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Weekly News for our LIHSA Families

June 10, 2022

Last Day of Classes for Students: June 14

Taking Advantage of a Beautiful Day



This week, while some students were focused on their technical assessments, others got to soak in the sunshine while practicing tai chi with Ms. L'Etoile in the courtyard.

Student News: Gioianna DiGiorgio's HuntingTony Award!



Gioianna DiGiorgio won a HuntingTony Award for Best Actress in a Play as Frannie Fillmore in "It's A Wonderful Life." In this picture, Gioianna is surrounded by the amazing teachers and directors from Half Hollow Hills who all played an important role in her award.

Student News: Benjamin Schlaich, Scholarship Winner!



Congratulations to Benjamin Schlaich on winning a scholarship! He says:

"I'm honored and excited to be attending USDAN this summer. I hope that it can help me to develop skills and concepts I need for my future in the arts. I am extremely grateful to the Huntington Arts Council, as well as the Joan Aboff Memorial for blessing me with this award. Thank you."

Student News: Sam Edelman!



Congratulations to LIHSA student Sam Edelman for her acceptance into the 2022 Long Island Media Arts Festival!

Final Performance: Docudrama



Congratulations to our Docudrama students on their successful performances at Five Towns College on June 2. [Click to see more photos from this beautiful evening.](#)

LIHSA Students ROCKED the Paramount!



Acoustic Covers students performed at The Paramount thanks to the support of Ramona's Gift to Music. [Check out wonderful photos and performance clips from our talented students!](#)

LIHSA Students at Cinema Arts Centre

This week, our LIHSA community celebrated the Spring Film and Media Arts Festival at Cinema Arts Centre in Huntington. It was a wonderful evening - from the first note sung by our songwriters who kicked off the event with a performance in the cafe to the final credit running on screen. Stay tuned next week for a blog featuring photos from it.

We are grateful to Cinema Arts Centre's Dylan Skolnick for allowing us to use this beautiful and newly renovated space.

Faculty Recognition!



Congratulations to LIHSA Faculty members Jerry Nobile and Kimberly Larkin who were recently recognized by Nassau BOCES for their 25 and 20 years of service (respectively) to Long Island High School for the Arts. How lucky we are to have them and we're so grateful to them for their longevity.

Announcements: LIHSA Town Social Committee

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**** Calling all parents to volunteer for the NEW Town Social Committee****

The LIHSA PTSA is starting a new committee and we are looking for your help. We are assembling a committee to help share information about LIHSA events, open houses, and admissions with each town.

We are looking for one representative from each town to make up the committee. Throughout the year we will ask you to share information on your town's social media groups about LIHSA. This will help to spread the word of the great programs, showcase the talent of our students, and encourage support from the districts.

If you are interested in joining or have questions, please reach out to Kim Murphy at 646.354.3145 or kimberlymurphy@me.com Thank you!

Opportunities for Students

Our friends at ABT have invited all members of the LIHSA community to join them for the matinee performance of *Of Love and Rage* on June 25th. Tickets are limited and available on a first-come-first-served basis, so please let Natalie L'Etoile NLEtoile@nasbores.org know if you are interested.

Opportunities for Students

The Young Women's Leadership institute is for young women, ages 14-18, to explore the dimensions of leadership, share perspectives related to community engagement and identify opportunities for meaningful civic action. The program is FREE, but registration is limited. Attendance at both sessions is required. [Register by Friday, August 5, 2022.](#)



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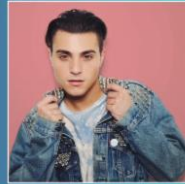
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AND MUCH MORE!

Long Island Pride is back! [Click for more information.](#)

Holidays and Other Recognition Days to Note

June is Pride Month!

June 19 - [Juneteenth](#) (Public Holiday June 20): A Commemoration of the Ending of Slavery in the United States

Upcoming Events

June 10: Graduation Rehearsal during regular school hours for Senior Students/ Regularly Scheduled Classes for all others.

End of Year Events

June 13 - 1 pm - Argyle Theatre: Spring Performing Arts Festival ([Reservations Required by Clicking here](#))

June 14 - 5:30 pm - Adelphi PAC: Spring Visual Arts Festival

June 14 - 6:30 pm - Adelphi PAC: Certificate Ceremony

Catching Up On Your Reading

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