



LISG NEWSLETTER



April 16, 2010

CONGRATULATIONS to the following seventh graders who are being honored by the Johns Hopkins University Center for Talented Youth for their outstanding performance on the SAT: Monica Bederman, Rose Bender, Grant Berland, Reva Butensky, Violet Davis, Hannah Johnston, Christopher Lee, Brent Mertz, Suzanne Norris, Zachary Poplawski, and Jonathan Scheiner. Students will be invited to an awards ceremony in the Fall.

Additionally, eighth grader Ruby Malusa has qualified for the SET (Study of Exceptional Talent). To receive this distinction, students must achieve 700 or more on the math and verbal tests before the age of thirteen. Ruby has qualified in both areas, and we congratulate her for this remarkable achievement.

Also, L.I.S.G. has been named one of the top ten schools in New York by the Center for Talented Youth. We congratulate the students and their SAT teachers: Mrs. Dolan, Mrs. Novick, Mrs. Shukla, Mrs. Singh and Mrs. Williams, for this outstanding achievement.

30TH ANNIVERSARY TEE SHIRTS The tee shirts were distributed to the students on Tuesday. If you ordered a tee shirt and did not receive one, please contact the office.

PANORAMIC PHOTO The panoramic photo of the students and staff will be taken outside on Tuesday, April 20, 2010. (If it rains, this will be postponed until Wednesday, April 21, 2010.) Everyone is asked to wear school shirts or school colors (green and white). Order forms for this photo were sent home with the students last week. If you require an additional form, please contact the office on Monday.

THE SPRING CONCERT is Friday, April 30, 2010, at 7:30 P.M. All members of the L.I.S.G. community are invited. Students will see the dress rehearsal in school. Tickets go on sale April 15, 2010. The advance price is \$2.50 per ticket. Tickets will also be sold at the door for \$3.00.

FIELD DAY is coming up in May. Order forms for L.I.S.G. Field Day tee shirts went home with the students on Wednesday. If you would like to order a tee shirt, please complete the tear-off and return it to the school by **April 23, 2010**. Tee shirts are \$12.00 each and students will receive the appropriate background color for their team (white or green).

REMINDER The NYSSMA competition takes place on **Monday, April 26, 2010**, for those who have registered. Mrs. Myers will issue playing permits a few days prior.

SCRABBLE TOURNAMENT Students in grades four through nine can try out for the *L.I.S.G. Scrabble Tournament* on Monday, April 19, 2010. Students must bring a bag lunch because the tryouts take place during their lunch periods.

PERMISSION SLIPS for the upper school trip to New York City, on Wednesday, May 12, 2010, are past due. Please send these in on **Monday**.

THANK YOU to the *Tallo Family* and the *Patel Family* for their donations to the "*Library Celebrations Book Club*."

SECRETARY'S DAY is Wednesday, April 21, 2010. We extend our deepest thanks to our school secretaries and administrative professionals for all they do to keep the school running smoothly. We hope they have a wonderful day!

PARENTS ASSOCIATION NEWS

PLANT SALE The L.I.S.G. Parents Association continues to take orders for its Annual Plant Sale. The order forms were distributed last week and are also available online. Click on "Newsletter." All proceeds from the plant sale directly benefit our students. The deadline for orders is **April 26, 2010**. The plant sale pickup day is May 5, 2010 between 8:00 A.M. and 3:30 P.M. We regret that there can be no exceptions; all orders must be picked up on this day. There will also be a selection of plants available for purchase on the pickup day. Volunteers are urgently needed to help unload the truck on the morning of May 5. Please call Mrs. Cohen if you can help out or if you have any questions about the plant sale.

WISHING EVERYONE A GOOD WEEKEND!