

THE FRIDAY NOTES

Lloyd Harbor School • September 27, 2013

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "Good actions give strength to ourselves and inspire good actions in others."

by Plato

UPCOMING LHTV REPORTERS: Griffin Chase & Lucas Tietso

LHTV MUSICIAN: Kyle DiNozzi, Alex Lima & Connor Flynn

Monday 9/30	School Photo Day Back-to-School Night – 7PM (Flyer is on the LHS web under "Home Connections").
Tuesday 10/1	
Wednesday 10/2	
Thursday 10/3	Grade 5 DNA Lab – In School
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BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held on **Tuesday, October 8th** at 8pm at the DO.

LLOYD HARBOR WELCOMES OUR NEW NURSE

We are happy to announce Ms. Christine Perez has joined our staff as our School Nurse. She was introduced "officially" to the students on Friday's edition of "LHTV's Morning News"!

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 or approved.

FROM THE LHS/PTG

Back-to-School Night

Save the date - Monday September 30th at 7pm, Grades 2-6.

The Book Fair

The Book Fair is coming to Lloyd Harbor School - save the date October 16th-18th.

Lloyd Harbor Unites

We are only at 29%. Please buy your tickets now! We don't want to have to do any more fundraisers this year - we will have to if we don't sell more tickets. It's so easy. You can either go online to lhsptg.org. You have to click on the DONATE button in order to purchase raffle tickets. Please indicate your eldest child's name, teacher and grade and RSVP to the cocktail party on the "special instructions to seller" option, (the second page after your credit card information), or you can buy your tickets at Back to School Night on Monday September 30th. Be sure to bring your checkbook. Tickets are \$150 for 1 raffle, \$250 for 2 or \$100 each for 3 or more. Grand prize \$3,500, 2nd prize \$1,000 and 3rd prize \$500.

Photo Day

Class and individual photos will be taken on Monday, September 30th (rain date October 1st and retakes will be on 11/13). Please don't forget to bring the white envelope back to school with your check inside.

Parents Play - Recess Program

Thank you very much to all the parents who attended the overview and signed up for this year's Parents Play! A big thank you to the parents that came to play with the children on our first Friday! If you want to sign up for Parents Play, please come to the next overview meeting, which will be held immediately following the LHS*PTG meeting on Thursday, October 10th. If you already attended the overview, you are ready to sign up as many times as you like. Please contact RandiSolis@me.com for any questions.

Save the Date - Fun Run Sunday November 3rd.

Save the Date - CPC Meeting at District Office at 9am - get to hear what is going on in the district at all CSH schools.

Save the Date - FOCUS presents Dr. Rona Novick 10/17/13 at 10am at the PAC at CSH High School - Raising Socially Responsible Children in a Media Challenged World. Dr. Novick is a clinical child psychologist and University Professor in Education. Hope to see you all there.

LHS*PTG School Directory

LHS*PTG School Directory is coming soon. Please sign up to be a member of the LHS*PTG if you haven't already. You will only get your directory full of everyone's names and addresses if you are a PTG member. You can join at Back to School Night.

Fall Festival

Yes, Halloween is just around the corner and we are gearing up for Lloyd Harbor School's Annual Fall Festival to take place on Thursday, October 31st during school hours. Our Halloween Hoedown theme will feature carnival games, country line dancing, mini-golf, a harvest table and more. We need parent volunteers for all the stations at this event so please sign up to help out, wear a costume (optional) and have some fall fun with the kids! If you're interested, kindly contact the Fall Festival chairs: Celeste Pezzano(celestepazzano@optonline.net), Margaret Hooghuis (mhoog@optonline.net) or Kerith Freidberg (kerith@vindamere.com).

The Frozen Kettle Flyer

Support the CFA (High School PTG). Please see the flyer attached.

6th Grade Year Book

Attention 6th Grade Parents: The Photos that are taken on Monday, September 30th, Photo Day are the photos that will be used for the 6th Grade Yearbook. Therefore please have your child dressed as you would like them to appear in the Yearbook. Thanks!

Attention Class Parents: 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 events please get them in early. We need; baby photo, 2nd grade portrait, 2nd to 6th grade field days, Halloween, class trips, Symbols of America, colonial day, Philadelphia trip, immigration day, classroom events, little apple fun run, science fair, winter and spring concerts, etc. - all Lloyd Harbor School events. 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.schoolannualonline.com/login> If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: 400263980 and password: Lloyd Harbor



Cold Spring Harbor Schools

Parent Portal Now Available For All Grades

The portal is the only place to see NYS Grade 3-8 Test Results

Dear Parent or Guardian:

The Cold Spring Harbor school district has extended access to our electronic parent portal to parents of all students.

What information will I have access to?

Different grade levels have access to different information.

Grades K through 3 – Report cards and attendance

Grades 4 through 6 – Report cards, attendance and results for prior year's New York State standardized tests in ELA and Math, as well as Science (last year's grade 4)

Grades 7 and 8 – Student schedules, attendance, progress reports, report cards, teacher grade books and results for prior year's New York State standardized tests in ELA and Math

Grades 9 through 12 – same as 7 and 8, and unofficial transcripts.

How can I apply for access to the portal?

Note that if you already have an account (because you have a student in the Jr/Sr High) there is no need to create another. You can see all your children's information from your existing account.

You can apply for an account online by visiting our website at www.csh.k12.ny.us and selecting Parent Portal on the left.

