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is a Nassau BOCES program.

## Weekly News for our LIHSA Families

May 26, 2023

### A Special Field Trip: *Life of Pi*



Students in the Production Managerial Arts program had a special opportunity on Broadway this week when they took in a performance of *Life of Pi*, a Tony-nominated show that is revered for its puppetry and overall artistry.

**[Click to read about the students' thoughts on the trip and see more photos.](#)**

**[Click to read the \*Newsday\* article.](#)**

### Behind the Scenes...



This spring, Production Managerial Arts students were hard at work transforming LIHSA into The American Museum of Natural History and a glamorous gala space. Let's hear from some of our students about what it was like behind the scenes.

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## Important Dates

June 2 - [Spring Festival: Dance](#)

June 3 - [Spring Festival: Theatre & Music](#)  
June 5 - [Film & Media Festival](#)  
June 7 - Senior Day  
June 9 - Last Day of School and Carnival  
June 9 - Prom  
June 13 - Certificate Ceremony

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### **More Important Information**

[Please click here to read a letter with important end of year information from Ms. Laura Vega, LIHSA's Principal.](#)

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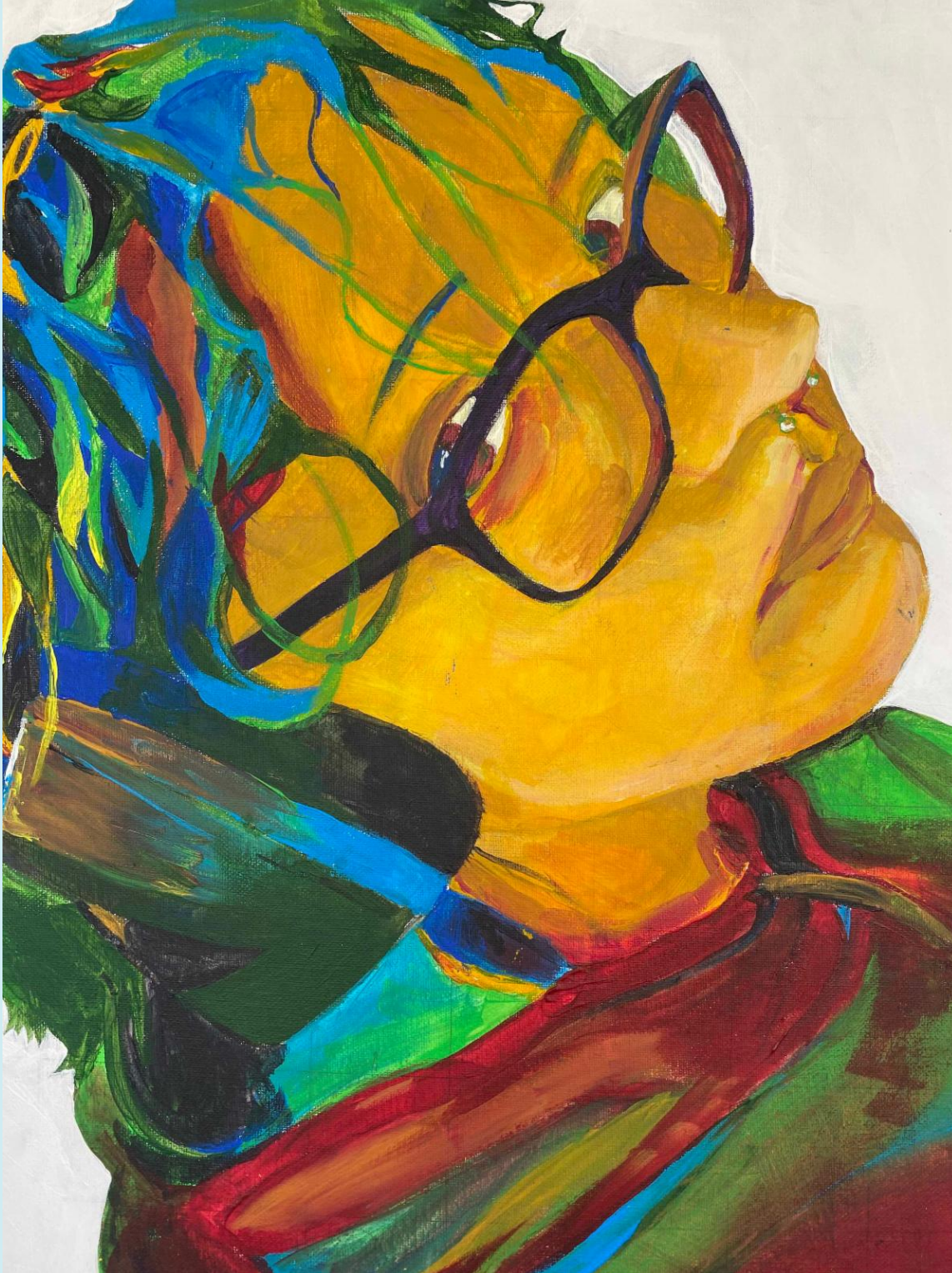
### **Getting to Know You: Jacqueline Collard**



