

THE FRIDAY NOTES

Lloyd Harbor School • November 14, 2014



SEL FAMILY WORD FOR NOVEMBER: Apathy

QUOTE OF THE WEEK: "Gratitude makes sense of our past, brings peace for today, and creates a vision for tomorrow."
 ~ Melody Beattie

UPCOMING LHTV REPORTERS: Kiara Friedberg (5CB) and Brielle Amadeo (5CB)

SCHOOL STORE: Gabby Emsden (4S) and Andrew D'Ambrosio (4S)

LHTV MUSICIANS: Zain Awan, Dan DiNozzi (6L), Bryce Reim (6O)

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| Monday 11/17 | Little Shelter Program Begins |
| Tuesday 11/18 | Grade 4 Field Trip to Blydenberg Park – 9-2:45PM SIT Board of Education Meeting CO at 8PM |
| Wednesday 11/19 | |
| Thursday 11/20 | Turkey Trot |
| Friday 11/21 | School Spirit Day Turkey Trot Marking Period Ends |



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A MESSAGE FROM THE PRINCIPAL SPOTLIGHT ON...MIX IT UP DAY

Lunch looked a little different for our third graders today. November 14, 2014 was our first (and hopefully not last) Mix It Up Day! The idea was born out of the passions of this year's SIT committee. We've been discussing ways to foster friendships, teach tolerance, and build an all-inclusive community. Lunch time seemed like a great place to start. School Improvement Team members took the names of all our third grade students and grouped them, focusing on 'mixing up' the pre-existing seating plan in the café. The groups were then given colors for identification purposes. Children were informed about this special third grade privilege in class. Teachers were very supportive of the activity and helped get the children excited.

Third graders switched their lunch and recess time, to allow the event to take place. Prior to coming to lunch, each child received an index card indicating the color of his/her group. They had to find the corresponding color tablecloth, so they knew where to sit. We received positive feedback from the children. They were thrilled to have the opportunity to eat with friends they haven't been with since Goosehill. Others asked if we could do this more often.

A big thank you goes out to our 2014-15 LHS SIT participants. This was only possible because of the skills and dedication of our parents and teacher members, and of course Mr. Gray! In the near future, we hope to survey the students and get their feedback to see if this is something we'd like to do again! Either way, we certainly hope the children had positive experiences and made a new friend or became reacquainted with an old one!

BOARD OF EDUCATION

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held on **Tuesday, November 18th** 8pm at the DO.

EMERGENCY CHANGES IN TRANSPORTATION

If a situation arises where you must make a change in your child's afternoon dismissal from school and you e-mail us in the office, we will respond to your e-mail so you will know it has been received. If you do not receive a response, please follow up with a telephone call to check if it was received.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The Student Council Candy Drive was a huge success! We collected over 200 lbs of candy! Thank you for all your kindness and generosity. Our troops will be very excited to receive their letters and care packages.

STUDENT COUNCIL MEETING

There will be a Student Council meeting this upcoming Monday, November 17th at 8am in the cafe. All representatives must attend!

BOX TOPS

We are collecting Box Tops! Please bring in your box tops and deposit them in the plastic container outside of the LHTV Newsroom (Room 107) to help us meet this year's goal.

6th GRADE SELECT CHORUS

Select Chorus ends at 3:45PM. Pick-up is at the back circle. If you need the permission slip, it can be found under "School Notices" on the school's website.

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.

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.

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.

FROM THE LHS/PTG...

Sixth Graders - Yearbook

Get your pictures in the yearbook! The Yearbook Staff invites students and parents to submit photos for the yearbook. We are looking for a baby photo, 2nd grade portrait, 5th and 6th grade play, 4th through 6th grade concerts and 2nd through 6th grade field days, Halloween, class trips, Symbols of America, Luau, Colonial Day, Philadelphia trip, classroom celebrations, and Science Fair. 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.schoolannualonline.com/login> If it does not automatically log you into the site, enter username: 401854101. 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 03/01/2015. The Yearbook Staff will review all photos and determine final yearbook content. We cannot guarantee that all submissions can be used in the book.

Lloyd Harbor Unites

Thank you to all those families that purchased tickets for LHU. We will see those that can make it there tonight, Huntington Country Club, 7-9pm. Dress Code is jackets required for men and no jeans, please.

Photo Re-take Day

Thank you to Erica Giarraputo and Alex Maiorino for organizing the kids for Photo Re-take Day.

Holiday Boutique

Please note the new date for the Holiday Boutique is December 2nd - 4th.

