



The Hagedorn Little Village School

Jack Joel Center for Special Children

January 2021 Newsletter



*Happy Holidays From
Everyone at Little Village*



happy holidays

Thank You!

Thank you to the Microsoft Store in Roosevelt Field Mall for their incredibly generous gift of laptops to the school. We were contacted by **Jerelyn Zontini**, the mother of HLVS alumnus **Zachary Zontini**, who is an employee with Microsoft. When Microsoft was planning to close this location, she thoughtfully recommended us to be a recipient of more than 40 gently used Surface Pros.

This donation couldn't have come at a better time. Thank you Jerelyn, and thank you Microsoft!!!



Thank you to the firm of **Stagg Wabnik Law Group LLP**

for their very useful
donation!

They were kind enough to offer
HLVS a donation of file
cabinets that they no longer
needed.

Thank you Stagg Wabnik Law
Group!! And thank you Betty
for coordinating this donation!



Giving Tree & Giving Hearts Collection

*Celebrating the generosity
and uniqueness of The Hagedorn Little Village Family*



For the last 11 years, we've been sharing our story of the *Giving Hearts Collection*. Led by **Sue Lasher**, this effort has helped many of Little Village staff families who have faced difficult times. This unique program is a way for Little Village staff to help each other and extend kindness and generosity to those around us who might be in need during the holiday season. Thank you Sue and all of our amazingly generous staff for this awesome demonstration of giving and caring.

The Giving Tree is another way Little Village staff helps families in need. Organized and led by **Regina Brennan**, **Jenn McAteer** and **Staci Sherman**, The Giving Tree contains leaves with gift cards from BJs, Amazon, Walmart, etc. A staff member takes a leaf, then buys the gift card which is subsequently donated to our students' families that are in need. In addition to Little Village staff, parents and friends of Little Village also contribute to this great cause. This year, we will be providing holiday gifts to more than 25 families.



Room 11—Working at Centers

Teacher Denise Zahakos





We're Going Virtual!!!



Our 50th Anniversary Gala will be a Virtual Event!

Join us on April 22, 2021 at 7pm!

Watch for Future Announcements!



*Master of Ceremonies
Joe Piscopo*

*Virtual Gala will include
virtual chat rooms, silent
auction, entertainment,
videos and more!*

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Holiday Fun and Staff Creativity



Holiday Fun and Staff Creativity (Continued)! Happy Holidays!