A new face at LIHSA appeared in Mid-March and we want to make sure you have a chance to get to know her. [Please click here to learn more about Jacqueline Collard, LIHSA's Social Worker.](#)

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**A Closer Look at the AP Artwork of Alex Stordeur**



Alex Stordeur from Massapequa UFSD is a 12th grader studying Fine Arts. [Click here to see more of Alex's work.](#)

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### Please Help with End of Year Carnival Snacks!

We are seeking donations for our End of Year Carnival! If you can donate any of the following snacks, **please sign up on the Sign Up Genius** and send all items to school by Wednesday, June 7th.

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**Carnival Time!**



END OF YEAR

# CARNIVAL

FRIDAY, JUNE 9TH

*During both AM and PM session*

*Crafts & snacks*

*Photo opportunities & Yearbook signings*

*Live performances from Musical Icons &  
British Pop Ensemble*

*Ice cream truck - bring cash!*



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Are you ready for some fun? Please bring cash and enjoy every minute of the carnival on June 9!

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**LIHSA's Film & Media Festival - June 5!**



# LIHSA Film & Media Festival

Monday, June 5th @ 6pm

Huntington Cinema Arts Centre  
423 Park Avenue, Huntington



RSVP here:



[Click to RSVP to our Film and Media Festival on June 5 at Huntington Cinema Arts Centre.](#)

Spring Festivals!

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## SPRING DANCE

## FESTIVAL

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FRIDAY  
JUNE

PERFORMANCE BEGINS AT 6:30PM

THE ROSALIND JOEL CONSERVATORY FOR  
MUSIC & THEATRE

RESERVE  
TICKETS HERE:



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# LONG ISLAND HIGH SCHOOL FOR THE ARTS SPRING MUSIC & THEATRE FESTIVAL

**SATURDAY, JUNE 3RD**

THE ROSALIND JOEL CONSERVATORY  
FOR MUSIC & THEATRE

**5:30PM**



RESERVE TICKETS HERE:



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Please join us for our culminating Spring Dance and Music Festivals. [Click here for tickets!](#)

## Opportunities for Students

**Team Nassau BOCES 2022 T-Shirt Design Contest** ... Calling all artistic Nassau BOCES students: Your T-shirt design could be the one that Nassau BOCES employees wear as they participate in the Marcum Workplace Challenge on Tuesday, July 25, 2023. The winner of the contest will receive a \$100 prize donated by the Nassau BOCES Educational Foundation! To

enter, the student must return a completed [contest entry form](#) along with a design submission by Friday, June 2. The design should be no larger than 7" x 7", be only two colors and incorporate the [Nassau BOCES logo](#) (required).



## PTSA Corner



Anyone who purchased tickets to attend LIHSA PROM 2023 can participate in the Google Form survey about the music you want to hear at PROM!

Please use the QR code below and submit the survey no later than **Sunday, May 28<sup>th</sup>**, so your opinion can count!



\*PROM is June 9 from 7:30pm to 11:30pm.

\*PROM tickets will be sent home during the week of June 5.

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***\*If you're able to donate/create, or know anyone who would be willing to donate/lend/create, centerpieces, balloons/balloon arches, or other decor for PROM, please contact Nicole Petracca at [eevore276@aol.com](mailto:eevore276@aol.com) asap.***

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**The PTSA would like to thank everyone who helped  
to make the  
Staff Appreciation Brunch a success!**



**Eric Halvorsen:** fruit donation

**Lynda Parmley:** Dunkin' coffee and setting-up

**Petracca Family:** paper-goods, assorted treats, set-up

**The Crazy Bagel:** donation of bagels & toppings

**Starbucks Broadway Mall Hicksville Location & Store Manager Seth**

**Davies:** donation of coffee, tea, ice tea, cups, etc



During the PTSA meeting on May 16th,  
the following members were approved for the 2023-2034 school year LIHSA  
PTSA Executive Board:

**Patti Waite  
Yvonne Bush  
Joanne Diehl**

*We need a fourth member in order to fulfill the positions of the 2023-2024  
LIHSA PTSA Board.*

*If you are interested in holding a seat on the board, please contact Patti Waite  
or Nicole Petracca.*

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