

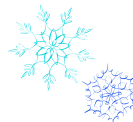
# Eden Central School

## District Newsletter

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From the Superintendent

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Dear Eden Families:

What an exciting school year this has been! Our students and staff have been really busy. Once again, Eden has come through in our blanket drive sponsored by Senator Gallivan's office. I am very proud that our parents, students and staff donated 197 blankets, plus some stuffed animals and books, of course! This is absolutely incredible and shows children at Oishei that we are thinking of them. Here are our totals: 77 from GLP, 31 from EES, 35 from MS, 40 from HS and 14 from the Transportation and District Office. Thank you all for your support and willingness to get involved!

As you have heard in the past, our school calendar is created to offer at least 180 student attendance days. Next year's school calendar is ready, with a bit of a difference in the beginning of September. The first day for students will be on Tuesday, September 8, 2020. Labor Day is late and June Regents are early. With students beginning the day after Labor Day, it will allow us to have the day before Thanksgiving and the day before Christmas Eve with no student/teacher attendance. Thank you to everyone who made this happen.

Whew, we are into March (well, almost), and we still have three snow days left this year. I have heard that March may bring us some snow and winter weather. I know our students would be excited for another snow day. Put a penny under the pillow and an ice cube in the toilet. This is what I am being told. A huge thanks to all the students who send me messages the night before our weather turns bad. I am glad to know you are watching the weather models.

We still have an entire semester left of school. Our students continue to bring excitement, empathy and commitment to each of their days. Thank you for sharing your children with us. It is the reason we get up each day with a smile on our faces.

Sincerely,

Sandra Anzalone  
Superintendent



## Delay of School

NYS Attendance Regulations allow districts a "delayed start" to the school day. A delayed start of 1-2 hours, in some cases, would allow a storm to pass over before students are picked up in the morning.

In an effort to get our students to school, Eden CSD will utilize a delayed start of 1-2 hours, if appropriate to the circumstances.



2020-2021  
School Calendar  
See our website at  
<http://www.edencsd.org/page/60>  
on or after  
February 26<sup>th</sup>

## Eden Elementary Students in the Spotlight

*By Lisa Postle*

Congratulations to the following Eden Elementary Students for being chosen as Students in the Spotlight:

### **December:**

**Grade 3:** Ashton Walczak, JJ Hartman, Olivia Smith, Trevor Flynn, Lacey Kwart

**Grade 4:** Grace Meyer, Santino Eggleston, Sam Zittel, Connor Crawford

**Grade 5:** Addie Schauer, Sarah Casey, Lainey Galuszka, Haley Clerc, Blake Gernatt

### **January:**

**Grade 3:** Wesley Flynn, Emiliana Rodriguez, Shane Mossop, Ava Martinez, Madelyn Notaro, Zander Lee

**Grade 4:** Jon Schneider, Raegan Waring, Noah Schlegel, Allison Wierzba

**Grade 5:** Lucas Gruka, Aliyah Wakelam, Timmy Pompeo, Zachary Tepfenhart

## Pre-K & Kindergarten Registration

Pre-Kindergarten & Kindergarten Registration appointments were Tuesday through Thursday, February 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>. Children 4 years of age on or before December 1, 2020 will be eligible for Pre-Kindergarten in September and children 5 years of age on or before December 1, 2020 will be eligible for Kindergarten. All Pre-Kindergarten students must be registered prior to the open registration cutoff date of March 27, 2020. If you are interested in having your child attend in the Fall, and you haven't received registration information, please call the GLP Office at 992-3638. You can also visit [www.edencsd.org](http://www.edencsd.org). Click on Student Registration on the left-hand banner.

## Best Wishes to January Retirees

We wish Kathy Klopp and Sandi Laedke, who retired January 31<sup>st</sup> a very long and happy retirement.

