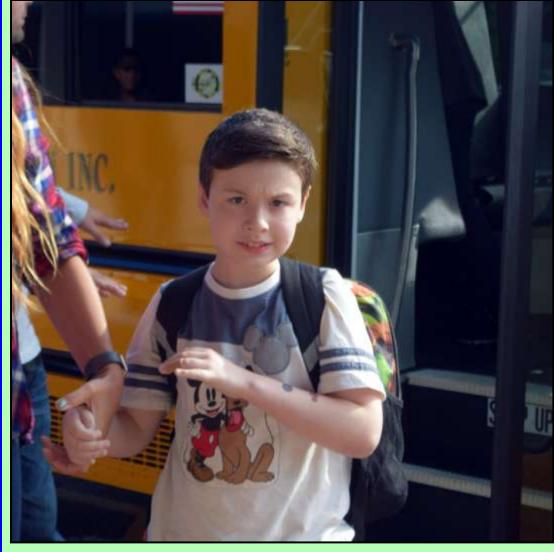
# **The Hagedorn Little Village School** Jack Joel Center for Special Children

# September 2017 Newsletter

# Welcome Back to School!



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#### Long Island Children's Museum Visit

The Long Island Children's Museum provided a free outreach program, "Build It", for our school-age program. The children had a chance to hear about and explore the scientific principles and physical forces behind structures such as bridges, towers, and domes. They had the opportunity to construct their own freestanding structure out of modeling clay and different materials. It was so much fun!

Thank you to the LICM for some awesome experiences this summer!











# End of Summer USA Parades





















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# **Room 61 Celebrates the First Day of School!**

The children in Room 61, along with their teacher, Kristina Lanza, enjoyed the first few days back at school by posing in their first day frame and making an apple craft after listening to

the book, "My Teacher is My Friend". The students even helped to create the classroom rules. Our 12 new friends are truly the "apple of room 61's eyes!"



# NOW ENROLLING!

Several openings still available!

#### **Preschool Inclusion At The Hagedorn Little Village School**

The Hagedorn Little Village School is pleased to announce that our Preschool Inclusion Programs are continuing for the 2017–2018 school year.

We offer two full day Inclusion Classes (M–F 9:00am – 2:30pm) running from September through June comprised of 8 children with IEPs and 10 children without IEPs. Each class is taught by a Special Education Teacher, a General Education Teacher and includes 2 Teacher Assistants.

Please note: At this time, we are only accepting children without an IEP.

#### <u>We offer:</u>

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- An academic curriculum in accordance with NYS Preschool Learning Standards
- Emphasis on "Hands On" Activities
- Two Outdoor Playgrounds
- Phys Ed with a Certified Teacher
- Group Movement Therapy with Licensed Creative Arts Therapists
- Two full time nurses on site
- Optional Early Drop-off and After School Club available



#### ENROLL NOW!! LIMITED OPENINGS AVAILABLE

Tuition Rate \$675 per month

Please call Wendy Sciubba at 516-520-6072 (or email her at <u>wendy.sciubba@littlevillage.org</u>) for information or to register your child(ren).





#### **Room 6am's First Week of School**



Teacher Tom Sharp and the children in Room 6am having fun and learning during the first week of school.





## **Room 5's End of Summer Camping Trip**

Room 5 ended their summer with a camping trip! They had so much fun camping in the classroom and enjoyed the opportunity to sleep in a sleeping bag next to their "campfire" and lantern. They also "roasted" marshmallows over the campfire to make delicious *Smores* which everyone loved! Thanks to Teacher Rosemary Ross for a fantastic end of summer treat!



### Room 13 Meets Mat Man

The children in Room 13 met a new friend! His name is Mat Man. Teacher Mary Beth O'Donnell and the students listened to a funny song about Mat Man and drew a picture of him along with the song. As you can see, we have great artists in Room 13!





Student

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# **One Island Giving Day**



Little Village will be participating in *One Island Giving Day* on October 26, 2017. This event is a one-day virtual event that aims to raise over \$1 million dollars for local, LI-based nonprofits to help create a stronger



Long Island for ALL Long Islanders. Little Village is one of the not-for-profit organizations that can benefit from this day. The One Island Giving Day website is https://oneislandgiving.razoo.com/giving-events/oig17.

The event encourages our community to contribute to local nonprofit organizations through a single online giving platform on (or before) October 26, 2017. The campaign is coordinated by The Hagedorn Foundation in partnership with area nonprofit organizations. Local organizations, businesses, and community groups are coming together to challenge anyone and everyone who loves Long Island to unite and give to the local nonprofit or cause they care about most. Thank you all for your support of Little Village and our students and families!

Look for further information on our website, Facebook page and Instagram!

