

NOTICIAS DE LA SEMANA:

OPEN AND REVIEW ALL ATTACHMENTS for forms and other upcoming events!

Reminder that HoLa is a nut-free school. Due to the prevalence of dangerous nut allergies, we do not permit foods with nuts at the school, or at school events.

Parent Survey: HoLa would like to implement a system of Positive Behavior Support, which involves the use of positive, proactive and practical interventions to promote socially desirable behavior. Our goal is to improve the overall environment and culture of our school community, and ensure the maximum success of each student. Your feedback is critical! One way we would like to get your input is via a brief survey regarding your perceptions about the school. Data from the survey will help guide changes we make moving forward. **Please click on the following link to complete the survey by Tues., Feb. 28th: www.surveymonkey.com/s/MCPD5JK. Hard copies are available in the office for those without Internet. ** One survey per family (online or hard copy). No names please—the surveys are confidential. Thank you for helping to make HoLa an even better place for our children to learn and grow.

Seuss Week: Next week, HoLa will celebrate Dr. Seuss' birthday with a series of Seuss-related activities—and stories—in every classroom! Schedule attached.

Enrichment Class Enrollment Forms will be going out next week. Dates for Trimester III are April 10th - June 8th. For students interested in the Swim Clinic, there will be a swim test for new swimmers on Mon., March 5th, from 4-7pm at the Sky Club, 125 Marshall St., 7th fl. For more information, email erin@skyclubfitness.com.

Doodle4google! Your child could win a \$30,000 college scholarship and HoLa could receive a \$50,000 technology grant. Just fill out the attached entry form and start doodling. Entries must be postmarked by March 20th www.doodle4google.com

18 Days till Sabor:

- 1) Buy your tickets!** while they are still \$65: www.holahoboken.org. After March 1st, the price increases to \$80. Consider purchasing a ticket for your teacher for \$30.
- 2) Sell your raffle tickets!** and/or pass on the link to encourage friends and family to buy them online at www.holahoboken.org. The deadline for raffle ticket paper stub sales is **March 2nd**, so please sell any remaining that you have and send all stubs, unsold tickets, and a check to Melissa Romo: 536 Grand St., #305, Hoboken, 07030.
- 3) Start your bidding now!** Our Sabor de HoLa online auction is live, so you and everyone you know can now bid on vacations, gift certificates, tickets, and more. Check out over 100 items in our auction at www.biddingforgood.com/holahoboken.

Aftercare Monthly Payments must be paid in full by the 5th of each month enrolled. If payment is not received, a bill will be sent with a \$25 late fee to cover administrative costs. A reminder that March payments are now being accepted!

HoLa Basketball Game: Sat., Feb. 25th at 2:30pm. Come cheer on our basketball team and wear your school colors. Game will be played at Wallace, 1100 Willow Ave.

HMag Mixer: HoLa will be the beneficiary of the HMag fundraising mixer on Thurs., March 1st at McSwiggan's (110 1st St.). Drink specials, free apps & live music 7-9pm!

Free Lacrosse Clinic, Sun., Feb. 26th: Join Hoboken Lacrosse Club for a free clinic for 8- and 9-year-olds in the Walker Gym at Stevens Tech at the following times — Girls 2pm, Boys 3:30pm (this is not a strict separation, siblings/friends may attend together, but coaches will be from Stevens women's and men's teams respectively). **Sticks will be available!** To register, visit www.hobokenlacrosseclub.com.

Centro Educativo Espanol (CENY): For families seeking additional Spanish language and cultural offerings during the school year, CENY offers an interactive Spanish immersion curriculum on Saturdays in the West Village, from 10am - 2pm (flyer attached). To learn more, visit www.ceny.es. Open houses will be held March 3rd, April 14th, and May 19th.

EN ESTE SOBRE:

- Seuss Week schedule
- Doodle4google Entry Forms
- CENY flyer
- Annual Appeal Pledge Form
- Stevens Black History Month Celebration flyer

FECHAS:

- Sat., Feb. 25th - 2:30pm — HoLa Basketball at Wallace
- Ongoing, Tues.-Thurs., 2:30-3:30pm — NJ ASK Boot Camp for 3rd Grade
- Thurs., March 1st Buy your Sabor tickets for \$65
- Thurs., March 1st 8-9am— Sabor meeting in HoLa cafeteria
- Thurs., March 1st 7-9pm— HMag fundraising mixer at McSwiggan's
- Fri., March 2nd — Raffle Ticket submissions are due

Celebrate Read across America



Monday

February 27th — March 2nd

Celebration kicks off. Wear your best "Cat in the Hat" ensemble. Classes will read The Cat in the Hat.

