



The Friday Notes

Celebrating 227 Years!
October 7, 2016

Principal's Corner

This week we took a moment to celebrate the first month of school and the number of growth mindset tickets earned throughout the month of September. Our students set a record by earning 421 tickets. Dr. Dawkins' class was awarded the most and have rightfully earned some extra recess time which they will take advantage of this month. Congratulations to the students in Mr. Farmer's class for coming in second place. This was a group effort in which all staff members participated. As I shared at the CPC meeting yesterday, this ticket system has morphed into more than just recognition for showing grit, perseverance and resilience. It is a way for our teachers to recognize the good choices our students in all grades make on a daily basis. Therefore, we will continue this effort throughout the entire year. Special thanks once again to our 6th grade H.E.R.O.s, Hailey Schulsinger, Emmy Schlesinger, and Victoria Barriola for tracking the number of tickets earned each day and updating the bulletin board which was created by Ms. Fastuca. Our goal during the month of October is to beat the 421 total to kick off the year. Congratulations to all of our students. Good luck!

New Visitor Management System

For the safety of the students and staff we are installing a visitor management system in our building this month. This is the same system which has been in operation at the Junior/Senior High School for the past three years. When visiting the school, please remember to bring your driver's license so we can create a visitor's pass for you for that day.

School Safety and Drills

Throughout the year, we conduct a variety of drills, including evacuation (fire) and lock down drills. These drills are reviewed in class and expectations are made clear. Student cooperation and silence is paramount. Also, this is a good time for parents to have a conversation with children to remind them that all schools have procedures in place to ensure that we are always safe in our schools!

Pick-Up Notes

Please remember that all pick-up notes should be given to your child's teacher. We ask that you send in two (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: <http://www.mylocker.net>.



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 amonaco400@gmail.com or Allison Standerwick astanderwick@verizon.net** Thank you!

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

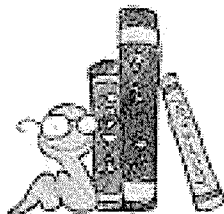
FOCUS (Families of Communities United with Schools) will be presenting a workshop on Stress Management Techniques for You and Your Children led by Dr. Jennifer Hartstein - psychological contributor for The Today Show and The Dr. Oz Show on Wednesday, October 26, 2016 at 9:00am in the District Office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

Upcoming Events

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| Columbus Day – No School | Monday, October 10 th |
| Yom Kippur – No School | Wednesday, October 12 th |
| West Side Win | Friday, October 14 th at 7:00 PM (Vardy-Stearn Residence) |
| PTG Meeting | Monday, October 17 th 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 18 th from 3:00 – 5:00 PM in the Community Room |
| BOE Meeting | Tuesday, October 18 th at 8:00 PM at District Office |
| Grade 2 Trip – Schmitt's Farm | Monday, October 24 th |

Attachments from the School

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West Side School

Book Fair Schedule

Fall 2016

****Updated October 5, 2016****

Tuesday, October 18th

| | |
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| 9:05-9:45 | 2Santoro |
| 9:50-10:30 | 3Dawkins |
| 10:35-11:15 | 2Ryan |
| 11:20-12:00 | OPEN |
| 12:05-12:45 | 3Farmer |
| 12:50-1:30 | 5Arloff |
| 1:35-2:15 | 5Scanlon |
| 2:20-3:00 | OPEN |
| 3:00-5:00 | Family Time |

Wednesday, October 19th

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|-------------|----------|
| 9:05-9:45 | 4Dudek |
| 9:50-10:30 | 4Manning |
| 10:35-11:15 | OPEN |
| 11:20-12:00 | 4Dopico |
| 12:05-12:45 | OPEN |
| 12:50-1:30 | 6Gerver |
| 1:35-2:15 | 6DeRosa |
| 2:20-3:00 | 6Agnello |

Cold Spring Harbor

SEPTA

(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 all 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](https://www.paypal.com/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 Membership Form

Name: _____ email: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Childs name: _____ School: _____ Grade: _____

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Dues: \$20.00

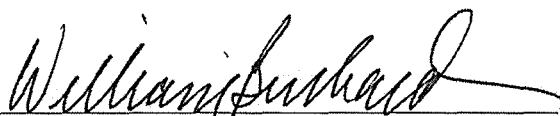
Please make checks payable to: **CSH SEPTA** OR make pay via **Paypal.me/CSHSepta**



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.


