

# THE FRIDAY NOTES

Lloyd Harbor School • April 11, 2014

## SEL FAMILY WORD FOR APRIL: RESPECT

**QUOTE OF THE WEEK:** "We do not inherit the earth from our ancestors, we borrow it from our children." ~Native American Proverb

**LHTV MUSICIAN:** Lara Strunk, Elizabeth Erichsen, Mimi Monti, Nancy Reilly, Liz Kiernan

<b>Monday</b> 4/21	<i>School Closed – Spring Recess</i>
<b>Tuesday</b> 4/22	Earth Week Begins – Activities include: Bottle Project, Tree Donation "A Day in Clay" – Grade 4 SIT 3:30PM
<b>Wednesday</b> 4/23	Earth Week – Activities include: Assemblies, Bottle Project
<b>Thursday</b> 4/24	Earth Week – Activities include: Assemblies, Bottle Project Tech Fair at the Field House 7-9PM
<b>Friday</b> 4/25	SHIRT DAY Grade 2 Engeman Theater Trip – 10-12:30PM

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## Grade 6 "Save the Dates"

**Junior High Visits/Cuban Lunch (by class) – June 2 & June 4**  
**"Select Chorus" Trip – June 6**  
**Camp Coleman Trip (all sixth graders) – June 12**  
**Unity Dance \*New Date\* – June 16**

## ONCE UPON A SUMMER

Tuesday, April 22, 3:15-5:30 Full Cast – Transportation slip and contract must be presented as your ticket to rehearsal. Thursday, April 24, 3:15-5:30 Full Cast

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held on **Tuesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>** at 8pm at the DO.

## ARTIST CORNER

Congratulations to Eleni Lampeas our Artist of the Month!

Please come down Creative Way to see the exciting new pieces of art work. It's filled with Van Gogh's, and Jaspers John's and Optical Illusions. Melted Crayon Art is on display as well on the bulletin board by the Gym.

### **ABSENCES**

Your child's absence is being recorded as an unknown and unexcused absence if you do not make a telephone call to the nurse's office. Although an absence note is still required, it is not sufficient. The phone call must be made.

### **EARLY PICK-UP**

If you decide, after your child has left for school, that you need to pick him/her up early, it is not necessary to call ahead. Please just come to the front office and we will call your child for dismissal. Back-up notes are still necessary when your child has a change in transportation at the end of the day.

### **DRIVING CAUTION**

When driving on the school grounds, be mindful of our traffic patterns & be sure to proceed with caution.

### **MORNING ACTIVITIES DROP-OFFS**

Only those children who have a scheduled morning activity may be dropped off before the 8:30AM start of school. We do not have the personnel to monitor students left here before this time.

### **AFTERNOON PICK-UP**

For safety reasons, we ask that all children being picked up in the back circle wait in line until picked up. Children are not allowed to cross over the parking lot.

### **AFTERNOON ACTIVITIES - DISMISSAL**

All students attending an after-school activity will be picked up at the back circle. Please follow the traffic pattern of the PM dismissal (reverse traffic flow). As always, the safety of our children is paramount. Children are not permitted to cross between cars or through the parking lots.

### **AFTERNOON BUILDING ACCESS**

Please note there will be no access into the school after 4:15pm unless it has been previously arranged.

## **FROM THE LHS/PTG**

### **Kick Off Party**

The End of Year Kick Off Party for the Philadelphia trip is on June 19th for FOURTH GRADES from 5.30pm-7.30pm. Pizza, dessert and much more will be served! This is a fun event to lead the children into the Philadelphia trip the following day. This event will be sponsored by the LHS\*PTG. IT IS STRONGLY ADVISED THAT EVERYONE RIDE THE BUS TO PHILADELPHIA.

### **Shed the Meds**

We have the Shed the Meds program coming up April 26th between the hours of 11-1pm. This is an initiative sponsored by the Suffolk County Sheriff's Department. On Saturday, you can take your old/expired or any unwanted medications to the District Office where Police Officers will be on hand to collect them for safe disposal. Eblast to follow...

### **Earth Week**

When we come back after Spring break, it will be Earth Week at LHS - so get ready to Reduce, Reuse and Recycle. Students are asked to bring in used plastic grocery bags to Room 107 for the LHS\*PTG to recycle. Also, we will be holding trashless snack and lunch all week. Try to send your child's snack and lunch (if they take lunch) in Tupperware or plastic containers that will be reused rather than products like zip-lock bags/paper bags which are simply thrown away.