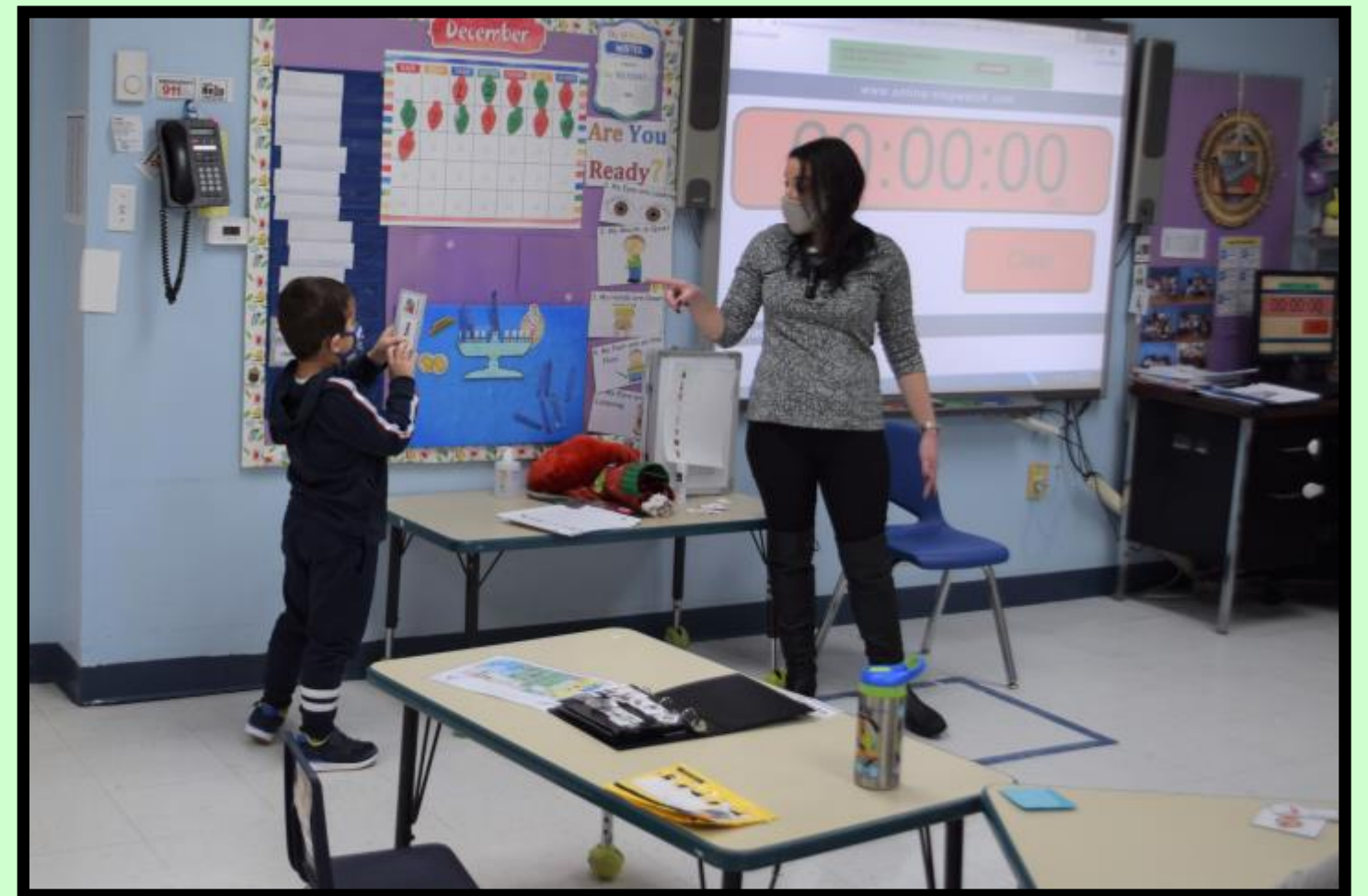
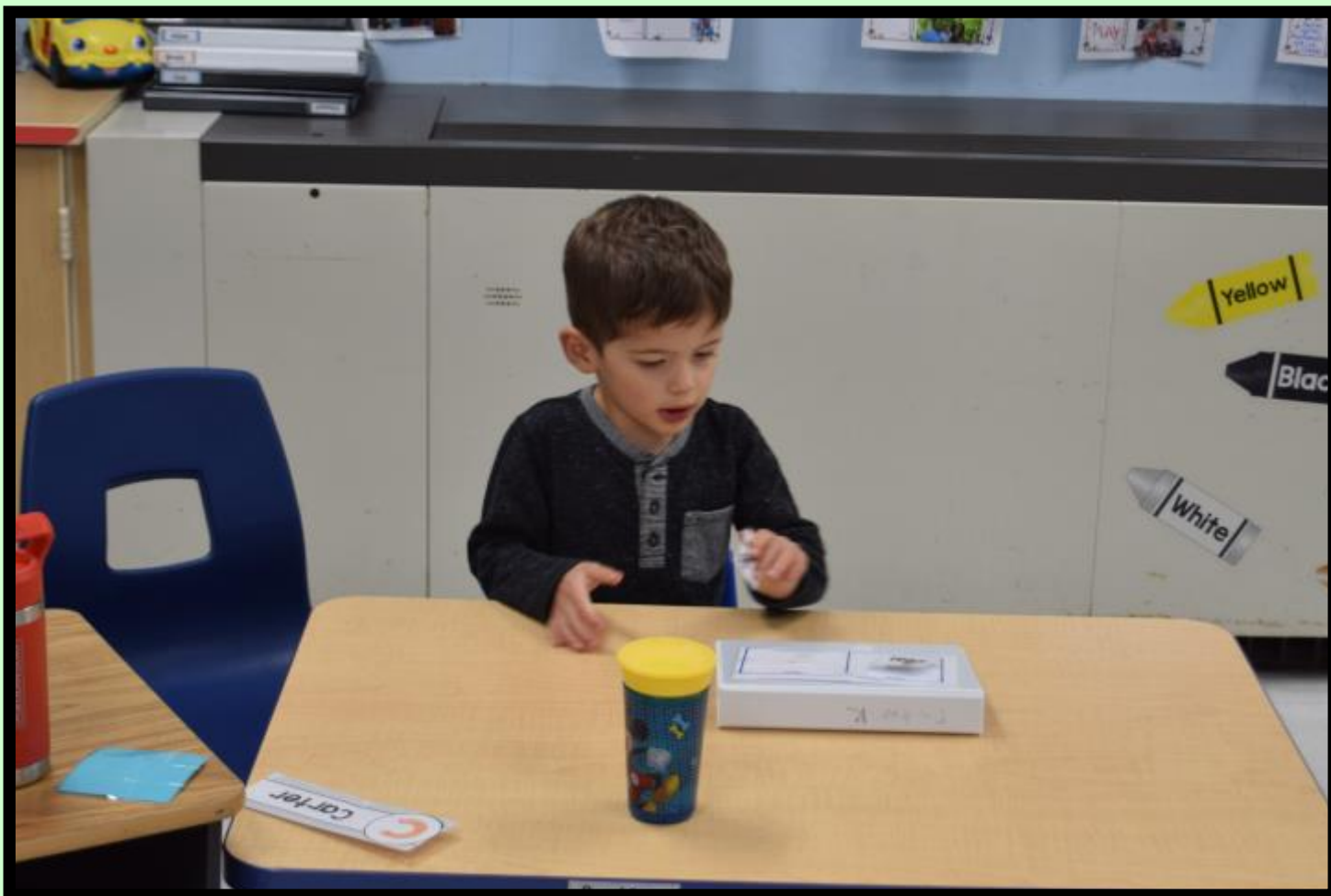
See more pictures on our Facebook and Instagram accounts.