A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "William Bernhard", written over a horizontal line.

William Bernhard, District Clerk

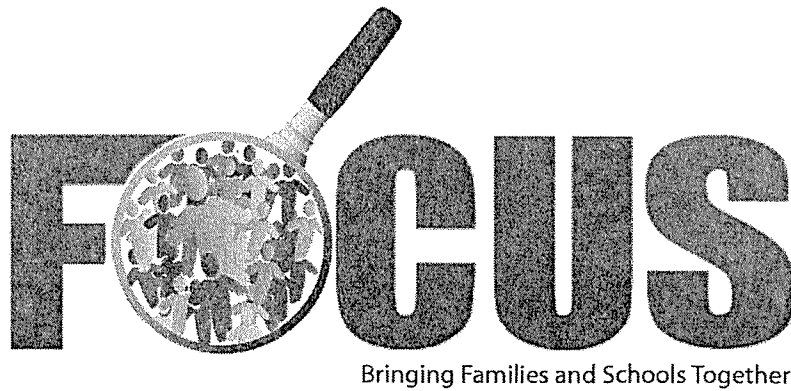
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William Bernhard, District Clerk



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

The Whaling Museum & Education Center

SEAFaire

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.

\$2 OFF
ADMISSION

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

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MORE OCTOBER EVENTS



COLUMBUS DAY COSPLAY

Mon, Oct 10 | 12-4 pm

Old & young alike in costume can enjoy half-off admission. Stop by our *Create!* Activity Stations, design a comic strip, and create a cosplay mask. *Half-off admission. Members free.*



HAUNTED WAL-ING BOO-SEUM & FESTIVAL

Sun, Oct 30 | 12-4 pm

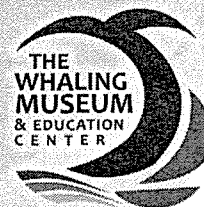
Our biggest and best event of the year! Come visit our SpookTacular Zoo, try owl pellet dissections, themed crafts, slime-brewing, and see spooky exhibits coming to life! Activities for all ages. *\$10 Child, \$5 Adults.*

Members: Adults Free



LOTS MORE ONLINE!

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



COLD SPRING HARBOR
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TOWN OF HUNTINGTON
TOWN BOARD

FRANK P. PETRONE
Supervisor

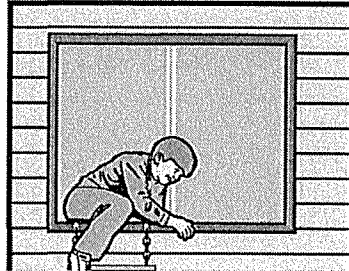
MARK CUTHBERTSON, Councilman
SUSAN A. BERLAND, Councilwoman
EUGENE COOK, Councilman
TRACEY A. EDWARDS, Councilwoman

October 19, 2016 7:00 P.M.

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



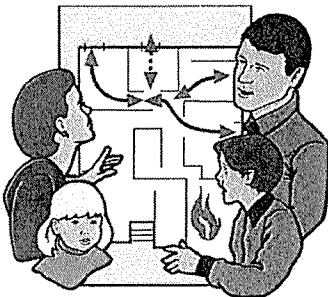
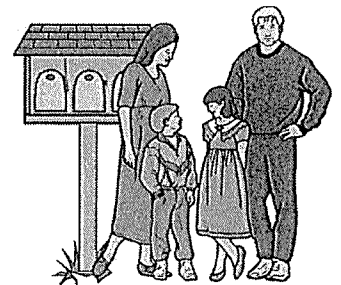
1. Feel the door to check if it's HOT!
If it's Not Hot open the door slowly,
bracing it with your knees and
shoulder. But be prepared to slam it
shut quickly if there's smoke and fire
on the other side.



