

NOTICIAS DE LA SEMANA:

Fiesta de Libros: Thank you to all of our families and the parents of K-Mendez's class for a fabulous Fiesta de Libros! This past Sunday, families and friends from the entire community enjoyed a day about books. Thanks to all of our special guest readers, authors, and illustrators for making the event extra special. The book fair and bake sale raised over \$2,000 and will be used to purchase new books and learning materials for the school. 2nd Graders, Soren, Hudson, Lily, Nick, Olivia, and Montana created their own books and sold them at the fair. They raised \$150 and sent all of the proceeds to the American Red Cross Japan Earthquake and Tsunami fund. McGraw-Hill's matching gift program helped take it even further and their total contribution is \$300.

Family Movie Night "Take 2"! Friday, April 8th, 6:30-8:30pm: Remember those long, sad, faces when our block lost power at our family movie night in February? The HoLa PTO is trying our family movie night again with "Take 2", featuring *Despicable Me*. Families are invited to the gym to watch the movie, bring your pajamas, blankets, pillows and stuffed animals, and snuggle up for a good flick. Board games will also be available in the lunchroom for those who are restless. Light snacks will be served at the HoLa concession stand. Please RSVP to the evite. Bring a flashlight, just in case!

****RESCHEDULED** Parenting Without Power Struggles, Tues., April 12th 7-9pm:** Please note that this special speaker event has been rescheduled to Tuesday, April 12th. Enjoy a night out with an engaging parenting lecture & book signing with Susan Stiffelman, author of the bestselling *Parenting Without Power Struggles: Raising Joyful, Resilient Kids While Staying Cool, Calm and Connected*. Look for an evite in your inbox. Light refreshments will be served.

Salsa Social & Stevens Kids Night Out, Fri., April 15th: If you missed the March Salsa Social, you are in for a treat! This month, HoLa parents Joe & Jen Branco will offer another Salsa night at Room84 – but it also just so happens that Stevens is offering Kids Night Out. Everybody wins with this combo! Enclosed is registration and waiver for Kids Night Out at Stevens. Drop the kids from 6-10pm for an evening of fun, then come down to Room 84 to dance, have a drink, and let proceeds go towards HoLa! The cost is just \$15/person, and includes a drink ticket. Last month's Salsa Social earned \$500 for HoLa! Don't miss out on this evening of Salsa and Babysitting!

Babysitting now available for Sabor de Hola! By now everyone should have received their invitation to Sabor de HoLa on May 17th. If you are hesitating because it is a Tuesday night and need to find a babysitter, look no more! The Stevens college team will provide on-site babysitting at the Elks Lodge from 7-10pm for \$15/child and \$20/family. Space is limited to 65 and children must be over 3 years of age and potty trained. Be sure to submit your registration waiver ASAP to reserve your space and don't forget to [click here to purchase your ticket to Sabor de HoLa](#).

Website featuring articles about research in bilingualism: Dr. Anthony Petrosino, HoLa Board member and Professor of Mathematics and Curriculum at the University of Texas, Austin, forwarded this link, as he thought it might interest HoLa families: <http://www.sciencedaily.com/releases/2011/03/110314132531.htm>.

Sí Cuba Festival: A celebration of Cuban arts and culture is taking place throughout NYC, April-June, featuring film, dance, art, photography and more, including many artists who have not been to the US in decades. For information, visit www.sicuba.org. (FYI, Groupon has offered deals for half price film tickets!)

iGive.com: If you shop online, consider doing it via iGive.com, and registering as a supporter of HoLa. It's free, and you can choose from hundreds of your favorite online retailers—the only difference is that each time you shop using the iGive.com portal, up to 26% of the purchase is donated to HoLa (over \$630 has been raised so far)! Plus any time someone new joins iGive.com using the following link through April 8th (no purchase necessary); HoLa will receive \$5; if they decide to make a purchase, HoLa gets another \$5: <http://www.iGive.com/welcome/warmwelcome.cfm?m=754863>

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- Fiesta de Libros photos
- Salsa Social flyer
- Stevens Kids Night Out flyer
- Babysitting Registration for Sabor de HoLa
- "X-Ray Eyes" Drawing Class for Kids flyer

