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Masquers Stellar Production of *She Kills Monsters*

By Elle Woska, Michaela Adam, and Sarah Yates

On the first weekend of December, Glen Cove High Schools Masquers Society put on the first theater production in almost two years, *She Kills Monsters*. *She Kills Monsters* is currently one of the top plays being done in high schools in 2021. The play is the story of two very different sisters, Agnes and Tilly. Agnes is your average high school senior. She is a well-liked cheerleader who enjoys spending her time talking to her friends. Meanwhile, Tilly is very unique. She enjoyed *Dungeons and Dragons*, sword battles, and Magic. She spent most of her days playing *Dungeons & Dragons* with her friends. One day, Agnes wishes to the universe that she didn't have a geeky sister. The universe responds by killing Tilly in a car accident. This show tells the story of Agnes and her journey to learn more about her sister through her D&D module.

Every single person in this cast brought so much dedication, passion, and genuine kindness to the rehearsal process and through watching the play, you could see how much time and effort went into making this show amazing. Outside of rehearsals,



Phoebe George

the cast became very close, as they were constantly talking and laughing over inside jokes. When interviewing some of the cast members, here's what they anonymously had to say: "I remember even during auditions, I could already tell that we were going to be friends. We already seemed like such a good group full of good people. I couldn't wait to get to know," said one. "We went from hanging out at rehearsals to going out all the time and just talking. It's so hard to find a group of people that you can just talk to. These are my people and I am so glad that I found them."

"Outside of rehearsal every now and then, the cast would meet up to hang out, run some lines, bond, and you could say we all became one big family. I love all of them and I can't wait to act with them in the future," said another. "It was fun, it was memorable, and that's all you can really ask for out of life," yet another admirably replied.

"I absolutely loved every minute of rehearsals for *She Kills Monsters*-no matter how hard the scenes were to choreograph, or how many times we messed up our lines, we always had our fun," remarked one cast member. "The whole cast and crew is incredible. Everyone is so talented and I really enjoyed doing this. Everyone made me feel very welcomed. Everyone is so funny and caring and they are all so genuine and I am so happy I got to meet them. you guys are just all really cool," one enthusiastically member said.

"It's such a supportive environment where you never feel left out. Even after rehearsal we all still hang out... and it's a lot of fun!" added one. "I feel like I could look at every single person in our cast and crew and list all the reasons they are



Director Ms. Makula with the entire cast

photo: Ms. Johnides

amazing. We are all unique individuals but the fact that we can all come together and do something as crazy as this is incredible" said another. Theater goes beyond all the acting and these connections that they all have created is special. The cast and crew would like to give a special thanks to Ms. Makula for directing this wonderful show. As a first-time director, she did everything she could to make this production amazing and you can see that in the finished product.

If you have not seen *She Kills Monsters*, the video recording of the whole show is on the Glen Cove High School Website. Masquers Production will be performing *In The Heights* by Lin Manuel Miranda this April. *In The Heights* tells a lovely story about hispanic culture in Washington Heights, New York City. It is a rich tale of love, music, dance, and culture. We hope to see you all there!



Paloma Supica & Luis Barrera



GAME REVIEW: FAR CRY 6

By Nicholas Novosselov



Far Cry 6 is a 2021 action-adventure first-person shooter game developed by Ubisoft Toronto and published by Ubisoft. This edition marks the sixth main installment of the Far Cry series and the world wide release in early October with trailers and marketing had people excited to play the game. Famed actor Giancarlo Esposito plays “El Presidente” Anton Castillo, who juggles the tasks of running his country and raising his son Diego, who he would like to pass the ruling of the country to. Players in the game take on the role of guerilla fighter Dan Rojas, a former member of the army, who is looking to overthrow the oppressive Castillo family and bring freedom to the made-up Caribbean island of Yara that sort of resembles Cuba for you history majors.

This installment in the franchise will have the biggest map for players to land by land, air and sea exploring different regions of the world controlled by different lieutenants of “El Presidente” and having you retake what they have taken from you from destroying outposts to freeing prisoners and helping other rebels in the cause. Players can also choose the gender of their rebel heros and fans of the previous installments of the Far Cry franchise will remember a few of the recurring characters that show up in the new installment.