When applying online, you will need to have the following information handy:

- Parent/Guardian Name (apply using one parent's name only; you can create separate accounts for each parent if you like)
- Student Name
- Student ID Number (can be found on schedule/progress report/report card – this is the same as your child's lunch ID number)
- Student Grade Level
- School

We hope you find this system helpful in staying informed of your child's progress.



How To Access New York State Testing Program Parent Reports

Cold Spring Harbor Schools

To view your student's test results for prior year(s) follow these steps:

1. Create a parent portal account (if you don't already have one). Visit www.csh.k12.ny.us and click on Parent Portal on the left
2. Once your account is approved, log in. You will see your students. Click on the student's name.

ID	First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	School	Grade
1 123456	John		Smith	Cold Spring Harbor HS	10
2 654321	Deborah		Smith	Cold Spring Harbor HS	12
3 246845	Harold		Smith	Cold Spring Harbor HS	9

3. On the following screen, click on the **Assessments** tab

4. Click on **Assessments Report** on the right side of the screen to access the entire Parent Report

Date	Assessment	Language	Modification	GR	SH	GS	RA	CBI	SS	LP	NP	NC	NS	Assessments Report
05/14/2013	Regents Living Environment						61							LS LV AS BM
05/11/2013	Regents Living Environment						61							
04/25/2012	Grade 7 Math								659					2
04/17/2012	Grade 7 ELA								635					1
05/11/2011	Grade 6 Math								476					1

5. Click **NYSTP** (New York State Testing Program)

6. The Superintendent's letter will appear. Click the links on the left to view the reports.



- Overview
- ELA (2012)
- 2011-2012
- ELA (2013)
- 2012-2013
- Mathematics (2012)
- 2011-2012
- Mathematics (2013)
- 2012-2013

Dear Parents or Guardians

In April of this past school year, the Cold Spring Harbor School District administered the New York State English Language Arts and Math Assessment to all students in grades 3-8. In addition, students in grades 4 and 8 were administered a science assessment. It is important to note that this year's scores cannot be compared to any previous year's performance, as these represent the first standardized assessments aligned with the new Common Core State Standards. In this regard, these scores serve as a baseline measurement for a new and more rigorous set of learning standards.

Students are assigned a performance level based on how they perform on the test. Although there are four possible performance levels, there is a broad range of points on a scale (Scale Score) associated with each performance level and within each grade. A score at performance level 3 or 4 is considered proficient, indicating that the student's performance demonstrates a thorough understanding of the knowledge and skills expected at that grade level and subject area assessed. Students who received a score at performance level 1 or 2 demonstrated partial understanding of the knowledge and skills expected at that grade level and subject area.

COLD SPRING HARBOR YOUTH LACROSSE



**REGISTRATION NOW OPEN
FOR SPRING 2014**

Boys 2nd-6th Grade Travel

Girls 3rd-6th Grade Travel

***Registration Closing
OCTOBER 31st**

Register TODAY!!

Go to cshlax.com

*All late registrants for travel will be charged \$100 late fee.
K-1 Boys and K-2 Girls non-travel registration will remain open.

From the Cold Spring Harbor Children's Department...

Do you have a child in Kindergarten or 1st grade?
Sign them up for our NEW Facts & Fun program!

In keeping with the New York State Common Core guidelines, this storytime for older children will explore different topics through nonfiction reading, crafts, and other fun activities. As always, registration is required, so sign your child up for one or all of these exciting programs today!

Fall Facts & Fun Schedule



Monday, September 30th at 4:30pm
Autumn Adventures

LAST CHANCE!!

Monday, October 7th at 4:30pm
Animals Down Under



Wednesday, October 23rd at 4:30pm
All About Halloween

Monday, November 4th at 4:30pm
Our Pets



Wednesday, November 13th at 4:30pm
Ocean Life

Cold Spring Harbor Library
95 Harbor Rd.
Cold Spring Harbor, NY 11724
631-692-6820
www.cshlibrary.org

**For Adults! *Programs for Grown-Ups from Cold Spring Harbor*
Library's Information Services Department**



***Knitting Class with Loop on Main
of Cold Spring Harbor***

4 Thursdays: October 3, 10, 17 and 24, from 12:00 – 1:30 p.m.

Learn to knit, brush up on your skills,

or get help with a current project from professionals!

Register in advance at the Information Services Desk.

Fee: \$80 payable by check to Cold Spring Harbor Library (includes materials).

Max class size: 12.

**Stay Well Naturally During
Cold and Flu Season!**

Wednesday, October 2, 12:30pm - 2:00pm



Naturopathic Doctor Jillian Finker, a licensed Naturopathic Doctor with over ten years of experience in natural medicine, will discuss the best vitamins and supplements for optimal health.

Come learn about the hidden dangers in the food we eat and how to avoid them.

Q & A to follow.

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- classics & bestsellers
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Visit www.cshlibrary.org, click on "Download eBooks, Video, Music & Audiobooks," and follow the links.

For more information about any Adult Program, contact the Cold Spring Harbor Library Information Services Desk at 631-692-6820 or askref@cshlibrary.org.

Come out for a delicious treat & help support the CFA-PTO!



Friday, September 27 from 4-8pm

The Frozen Kettle will be donating 20% of the evening's proceeds to the Cold Spring Harbor CFA-PTO.

All of the funds raised will go toward supporting the clubs, activities and events for students of the CSH Jr/Sr. High School!

The Frozen Kettle is located at 356 New York Avenue, in Huntington Village



COLD SPRING HARBOR CFA-PTO

www.cshcfa.com