FECHAS:

- Mon., April 4th — New enrichment session begins
- Wed., April 6th — 1pm Dismissal! No enrichment or aftercare
- Fri., April 8th — Kindergarten Field Trip to Mile Square Theater
- Fri., April 8th, 6:30pm — Family Movie Night

Coming up:

- Tues., April 12th, 7pm — Parenting Without Power Struggles workshop (NEW date!)
- Fri., April 15th, 7pm — Salsa Social





Babysitting Registration & Waiver for Sabor de HoLa Tuesday, May 17th, 7pm – 10pm @ Elks Lodge Basement

Space is limited to 65 children and registrations will be accepted on a first come first come basis. Please fill out the following registration and waiver (one waiver per child), along with your payment, and return to school in your child's homework folder.

*Please make checks payable to HoLa PTO
\$15 for one child/ \$20 per family
Children must be potty trained
Submit into school via homework folders*

The information you provide on the waiver will help us get your child prompt medical treatment in the event of an emergency. Please complete with care!

ONE WAIVER PER CHILD REQUIRED!

Child Last Name _____ Child First Name _____
Age _____ Gender _____

Parent/Guardians Name(s) _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____
Telephone: Daytime _____ Cell _____
Email Address _____

Health Insurance Provider _____ Plan # _____
Local Agent Telephone _____
Allergies to Medication _____
Required Medication _____
Other Medical Problems _____

I certify that _____ (print child's name) is in good physical condition and can participate in the Downstairs Kids' Pajama Party. hosted by HoLa PTO. Although serious injuries are not common in supervised school programs, it is impossible to eliminate this risk. The HoLa does not screen applicants of these programs for illness, injuries, allergies or other medical conditions, which would prevent or limit participation in any extracurricular program. It is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to evaluate the applicant's ability to participate in Downstair Kids' Pajama Party.

I _____ (parent/guardian name), authorize HoLa PTO to administer treatment in any situation requiring medical attention. I also understand that such treatment becomes my sole financial responsibility. I hereby waive and release HoLa and its instructors, employees and volunteers from responsibility for any injury or illness occurring while attending Downstairs Kids' Pajama Party. This includes any transportation and emergency treatment.

Signature _____ Date _____
Parent/Guardian



Room84

is excited to present the first

HoLa Salsa Social

Please join us for an evening of fun, music and dance!

Friday, April 15, 2011

Room84

84 Washington Street

7:00-10:00pm

\$15 per person at the door (includes a drink ticket)

The Salsa Social is a FUNdraising event open to all - current HoLa parents, our future HoLa parents and anyone interested in a fun night of music and dance.

KIDS' NIGHT OUT



Stevens Institute of Technology's Student-Athlete Advisory Committee invites your kids to come have a fun evening with Stevens' athletes while you get to take the night off!

- **When:** Friday, April 8, 2011 and Friday, April 15, 2011
- **Where:** Stevens Institute of Technology's Schaffer center
- **Price:** \$15/child (children must be potty trained)

BASKETBALL, SOCCER, COLORING, a MOVIE and MORE!

*For **REGISTRATION** or Questions please e-mail zsimos8@gmail.com

Kids Night Out

Hosted by the Stevens Athletic Advisory Committee

Question & Answers:

Q: Where do I drop off and pick up my child?

A: The Stevens Athletic Advisory Committee will be ready to receive your child at 6:00 P.M. in the Lobby of the Schaefer Gym, which is located on the main campus of Stevens Institute of Technology. (Map included). Pick up is no later than 10:00 P.M. in the same location.

Q: What if I would like to drop off or pick up my child at a different time?

A: We will gladly accommodate late drop offs and/or early pickups. Please let us know your pick-up time when you drop off your child. We can then let you know the best place to pick up your child. If you're going to be late for drop off, please let me know what time you will bring your child by. Zabella Simos will also be available via cell phone if something changes.

Zabella Simos (516) 660-3320

Q: Will there be food and/or snacks available for my child?

