

GISNY NEWSLETTER Sept. 19, 2018

From the School Nurse

There have been cases of lice in the lower school. Please continue to check your children on a daily basis while there continue to be cases under active treatment.

If you find lice, please let me know and come to my office with the children so that I can check them out and advise you on further management. Typically, I complement parents on a job well done, because our community has always dealt with this vexing issue in a very thorough manner!

Remember, it is entirely possible to find a random louse or nit in one check, but not another. That is why schools no longer do mass screenings for lice. One check is never, ever enough!

Daily combing with a good lice comb is also a very good strategy. There is a wonderful German product available on Amazon: Nisska. In my experience, this is the best lice comb available, and it is vastly more effective at removing nits than the plastic combs that come with the lice treatment products.

Again, please let me know if you find lice! If we have notice of an issue in the early stages mitigating measures can be taken and cases can be limited. We have to deal with this as a team!

Thank you!

GERMAN AMERICAN STEUBEN PARADE

As you know, our school participated in the annual German American Steuben Parade last Saturday. Thank you to everyone who participated especially our teachers Rosita Fugarino and Stefan Alberti . Here are a few photos:





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Help Us Help Others

Join the Human Rights Club provide school supplies
for local homeless children*

Donations will be collected in each classroom, in the box provided,
until October 5th.

The top two classes that collect the most supplies wins ice
cream.

Items most needed include:

- marble notebooks
- plastic two pocket folders
- scientific calculators
- 3" x 3" post-its
- highlighters
- erasable pens
- pencils
- cap erasers
- block erasers
- glue sticks
- tape rolls
- scissors
- Sharpies
- Snacks
- 24 pack crayons
- thick and/or thin markers
- backpacks
- lined loose leaf paper
- spiral notebooks

*All donations go to Brighter Futures afterschool program sponsored
by Lifting Up Westchester