Tuesday

Enjoy green eggs and ham for breakfast as we read Green Eggs and Ham

Wednesday

Wacky Wednesday. Get topsy turvy and turn everything inside out. Dress in you wackiest outfit. Classes will read Oh, the Places you'll Go.

Thursday

Sail away Thursday. Jump aboard in your best nautical gear as you go fishing. Who knows you may catch one fish, two fish or a blue fish. Classes will read, One Fish, Two Fish, Red Fish, Blue Fish.

Friday

Go Green and set a goal to help the environment following the example of The Lorax. Wear as much green as you can. Classes will read The Lorax.



SWIM CLINIC AT THE SKY CLUB

125 Marshall St. 7th Floor

Swim Test Monday, March 5th from 4:00-7:00pm

CLASS DAYS:

Grades K-1 Tuesday (10 sessions): 4/10, 4/17, 4/24, 5/1, 5/8, 5/15, 5/22, 5/29, 6/5, 6/12

Grades 2-3 Thursday (10 sessions): 4/12, 4/19, 4/26, 5/3, 5/10, 5/17, 5/24, 5/31, 6/7, 6/14

CLASS TIMES: 4:15-5:00 PM

CLASS COST: \$136/child Payment is made directly to Sky Club Fitness at time of registration and after passing the swim test. The Sky Club will charge a \$5 late fee for payment made after the first class.

DESCRIPTION: This course is designed to give children (five-year olds and up) a swim team and swim lesson experience. There will be ten, 45-minute sessions once a week. The sessions will include 30 minutes of swim time with two instructors working with students on their strokes and 15 minutes of playtime in an indoor pool. Students will work on their stroke techniques as well as with different types of flotation devices and learn water safety and relay swimming.

Activities may include:

- Relay racing, participating in underwater swimming competitions and playing water polo
- Making flotation devices from clothes, learning about general first aid & safety rules as well as survival floating
- Learning a variety of kicks – scissors, dolphin, flutter, whip kick & about different types of sculls
- Practicing various floats, racing turns, diving for rings and treading water

SWIM TEST: Held on **Monday, March 5th from 4:00 PM-7:00 PM** Please see Erin Kennedy

The test will consist of children swimming 30 feet unsupported and treading water for 30 seconds. Students who have previously taken classes at the Sky Club do not need to be tested again.

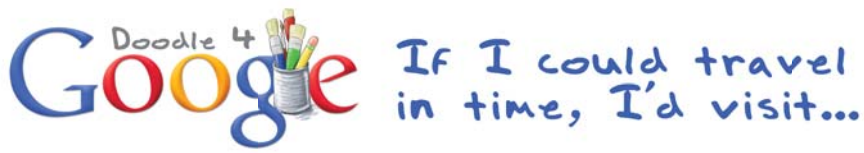
Note: If you cannot make the swim test, please contact Erin at erin@skyclubfitness to schedule a test time

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Children must be at least five-years old for the program and must first pass the swim test in order to participate. They are selected on a first come, first served basis. The swim clinic is run independently by the Sky Club. HoLa will not hold a lottery for this class and payment is made directly to the Sky Club.

TRANSPORTATION: Children must be picked up and dropped off by parents or guardians at Sky Club Fitness, 125 Marshall St. 7th Floor. **Neither HoLa or the Sky Club are responsible for getting the children to and from the pool.** Children must be signed in at the beginning of the class by parents and signed out at the end of the class. Sky Club is not responsible for watching children after the hour session ends.

STAFF: There will be one lifeguard on duty and one member of the swim staff in the water with each group of 7 students at all times.

For further information, please contact Erin Kennedy at erin@skyclubfitness



TO ENTER:

1. An eligible entry consists of:
 - a) Page 1 of this form completed and signed by the student's parent/guardian.
 - b) The artwork submission completed on page 2 of this form. Both pages must be submitted together.
2. For legibility purposes, we encourage you to complete the form on your computer as the fields are editable.
3. Once complete, please print out the form on a light colored 8.5"x11" sheet of paper. Be sure to print on 2 separate pages.
4. Make sure the student's parent or guardian has signed the form on the appropriate line. The entry will not be considered without this signature.
5. Mail your form to the address below. Note all entries must be mailed by March 20, 2012 so please allow enough time.

TO BE COMPLETED BY PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN OF STUDENT ENTERING THE CONTEST.

All fields are required.

