurie Corallo, Michelle Rampi, Suzi Berg, Ana Shammah, Jenni Henick, Jeanean Ketterer, Allison Monaco, Kristyn Mulada, Dana Lynch, Andrea Mannino, Christine DeSimone, Susan Goldstein, Jordan Smith, Kristin Provisero and Lisa Baxter. Please forgive us if we omitted anyone. The kids gave rave reviews!!! There are some pictures of that day posted on our website and on our Facebook page. Thank you to Suzi Berg for chairing our Garden Committee and for organizing such an amazing treat for our children!

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.

SEPTA (Special Education PTA)

To become a member of SEPTA for 2016-2017, please complete the attached SEPTA form and return to your child's teacher OR send to ATTN: SEPTA, CSH District Office, 75 Goose Hill Road. SEPTA welcomes all families, friends, teachers and administrators as members.

FOCUS

FOCUS (Families of Communities United with Schools) will be presenting a workshop on Stress Management Techniques for You and Your Children led by Dr. Jennifer Hartstein - psychological contributor for The Today Show and The Dr. Oz Show on Wednesday, October 26, 2016 at 9:00am in the District Office Community Room. Please join us!

Upcoming Events

Rosh Hashanah — No School	October 3 rd and 4 th
Columbus Day — No School	Monday, October 10 th
Yom Kippur – No School	Wednesday, October 12 th
West Side Win	Friday, October 14th at 7:00 PM (Vardy-Stearn Residence)
PTG Meeting	Monday, October 17th at 9:30 AM in the Community Room
Journeys Program – Grade 4	Tuesday, October 18 th
Book Fair	October 18 th and 19 th in the Community Room (Schedule attached)
Book Fair Family Time	Tuesday, October 18th from 3:00 – 5:00 PM in the Community Room
BOE Meeting	Tuesday, October 18th at 8:00 PM at District Office
Grade 2 Trip – Schmitt's Farm	Monday, October 24th

Attachments from the School

FOCUS
SEPTA
CSH Policy Committee
CSH Audit Committee
Heckscher Museum of Art Family Hour
Whaling Museum
Operation EDITH
Children's Costume Parade
Save the Children
CSH Youth Basketball League
CSH Public Library
Book Fair Schedule



Presents a Workshop on Stress Management Techniques For You & Your Children

Led by: Dr. Jennifer Hartstein



Psychological Contributor for NBC Today Show & The Dr. Oz Show

> Wed, October 26, 2016, 9:00am District Office Community Room 75 Goosehill Road Refreshments will be served

Cold Spring Harbor



(Special Education Parent-Teacher Association)

The Cold Spring Harbor Special Education Parent Teacher Association is a district-wide organization dedicated to support parents/caregivers of students who have learning needs and require the support of district-wide services.

SEPTA provides parents and teachers of special education students with the ability to obtain information, discuss issues, and improve academic and social experiences of our special education students.

> Membership is open to <u>all</u> parents, teachers and administrators. We gladly welcome and appreciate your support.

Membership provides support to:

- > SEPTA Senior Award(s)
- > Parent Workshops
- Homework Support / Homework Club
- Teacher Wish Lists

SEPTA dues are \$20 annually. Dues may be paid by cash, check or via paypal.me/CSHSepta. Checks can be written out to CSH SEPTA. Please email us with any questions at cshsepta@yahoo.com. Homework and Friendship Club are an additional fee.

We thank you for your continued support!! Tara Belfi (Co-President), Nicole Prizzi (Co-President), Lauryn Koke (Vice President), Kristine Jacobson (Secretary), Anne Scott (Treasurer)

Forms and payment can be sent to the main office via your child's' teachers OR To the attention of the SEPTA Mailbox in CSH District office

CSH SEPTA Membershin Form

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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 meeting of the Cold Spring Harbor Policy Committee will take place on October 11, 2016, at 8:30 a.m. at The Francis Roberts Community Center.