### **Item of the Week**

The Vineyard Vine ties are flying off the shelves like hot cakes this week! You can still order yours. Simply contact Joely at [joelyhethers@optonline.net](mailto:joelyhethers@optonline.net) to order yours now. Make checks payable to LHS\*PTG for \$50. We only have BOYS ties left now-either navy with red seahawk or lavender with red seahawk. Delivery cannot be guaranteed for Easter.



The LHS PTG and Student Council invite you to  
**Reduce, Reuse, and Recycle** at home and at school  
in observance of

# Earth Week

*April 22-25, 2014*

## REDUCE:

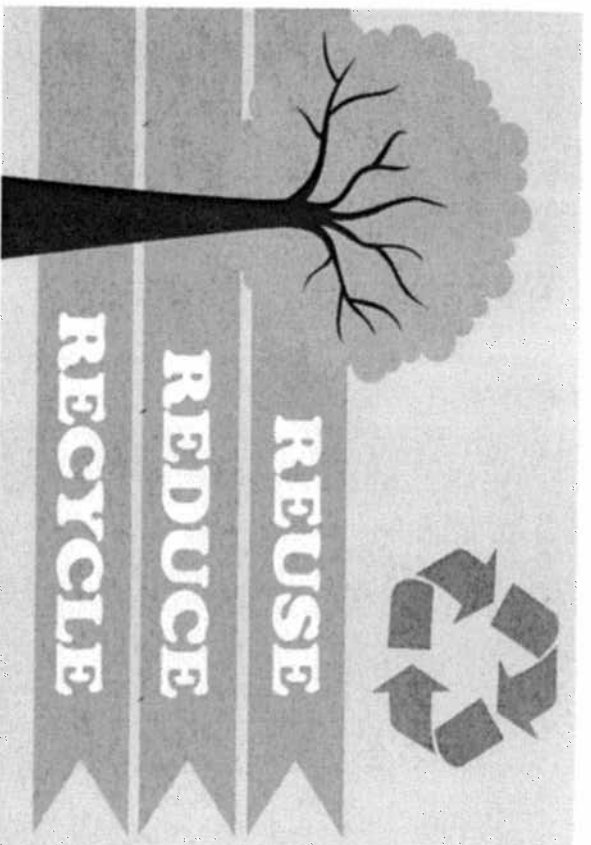
- 4 days of trashless lunch. Send all food and drinks in reusable containers.

## REUSE:

- Student Council will be collecting empty plastic water bottles (any size) March 25 – April 11 for a school-wide art project. Start saving!

## RECYCLE:

- Bring in your plastic grocery bags April 22-25 to be recycled by LHS (Only 1% of these bags are recycled so let us recycle yours).
- Students will attend a DEC assembly called "Where Does It All Go?" on April 23 and 24.



## EARTH DAY

# LET'S MAKE THE PLANET A HEALTHIER PLACE TOGETHER!

Earth Week April 21-25

As earth day approaches, we wanted to share some ideas and tips for ways that you and your family can help. If we work together we can make a difference for ourselves and future generations! Here is a list of things you can do to help:

- USE REUSABLE BOTTLES, CONTAINERS & UTENSILS FOR LUNCH
- BRING YOUR OWN GROCERY BAG TO THE STORE
- TAKE A SHOWER INSTEAD OF A BATH
- TURN OFF THE WATER WHEN YOU BRUSH YOUR TEETH
- WALK OR BIKE WHENEVER POSSIBLE
- REDUCE THE NUMBER OF TRIPS MADE BY CAR
- DON'T LET YOUR ENGINE IDLE IF NOT TOO COLD OR TOO HOT
- DO NOT OVERHEAT OR OVERCOOL YOUR HOUSE
- DO NOT WASH MEDICATION DOWN THE DRAIN OR TOILET OR THROW IN THE GARBAGE (YOU CAN TAKE IT TO THE 2ND POLICE PRECINCT OF HUNTINGTON AT 1071 PARK AVENUE OR CHECK OUT [WWW.HUNTINGTONNY.GOV/MEDICINEDISPOSAL](http://WWW.HUNTINGTONNY.GOV/MEDICINEDISPOSAL))
- DO NOT THROW AWAY RECHARGEABLE BATTERIES, ELECTRONICS OR COMPACT FLOURESCENTS IN THE REGULAR TRASH (YOU CAN TAKE THEM TO THE HUNTINGTON RECYCLING CENTER [WWW.HUNTINGTONNY.GOV/RECYCLINGCENTER](http://WWW.HUNTINGTONNY.GOV/RECYCLINGCENTER))
- DO NOT THROW AWAY ITEMS THAT ARE STILL USABLE (CHECK OUT [WWW.FREECYCLE.ORG](http://WWW.FREECYCLE.ORG) OR <http://NEWYORK.CRAIGSLIST.ORG> FREE STUFF SECTION)
- GET RID OF JUNK MAIL AT [WWW.DMACHOICE.ORG](http://WWW.DMACHOICE.ORG)
- [WWW.41POUNDS.ORG](http://WWW.41POUNDS.ORG) OR [WWW.CATALOGCHOICE.ORG](http://WWW.CATALOGCHOICE.ORG)
- USE NON TOXIC DETERGENTS SUCH AS:
  - WHITE VINEGAR (DISINFECTS AND BREAKS UP DIRT)
  - BORAX (DISINFECTS, BLEACHES AND DEODORIZES)
  - BAKING SODA (SCRUBBING AND DEODORIZES)
  - HYDROGEN PEROXIDE (DISINFECTS & BLEACHES)
  - OLIVE OIL (PICKS UP DIRT AND POLISHES WOOD)

