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From the Principal's Desk for our LIHSA Families

December 17, 2021

NBC Pays a Visit to LIHSA



On Wednesday, December 15th, NBC News' Lauren Scala came to LIHSA to talk to students in the puppetry and sound stories classes.

Thank you to our students, faculty and staff for starting their day off so early (5 a.m.!) and participating in this fantastic opportunity to showcase our program.

[Please click here to read our blog that includes the News Video and photos from the day.](#)

In the Classroom: Drum Beats Class

Students in our Drum Beat Class recently completed their final projects and did some spectacular work. The objective was to show their ability to create a composition that utilized the drum in a way that sounded "live" though it was recorded. It required great care to be given to quality of the sounds of each

drum component and how it supported the rest of the tracks in character and feel. Congratulations to our students on such wonderful creations.

In the Classroom: A Home Tour



Michael Coppola has been an artist-in-residence with the Producing Music with Logic class this semester. When LIHSA had to switch to remote learning, he was able offer a Zoom tour to students of his home studio. The students learned so much about equipment used in a home recording studio and best practices for setup and best workflow.

Michael Coppola is a musician, vocalist, songwriter, DJ, studio engineer, producer, and business owner. He has a Bachelor of Business Administration (B.B.A.) Audio Technology and has owned and operated Your Music Studios, formerly known as Get Open Studios for over 15 years. He has performed, written, co-written, engineered, and produced jingles and TV commercials for major corporations. He has recorded and produced many national, international, and local Tri-State artists.

Announcements

LONG ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS

Virtual Honor Society Inductions



Thursday, January 6, 2022



6:00 PM Via Zoom



Zoom Meeting ID:
958 1863 3223



Passcode: Honor



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COOKIES + HOLIDAY NOTES SALE

BUY DURING CHECK IN
THIS UPCOMING WEEK DEC.
20TH-24TH!

**LIHSA'S NAHS WILL BE SELLING
COOKIES NEXT MONDAY-FRIDAY!**

**\$1 per cookie &
holiday note**



Holiday Spirit Week

Sponsored by the LIHSA Student Council

Monday 12/20	Tuesday 12/21	Wednesday 12/22	Thursday 12/23
Festive Hat/Headband Day 	Ugly Sweater & Socks Day 	Holiday Character Day 	Pajama Day 

LIHSA STUDENT COUNCIL PRESENTS

Candy Cane Fundraiser

DECEMBER 20-23, 2021 at student check in

\$1.00 each or \$5.00 for 6

HALF OF ALL PROCEEDS WILL GO TO ST. JUDE CHILDREN'S RESEARCH HOSPITAL

Please support our wonderful student council!



LIHSA's Student Council is pleased to organize some holiday events. The first to share is the Candy Cane Sale.

Thank you...

Thank you to our LIHSA Community for your continued flexibility, patience, and understanding when we had to quickly pivot to remote learning at the end of last week and the beginning of this week.

Our smaller school size offers so many advantages to our students, but things get challenging when the on-going pandemic affects the health of so many faculty members at once. We're glad to be back on campus and continue to urge everyone to follow best practices to stay healthy!

Yearbook

Year Book

\$50.79 + Tax

1st register on TreeRing, then you'll be
able to purchase your 2021-2022

LIHSA yearbook.



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& GET 2 CUSTOM
PAGES!**

LIHSA YEARBOOK CLUB

Buy your yearbook! For every yearbook purchased a tree is planted. Any questions, contact advisors [Jason Cuvelier](#) or [Jason Steinberg](#).

LIHSA Class of 2020 alumni, Marie Pugliano and Katelyn Harold are dancing with the Verdon Fosse Legacy. [See more about this program here.](#)

Listen to a [podcast from February 2020 with Marie Pugliano](#). And enjoy [this video](#) featuring some of her dancing.

Learn more about [Katelyn Harold on her website](#).



Opportunities for Students



LIHSA-pella will be performing Holiday Carols at Old Westbury Gardens as part of their Shimmering Solstice light show on Monday, December 20 from 6 - 8 pm. [For more details, click here.](#)

Joe Iconis

Broadway Composer Joe Iconis is calling all students, punk rock enthusiasts, and people who enjoy trashy-yet-heartfelt genre musicals about learning to love yourself!

The World Premiere set design of PUNK ROCK GIRL! will be made up of hundreds of printed replicas of students' notes, tests and worksheets ... we need your help.

Become a part of this show by scanning any handwritten schoolwork, notes, tests, quizzes, and the like and sending to punkrockgirlsetdesign@gmail.com by this Friday, December 17. JPG or pdf format preferable. Happy Scribbling.



Internship

The Apollo Theatre is offering an upcoming administrative internship program for high school seniors. It's for 12th grade students interested in careers

behind the scenes in the arts and entertainment industries. This is a paid opportunity; applications and recommendations are due January 9, 2022.

More details on their [website](#).
Have questions? Email apollotheater.academy@apollotheater.org



Grants for Artists

Apply Now: NYSCA/NYFA Artist Fellowship | This \$7,000 unrestricted cash grant is available to artists living in New York State and/or one of the Indian Nations located therein. NYFA is accepting applications in the categories of Architecture/Environmental Structures/Design, Choreography, Music/Sound, Photography, and Playwriting/Screenwriting.

Art in the Community

Looking for some new art to view over the holiday break? Check out the [Whitney Museum](#)'s current exhibits.



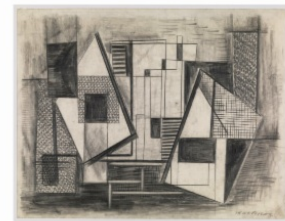
**MAKING KNOWING:
CRAFT IN ART, 1950-
2019**
NOV 22, 2019-FEB
2022



**JASPER JOHNS:
MIND/MIRROR**
SEPT 29, 2021-FEB
13, 2022



MY BARBARIAN
OCT 29, 2021-FEB 27,
2022



**LABYRINTH OF
FORMS:
WOMEN AND
ABSTRACTION, 1930-
1950**
OCT 9, 2021-MAR 13,
2022

Holidays and Other Recognition Days to Note

December 21 - Winter Solstice
December 23 - Festivus

Upcoming Events

December 20 - [Student Council Meeting](#)
December 20 - LIHSA-pella's Holiday Carols at Old Westbury Gardens
December 22 - [Parent Education Meeting \(12:30\)](#)
December 24 - January 2 - Holiday Recess (Schools Closed)
January 3 - School Resumes
January 3 - [GSA Gay Straight Alliance Meeting](#)

January 5 - [Parent Education Meeting \(8:30 am\)](#)
January 6 - [International Thespian Society Meeting](#): Inductions (4 pm)
January 6 - [Yearbook Meeting](#) (5 pm)
January 6 - [Honor Society Inductions](#) (6 pm)
January 11 - [National Art Honor Society](#)
January 12 - [National Technical Honor Society](#)
January 12 - [National Tri-M Music Honor Society Meeting](#)
January 13 - [National Honor Society for the Dance Arts Meeting](#)
January 22 - Student Performance: [Cabaret Performance](#)
January 29 - [Open House](#)
January 31 - [Student Council](#)
February 5 - Student Performance: [Classic Rock, Song Writing & LIHSA-pella](#)

Catching Up On Your Reading

Want to read an earlier edition of our newsletter? [Check out our newsletter archives.](#) [Or click here to see our blogs](#)

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