Mrs. Klopp was hired in 1991 to teach both Physical Education and Health. In the late nineties, her teaching schedule changed to all Health Classes. By 2001, she had committed herself to learning the technology skills needed to teach using technology with the help and support of Mrs. Karstedt and the Technology Department. The Health students learned with a digital textbook and took digital tests, along with animated class discussions, in an almost paperless classroom. Then 6<sup>th</sup> Grade students joined the building. She taught 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> grade Health the last year and a half of her teaching career at Eden.

Mrs. Klopp truly loved teaching the Eden students. The students, parents, guardians, entire school staff, Board of Education and Eden community are the reason she showed up daily, ready to teach the Health Curriculum's hot topics. Her fondest memories will be having witnessed the Eden community time and time again rallying for students or families that needed support through a difficult time. She has learned many lessons from the Eden community.

Mrs. Klopp plans to spend time with her family and friends, enjoy the outdoors and read.

She would like add a thank you to the entire Eden community for the honor and privilege of teaching at Eden Central School District. ***Namaste!***

After seeing a small ad in a local newspaper in her hometown of Brooklyn, NY, Sandi Laedke's interests were peaked when she volunteered at a lunch program at a center for developmentally challenged children and adults. It was there that her interest in teaching students with special needs began. One summer, Sandi worked as a summer camp counselor for six weeks on a cross country tour, traveling with a bus load of teenagers, and camping at many beautiful places across the country, followed by two eventful summers at the Easter Seals Society of Colorado. It was these experiences while working with physically and developmentally challenged children and adults, that Sandi was assured that the field of Special Education was the career for her.

She earned both her Bachelor of Science and Master of Science in Elementary and Special Education degrees at Buffalo State College, before beginning her career teaching children with multi-handicapping conditions in both private and public sectors. After a few years, she also became interested in teaching students with learning disabilities and other health impairments. In 1992, Sandi landed her dream job at Eden Elementary School. She enjoyed every challenge she faced, along with the rewards of working with special needs students at multiple grade levels.

She loves living in Eden and is happy to end her career at Eden Middle-High School. She is grateful for the opportunity to live and work in a small-town district, for the colleagues she worked with, and for the opportunities she has had to help campers, students and their families.

Upon retirement, Sandi will be enjoying her new-found freedom staying active with volunteerism, spending time with family, playing music with her friends, traveling, reading, learning, hiking, and discovering new adventures. Sandi will be missed by Eden CSD, and we wish her much peace and happiness in her retirement!!

## Fiesta!

By LauraAnn Felser

Eden Elementary 5<sup>th</sup> graders finished the novel, *Esperanza Rising*, and Mrs. Felser's classroom enjoyed a Mexican themed "wrap party" to celebrate the food, culture, and traditions from the story. They ate bean and cheese burritos, Mexican beans and rice, guacamole with chips, and sampled exotic fruits such as mango, guava, figs, and papaya. For dessert they ate coconut candies and even almond flan! They talked about the novel and how much they enjoyed trying new flavors, under the watchful eye of their new class "pet" – an authentic Mexican piñata burro. It was a fun way to beat the winter blues!



## From the Art Department

By Lisa Nicastro

Congratulations to senior, Haley Cavarello on her first place winning submission to the Buffalo Auto Show poster contest. Haley will be honored at a ceremony in the coming weeks and her poster was on display at the auto show February 6<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup>.

Haley also attended Daemen College on Sunday, February 9<sup>th</sup> to accept an honorable mention for an acrylic painting entitled "Simple Pleasures in Simpler Times." Also in attendance for photo submissions were Audrey Burdick, Kayla Vinovski, and Emma Gunner. Madison Pye submitted a charcoal drawing that was on display as well.

The Art Department is very proud of our students, and they deserve acknowledgment for their hard work, creativity, and technical skill.



You cannot escape the responsibility of tomorrow by evading it today.