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.

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



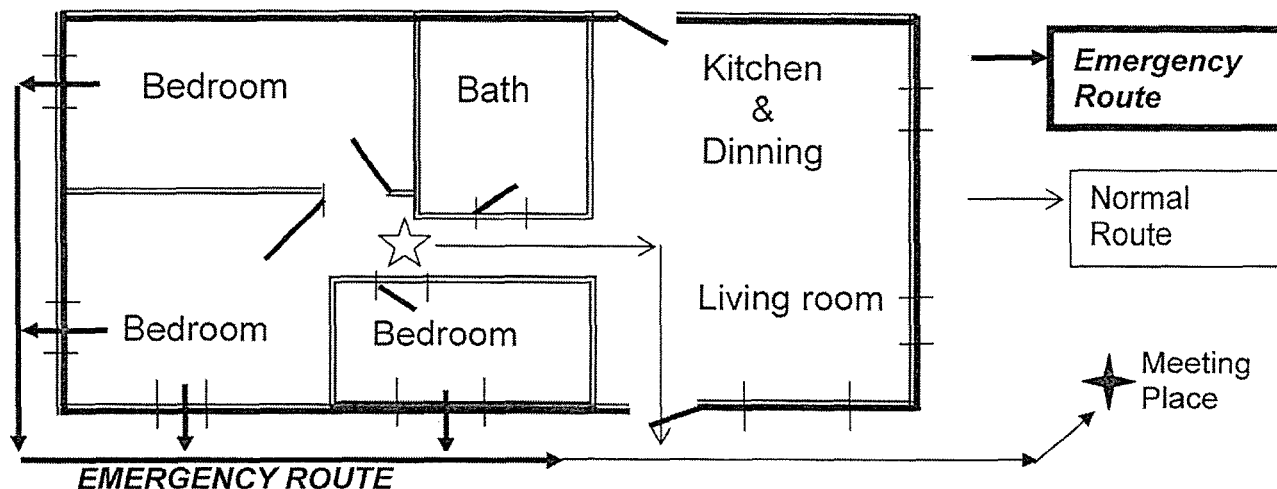
Coordinated through the efforts of
the Town of Huntington Office of the
Fire Marshal and in conjunction with
your local Volunteer Fire Departments.

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**

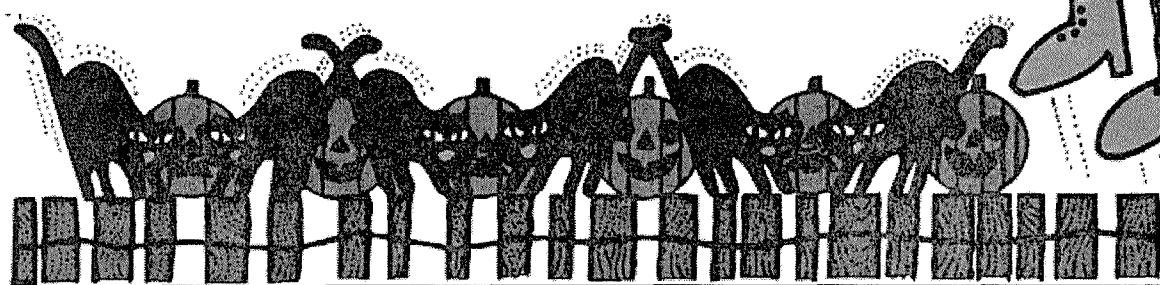
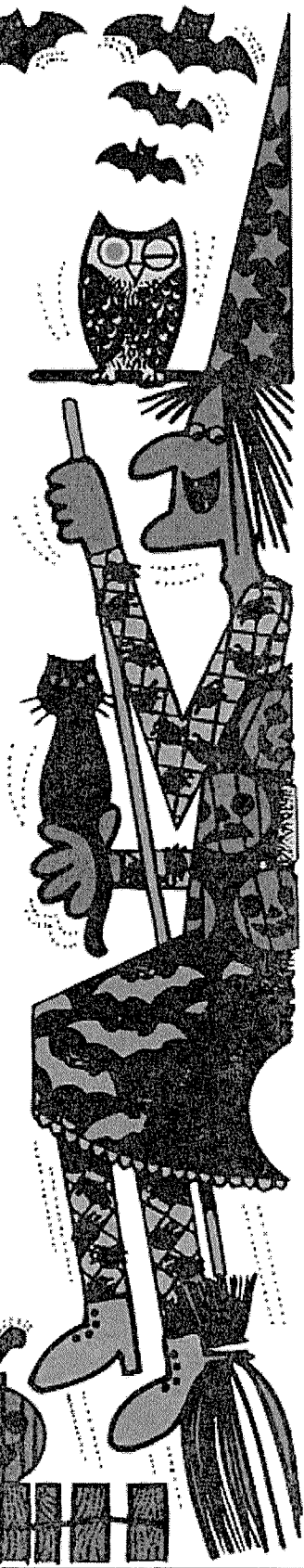