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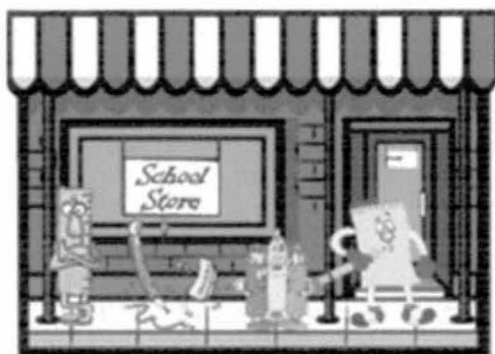
Our next 2nd cup of coffee is Friday November 21st at 9:30 in the Community Room at Goosehill. Please join us!!

ASPIRE Center for Learning and Development Proactive vs. Reactive College Transition for High School Students with Disabilities

Are your teens thinking of attending college? Are you feeling stuck and aren't sure how to best prepare them for this transition? In this talk, staff from *ASPIRE Center for Learning and Development* will review what you and your teen need to know in order to make this transition a successful experience. Students with disabilities CAN succeed in college! Come find out how! The speakers are Monica Arevalo, MS, MHC and Maureen Holohan.

Lloyd Harbor Student Council Presents

The School Store



Days/Times of Operation: 8:30am-8:50am Tues, Wed, Thurs

Items for sale:

T-Shirts: \$10

Long-sleeved shirts: \$20

Pencils: \$0.50 – 3 for \$1

Bracelets: \$2

Pens: \$1 – 3 for \$2

Erasers: \$0.25

Stickers: \$0.25

Stuffed lions: \$8

Mood rings \$1 3 for \$2

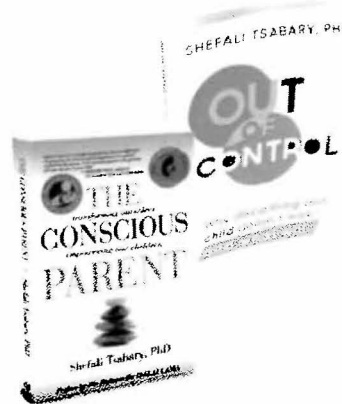
Temporary tattoos: 0.25

****Please bring your money in an envelope or a ziploc bag (so that you can put your change in it). Write your name and the amount you are bringing in on the outside of the envelope or bag. Thank you!****

Give Yourself a Gift This Holiday Season

Cold Spring Harbor Central School District
proudly presents:

Dr. Shefali Tsabary
Becoming a Conscious Parent



Wednesday, December 10, 2014
7:00pm

Cold Spring Harbor Jr/ Sr High School
Performing Arts Center

Pre-Registration: \$10

Night of Event: \$15

Please register online at:

www.csh.k12.ny.us

Pre-registration is strongly recommended as space is limited

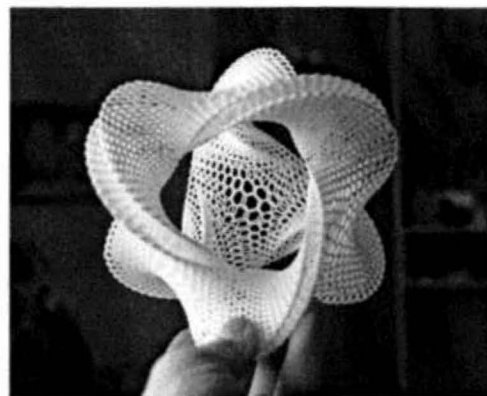
Dr. Shefali Tsabary is a clinical psychologist who received her training at Columbia University. She integrates Eastern mindfulness with Western psychology, establishing her as one of a kind in the parenting field. Dr. Tsabary has made multiple appearances on Oprah's *Lifeclass* series. She is the author of two parenting books – *The Conscious Parent*, and *Out of Control*.

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

3D Printer on Display

Visit us in the Children's Department this week to see the Suffolk County Library System's traveling 3D printer!

We will be giving demonstrations of this new technology from Saturday, November 15– Friday, November 28. A reception will be held on Wednesday, November 19th in the Hands-On Learning Center from 4-6pm. Light refreshments will be served!



SIGNATURE EVENTS

Save the Date!

Ballet Long Island- Nutcracker Act II

Sunday December 7, 2014 3:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Make plans to enjoy this seasonal favorite at your library!

Registration is required.



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

For Adults! *Programs and Services from Cold Spring Harbor Library's Information Services Department*

**What You Need to Know Before Buying a Digital Camera
Wednesday, November 19 at 7pm**



Open to adults and young adults!

There are more products on the market than ever before to create digital images – cameras, lenses, flashes, filters, accessories, bags, computer software, and more. What should you get?

Learn what's available and what you really need to capture the type of images you want, just in time for the holiday season.

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