Abraham Lincoln

## Take a Look at the GLP MakerSpace

By Sandy Wess-Rishel

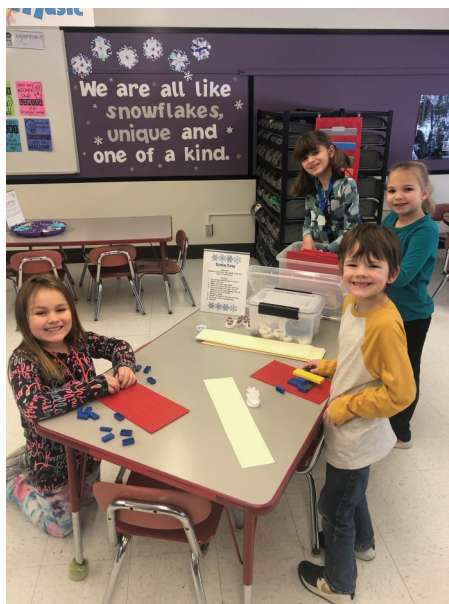
**GLP MAKERSPACE VISION STATEMENT:** The GLP MakerSpace will provide opportunities for the next generation of thinkers to collaboratively explore, create, and problem-solve through meaningful play.

The first thing people say when I talk about the MakerSpace Room is; "What is a MakerSpace?" A Makerspace is based on STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math). It offers students opportunities to challenge themselves, to work in teams, alone or with partners. It develops communication skills, analytical reasoning, problem-solving skills, and perseverance. It is a hands-on learning space that offers activities and problems to solve, without explicit directions on how to solve them.

The GLP MakerSpace has several stations, including a Science/Math Station, a Technology/Coding Station, an Arts/Music Station, and an Engineering Station. Each station has an activity for a team of children to work. For example, the Engineering Station has a challenge to build a snow fort, using KEVA planks, large enough to hold two lego men, and with a working door. The Math/Science Station has a challenge to create the tallest ramp for a penguin to slide down, using tagboard strips, legos for a base, and a measuring tape. There are other permanent stations throughout the room including a 3-D Virtual Reality Station, a green screen Presentation Station, Peg Place Pegboard Station, a Lego Wall Station, and a Magna Tile Building Station. Some station activities will change every 4-6 weeks, giving classrooms the chance to visit as often as they would like throughout the school year.

If you ask my students to explain the MakerSpace, their responses are similar. "The MakerSpace is a place to have fun and learn at the same time." explains Penny Ford. "In the MakerSpace, I learned to do challenging things, and if they didn't work, I tried them again." says Gemma Max. "A MakerSpace is to challenge kids' minds, like a hard thing that they've never done before." Natalie Riester explains. The overall excitement of the MakerSpace is apparent when talking to the students at the GLP. They are learning to solve problems, to try challenging tasks, and try them again if it doesn't work out. They are using their own creativity, while simultaneously learning Math, Science, Coding, Engineering processes, and Art/Music skills. But if you ask a child, they will say they are just having fun.

The MakerSpace Team has spent many, many months creating this space and planning activities. This couldn't have been accomplished without the support of the staff of GLP and the administration, along with community member support. The students began working in the MakerSpace in January, and a Grand Opening for the public was February 13<sup>th</sup>. It is definitely one more reason that the GLP is a Great Little Place to learn.



# Eden Middle School Music Students Participate in All-County Solo Fest

By Annette Bahun

The Eden Central School District Music Department recognizes the following middle school students for their recent music accomplishments.

Congratulations!

## *Photo #1 Elementary All-County Solo Festival Participants:*

Row 1: Emerson Kannisto, Ciara Clark, Sam Steward, Mia Scott, Row 2: Sophia Donovan, Ben Agle, Isabel Thomas, Aubrey Griffin, & Nora Ryan



## *Photo #2 Elementary All-County Orchestra Participants:*

Ben Agle & Sophia Donovan

## *Photo #3 Jr. High All-County Band & Orchestra Participants:*

Chris Reid, Grace Canfield, Rebecca Nyitrai & Caden Scerra. These are the students of Peter Griesinger, Sarah Roberts & Annette Bahun.



### **The flu season is upon us!**

The signs of the flu may come on suddenly. Most people feel very tired and have a high fever, headache, dry cough, sore throat, runny or stuffy nose, and sore muscles. Some may experience stomach problems and diarrhea. The cough can last for two weeks or more.