Far Cry 6 has an average play time of 22-and-a-half hours for completing just the main story. If you would like to do all the various side missions, it will take more than 5 hours. Personally, I have 75 hours on my playthrough looking for secrets, hidden items, messages and collectables that can stretch play time drastically without making it too unenjoyable. Far Cry 6 has added some interesting new features to the game such as an armor system, the removal of the skill tree and craftable backpacks, weapons ammo and healing items, which can be made at captured outposts and crafting stations.

My score is a very respectable 7 out of a possible 10. Far Cry 6 is a fun game and has a lot of content, but does not have the same impact on me as the past games. To be fair, other respected game sites (8/10 IGN, 74/100% Metacritic and 75/100% PC Gamer) have given generally positive reviews, making Far Cry 6 a worthwhile game to enjoy and put the necessary time into.



Teacher Feature Ms. Carnovale by Elana Greim

Ms. Carnovale is a more recent addition to the GCHS community. She is a science teacher here. She loved science ever since she could remember, but primarily came later when she was in high school. She remembers taking AP Biology and then falling in love with the subject. “Everything was just so fascinating,” she reminisced. Choosing Glen Cove to work at was an easy choice for Ms. Carnovale because of its ability to help her to grow as a teacher. “I like that Glen Cove is a smaller school district. It’s been great exploring and becoming familiar with the area over the last few years. The local parks and beaches are beautiful” she said when asked about some of the things she likes about the district. Other than teaching science, Ms. Carnovale loves to play tennis. “I’ve been playing since I was four years old. It’s really an incredible sport. I played singles and doubles on the varsity team in middle and high school. I attend the U.S. Open any chance that I get,” she said.

As well, she loves to bake. If you see her in the kitchen, she’ll probably be making a cake, cookies, cupcakes, pizza, or Italian bread. She loves to share her love of tennis and baking with her friends and family. Ms. Carnovale grew up on the South Shore of Long Island. “I love living close to the water!” Her biggest goal at the moment is to grow as an educator so she can be an even better teacher for her students. “I want to give my students the best learning experience in their science class,” she remarked.

Other than teaching in the high school, she also runs the school’s booming Environmental Club. As advisor, she has aided in making the school a recycling program for both paper and plastic. Her biggest advice to high school students today is to embrace and enjoy the time that you are in high school. After that, you’re right on your way to adulthood and it comes much faster than you think. She also felt okay to change majors and career options throughout your college years, she said. “I was a history major for a semester in college & was set on going to pharmacy school for a while. I changed my mind. It happens!” Her last piece of advice is to enjoy and embrace the time you spend with family and friends, whether you commute to school, go away to school or go right out into the field. Their love and support will help you more than you realize. Ms. Carnovale is the newest addition to the science teacher team and we are happy to give her an official welcome.

ADVICE CORNER By Veronica O’Regan

Last Minute Senior Activities You Can Do at GC High School!

At the end of high school we all must think “there was so much more I could have done.” Well here are some things that you can do at Glen Cove High School from now and until the last day of classes.

You are able to start a club that you think would be beneficial to the students at Glen Cove! As long as you have ten signatures of your fellow students (regardless of grade) who would wanna join and still be in school the next year and a teacher who can serve as an advisor, then you can have yourself a club. It also helps to have a good idea for a club as well that will attract some of your fellow classmates to join. If you can’t create a club, you can join a club! It is never too late to join something. Glen Cove High School boasts new and interesting clubs such as Change Makers and I Am My Sister.

Lastly, help fundraise for your senior class. You can help them raise money for your senior prom and other fun events if Covid doesn’t get in the way. Raising money is not always easy, but some aspiring salesmen have that hidden talent to sell young people on an idea. No matter what, you are an amazing part of our school and you all have shaped our high school into a welcoming family. Whether your interests are more aligned with sports, arts, theatre or in the library, you have left your mark and you should feel very proud of how far you have come over these last four hectic years. So go ahead and get involved!