COUNCILMAN MARK CUTHBERTSON,
SUPERVISOR FRANK P. PETRONE,
& THE TOWN OF HUNTINGTON
ARE PROUD TO SPONSOR A
CHILDREN'S COSTUME PARADE
ON HALLOWEEN IN HUNTINGTON VILLAGE

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-or-treaters 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.)*



Frank P. Petrone
SUPERVISOR

Mark Cuthbertson
COUNCILMAN

Susan A. Berland
COUNCILWOMAN

Eugene Cook
COUNCILMAN

Tracey A. Edwards
COUNCILWOMAN





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



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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!

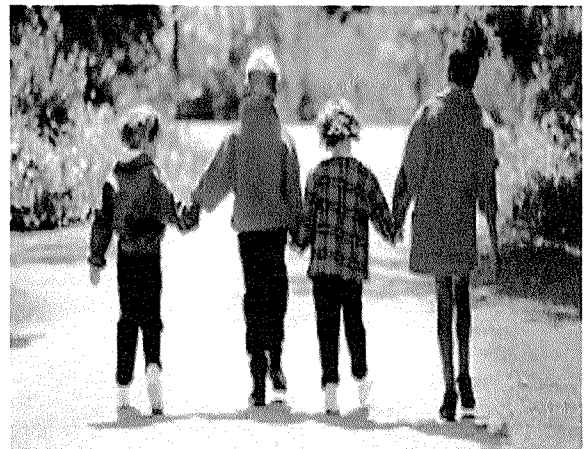
Register by US mail, email,
or on our CrowdRise page listed below.

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!

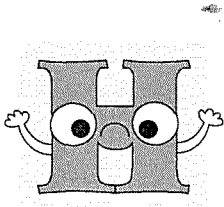


Save the Children.
Long Island Council

lhomer73@gmail.com
www.savethechildrenli.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, 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**

The Heckscher
Museum of Art

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

Like & follow
@heckschermuseum



WHEN:
OCTOBER 31, 2016

TIME:
4:30 - 6 P.M.

