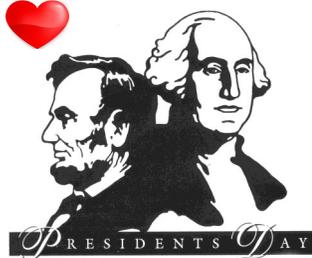


I.S. 73 PARENT NEWSLETTER



FEBRUARY 2018

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PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR:

- Feb 1,8,15** - Parent Workshop "Guiding Good Choices" 11:00 AM
- Feb 2, 9** - Parent Workshop "Nutrition and Health" 10:00 AM
- Feb 3,10** - Parent/Student Saturday Academy 8:00 AM
- Feb 5** - Report Card Distribution (grades 6,7,8)
- Feb 6** - Parent Workshop "Myon Reading Program" 9:30AM & 2:30PM
- Feb 8** - School Safety Meeting 3:30PM/SLT Meeting 4:00 PM
- Feb 8** - Drama Dept Presents "The Ever After" 6:00 PM
- Feb 13** - Valentine's Dance 2:20 PM
- Feb 16** - Lunar New Year (schools closed)
- Feb 19-23** - Midwinter Recess (schools closed)
- Feb 26** - Students return to school

We will not be holding a PTA meeting for the month of **February**. Our next PTA meeting will be held on **March 22, 2018 at 6:30 PM** in the auditorium. PTA Donations are still being accepted. Please donate and support our PTA. You can submit your envelope with your donation and send it to your child's homeroom teacher or bring it to the next PTA meeting.
IS73pta@gmail.com

PARENT WORKSHOPS

"GUIDING GOOD CHOICES" For Parents of Adolescent Students
 These interactive workshops will give you and your family the skills to work together and take action now to prevent your child from using drugs in the future. You will learn practical skills to help you strengthen your relationship with your child and help him or her avoid drug use and other problems.

Presenters – Barbara Barker and Mariana Miranda
 Substance Abuse Prevention and Intervention Specialists
Thursday, Feb 1, 8, 15, 2018
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
 I.S. 73 room 114A

"NUTRITION AND HEALTH"
 Learn about- Basic Nutrition, Portion Size, Food Safety, Menu Planning, Food Shopping & Budgeting, Food Preparation and Physical Activity. You will prepare nutritious and delicious recipes and taste new foods. Those who come to at least 6 sessions will receive a certificate from Cornell University.

Presenter - Jannette Ramos, Community Educator from Cornell University
Fridays, February 2, 9
March 2, 9, 16, 23, 2018
10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
 I.S. 73 room 114(A)

"MYON READING PROGRAM"
 Learn About Myon's features and how your child can login to this great program

Presenter - Ms. McManus, School Librarian
Tuesday, February 6th
9:30 AM - 10:30 AM & 2:30 - 3:20 PM
 I.S. 73 (school library)
"NYC SCHOOLS ACCOUNT/PUPIL PATH"

If you need the information and help to log into the NYC Schools Account and Pupil Path Contact Daisy Rangel, Parent Coordinator
(718) 639-3817 ext 1117

8th GRADE

By now all eighth grade students should have submitted a high school application to their guidance counselor. If you did not get an application receipt from your counselor, please ask for one. Students will receive their High School results from their counselor in March. Please continue to visit the High School Admission Homepage for calendar updates and other information throughout the year.

<http://schools.nyc.gov/ChoicesEnrollment/High>

Senior Dues: The cost of this year's Senior Dues will be **\$73.00**. This amount pays for the following: hard cover yearbook, cap and gown (which your child will keep), diploma case, senior t-shirt and the rental of the graduation auditorium. We accept **money orders made out to I.S. 73**. Return money order and signed slip to your homeroom teacher by **Friday, March 23, 2018**. Please do not send cash or checks.
 Graduation Date - **June 22, 2018 4:00 PM**
 St. John's University

I.S. 73 ARTS

FALL IN LOVE

WITH I.S. 73 ARTS
 this winter come to I.S. 73 to see
The I.S. 73 Drama Department
 presents
"The Ever After"
 performed by 8aP
Thursday, February 8, 2018
6:00 PM I.S. 73 Auditorium

PARENT/STUDENT SATURDAY ACADEMY

Our school is offering Parent/Student Saturday Academy. The program will run on **Saturday mornings from 8:00 AM - 11:00 AM**. Students can sign up for ELA/Math and parents for Technology, Mathematics, and ESL. You can request a registration form at the main office.
Dates - Saturday, February 3, 10, 2018
March 3, 10, 17, 24, 2018

DIAL-A-TEACHER 

FREE HOMEWORK HELP OVER THE PHONE
212-777 - 3380
MON - THURS 4 - 7 PM

2018 STATE EXAM DATES

April 11 - 13 - New York State English Language Arts (ELA)
Grades 6 - 8
May 1 - 3 - New York State Mathematics **Grades 6 - 8**

PARENT LIBRARY 

We have a parent library at I.S. 73 in room 114A. There is a variety of parenting resources including books geared to parenting, and different topics, CD's, DVDs and learning games that are available to borrow. We also have computers with internet access available for parents. If interested, please contact Daisy Rangel, Parent Coordinator.



I.S. 73 is participating in the earn CASH from A+ School Rewards, a great fundraising program run through your local Stop & Shop!
To participate: Visit www.stopandshop.com/aplus and scroll down to the center of the page to select **REGISTER YOUR CARD** from the red box on the right marked **FOR CUSTOMERS**; or Call the A+ School Rewards Hotline at 1-877-275-2758 for assistance. **I.S. 73 School ID number (13651)**