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LA RESEÑA DE LA PELÍCULA

A Dos Metros de ti

por Yeldi Pineda



A dos metros de tí es una película que nos hace reflexionar que el amor por más difícil que sea, puede triunfar. En la película que escogí veremos a dos jóvenes con una enfermedad que se llama fibrosis quística, la cual es una enfermedad que afecta los pulmones. Ellos coinciden en el hospital donde ellos reciben sus tratamientos y terapias. Sus padres están obligados a dejarlos allí por varios días, e incluso meses hasta que se recuperen. Él sólo vive con su madre, y ella con sus dos padres. Lamentablemente, ella necesita pulmones nuevos porque los de ella no le dan el funcionamiento necesario para poder vivir por mucho tiempo. Después de algunos días ellos se conocen en el lugar donde están los niños recién nacidos porque los dos son amantes de los bebés, pero por la enfermedad que ellos tienen deben de mantenerse alejados dos metros el uno del otro, y mantenerse con mascarilla, de otra manera no podrían estar cerca. Después de unas semanas, el chico se interesó por ella y comenzó a investigar sobre ella, lo que en cierto modo fue fácil porque ella era una persona que hacía vídeos diarios para sus redes sociales hablándoles a sus seguidores sobre su enfermedad y sus procedimientos. Ella igualmente se interesó por él, y comenzó a preguntar cosas sobre él, sobre su diagnóstico, y sobre qué enfermedad padecía él. Sin embargo, él no quería tomar el procedimiento para mejorarse porque decía que de todas formas aunque se tomara sus medicamentos o hiciera las terapias se iba a morir.

Ella muy amablemente decidió involucrarse en la situación para ayudar al chico y hacerlo recapacitar para que tomara sus terapias. Ellos comenzaron a pasar más tiempo juntos y a compartir. Después de algunas semanas se enamoraron y cómo no podían estar juntos, ella se inventó un método con el cual podían pasar tiempo juntos. Pero la doctora que los atendía no quería que se enamoraran porque ya había pasado un caso similar de otros jóvenes y murieron por intentar estar juntos. Pero ellos insistieron en seguir intentando y si lograron enamorarse. Para los cumpleaños del chico, y para que él no se sintiera sólo, ella organizó una fiesta y a esta fiesta vino el mejor amigo de ella. Ella hizo este gesto con mucho cariño por el chico, pero con consecuencias nefastas. Después de dos días de esa fiesta, el mejor amigo de ella murió y ella se encaprichó y tampoco quería continuar con su tratamiento porque decía que ya no tenía a nadie, y que ya no servía estar bien. Después de varios días, a ella le tenían que cambiar los pulmones y finalmente tenían unos para ella. Ella no quería hacerlo, pero el chico le dijo que lo hiciera por él para que ella aceptara los pulmones nuevos y estuviera bien. Después que ella salió de la operación de sus pulmones, él le preparó una sorpresa también con varias luces porque ella deseaba ver unas luces de otro pueblo. Desafortunadamente para esta historia de amor, él decidió aceptar el traslado a otro hospital para que pudiera vivir, y aunque la amaba, le tocó dejarla y separarse para siempre de ella.

Lo que me gustó de esta película, fue que él decidió dejarla aunque la amaba tanto, pero por el bienestar de los dos tenían que separarse.

Lo que no me gustó de esta película fue que no pudieron terminar juntos ni formar una familia como las demás personas.

RESEÑA DEL LIBRO

PERDONA LO QUE NO PUEDES OLVIDAR

por Gloria Lopez

Este libro está escrito por la autora: Lysa Terkeurst, quien es la presidenta del ministerio Proverbs 31 y autora Best seller #1 de catorce libros(fue finalista de los premios Gold Medallion y People’s Choice Award).

¿Alguna vez te has visto envuelto en un desconsuelo una y otra vez ?

Lysa ya combatió esta causa y ahora te ayudará a mirar las cosas de diferentes maneras, para aprender a avanzar y juntos caminar por un proceso “paso” a “paso” y finalmente entender por qué el perdón es uno de los obsequios más cruciales.

Esta es una aventura donde se puede encontrar un procedimiento conveniente, enjuiciar el tormento, enseñarnos a restaurar lugares dolorosos de nuestro pasado, que aunque el perdón sea una de las cosas más difíciles de la vida, se puede caminar y encontrar la libertad y lo mas importante aun es poder quitarle el poder a aquellos que nos lastimaron.