William Bernhard, District Clerk

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William Bernhard, District Clerk

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, November 6, 2016 Long Island Biennial 2016

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 fee per child





UPCOMING AT THE HECKSCHER MUSEUM Norman Rockwell and Friends: American Illustrations from the Mort Künstler Collection On View December 10

Like & follow @heckschermuseum

The Whaling Museum & Education Center

SEATAIRE

Sunday, October 2 | 12-3pm

Join our celebration of Long Island's maritime heritage as we unveil our new exhibit, *Thar She Blows!* Be the first to work on a ship hull, climb into lookout hoops, and smell a foc'sle. See demos by local artisans, carve scrimshaw, build a sailboat, and dip a candle to keep. *Public Funding for Exhibit Provided By Suffolk County*

- All Ages | Rain or Shine
- Entrance & Activities Free With Paid Admission; Candles, Boats, and Scrimshaw are \$4 each / 3 for \$10.

SEA | REFLECT | EXPLORE | PROTECT

Must present postcard. Max 1 Offer Per Person. Max 1 Offer Per Group. Good Only Day of Event.

10RE OCTOBER EVENTS



COLUMBUS DAY COSPLAY

Mon, Oct 10 | 12-4 pm Old & young alike in costume can enjoy half-off admission. Stop by our *Createl* Activity Stations, design a comic strip, and create a cosplay mask. *Half-off admission. Members free.*

HAUNTED WAIL-ING BOC-SEUM & FESTIVAL

Sun, Oct 30 | 12-4 pm

Our biggest and best event of the year! Come visit our SpookTacular Zoo, try owl pellet dissections, themed crafts, slimebrewing, and see spooky exhibits coming to life!

Activities for all ages. \$10 Child, \$5 Adults. Members: Adults Free

Lots more calleve!

301 MAIN ST | COLD SPRING HARBOR, NY (631) 367–3418 | CSHWHALINGMUSEUM.ORG





October 19, 2016 7:00 P.M.

TOWNWIDE

Operation E.D.I.T.H. Drill

FRANK P. PETRONE Supervisor

MARK CUTHBERTSON, Councilman SUSAN A. BERLAND, Councilwoman EUGENE COOK, Councilman TRACEY A. EDWARDS, Councilwoman



- 2. If the door is blocked by smoke or fire, leave through a window or secondary emergency route.
- 3. Once out of the house go directly to your meeting place, such as a tree or mailbox on your front lawn.

1. Feel the door to check if it's HOT! If it's Not Hot open the door slowly, bracing it with your knees and shoulder. But be prepared to slam it shut quickly if there's smoke and fire on the other side.

Knowing How To React In A Fire Could Save Your Life, Or The Lives of your Children









Coordinated through the efforts of the Town of Huntington Office of the Fire Marshal and in conjunction with your local Volunteer Fire Departments.

OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL 351-3138

"E.D.I.T.H." Stands For... "Exit Drill In The Home"

SMOKE DETECTORS

Most fatal residential fires occur while the occupants are asleep. Installing smoke detectors outside bedroom areas will provide the extra minutes of warning needed to escape. The most recent figures available from the National Fire Incident Reporting System indicates that the installation of a Smoke Detector will double your chance of survival during a fire.

DEVELOPING THE PLAN

Members of the family should work together to draw a plan of each floor of your house where bedrooms are located.

Your plan should include:

- The location of Smoke Detectors.
- Two escape routes; one for normal and one for Emergency use.
- All doors, windows, stairways, fire escapes and adjacent buildings.
- A central meeting place outside your home.

If a window is designated as an Emergency Route, make sure the person who uses it is able to reach and unlock the window, remove the screen and / or the storm window, reach the ground safely.

Designate someone to call the fire department from a neighbor's house. Post a copy of your finished plan in a conspicuous place as a constant reminder.