**26th Annual Golf Classic** September 25, 2017

Join us for cocktails and dinner as Little Village presents the first annual

#### Drew Weidhorn Humanitarian Award to Missy Weidhorn

Contact Jennifer Kirincic 516-520-6043 or Jennifer.kirincic @littlevillage.org for more information or to purchase tickets -RSVP Required

> Evening Program: Cocktails • 4:30-5:30pm Dinner, Video • 5:30-6:30pm Presentation of the Drew Weidhorn Humanitarian Award • 6:30pm Live Auction • 6:45



Friday, November 17, 2017 Verdi's of Westbury Westbury, NY



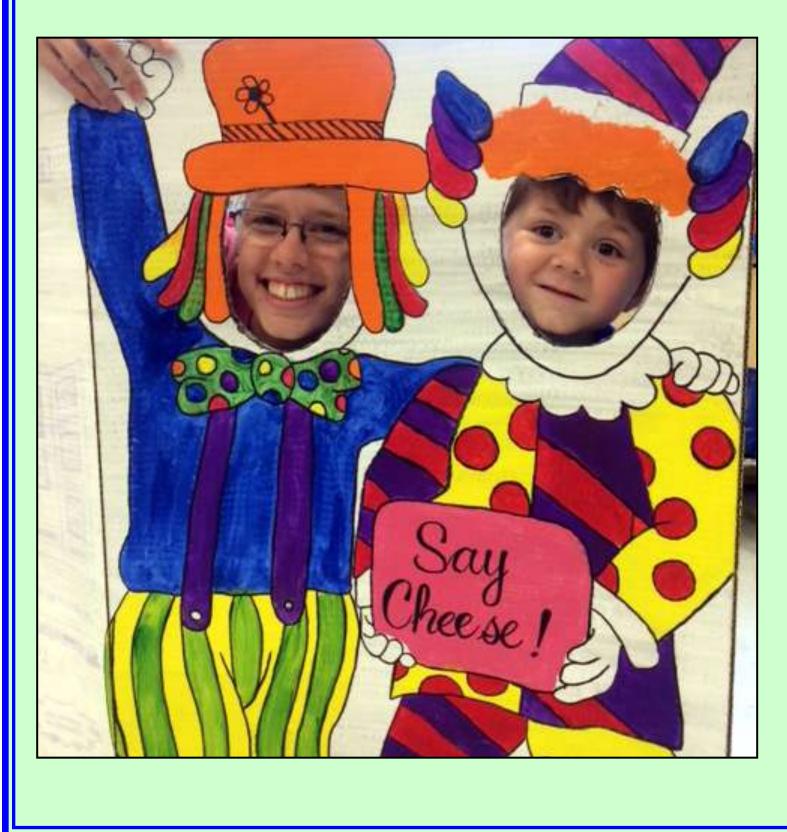
**7pm-12am** For more information contact Janet Mouliere at 516-520-6067 or email at Janet.mouliere@littlevillage.org





# Classroom News

#### Culminating Activities in Room 80 From Our Summer "From Sea To Shining Sea" Theme











# **ASHA Conference at Little Village**

December 4,

2017

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# Enhancing the Use of Augmentative and Alternative Communication: Functional Strategies for Teaching Core Vocabulary

Presenter: Christine Baudin, M.S., CCC-SLP, TSHH

Registration 8:00am • Conference 8:30am - 4:00pm

.6 CEUs offered • Level: Intermediate • Professional Area

**Program Description** 

This full day workshop will focus on working with children with complex communication needs that use Augmentative and Alternative Communication. This course will teach numerous interventions and techniques for using a dynamic screen-layout that will best allow students to grow with their changing language abilities. The audience will learn applicable strategies to teach those students to communicate beyond requesting and answering with voice output technology.

A strong focus will be on initiating use of assistive technology, training alternative access methods, implementation of augmentative and alternative communication in the classroom while using classroom curriculum and teaching Augmentative and Alternative Communication technology communicators literacy and writing skills. Additionally, participants will have access to low tech core vocabulary displays, online

therapy techniques and inexpensive alternative technology techniques.

#### **Register On-line at www.littlevillage.org**

For more information contact Jessica Resnick or Kimberly Neary (516) 520-

# 2018 GOLDEN RULE AWARD DINNER THURSDAY, JANUARY 25, 2018 Tresh Meadow Country Club • 255 Lakeville Rd. Lake Success, N.Y. 11020 Golden Rule Award Recipient Michael Raab CMS Inc. Save Save Beten response Event sponsor National Country Club • 255 Lakeville Rd. Lake Success, N.Y. 11020 Golden Rule Award Recipient Susan Weshler Memorial Award Recipient Joseph S. Saladino Supervisor, Town of Oyster Bay Event sponsor Not Recipient Newn sponsor Supervisor, Town of Oyster Bay Supervisor, Town of Oyster Bay Supervisor, Town of Oyster Bay