Lysa Terkeurst, relata su historia y la temporada devastadora que vivió con su familia en los últimos años, su matrimonio se había venido abajo y la tomó en un momento desapercibido. Ella estaba en un estado de impacto y no fue por poco tiempo, esto duró más de dos años. Lo único que ella deseaba en esos momentos era poder dormir y no despertar, estaba muy frágil, la ansiedad y el miedo la hacían pensar que nunca iba a poder volver a la normalidad. Las cosas divertidas era una falta de comportamiento no adecuado, pero su dolor estaba infligido y era imposible de no verse afectada, la ruptura de su relación era un caos en todas las áreas, sus hijos, su salud, sus finanzas eran un desastre pero a pesar de todo ella creía que el siguiente día iba ser mucho mejor que hoy. Lysa tuvo que trabajar en sí misma para poder conseguir perdonarse y perdonar a las demás personas y así poder volver a ver la belleza, seguir adelante y estar libre de cualquier pesadez. Se dio cuenta que el perdón era posible, que no era necesario hacer tiempo a que otras personas lo hicieran por ella, pero que esto no era posible todo el tiempo, porque aunque el perdón sonara muy bien y de alguna manera sensata; cuando eres tú quien tiene que dárselo a esas personas que te lastimaron, se hace problemático y es muy desgastante lidiar con eso en nuestras vidas. Su confianza en Dios la hizo resistente y comenzó a estudiar lo que la biblia adiestra sobre el perdón y en este libro descubrirás lo que manifiesta y lo que significa vivirlo.



“De modo que se toleren unos a otros y se perdonen si alguno tiene queja contra otro. Así como el señor los perdonó, perdonen también ustedes. (Colosenses 3:13)

GCHS CHORALE SHINES IN NYC by Elana Greim

On December 16th, Glen Cove High School's Select Chorale took their first trip in two years to Saint Patrick's Cathedral in New York City. The choir departed in the morning on a warm day on a coach bus and took a ride to the famed "city that never sleeps."

Getting off the bus, they then made their way to the most famous Christmas tree in the world in Rockefeller Center. They traveled a bit around that area and then arrived at the cathedral. Their repertoire consisted of some classic Christmas tunes and their concert songs that are to be performed December 23rd at the high school. This marked a huge accomplishment for the choir, especially after COVID-19 pandemic hindered events.

One choir member, Jose Lorenzo Santos, stated, "It gave us a taste of performing together and really bonded us as a family. My tenor section was particularly excited about this trip and I feel like I got to know each other more than ever."

Senior Michaela Adam, another choir member, certainly felt the enormity of the moment of singing in such a grand cathedral. "It was such a weird experience to be on stage. Entering the choir during COVID didn't allow for us to ever perform," she remarked. "This being my first performance ever in Select Chorale as a senior is definitely an incredible thing. I can't believe we were finally able to do this."

In the midst of a world of weariness, the feeling for the choir to be able to sing again gave comfort that can't be replicated. The bus pulled back to Glen Cove at around 6pm that evening. Needless to say, the Glen Cove Select Chorale came back happy as ever, with their first performance under their belts. Good luck to the choir in future endeavors!

POETRY Corner

A Lonely Sparrow's Song

*One seems so lonely, That is until you find a two...
Two sparrows flying through the air in rhythm
As they fly, swooping up and down but always in perfect tandem
Wings gliding through creating a whispering that only they can hear
It's almost a secret that everyone can watch unfold but not listen
But how long before the civilians find their hidden messages?
Those sparrows only in perfect tandem for so long
Whispering no longer between them but more openly to the world
Only one sparrow can know, only one can share the secret
A sudden swoop up causing the other to be stuck falling down
Down through fogs, and meadows and bushes, landing in a pond
The other, up, through the clouds, up to go and meet the sun
Really, Everybody Loves All People Sometimes, Eh? Hidden messages.
"Curious, when will the public figure them out?"
One seems so lonely, that is until you find two, and you
can't keep it.*

~Sparrow



GCHS Select Chorale at Saint Patrick's Cathedral in New York City



Glen Cove Hosts Duel Assemblies Promoting Tolerance

by Sarah Yates

An assembly held this October at the Glen Cove High School Auditorium for the freshmen class on the topic of “Deconstructing Symbols of Hate” by the Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center of Nassau as well as a “Power of Words” assembly for younger students at the middle school. The event was hosted by Dr. Avi Marcovitz, the Director of Education at the center right here in Glen Cove.