Have a question? Email information@littlevillage.org

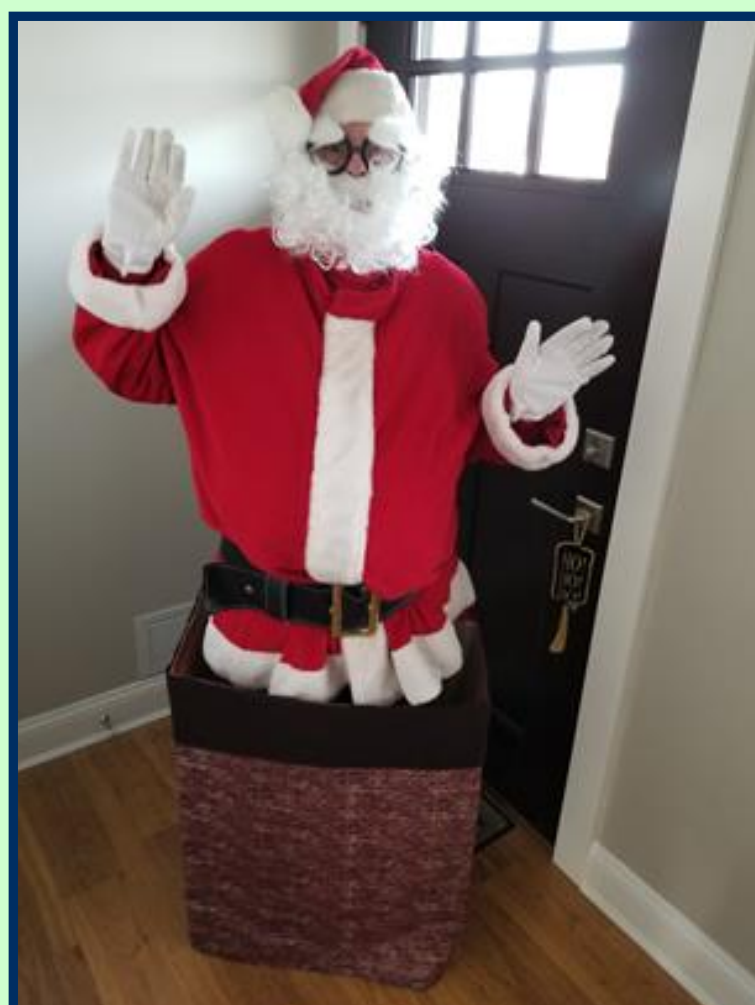


Room 62 Engaging in a Movement Song

Teacher Rebecca Sblendorio



Staff Ugly Sweater Day





The Hagedorn Little Village School Jack Joel Center for Special Children 26th Annual Golf Classic



**Date changed to
*June 14, 2021***

**Look for upcoming
mailings!**

Honoring
Doug Solow
with the
*2020 Drew Weidhorn
Humanitarian Award!*



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Look for upcoming mailings ▪ For information, contact Jennifer
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2019 Golf Classic Memories!