Children with the flu should be isolated at home, away from other people. They should stay home until they have no fever without the use of fever-control medicines.

Remember to always cover when coughing or sneezing and to wash hands frequently.



## Kazoos from Eden to El Salvador!

*By Denise Uhlman-Eden Elementary Strings/Orchestra*

These fifth grade string students represent the forty-one musicians who will touch a child's life in Central America!

During the months of January and February, these students met a weekly practice challenge. Each challenge met meant that a child in El Salvador will receive a kazoo from our very own "Eden Kazoo Factory". We are thankful for the anonymous donor who made this possible.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker's daughter will travel to El Salvador over the February break with "Young Life" to work with the youth there. They will be taking the 146 kazoos earned by our amazing Eden musicians! Bravo for enriching the lives of children you will probably never meet. We applaud your efforts.



## Elementary Students Participate in Erie County Solo Auditions

*By Denise Uhlman*

The students pictured represent the Eden Elementary 2019-2020 participants in the Erie County Solo Auditions and/or the Erie County Chorus.

Congratulations to these students, their teachers, and families for making this possible! Eden Elementary is very proud of your dedication and perseverance in this music success.

Row 1: Amelia Foltyniak, Allison Wierzba, Delaney Jobe, Alaina Sims, Liam Ersing, Nathan Guadagno.

Row 2: Makenzie Richards, Adeline Donovan, Luke Ersing, Ruger Pastwik, Veronica Inserra, Lina Ratajczak.

Row 3: Madison Russillo, Adelaide Fultz, Cloey Juliano, Sienna Miller, Patton Schultz, Luke Ricigliano.

Missing from photo: Bayleigh Krempa, Madison Bateman.

These are the students of Denise Uhlman, Karen Bosiacki and Annette Bahun.



**Eden Central Schools  
CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM  
Winter/Spring 2020**

**Visit [www.edencsd.org](http://www.edencsd.org)  
for new and updated  
Continuing Education  
information.**

Please complete the form below and mail it with a check or money order made payable to Eden Central School. Mail to: District Office, Eden Central School, 8289 North Main Street, Eden, NY 14057, or you may bring your registration and check to the District Office (EE Room 119) from 7:00 a.m. until 3:30 p.m. five days prior to the scheduled start date for the class. **You must be 18 years old and no longer enrolled in high school to take a class, unless otherwise specified.** The date listed by each class is the beginning date. There is variation in the beginning dates, length of classes and times, so please check details carefully. If a class does not attain minimum number of participants, your check will be returned to you. **YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE NOTIFICATION IF THE CLASS WILL RUN.** All classes are held in the Middle & High School, *unless otherwise noted.* E-mail questions to [bthomasulo@edencsd.org](mailto:bthomasulo@edencsd.org).

**HALL WALKERS**

Walk in the hallways of Eden Central High School. Whether you enjoy an easy stroll or a brisk walk for regular exercise, your neighborhood school offers the perfect clean, dry and secure setting regardless of the weather! (NO children please). You **MUST BE REGISTERED.** Registration by mail, e-mail or drop in only; **please no phone calls.**

Monday through Friday,  
Now through May 31st  
6:00 pm – 8:00 pm  
No minimum registrants  
No instructor

**Eden CSD Fitness Center**

Monday – Friday 5:00 pm – 9:30 pm & Saturday 8:00 am – 12:00 pm

Membership fees are as follows:

- ◆ Individual (Eden CSD Resident) \$15/mo. OR \$60/6 mos.
- ◆ Family (Eden CSD Resident) \$45 mo. OR \$180/6 mos.
- ◆ 3 interchangeable passes
- ◆ 62 years old and older (Eden CSD Resident) Free

Under 16 must be accompanied by Fitness Center parent/guardian

Equipment Includes: 6 Life Fitness Activate Treadmills, 5 Life Fitness Active Ellipticals, 1 Life Fitness Activate Recumbent Bike, 2 Spin Bikes, 2 Water Rowers, Life Fitness Chest Press, Life Fitness Shoulder Press, Life Fitness Seated Row, Life Fitness Lateral Pulldown, Life Fitness Leg Curl, Life Fitness Leg Extension, Life Fitness Leg Press, and Gronk Fitness Power Rack. Free Weights, Kettle Bells, Medicine Balls, Benches and much more!