What exactly is “deconstructing symbols of hate”? The main message of these assemblies was to break down the barriers between different groups of people including: race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, age, etc. During the assembly, they brought connections between the Third Reich/Nazis of the 1930s-1940s to the hostilities held in modern times towards Jewish faith with events like Charlottesville in 2017. Focus was also placed on uphill struggles faced by other marginalized groups such as Latin American Immigrants, LGBTQ communities and treatments of Muslims after the events of 9-11.

The point of this assembly is to let young adults and adolescents know how powerful it is to “take a stand” and how words can create change. Dr. Marcovitz stated, “You don’t have to be MLK, Gandhi or Rosa Parks to be brave and battle injustice. You have the ability.”

Dr. Marcovitz told these impressionable adults that they don’t need to be this great figure to make a change. They can start by just making their voices be heard. The Center has reached out and has already made visits to 40 districts thus far on Long Island and even some boroughs in New York City. The Center has even set grand plans to visit Canada to spread awareness. Dr. Marcovitz made mention of how commendable Glen Cove is for being so open to teaching it’s students these issues that are often overlooked. There are many different events for this organization, some of which are very affordable. This is a chance for students to get involved in helping their community and groups who are struggling.

If you’d like to view more on this topic, the website is hmtcli.org. The website lists the quote, “Working together to build a better tomorrow.” The impression of this website is to invoke a sense of unity and it does a good job of it. The website has different tabs to learn even more information--one being the museum located right here in Glen Cove on Crescent Beach Road. There are also tourist guides for the general public. The public hours are listed below:

Monday through Friday: 10am - 4:30pm

Saturdays and Sundays: Noon - 4pm

GCHS FASHION ILLUSTRATION CLASSES PARTICIPATING IN JUNK KOUTURE.

by Matt Bailey

As the old saying goes, one man’s trash is another man’s treasure. Case in point: the Glen Cove high school fashion illustration class is participating in Junk Kouture-a creative platform that allows students to take recyclable and reusable materials to create mood boards and sketch illustrations that ultimately end up as clothing.

Not only is this a worthwhile endeavor artistically, it’s also teaching about the sustainability of the environment and creating global awareness about going green. Students are able to work independently or in groups of three people to brainstorm, design, create, and model clothing made from recycled items. Students can then post their designs on the Junk Kouture app, using the hashtag for Glen Cove High School, so people outside of the district can view it.

Lucky participants who have their design chosen will get to go to the finals in New York City, where their piece of recycled clothing will get the high honor of being presented on the catwalk in June 2022 during Climate Week NYC, which is a program that aims to empower 13-18 year-olds and introduce them to the global arena and make them aware of important environmental issues of our time.

Ms. Palazzo, who is spearheading the project, said the initiative has been great for a variety of reasons. “It’s been inspiring to see the students engage with people from other cultures as well as tying into the environmental component regarding sustainability of the planet and the importance of being environmentally conscious,” she remarked. Not only did students put in the necessary time, but teachers had to take a class to learn about how the contest was run and constantly go to the website to keep up with the latest updates as well as videos on YouTube.

Time commitments aside, junior Shellsie Avelar Sorto liked the benefits as well as the challenges that come with this initiative. “I love that it allows you to have a ton of creativity with the design and not limit what you can do,” she remarked. “It also challenges you since you have to figure out what material to use and if it will work.”

Alvelar Sorto has already posted her illustrations on the app and has received positive feedback.

Fellow fashion sophomore Daniela Recinos, who said she has been working on this project since September, has similar positive reactions to her fellow classmates. “While the toughest part is deciding on the outfit, you get to express yourself and to create some unique stuff,” she said.



