

# The Hagedorn Little Village School

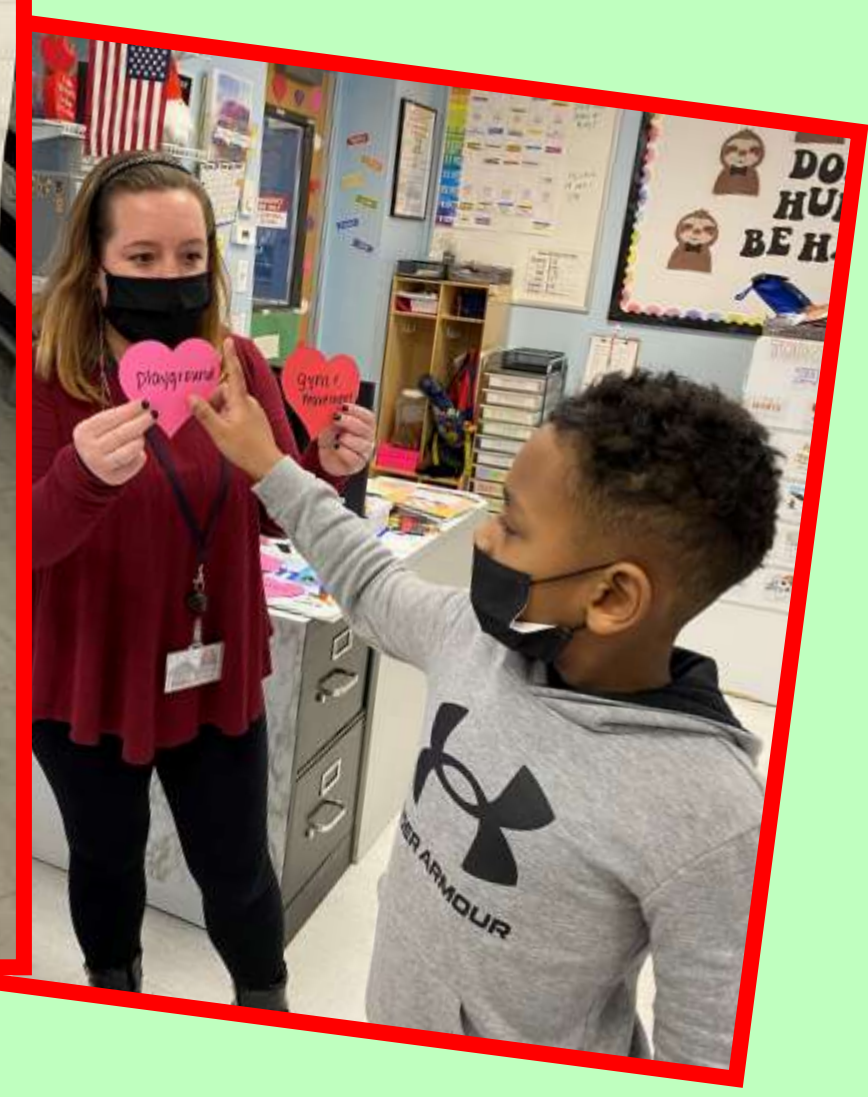
Jack Joel Center for Special Children