For information on how to register, please go to <https://www.edencsd.org/page/5839> or call 992-3626.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION**

**REGISTRATION FORM**

**Winter/Spring 2020**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

CLASS \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT ENCLOSED:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_



## FUN WITH FUSING

Make beautiful jewelry or decorative items from colorful pieces of glass you cut, arrange, and heat together in a kiln. Create your own design or follow one of our project samples. Choose to make two pendants, a pair of earrings, two pins, two refrigerator magnets, one suncatcher, one glass tile, or one night-light. Additional fee for extra projects, multiple firings (if required), and dichroic glass. By successfully completing this class, you are eligible to rent studio time and complete new projects on your own. You can pick up your project after it's been fused and annealed (heated and cooled gradually to remove thermal stress) or the instructor can mail it to you for an additional fee. If your project requires a bail, earring backs, magnet or night-light assembly, the instructor will provide you with the needed materials in the mail or by appointment.

### Choose one date:

Saturday, April 25<sup>th</sup>, 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup>, 10:30 am - 1:00 pm

Saturday, June 13<sup>th</sup>, 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

1 Session

Minimum of 1 & Maximum of 4 people

Instructor: Vicki Schneider

*Classes held at Expressive Glass*

*3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn*

Class fees: \$60 per person

## HOW TO MAKE GLASS BEADS

*Turn hot glass into cool stuff!* Join glass artisan Vicki Schneider at her beautiful studio in Woodlawn for an experience you will never forget. Vicki's studio, Expressive Glass, is located at 3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn, between the Ford and steel plants. In just three hours, you will make your own beautiful one-of-a-kind glass beads and enter the mystical and ancient world of lampworking. This clinic will introduce you to the art of safely flame-working soft glass. You will learn to melt glass rods, wrap molten glass around thin steel rods (mandrels), and create basic beads. After exploring various surface decorations, you will produce colorful treasures that you can use to create jewelry on your own.

### Choose one date:

Sunday, April 5<sup>th</sup> 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> 10:00 am - 1:00 pm

Thursday, June 4<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm - 9:00 pm

1 Session

Minimum of 1 & Maximum of 4 people

Instructor: Vicki Schneider

*Classes held at Expressive Glass*

*3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn*

\$70 includes:

3 hours of instruction, all glass, tools and materials, plus 1 hour complimentary studio time to be used within 30 days of your class.

## GLASS LEAF PENDANTS

Make beautiful glass leaf pendants you will be proud to wear or give as a gift. Learn to melt and manipulate glass at a stationary torch under close supervision. You will be amazed at how glass glows and stretches when it's hot. No experience is necessary - only a willingness to try. Pick up your project(s) after they have been annealed (heated and cooled gradually to remove thermal stress) or they can be mailed to you for \$7 payable to the instructor.

Sunday, March 29<sup>th</sup>, 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

1 Session

Minimum of 1 & Maximum of 4 people

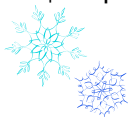
Instructor: Vicki Schneider

*Classes held at Expressive Glass*

*3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5)*

*Woodlawn*

Class fees: \$60 per person



## FLORAL GLASS PENDANTS

Make several glass pendants with beautiful floral designs that you will be proud to wear or give as gifts. First you will cut small pieces of glass and place them on a graphite pad to create your design. You will then learn how to encase your design in molten glass and form your pendants. You will be amazed and mesmerized as you learn to melt and manipulate glass at a stationary torch under close supervision. No experience is necessary - only a willingness to try. Pick up your project(s) after they have been annealed (heated and cooled gradually to remove thermal stress), or they can be mailed to you for \$7 payable to the instructor.