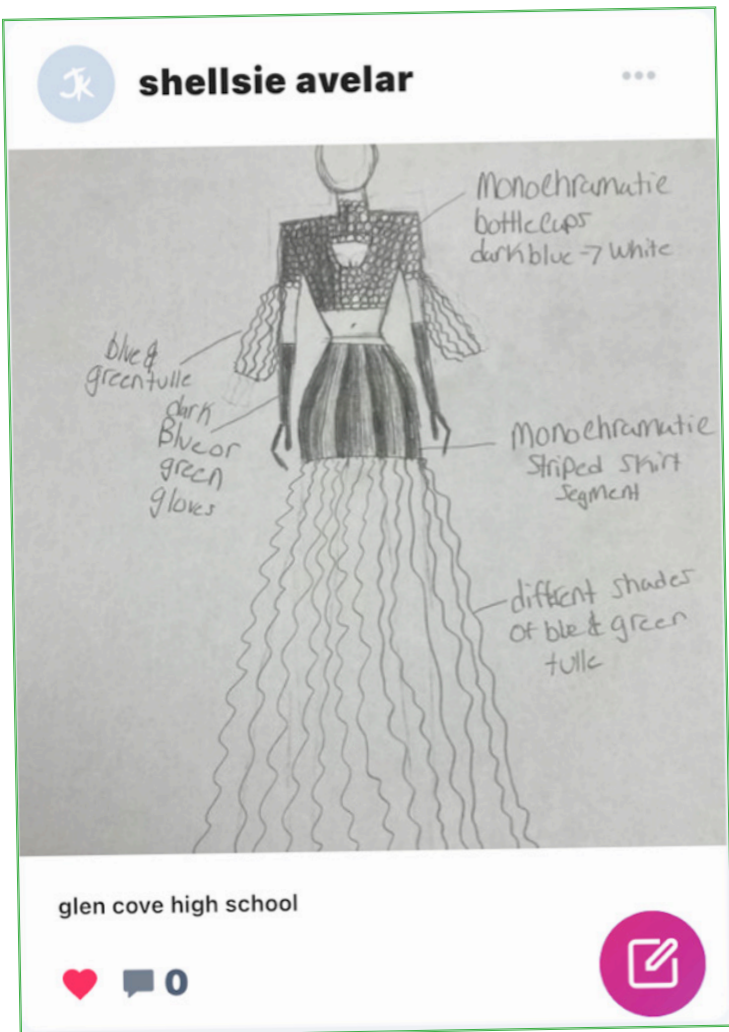
Pizza!!! Pizza!!!

Glen Cove Freshman Class 2025 would love our community to help support our fundraiser. Please find below a link to order your Little Caesar’s pizza kits delivered straight to your home. You’ll be sure to come back to order more!

<https://fundraising.littlecaesars.com/fundraisers/support/abab2f42-d5b0-4a93-8481-cd76580f1d90>



JUNK KOUTURE IS A CREATIVE PLATFORM FOR STUDENTS FOCUSED ON SUSTAINABILITY & FASHION.



Boys Varsity Soccer Enjoy Another Strong Season

The Glen Cove Boys Varsity Soccer team had another Class A Nassau County title in their sights, but came up short in a 3-2 loss to archrival Garden City in the county finale. Despite the heartbreak loss which saw the team battle back from a pair of one-goal deficits, the Big Red posted a pair of impressive postseason road wins over North Shore (4-1) and Plainedge (6-2) as well as a 2-1 thriller over Manhasset at Mitchell Field in the semis, courtesy of an overtime goal from freshman Erny Hernandez. Standout midfielder Mathew Salinas,

playmaker Chrystian Hernandez, left winger Christian Yanes and the multi-faceted Londell Wheeler led the team to a 9-4-1 regular season record, which led to some positive praise from head coach Brian Smith. "I'm extremely proud of everything the team accomplished this season," said Smith. "We expected to be in the finals and we got there by putting in the necessary work and I'm still proud despite coming up short in the final."

Youth & Experience Highlight GCHS Girls Basketball

By Matt Bailey

Most championship winning teams have a healthy mixture of experience and youth to accomplish the ultimate goal...winning the title. The Glen Cove Girls Varsity basketball team boasts plenty of both. However, the reality of lifting the proverbial trophy let alone earning a playoff berth remains to be seen. With that being said, the challenges of overcoming the chaos of last season that was ravaged by the pandemic has made them stronger and more disciplined. Head coach Jake Freitag can testify to the team's dedication.