## March 2022 Newsletter

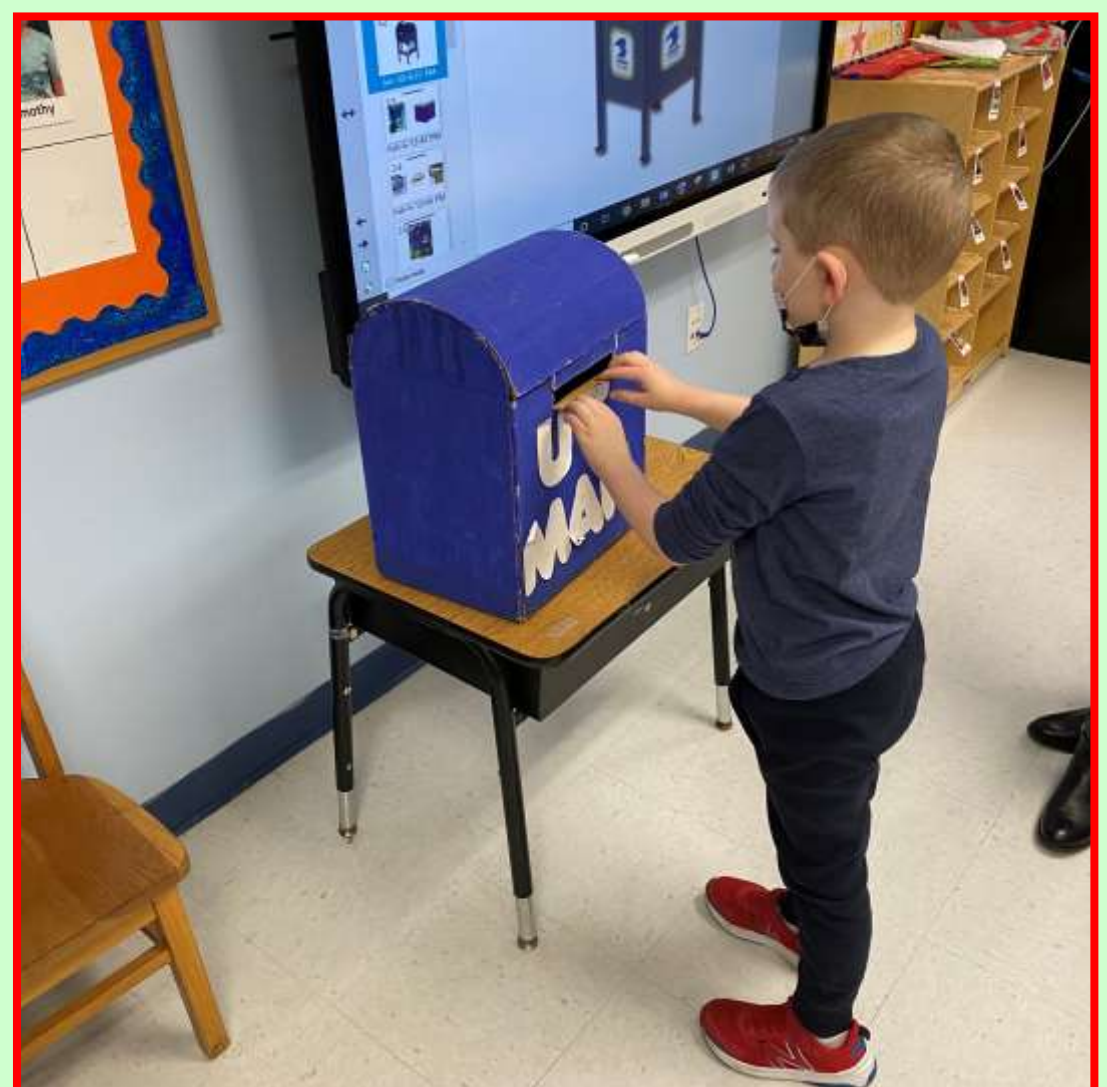
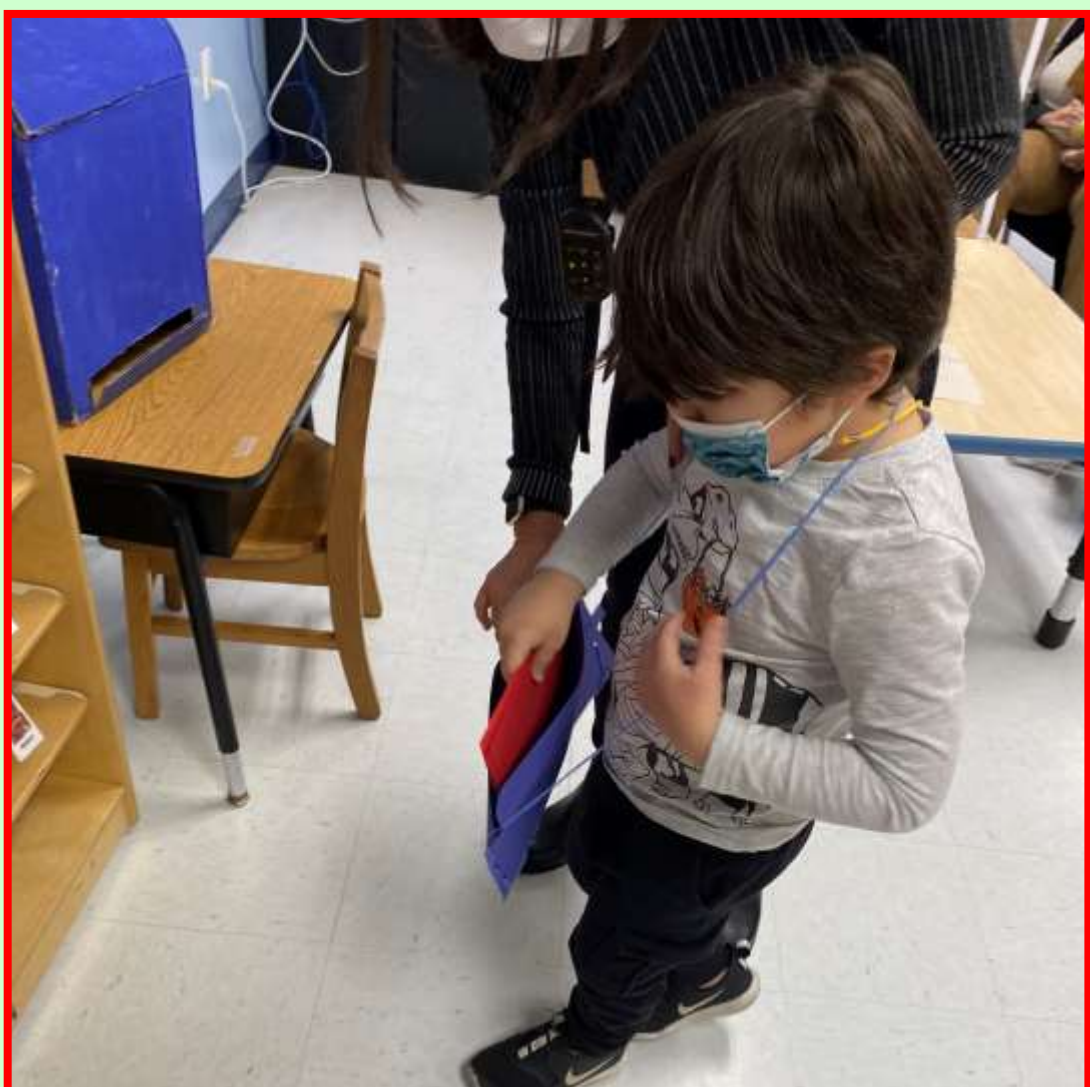
# Valentine's Day at Little Village