PRACTICE YOUR PLAN ON A MONTHLY BASIS AND REMEMBER THESE IMPORTANT HINTS:

- Sleeping with bedroom doors closed can add valuable minutes of protection against flame, smoke and toxic gases.
- If you have a telephone in your room, have the Fire Department's number on it or nearby.
- Keeping a whistle, horn, or other such audible signal near your bed may prove valuable in waking other members of your family who may not hear the smoke detector. If family members use a different signal you will know who is awake without opening doors.

MAKE OPERATION E.D.I.T.H. A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY!

PUTTING THE PLAN INTO ACTION

If the smoke detector sounds or you smell smoke, wake your family with your signal. If you hear another signal answer with yours. Keep Calm. Roll out of bed and crawl to the door. Feel the door from bottom to top. If it is hot near the top do not open it. Proceed to your designated emergency exit.

If the top of the door is not hot, brace your foot and shoulder against it and open it carefully. If there is only light smoke, crawl to the normal exit. If the smoke is dense or the door is hot use the Emergency Exit. Report to the designated meeting place.

Notify the Fire Department from a neighbor's house. DO NOT ALLOW ANYONE TO RE-ENTER THE BUILDING FOR ANY REASON.

TOWN OF HUNTINGTON OFFICE OF THE FIRE MARSHAL 351-3138



COUNCILMAN MARK CUTHBERTSON, SUPERVISOR FRANK P. PETRONE, & THE TOWN OF HUNTINGTON ARE PROUD TO SPONSOR A CHILDREN'S COSTUME PARADE ON HALLOWEEN IN HUNTINGTON VILLAGE

The Town of Huntington will sponsor its Annual Children's Halloween Costume Parade in Huntington Village on Monday, October 31st at 4:15 p.m. Children of all ages (and their parents or guardians) are welcome to walk in the parade and participants should plan to meet in front of the Huntington Post Office on Gerard Street in Huntington Village at 4:00 p.m. Children will walk from Gerard Street to the intersection of Wall Street and Main Street (25A).

Village Merchants will pass out candy to trick-ortreaters for its "Safe Trick-or-Treat Program." Dress up and bring a goody bag to hold your candy!

For more information about the parade, please call 351-2877. (In the event of inclement weather, the parade will be cancelled.)



DISCLAIMER: This notice is distributed to students solely as a community service by the school district. Such distribution should not be considered to be an endorsement of approval by the district of either the sponsor or the activity.



Support Save the Children Early Childhood Education

WALK FOR CHALK Sunday, October 16th

9:30 AM

Location: Cold Spring Harbor High School 82 Turkey Lane, Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724







PARTICIPANTS OF ALL AGES JOIN US FOR a **FUN** WALK AROUND THE HIGH SCHOOL FIELDS

Register by October 6*

\$10 individual / \$25 per family Increase your impact and invite sponsors!

Register by US mail, email, or on our CrowdRise page listed below.

Tax deductible registration fee payable to: Save the Children PO Box 38, Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

https://www.crowdrise.com/walk-for-chalk-stc-long-island-student-ambassadors

*Day of event registration: \$15 individual/\$30 family

Come to walk- rain or shine!









lhomer73@gmail.com www.savethechildrenli.org

<u>COLD SPRING HARBOR</u> YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

REGISTRATION FOR THE 2016 – 2017 SEASON

Please print out the application, fill it out completely & mail with your check, made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League" to:

Chris Northacker 1 Saw Mill Lane Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

DEADLINE: Oct. 7, 2016

PLAYERS: All Boys and Girls in grades 3rd, 4th, 5th and 6th

FEE: \$150.00 (includes home/away jerseys & shorts, basketballs, referees, scorekeepers, insurance, facilities use fees and trophies) Cash or check made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League" LATE FEE - \$175.00

- * League starts November 2016 thru February 2017
- * 8 to 10 games with referees and scorekeepers
- * 1 Practice a week plus 1 Game a week
- * Playoff games for every team
- * Trophies for every player

Please include on the application if your child cannot practice on a certain day & we will try out best to accommodate them for practices.