"Despite the challenges where games were rescheduled constantly, the team followed all protocols and never had an outbreak," said Freitag. "I was extremely proud of the girls since winter sports were the first to be played last year and we were able to make it through the season safely."

Coach Freitag's vision of leaning on senior leadership with the support of young talent starts with senior co-captains, point guard Anna Basil and shooting guard Isabella Juarez. Basil, who was tabbed All-Class in 2020, has a boatload of experience taking care of the ball-handling responsibilities, while Juarez can score and possesses perfect chemistry with her fellow backcourt mate. Sprinkle in senior center Kayla Recinos and Glen Cove Basketball has some veteran leadership it can lean on.

The coaching staff is also looking to blend upperclassmen with a bunch of young-guns in freshmen Paulina Fonfara and Isabel Basil (Anna's sister), sophomore Ava Scagliola, as well as 8th-grade sensation Brooke Simmons. Simmons has been an instant impact in the scoring department along with Basil, who has already received some lofty compliments from her older sister. "My sister is going to be better than me if she isn't already," she candidly remarked. "The goal here is to create and work on better chemistry and a team dynamic by integrating the younger players into the system the coach wants. I want to be a role-model for those younger players and win as much as possible."

Coach Freitag is expecting the young players to hit the ground running when it comes to contributions to the team. "I expect this team to compete in every game as long as they trust the process in terms of the system, especially since we have new challenges and tougher foes by moving from Conference A3 to A2," he said. For Basil, not only was staying disciplined off the court a challenge, but on the court as well.

"We had to show responsibility off the court by staying away from get-togethers or gatherings. On the court, we had to play with masks and it took a little while to get used to breathing and communicating with other players or the referee," the senior captain remarked. Fellow senior Jaurez echoed those sentiments by Basil "It was a little tough at first, but you get used to it. I would say it took a couple of weeks to a month," the senior co-captain remarked.

Early returns came in the form of a preseason scrimmage win over Westbury with Anna Basil leading the way with nine points and the team overall shaking off the offseason cobwebs. A humbling 26-point setback to MacArthur in their opening game of the Oyster Bay tournament was quickly erased by a 48-17 pasting of Roosevelt in the second game, which resulted in the game's leading scorer Isabella Juarez being selected to the All-Tournament Team. The Big Red also received strong tourney performances from the new kids on the block in the younger Basil and Simmons.



Roosevelt was on the docket again a few days later in a non-league affair and the Glen Cove girls handled their business with a 42-28 triumph over the Roughriders, thanks to Juarez leading all scorers with 10, Simmons with nine and the older Basil with eight. The Big Red followed that result up by using a 25-5 3rd-quarter run en route to an emphatic 62-23 home win over Hempstead, thanks to 23 points from Anna Basil and another 16 from Isabel Basil. Unfortunately, the three-game winning streak came to a halt with a 57-42 loss to Hicksville, despite getting 23 points again from the elder Basil. However, Glen Cove bounced back by using a 16-5 second quarter run two days later to cruise past Lawrence by 21 points (48-27) and secure a solid road win heading into the league play. As some of these early games have shown, playing beyond the regular season in February seems obtainable.

"Team-wise, I think the playoffs are a realistic goal, but we have to take it game-by-game," said Jaurez. "Personally, I want to play hard and leave it all on the court."

Good luck G.C. Varsity Girls!!!



Left to Right:
Kayla Recinos, Isabella
Juarez & Anna Basil

Newsflash: GC Football Nabs Most Improved Award

The Knightly News would like to congratulate the varsity football team for winning Nassau County's Most Improved award for 2021 as voted by the coaches. Winless in 2019 and 2020, the Knights came together this season for a much-improved 4-4 mark, nearly missing the playoffs on the last weekend of the season. In those four wins, Glen Cove outscored their opponents by a count of 166-81, including a blowout win over Roslyn at Homecoming and a 36-6 road triumph at Calhoun. Assistant coach Frank Curatolo expressed his pleasure regarding how far the team has come. "I am very proud of our seniors, who have been here for four years and watch them turn things around and how they led the team," he said. Needless to say, the team will look to post a winning record in 2022. Congratulations Big Red!