A: There will NOT be food or snacks available at the event. Please make sure all children have eaten dinner prior to drop off. If you think your child will be hungry later and will want a snack, we encourage you to pack snacks and drinks. Please make sure to clearly label the bag with your child's name. We will have plenty of water on site.

Q: What will my child be doing from 6:00 until 10:00 pm?

A: From approximately 6:00 P.M. to 8:00 P.M. the children will be engaged in different activities such as sports, reading, children's party games, and board games in the Schaefer Gym. At approximately 8:00 P.M., they will be given the option of watching a Disney movie. You are welcome to send things with your child, such as their favorite book, game, or coloring items, etc. We are happy to entertain your child any way we can.

Q: Where is the money for this event going?

A: 100% of the profit will go directly to the Stevens Athletic Advisory Committee and to Stevens Athletics.

Further questions can be emailed to: zsimos8@gmail.com



Stevens Institute of Technology
Kids Night Out Waiver – April 8 and/or 15, 2011

ONE WAIVER PER CHILD REQUIRED!

The information you provide on the waiver will help us get your child prompt medical treatment in the event of an emergency. Please complete with care!

Child Last Name _____ Child First Name _____

Age _____ Gender _____

Parent/Guardians Name(s) _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Telephone: Daytime _____ Cell _____

Email Address _____

Health Insurance Provider _____ Plan # _____

Local Agent Telephone _____

Allergies to Medication _____

Required Medication _____

Other Medical Problems _____

Amount Enclosed (Check Payable to Stevens Athletics -- Field Hockey) \$ _____

Mail to: Melanie Volk, Stevens Athletics Department, 1 Castle Point on Hudson, Hoboken, NJ 07030

I certify that _____ (print child's name) is in good physical condition and can participate in the Kids Night Out hosted by the Stevens Student Athletic Advisory Committee. Participation in any athletic program includes a risk of injury which may range in severity from minor to long-term catastrophic, even death. Although serious injuries are not common in supervised school athletic programs, it is impossible to eliminate this risk. Stevens does not screen applicants of these programs for illness, injuries, allergies or other medical conditions, which would prevent or limit participation in any athletic or outdoor program. It is the responsibility of the parent or guardian to evaluate the applicant's ability to participate in Kids Night Out.

_____, (parent/guardian name), authorize Stevens to administer treatment in any emergency situation requiring medical attention. I also understand that such treatment becomes my sole financial responsibility. I hereby waive and release Stevens, and its Instructors and Employees, from responsibility for any injury or illness occurring while attending Kids Night Out. This includes any transportation and emergency treatment.

Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian

Stevens and all staff, including medical staff, will not administer any medication, either prescription or non-prescription, without notification on this application or a separate note by a parent or guardian.

Seeing with X-Ray Eyes

Drawing class for ages 6-9

Learn to draw by "Seeing with X-Ray Eyes".

Join visual artist Jay Boucher on Monday afternoons for this 7-session class.

We'll take apart and draw everyday items like fruits and shoes, car parts and boom-boxes. Students will develop foundational drawing concepts like shape, proportion, volume and shading while also learning about the science and engineering of our complex world. Materials provided.

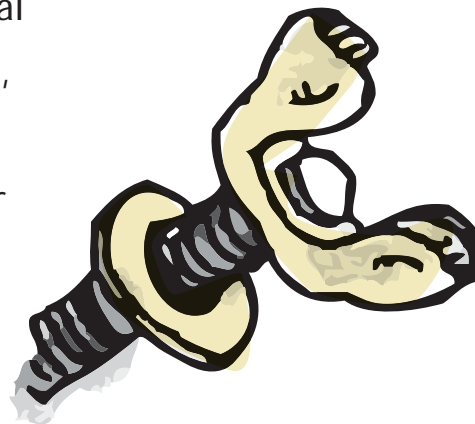
Symposia Book Store

510 Washington St., Hoboken, NJ

Mondays, 3-4PM, 7 sessions- \$130
Starts April 11th (No class April 25th)

Jay Boucher, Drawing Instructor
Reserve by emailing jay@jayboucher.com

More info at hobokenpudding.com



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Drawing instruction for kids and adults