### Choose one date:

Saturday, April 18<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

Monday, April 27<sup>th</sup>, 6:00 pm - 8:30 pm

Sunday, May 10<sup>th</sup>, 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm

1 Session

Minimum of 1 & Maximum of 4 people

Instructor: Vicki Schneider

*Classes held at Expressive Glass*

*3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn*

Class fees: \$60 per person

## ISAFETY BABYSITTING COURSE

The child and babysitting safety course from the American Safety and Health Institute will teach students everything they need to be a great babysitter. This fun, interactive course teaches first aid and safety skills, so they can prevent and respond to emergencies. Topics include starting a business, leadership, CPR, choking and first aid. As an American Safety and Health Institute trained babysitter, they will gain confidence and valuable employment skills to impress parents. Targeted for students 11-15 years old, the course is held over one five-hour session. Students who successfully complete the program will receive a babysitter's text, first aid kit, starter package and certification card. **Minimum 11 years old to participate.**

Saturday, April 25, 2020  
9:00 am-1:00 pm  
Bring a lunch  
Min. 6 people to run class  
Instructor: I-safety Certified  
Instructor  
High School Room 146  
\$59

## SPANISH ENRICHMENT

SPANISH FOR THE ELEMENTARY YEARS is an educationally oriented fun and interactive program designed specifically for the K-6 elementary student. The unique six-week curriculum features foundation vocabulary introduced through games, singing and hands-on activities. Students are able to compound words and begin forming simple sentences. Classes are never a repeat! **Class is open to new and returning students!** Three sessions of the program will run throughout the school year. New vocabulary and activities are introduced with each session! Research studies have indicated the benefits of introducing foreign language skills at an early age! Flyers and registration forms will be sent home with students. Join the fun!

### Winter Session:

**Grades K-2:** February 10<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup>, March 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>. No class February 17<sup>th</sup> and March 2<sup>nd</sup>.

**Grades 3-5:** February 14<sup>th</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup>, March 6<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, 27<sup>th</sup>, April 3<sup>rd</sup>. No class February 21<sup>st</sup>, March 13<sup>th</sup>.

### Spring Session:

**Grades K-2:** April 27<sup>th</sup>, May 4<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> No class April 22<sup>nd</sup>, May 27<sup>th</sup>.

**Grades 3-6:** May 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup>, June 5<sup>th</sup>

Use registration form sent home with your child.  
Minimum of ten students per group to run class  
Minimum 8 people; maximum 18  
Culture Kids Instructor  
Each 6-week session is \$68

## Driver Education

Students must be 16 years of age AND have a valid learner's permit by June 22, 2020 to be eligible to participate.

Participation in Driver Education is a privilege. Inappropriate behavior will not be tolerated and could dismiss a student from participation. The program will begin July 1<sup>st</sup>, 2020 and run every day, Monday through Friday (except July 3<sup>rd</sup>), through July 24<sup>th</sup>. The cost of this course is \$450.00 and must be paid in full at the time of registration. There are no refunds. Selection to participate is done on a first come first serve basis by grade. Registration is as follows:

Open registration begins April 20<sup>th</sup>. Registration form and payment is due in full.

Students will be expected to meet the following requirements:

- 24 hours of classroom instruction
- 24 hours of road instruction

All students are required to provide their own transportation to and from the school. No pickups and/or drop-offs will be made at home.

Please note: Attendance doesn't ensure the certificate of completion. Each student must successfully complete the program, participate in class, complete all assignments and pass the tests. Students must attend ALL (16) lecture classes. This is a requirement of the DMV, the State Education Department and may NOT be waived by the school district. Being late over 10 minutes will count as an absence. There is no make-up time available.

Registration forms will be available in the High School Main Office, the District Office at Eden Elementary School and on our web-site beginning April 20, 2020.