WHERE:
CHURCH PARKING LOT

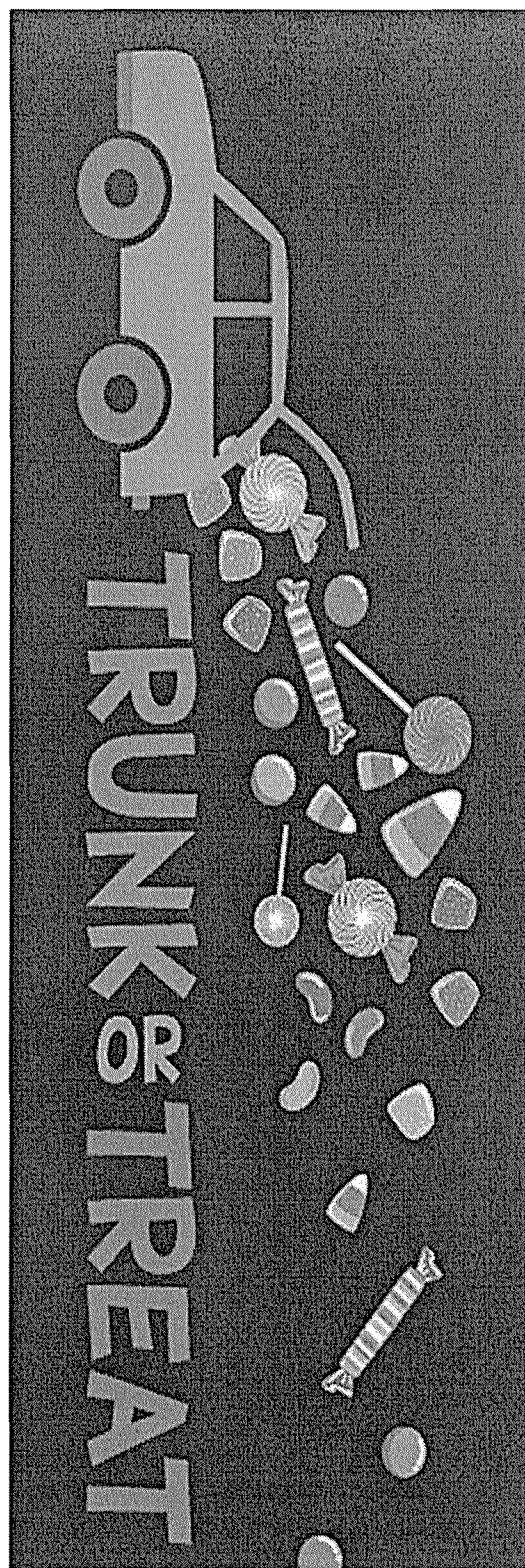
ADMISSION:
A GENEROUS DONATION
TO SUPPORT THE UNICEF
(THE UNITED NATIONS CHILDREN'S FUND)

Come out and enjoy
a night of family fun for
all ages that includes
a lot of "Trunk or Treating"!
Plus, help us support
the UNICEF.

Please contact the office
if you would like to host by simply
reserving your spot now!
Please sign up:)
631-427-0326

THE UNITED METHODIST CHURCH OF
HUNTINGTON-COLD SPRING HARBOR

180 W NECK RD.
HUNTINGTON, NY 11743



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

Spooky Sculptures

Monday, October 10th, 3 pm

For children of all ages

Stop by or stay the whole time.

Use Model Magic to sculpt a spooky creation.

Registration required.



Edible Witch Hat &

Spider Treats

Wednesday, October 12, 4:30 p.m.

& Thursday, October 13, 4:30 p.m.

For children in grades K-6

Use delicious snack foods to make witch hats and spider treats to take home.

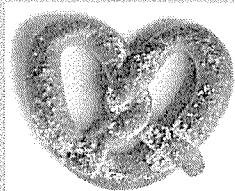
Registration required.



Glowing Halloween Lanterns
Thursday, October 27, 4:30 p.m.

For children in grades 3-5

Make a glowing lantern to light up your window.



FOR STUDENTS IN GRADES 5-12

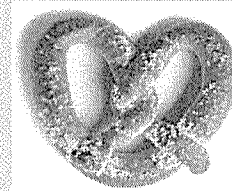
German Soft Pretzels

Monday, October 10, 2:00 p.m.

For kids in grades 5-12

Make delicious soft pretzels to take home and enjoy!

Registration is required for all programs. Call us at 631-692-6820 or visit us online at www.cshlibrary.org to register



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

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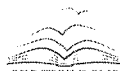
Wild Ginger

Sunday, October 16 at 2pm



This three-woman a cappella vocal ensemble will give a captivating performance featuring a variety of African chants, European chansons, and American folk songs. Bring the whole family!

Free and open to all.
Advance registration required.



95 Harbor Road, Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724
631.692.6820 www.cshlibrary.org

Wild Ginger Concert
Sunday, October 16 at 2pm

This three-woman a cappella vocal ensemble will give a captivating performance featuring a variety of African chants, European chansons, and American folk songs.

Entertainment for the whole family! .

This program is free and open to all.

Advance registration is requested.

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