STUDENT'S NAME

STUDENT'S AGE GENDER: MALE FEMALE

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S NAME

ADDRESS

CITY STATE ZIP

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S PHONE NUMBER () -

PARENT/GUARDIAN'S EMAIL ADDRESS

FULL-TIME SCHOOL NAME

If student is homeschooled, please note this in the school name field and you will not need to complete the remaining school related fields.

SCHOOL ADDRESS

SCHOOL PHONE NUMBER () -

I agree to receive e-mail communications regarding Doodle 4 Google. (not required)

By signing below, I acknowledge that I am the parent/legal guardian of the entrant and hereby give my permission for him/her to enter the Doodle 4 Google 2012 Contest. I certify that the entrant is enrolled in a private, public or home school (grades K-12) and is a legal resident of the U.S. I have read the Official Doodle 4 Google Contest Rules and acknowledge that this entry is both bound by and adheres to them.

PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

SUPPORTING STATEMENT:

Please tell us briefly how your doodle expresses the theme "If I could travel in time, I'd visit..." (max 50 words): ▼

Entries received without this COMPLETED Entry Form will not be accepted or judged and will be disqualified. Entries must be mailed by March 20, 2012 in order to be considered.

Mail entry (packaged carefully so it won't be damaged), with proper postage so that it's mailed by March 20, 2012 to:

FOR REGULAR MAIL:
Doodle 4 Google
PO Box 9112
Plainview, NY 11803-9112

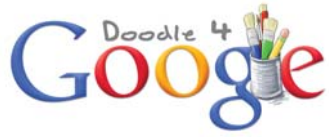
FOR OVERNIGHT DELIVERIES:
Doodle 4 Google
35 Pinelawn Road, Suite 207W
Melville, NY 11747

Before mailing, make sure all fields on the form are complete (including supporting statement and parental signature) and artwork is done on the second page of this form. Both pages must be submitted together in order for an entry to be complete.

For more details and Official Rules, please visit www.google.com/doodle4google



OFFICIAL
ENTRY
FORM



If I could travel
in time, I'd visit...

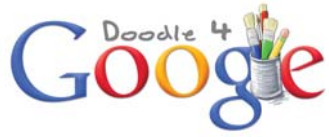
CHILD'S FULL NAME: _____

STATE: GRADE GROUP: Grades K-3 Grades 6-7 Grades 10-12
 Grades 4-5 Grades 8-9

TITLE OF YOUR DOODLE:

USE THIS SPACE TO CREATE YOUR GOOGLE DOODLE: ▼

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CHILD'S FULL NAME: _____

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TITLE OF YOUR DOODLE:

USE THIS SPACE TO CREATE YOUR GOOGLE DOODLE: ▼

Google

DONATION / PLEDGE FORM

Kindly use this form to make your commitment to this year's Annual HoLa Appeal for the 2011 to 2012 school year.
Donations may also be made online at www.holahoboken.org

I, _____ will help HoLa reach its fundraising target of \$100,000
(Name of donor)
by making a donation by selecting one of the following Levels of Support and installment options (if applicable):

_____ **PLATINUM LEVEL: I would like to contribute \$2,500 and above**

_____ My contribution in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

----OR----

_____ I will pledge to make contributions in four installments.

Enclosed is my first installment of \$_____.

The installments will be paid by February 15, April 1 and the last installment by June 15, 2012.

_____ **GOLD LEVEL: I would like to contribute \$1,000 — \$2,499**

_____ My contribution in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

----OR----

_____ I will pledge to make contributions in four installments.

Enclosed is my first installment of \$_____.

The installments will be paid by February 15, April 1 and the last installment by June 15, 2012.

_____ **SILVER LEVEL: I would like to contribute \$500 — \$999**

_____ My contribution in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

----OR----

_____ I will pledge to make contributions in two installments .

Enclosed is my first installment of \$_____.

The second and last installment will be paid by April 1, 2012.

_____ **BRONZE LEVEL: I would like to contribute \$300 — \$499**

_____ My contribution in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

_____ **HOLA BENEFACTOR: Enclosed is my contribution of the following:**

_____ \$250

_____ \$200

_____ \$100

_____ \$50

_____ \$25

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS:

_____ I would like to be acknowledged in the spring Sabor de HoLa program

_____ I prefer to donate anonymously

_____ **I would like to help with the Annual Appeal by contributing in some other manner:**

_____ I can write grants

_____ I can contact my employer or other corporations to request donations or grant money

_____ I can help by appealing to local businesses

_____ Other: such as donating my time to assist with administration, *please specify below ...*

DONACION/FORMULARIO DE COMPROMISO

Favor usar este formulario para dar su donación/compromiso a la Campaña Anual de HoLa para el año escolar 2011 a 2012.