## Room 24 Celebrates!





**The Students in  
Room 220 Sends  
Valentines to  
Their Friends**







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## Save the Date!

**Rescheduled for Wednesday April 6, 2022**



**Master of Ceremonies  
Bruce Beck  
WNBC**

## 2022 Golden Rule Award Dinner!!

### The Heritage Club

Bethpage, New York

**Golden Rule Award  
Recipient**

**Adam Haber**



**Susan Weshler  
Memorial Award Recipient**

**Johanna Keep**



*Featuring Live Music  
From One of Long Island's  
Top Bands!*



### Sponsorships

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| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><u>Event Sponsor(s)</u></b>    | 40 Dinner Guests, a <b>Little Village Classroom Named in Your Honor</b> , Journal Gold Page, Event Sponsor Banner, inscribed brick in HLVS "Pathway of Our Future" walk, Video Scroll and company or individual name on all event publications | <b>\$50,000</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><u>Grand Sponsor(s)</u></b>    | 30 Dinner Guests, a <b>Little Village Classroom Named in Your Honor</b> , Journal Gold Page, Grand Sponsor Banner, and Video Scroll  | <b>\$25,000</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><u>Dinner Sponsor(s)</u></b>   | 20 Dinner Guests, Journal Gold Page, Dinner Sponsor Banner & Video Scroll  | <b>\$15,000</b> |
| <input type="checkbox"/> <b><u>Cocktail Sponsor(s)</u></b> | 10 Dinner Guests, Journal Gold Page, Cocktail Sponsor Banner & Video Scroll  | <b>\$10,000</b> |

