



The Bay Academy for the Arts & Sciences Intermediate School 98

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Principal



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- District 21 Middle School Fair-** Thank you to all the staff who attended, supported and showcased our school:
Mark Goldberg, Janice Dalton, Nicole D'Agosta, Marietta Falconieri, Caryn DiMari, Tina Schneider, Rich Weinstein, Joe Scuderi, Molly McGrath, Meredith Samuelson, Matthew Judge, Frank Caiati, Sean O'Neill, Max Sherman, Ahmed Mohassib, Yelena Reznik, Mandi Bracho, Karen Goldberg, Carly Shannon, Amy Curren, Rosa Maletta, Scotte Perry, Lisa Bravstein and Bridget Cuoco
We were the busiest table there (no surprise) but we had a lot of good laughs! Thanks for making the evening pleasant.
- Columbus Day Parade-** Please join us as we march in the 32nd Columbus Day Parade on Saturday October 12, 2013. We march down 18th Avenue from 60th Street to 84th Street. The Bay Academy will line up on 62nd Street and 17th Ave. Arrival time is 12:30pm. This is a rain or shine event.
- SMART Goal Poster-** If you are in need or would like a new SMART goal poster, please see Mrs. D'Agosta. During my walk-throughs I've noticed that some of the posters are discolored.
- Fundraising-** In addition to our Box Top program we are aligned to Stop & Shop as well. Please support our school by registering your Stop & Shop card. It's fast and simple to do:
 - **Have your Stop & Shop card handy**
 - **Visit www.stopandshop.com/aplus**
 - **Click Register your Card**
 - **Enter the first 3 letters of your last name**
 - **Enter your 13 digit Stop & Shop card number**
 - **Enter the school's ID - 18103**
 - **Click Confirm**
 - **Give this ID # to all your friends and family members and ask them to support our school.**
- Safety Procedures-** It has come to my attention that there is a traffic jam on the 4th floor near staircase/ exit 5. New measures have been put into place to help remedy this, therefore if you notice on Wednesdays (end of period 3) that there are some classes in the hall before the bell, do not become alarmed. The dismissal will be staggered for that corridor during that time.
- Bay Revue-** We will host our annual Bay Revue on Thursday October 24, 2013 to the District 21 elementary schools. More information will follow.
- SHSAT-** Please do not schedule tests, projects or give excessive homework for Grade 8 students during the week of October 21, 2013. Many of our students will be taking the SHSAT on 10/26 and 10/27/13. They will be preparing for that exam and we want them to do well. Thank you for your cooperation.
- Common Core Word of the Week-** Beginning Tuesday 10/15/13 please send me the names of all students who use the CCWW correctly and appropriately. Random prizes will be awarded weekly.
- Halloween Celebration-** Since last year was such a huge success, we'd like to continue this wonderful tradition of dressing up for Halloween. The students loved it! Please join us in making this celebration fun on October 31, 2013. If you choose, your lessons can be centered around a Halloween theme. Also, treats will be shared by all participating staff who donate a Halloween themed treat in the Library.
- Columbus Day-** Monday October 14, 2013 no school for students and staff. Enjoy the day off.

*Thank you for your dedication to our school and for helping to make
the Bay Academy the best Middle School in Brooklyn*