## SINGING LESSONS FOR EVERYONE

Do what you love to do – Better! Learn to bring greater enjoyment and satisfaction to your singing by building on the basics of breath support, tonal focus and musicianship. Whether you are a beginner or an experienced musician, this class will help you get to the next level of your art. Just bring your enthusiasm and a piece of music you love to sing! Classes are open to all ages! Lessons are 30 minutes of private instruction.

### Five-Week session – flexible scheduling!

No minimum

Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*

**Coming to a Hamburg location!!**

Cost \$85 for five lessons

## SELF-GROWTH AND THE ART OF SINGING

Professional singer, voice teacher and holistic health practitioner, Jesse Wicher, will share with you the wonderful life-lessons he has learned through the study of singing. Through lecture and examples, you will explore with him the profound relationship between the breath, body and voice, and personal growth. Highlights include: "Singing with your own voice," "Getting out of the way," and "Letting go of judgments." This engaging one-evening course is perfect for singers, artists and anyone wishing to create more freedom and joy in their life. No singing required. Come and learn what good singing can teach you about good living!

Monday, March 23<sup>rd</sup>

1 Session 6:30 pm – 9:00 pm

No minimum

Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*

Mystic Wolf Healing Arts

Cost \$29

## REIKI CERTIFICATION CLASSES

Become a certified Reiki healer. During these in-depth sessions, you will delve deeply into the ancient Japanese art of hands-on energy healing. Learn to channel and direct Universal Life Force Energy to help reduce stress, increase vitality and correct physical, mental and emotional imbalances. Each course provides training, course materials, attunement and hands-on experience of advanced techniques useful for healing yourself, family and friends or for establishing your own Reiki practice. Come experience the life-transforming power of Reiki.

Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*  
Mystic Wolf Healing Arts

Level II—1 Session  
Saturday, February 29<sup>th</sup>  
11 am – 5 pm  
Cost \$175

Level III—1 Session  
Saturday, April 11<sup>th</sup>  
11 am – 5 pm  
Cost \$199

Advanced Reiki  
Training  
1 Session  
Saturday, March 14<sup>th</sup>  
11 am – 5 pm  
Cost \$139

Long-Distance  
Reiki  
Saturday, March 28<sup>th</sup>  
11 am – 5 pm  
\$139

## PRACTICAL COMPASSION

Each of us is seeking the goodness we want for our lives in the best way that we know how. By understanding our own actions and the actions of others, from this perspective, we realize that the suffering we all experience in life comes not from a desire to hurt, but from a deep, shared desire for goodness. In this five-week course, you will learn to see the challenges of your life with greater clarity and compassion and discover practical ways to better fulfill your best intentions for living. This empowers us to move beyond the judgments and defenses that separate us, and to open our hearts again to ourselves, our relationships, our society and our world. Come learn to see beyond the illusions that separate us and to recognize the common instinct for goodness at work in every relationship and situation in our lives.

Tuesdays, March 10<sup>th</sup>–April 7<sup>th</sup>

5 Sessions 7:00 pm–9:00 pm

No minimum

Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*

Mystic Wolf Healing Arts

Cost \$99

*\*Jesse Wicher's classes are held at Mystic Wolf Healing Arts Studio, 2167 Wehrle Drive, Williamsville, NY 14221. A Hamburg location for Singing Lessons for Everyone will be available. Call 992-3629 for more information.*

#### 4-HOUR SAT BOOT CAMP

**Get a jump start on your SAT test preparation!** This comprehensive course introduces students to the SAT test with emphasis on test-taking strategies, testing information, how to best prepare for the SAT test, and practice questions in each subject. Course includes: workbook/study materials and a free simulated SAT test. For the simulated test schedule and registration information visit: [www.allprotutoring.com](http://www.allprotutoring.com) **2020 SAT test dates:** March 14<sup>th</sup>, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, and June 6<sup>th</sup>. **Students are welcome to bring a snack or lunch to class.**

Saturday, March 7<sup>th</sup>  
10:00 am - 2:00 pm  
Minimum 5 people  
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#### 4-HOUR ACT BOOT CAMP