## **GARDENING TIPS:**

- **PLANT NATIVE TREES, BUSHES AND FLOWERS:**
  - **NATIVE PLANTS ARE BETTER ADAPTED TO LOCAL CONDITIONS**
  - **THEY DO NOT NEED A LOT OF EXTRA WATER BECAUSE THEY ARE DROUGHT RESISTANT**
  - **THEY DO NOT NEED PESTICIDES**

**LOOK FOR MORE INFORMATION AT:**

**[WWW.DEC.NY.GOV](http://WWW.DEC.NY.GOV) OR [WWW.PLANTNATIVE.ORG](http://WWW.PLANTNATIVE.ORG)**

- **USE NEWSPAPERS TO CONTROL WEEDS BY PLACING THEM WHERE YOU DO NOT WANT WEEDS, COVER WITH MULCH AND WATER.**
- **USE WATER BOTTLES TO HELP FILL UP LARGE FLOWER POTS. FILL UP THE POTS WITH THE EMPTY BOTTLES, ADD DIRT ON TOP AND PLANT YOUR FLOWERS. THIS ALSO MAKES YOUR POTS LIGHTER AND EASIER TO MOVE.**

# ***From Cold Spring Harbor Library***

**Budget**

**Thank you for supporting your Library  
134 yes, 43 No**

***From Cold Spring Harbor Library's Youth Services Department.  
Registration Required!***

## **Spring Break FUN @ the Library**

**Monday, April 14**

**BOARD GAME BONANZA**

11:00 a.m., for children of all ages



**TISSUE PAPER FLOWERS**

2:00-4:00 p.m., for children of all ages

**Tuesday, April 15**

**LEGO CLUB**

11:00 a.m., for children in grades K-6

**PUZZLEMANIA**

2:00 p.m., for children in grades K-6

**Wednesday, April 16**

**SPRING STORY & CRAFT**

11:00 a.m., for children ages 2-5 with adult

**RAINBOW LOOM CLUB**

2:00 p.m., for children in grades 3-7



**Thursday, April 17**

**COFFEE FILTER BUTTERFLIES**

11:00 a.m., for children ages 2-5  
with adult

**SNACK & A MOVIE**

2:00 p.m., for children of all ages  
Frozen (PG; 102 min.)



**Friday, April 18**

**AFTERNOON ART: FLOWER ART**

2:00 p.m., for children of all ages

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



**Councilman Mark Cuthbertson and the Town of Huntington  
present a Spring**

# **"Eggstravaganza"**

**Wednesday, April 16th, 10:00am — 1:00pm**

**Heckscher Park (tennis court area)  
25A and Prime Avenue, Huntington**

**\* Treat Filled Eggs**

**\* Face Painting**

**\* Craft Tables**

**This FREE event is for children ages 3-8.**

**ADVANCED REGISTRATION REQUIRED**

**Go to [www.tohparks.com](http://www.tohparks.com) and click on "Special Events" to register.**

**Please print out receipt and bring to event.**

**Please bring canned food item for local food pantry.**

**Call 351-2877 for more info.**

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## EdTech Showcase

Methods of teaching and learning are rapidly evolving. Staying current with technological advances in education is vital to student achievement and success.

Come experience firsthand what's happening in Cold Spring Harbor classrooms today.

It's an event you won't want to miss!



Technology raffle prizes every hour for attendees!

## April 24th

## 7pm-9pm

CSHHS Field House

### **Over 30 student-run exhibitions, including:**

3D Printing Demonstration

Students as Publishers - eBooks

West Side School Modern Science Fair

Creating PSAs using Tech Tools

iPads in the Elementary Classroom

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