If you have any questions, please call Chris Northacker at 631-678-2772

PARENTS WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!! LET US KNOW ON THE APPLICATION IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN COACHING.

COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

<u>REGISTRATION FEE</u> : \$150.00 (3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th grade players)

Make Check Payable to: CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

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Cash_____ Check #_____ Check Amount _____

<u>CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE</u> <u>2016 – 2017 Season</u>

Evaluations for Players (3rd & 4th Grades Only)

@ West Side School

Monday, Oct. 17th

6:00 to 7:00pm 7:00 to 8:00pm 8:00 to 9:00pm 3rd & 4th gr. Girls 3rd gr. Boys 4th gr. Boys

• Please wear shorts & sneakers & be ready to play basketball. BE ON TIME.

*** Practices will start on Monday, Nov. 7, 2016

<u>CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE</u> <u>2016 – 2017 Season</u>

I agree to make every effort to attend all practices and games for the 2016 - 17 Basketball season. I understand that I will be excused for illnesses & family obligations. I will call my coach as soon as I know I can't make a practice and/or a game. Basketball is a team sport & I understand that if I miss too many practices, I am letting my team down.

Player's Signature

As a family, we agree to follow the CSH Youth Basketball League's rules for Behavior during practices and games. There will be NO wandering the halls or classrooms and no school property will be touched. All siblings and/or friends who are brought to the games, will be supervised by an adult at all times. Everyone is to be in the gym watching the games. If any child needs to use the bathroom, they will be escorted there by an adult. We will cheer on all the players on the court & be respectful of the referees, scoreboarders and coaches. All **Custodians are to be treated with the utmost respect**. **Our program cannot run without them.**

Parent's Signature

Player's Signature

<u>COLD SPRING HARBOR</u> YOUTH BASKETBALL CLINIC

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Chris Northacker 1 Saw Mill Lane Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724

DEADLINE: Oct. 14, 2016

PLAYERS: All Boys and Girls in 1st and 2nd grade

<u>FEE</u>: \$100.00 (includes uniforms, basketballs, insurance, facilities use fees & trophies <u>Cash or check made out to "CSH Youth Basketball League"</u> <u>LATE FEE - \$125.00</u>

- * Separate clinic for boys and girls
- * Clinics to be held on Saturdays at Goosehill Primary School
- * Clinics run from December 2016 thru February 2017
- * 9 weeks of basketball
- * Trophies for every player

If you have any questions, please call Bridget Perlmutter at 631-367-1096

PARENTS WE NEED VOLUNTEERS!! LET US KNOW ON THE APPLICATION IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN COACHING.

COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

REGISTRATION FEE : \$100.00 (1st and 2nd grade players)

Make Check Payable to: CSH YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

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



AUTUMN LEAF ART

Tuesday, October @ 4:30 p.m.r For children of all ages Create festive art using leaves

Registration required.

Mummy Candy Holders Wednesday, October 5, 4:30 p.m. For children in grades 3-5 Make a spooky mummy candy holder

Registration required.





Bat Silhouette Art Thursday, October 6, 4:30 p.m. For children in grades K-2 Learn some cool facts about this spooky creature and create bat silhouettes using paint and glitter.

Registration required.

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

Cold Spring Harbor Library Celebrates 10 years October 1, 2016 Anniversary Events • Drop in Library Mini Golf 10 am -1 pm • Drop in Cupcakes Decorating 10 am-3pm • Live performance of Beauty & the Beast by Plaza Theatrical (Reg req) 1 pm • Musical Performance by CSH Jr/Sr high Students 11:30 am • StoryWalk kick off 10 am -5pm

Cold Spring Harbor Library & Environmental Center 95 Harbor Road Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724 Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724 Cold Spring Harbor, OX 1000 (CSH Mobile App



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Book Fair Schedule Fall 2016

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- 12:50-1:30 6Gerver
- 1:35-2:15 6DeRosa
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- 3:00-5:00 Family Time

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1:35-2:15	5Scanlon
2:20-3:00	OPEN