#### Dinner & Journal Packages:

___ Table for Ten Guests & Gold Page	<b>\$4,500</b>
___ Table for Ten Guests & Silver Page	<b>\$4,000</b>
___ Table for Ten Guests & White Page	<b>\$3,500</b>

#### Table & Individual Tickets:

___ Table for Ten Guests	<b>\$2,500</b>
___ Individual Ticket	<b>\$ 295</b>

#### Other Sponsorships

___ Photo Booth	<b>\$1,000</b>
___ Candy Buffet	<b>\$ 750</b>

#### Journal Advertising Rates (3 picture max)

___ Back Cover	<b>\$3,500</b>	___ Inside Cover	<b>\$2,750</b>	___ Gold Page	<b>\$2,250</b>
___ Silver Page	<b>\$1,750</b>	___ White Page	<b>\$1,250</b>	___ Half Page	<b>\$ 700</b>
___ Quarter Page	<b>\$ 300</b>				

#### Video Scroll

\_\_\_ Your name and/or corporate logo shown on TV Monitors throughout cocktail hour and dinner **\$250**



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on-line registration and  
to purchase tickets or  
sponsorships**

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# *Meet the Little Village Movement Therapy Department!*

The **Movement Therapy** program at HLVS was founded over 50 years ago by **Bette Blau** and has continued to be an integral part of the social/emotional and educational journey of our students.

The department has four members who have their Master's Degrees and are New York State licensed Creative Arts Therapists. They can be seen facilitating 54 classroom groups weekly as well as providing individual therapy and Social Skills groups to many HLVS children.

**Susan Lasher** (22 years), **Melissa DiCaro** (13 years), **Jessica Arroyo** (3.5 years) and **Nicole Grigonis** (2 months) describe their work as rewarding, challenging and uplifting. While the pandemic has created many obstacles, their endless creativity and willingness to adapt have allowed the children to continue to experience the joy of using movement and music to explore and learn while addressing important goals such as impulse control, turn taking, self-expression and peer interaction.

The Movement Department is also actively involved in the Morale Committee, which works to provide fun activities throughout the year to the staff including raffles, scavenger hunts and holiday festivities. Department members always offer assistance and support where needed for both staff and students. They collectively believe in the philosophy that we rise by lifting others. On a more personal note...Miss Sue is the proud Mom of two teenagers and Miss Melissa is the proud Mom of two younger children. Miss Jessica and Miss Nicole are both engaged and excited to be planning their weddings.

No matter what each day brings at HLVS, the Movement Department always finds a reason to smile!