**Get a jump start on your ACT test preparation!** The ACT Test is held in equal esteem as the SAT test by most colleges and universities. This comprehensive review course introduces students to the ACT test and includes: test-taking strategies, testing information, study materials and a free simulated ACT test. For the simulated test schedule and registration information visit: [www.allprotutoring.com](http://www.allprotutoring.com) **2020 ACT test dates:** March 4<sup>th</sup> & June 13<sup>th</sup>. **Students are welcome to bring a snack or lunch to class.**

Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup>  
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**Are you ready for the SAT test?** This 9-hour course offers an in-depth study of the SAT test. Course includes: classroom instruction, test-taking strategies, testing information, workbook/study materials and a free simulated SAT test. For the simulated test schedule and registration information visit: [www.allprotutoring.com](http://www.allprotutoring.com) **2020 SAT test dates:** March 14<sup>th</sup>, May 2<sup>nd</sup>, and June 6<sup>th</sup>. **Students are welcome to bring a snack or lunch to class.**

Tuesday, Tuesday, Thursday  
April 21<sup>st</sup>, 28<sup>th</sup> & 30<sup>th</sup>  
6:00 pm - 9:00 pm  
Minimum 5 people  
All-Pro Tutoring Instructor  
Room 102  
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#### PRIVATE TUTORING

K-12, Regents and SAT/ACT Test Prep—Individual and small group sessions available for all subjects. Please contact Jackie Sheehan at 716-310-3319 or Denise Breier at 716-400-2767 or visit [www.allprotutoring.com](http://www.allprotutoring.com) for more information.

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Thursday, Tuesday, Thursday  
April 2, 7 & 9 2020, 6:00-8:00pm  
Minimum 5 people  
All-Pro Tutoring Instructor  
Room 102  
Only \$79.00

## FIT KIDS IN ACTION at GLP

GLP has started the beginning phases of the indoor play area named "Fit Kids in Action" with the hallway maze which will be completed and ready to use after the February break. The GLP is so excited to offer some of these new and exciting options for our students to keep them fit and active. These activities will continue to build their fine and gross motor skill.

We all know that fit kids are happy kids. Children that are physically fit are more likely to be fit adults.



Nominating Petitions for Board of Education Seats will be available February 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2020 in the District Office, Eden Elementary School, 8289 North Main Street, Eden, NY 14057 - Room 119. Pick up a petition between 7:15 am - 12:00 pm or 1:00 pm - 3:15 pm. Petitions must be notarized and returned to the District Office, Eden Elementary School, 8289 N. Main Street, Eden, NY no later than 5 pm on Monday, April 20<sup>th</sup>. Enter by ringing the bell at the District Office entryway.

The vote date is Tuesday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, 2020 from 9 am - 9 pm in the Middle & High School Auditorium Foyer.

**Proof of residency is required for voting!! NO EXCEPTIONS!**

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*Eden Central School – Embrace, educate, empower*

**MISSION:**

In collaboration with the community, the Eden Central School District pursues our tradition of excellence in personal and academic achievement. We provide a positive and respectful learning environment that places students at the heart of all activities. Students are afforded the tools and opportunity to realize their potential within our global society, while cultivating the understanding necessary to fully appreciate their journey.

**VISION:**

ECSD is a collaborative learning community that embraces the individuality of each student, educating and empowering them to become productive citizens in an ever-changing and diverse society.

Kindergarten Screening for new registrants will be held on May 27<sup>th</sup> at GLP. Call 992-3638 for more information. Current Pre-K students will be screened on May 21<sup>st</sup> during class time.



**TRANSPORTATION REQUESTS**

The deadline for all Non-public school transportation requests is April 1<sup>st</sup>. If you plan to send your child(ren) to private school next year, you must request transportation in writing no later than April 1<sup>st</sup>. All requests should be sent to:  
 Mrs. Mary Banko, Eden Central School,  
 Transportation Department, 2902 Schoolview Road,  
 Eden, NY 14057

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