Usted puede hacer una donación en línea www.holahoboken.org

I, _____ quiero ayudar a HoLa a alcanzar su objetivo de recaudación de fondos de \$100.000 dólares haciendo una donación seleccionando uno de los siguientes niveles de apoyo y opciones (si aplicable):

_____ **NIVEL DE PLATINO: Me gustaría contribuir \$2.500 o mas.**

_____ Adjunto mi contribución de \$_____.

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_____ Me comprometo a hacer contribuciones en cuatro cuotas.

Adjunto mi primera contribución de \$_____.

Las contribuciones se pagarán antes del 15 de febrero, 1 de abril y la ultima cuota (contribución) será pagada antes del 15 de junio de 2012.

_____ **NIVEL DE ORO: Me gustaría contribuir \$1.000 — \$2.499**

_____ Adjunto mi contribución de \$_____.

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_____ Me comprometo a hacer contribuciones en cuatro cuotas.

Adjunto mi primera contribución de \$_____.

Las contribuciones se pagarán antes del 15 de febrero, 1 de abril y la ultima cuota (contribución) será pagada antes del 15 de junio de 2012.

_____ **NIVEL DE PLATA: Me gustaría contribuir \$500 — \$999**

_____ Adjunto mi contribución de \$_____.

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_____ Me comprometo a hacer contribuciones en dos plazos.

Adjunto mi contribución de \$_____.

La segunda y última contribución será pagada antes del 1 de abril de 2012.

_____ **NIVEL BRONCE: Me gustaría contribuir \$300 — \$499**

_____ Adjunto mi contribución de \$_____.

_____ **HOLA BENEFACTOR: Adjunto mi contribución de la siguiente cantidad:**

_____ \$250

_____ \$200

_____ \$100

_____ \$50

_____ \$25

AGRADECIMIENTOS:

_____ Me gustaría ser reconocido/a en la primavera, durante el evento Sabor de HoLa.

_____ Prefiero donar anónimamente

_____ **Me gustaría ayudar con al Fondo Anual, contribuyendo de alguna otra manera:**

_____ Puedo contactar a mi empleador/empresa u otros negocios para solicitar donaciones o dinero de subvenciones.

_____ Puedo ayudar, apelando/solicitando a los negocios locales.

_____ De otra manera... como donar mi tiempo para asistir/ayudar con los trabajos de administración.

Favor de especificar a continuación... _____

Open House

EL CENY
ABRE SUS
PUERTAS
A NUEVAS
FAMILIAS
PARA EL
CURSO
2012-2013.



VEN A CONOCER DE CERCA NUESTRO PROYECTO

El CENY abre sus puertas a todas aquellas familias que deseen conocer nuestras instalaciones, programas y equipo educativo.

Si deseas formar parte de la lista de espera para el curso 2012-2013 no dudes en visitarnos.

Seguimos creciendo. Únete a este fantástico proyecto.

Plazas disponibles para niños nacidos entre 2002 y 2008.

¡Te esperamos!

El Open House comenzará puntualmente a las 10:30 en el salón de actos del CENY.

Open House 2012

- > Sábado 3 de marzo
- > Sábado 14 de abril
- > Sábado 19 de mayo

De 10:30 am a 12:30 pm



www.ceny.es

CENY, Centro Educativo Español
Academy of Saint Joseph
111 Washington Avenue
New York, NY 10014

Por favor, confirma tu asistencia
y número de personas a:
info@ceny.es

**PARTICIPATE IN SOMETHING SPECIAL
FOR BLACK HISTORY MONTH!**



SWEET CHARIOT 2012

A CeLEBRATION OF BLACK HISTORY

Saturday, February 25, 2012 – 8:00 p.m.

Featuring local artists

LaTanya Hutchins, Soprano

Stevens Choir
(Bethany Reeves, Director)

**WE'RE LOOKING FOR SINGERS TO JOIN THE
COMMUNITY CHOIR FOR THIS SPECIAL EVENT**

REVISED Rehearsal Schedule:

Monday, 2/6/12, 7:30-9:00p.m. (parish hall -- downstairs)
Thursday, 2/9/12, 7:30-9:00p.m. (parish hall -- downstairs)
Monday, 2/13/12, 7:30-9:00p.m. (parish hall -- downstairs)
Thursday, 2/23/12, 7:00-9:15p.m. (dress rehearsal -- upstairs)
Concert: Saturday, 2/25/12 – call time 6:45p.m. (6:00 for Stevens Choir)

at

St. Matthew's Trinity Lutheran Church
8th & Hudson Streets
Hoboken, NJ 07030