Sue, Jessica, Nicole and Melissa



*The Students in Room 14 Learning About Community Helpers*





# 2022 Fashion Show!!

Save  
the  
Date



Crest Hollow  
Country Club

*Wednesday, August 3  
6:00pm – 10:00pm*



*Fun For  
Everyone!*

*Great  
Prizes,  
Food &  
Drink!*



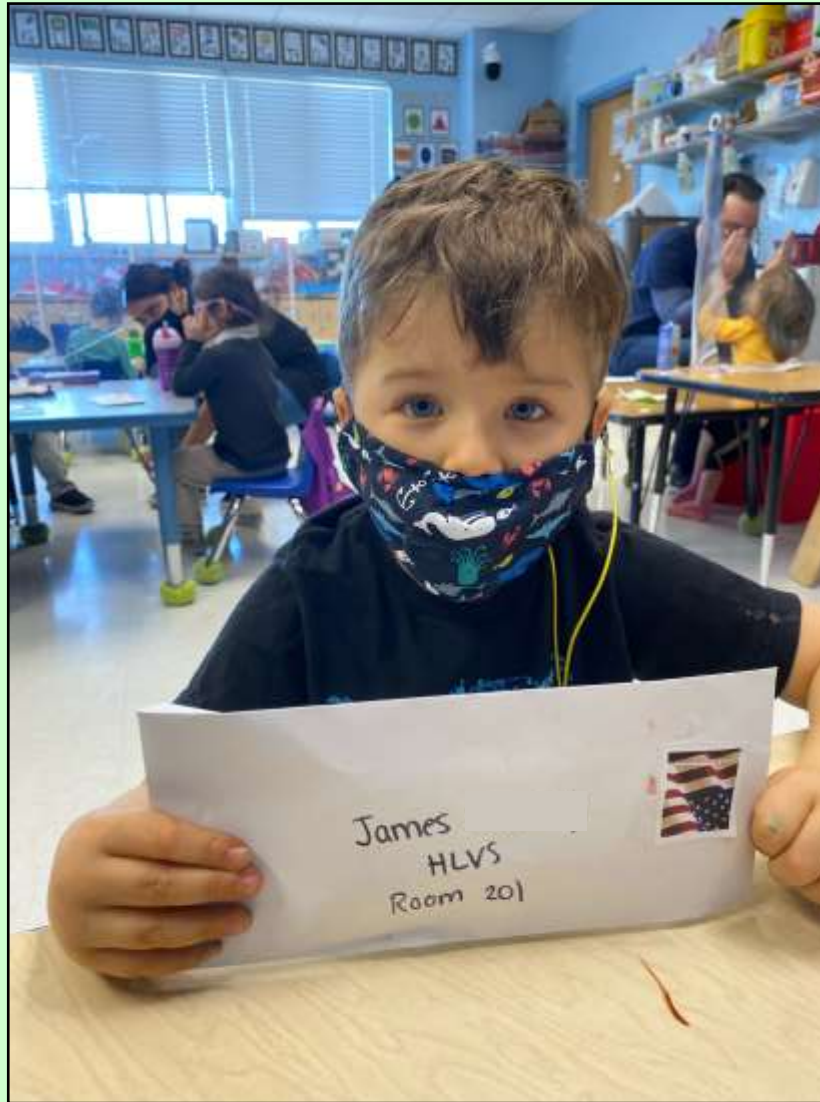
*Look for  
future  
mailings*



*Great  
Memories!*



# Room 201 Learning About Community Helpers





# Legal and Financial Planning Seminar

On Monday, April 11, 2022 **Andrew Cohen, Esq.** and **Mitch Weisbrot, CLU** will present a Legal and Financial Seminar via zoom. The presentation will address the legal and financial preparations crucial to safeguarding assets and benefits for your special needs child.

Andrew and Mitch are Little Village Alumni fathers. Their personal experience and professional expertise enable them to help other parents navigate the confusing and emotional aspects of estate planning to best serve the interests of each special needs child.

Some topics of discussion include:

- ♦ Government benefits for individuals with disabilities
- ♦ How to accumulate and preserve assets without disqualifying eligibility for benefits
- ♦ Establishing guardianship
- ♦ Estate planning and wills
- ♦ Special needs trusts – how they work and why they're useful
- ♦ Strategies for funding trusts

*The seminar begins at 7:00 p.m. and will run approximately 1 1/2 hours. The Meeting ID is: 313 228 6798 and the password: 0303. Please email [janet.mouliere@littlevillage.org](mailto:janet.mouliere@littlevillage.org) if you have questions or to register for the seminar.*

*Thank you!!!*



Many thanks to **Jessica Nazabal**, our PA Board Corresponding Secretary, for coordinating a beautiful Little Village Love Day presentation in our display cases. Each classroom created an art project, showing what they love about Little Village and each other. Thank you for helping to create such a wonderful display!



*Thank you!!!*

Thank you to our Development Committee Chairman **John Watras** and to Cowan Financial Group for their generous donation of file cabinets and furniture!

They recently relocated their Garden City offices and were kind enough to contact us to see if we had any needs at the school. We appreciate their consideration and generosity!





The Hagedorn Little Village School  
Jack Joel Center for Special Children  
**27th Annual Golf Classic**



*Save the Date!*  
**June 6, 2022**



Honoring  
**Phil DelPrete,**  
Co-founder and President  
of  
Uncle Giuseppe's  
Marketplace



Look for Upcoming Announcements!

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**2021  
Golf  
Outing!**

