

# Eden Central School District Newsletter

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## From the Superintendent

Dear Eden Families,

Thank you for your support of our upcoming capital project; all propositions passed. We are so excited about the transformative changes that it will bring. Yes, this capital project includes bricks and mortar, mechanical and electrical, drainage and re-grading; in addition to all of that, it includes an opportunity for us to build a roadmap for 21<sup>st</sup> Century teaching and learning for our teachers and students.

Our architects and engineers are busy working on the Project Plan, which will include a reasonable delivery timeline for each phase of the project. While some project items will begin this summer, others will be phased in beginning in the summer of 2017 and continue on through the winter of 2018. These are exciting times for Eden CSD, and it is all because of you.

In the meantime, our District is focused on building this roadmap, so that we are ready once the project is complete. Never in the history of Eden CSD have we had such opportunities to launch our students into the future. The technology infrastructure, on its own, will allow us to personalize learning in ways we can only dream about now.

Within the next few weeks, we will begin working with our capital project design teams. If you were part of our focus groups last year, we may just reach out to you again. This is a collaborative process, and we need to hear your voice. Change is coming! While all of this sounds exciting, and it is, there is no doubt that during all the construction there will be frustrations. Change is never easy.

We are hyper-focused on making Eden CSD the very best educational institution it can be. Go Raiders!



Sincerely,

Sandra Anzalone  
Superintendent

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# Junior Achievement Guest Speakers

By Joe Mesi

Junior Achievement USA is a nonprofit organization financed by businesses, foundations, government, and individuals. Since its founding in 1919, Junior Achievement has contributed to the business and economic education of more than 100 million young people around the world.

Junior Achievement USA is the nation's largest organization dedicated to educating students in grades K-12 about entrepreneurship, work readiness, and financial literacy through experiential, hands-on programs designed to help them understand the economics of life. In partnership with businesses and educators, JA brings the real world to students, opening their minds to their potential.

During the months of November and December, Mr. Mesi's Career and Financial Management classes enjoyed guest speakers through the Junior Achievement Program of Western New York. Mr. Mark Peer, an auditor with the accounting firm PricewaterhouseCoopers and Mr. Michael Barry, Financial Advisor with Merrill Lynch spoke on Credit, Banking and Checking and the completion of a 1040EZ tax form. Each gentleman spoke in three classes on three different days. Students filled in forms, completed checking activities and were able to ask questions.



Mr. Michael Barry



Mr. Mark Peer



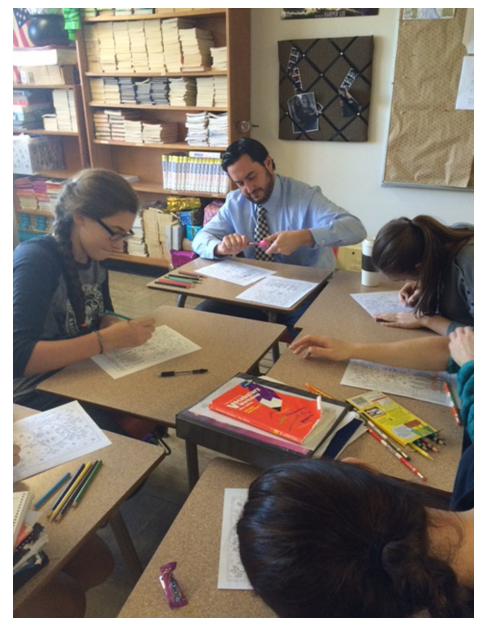
## Mindfulness at Work in the Classroom

By Jeff Cervoni, Eden Jr./Sr. High School Principal

On December 10<sup>th</sup>, I visited Ms. Costanzo's 11<sup>th</sup> grade English Honors class where students were studying a unit on Transcendentalism. Students read an essay, "Nature", by Ralph Waldo Emerson that connects who we are as individuals to the world in which we live.



To reinforce the message Emerson conveys in his essay, students participated in a Mindfulness coloring activity. This is a great example of how Eden teachers are balancing best practice, academic rigor and Mindfulness in their classrooms. I would like to thank Ms. Costanzo and her students for allowing me to be a part of their lesson.



# High School Musical—Once Upon a Mattress

By Susan Schnaufer



Coming soon! The Eden Jr./Sr. High drama club is proud to announce their 2016 production of *Once Upon a Mattress*, March 10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup>, all performances at 7 pm in the High School auditorium. This show is a family friendly show based on the story of the Princess and the Pea. The show's synopsis, provided by R&H Theatricals is as follows:

*If you thought you knew the story of “The Princess and The Pea,” you may be in for a walloping surprise! Did you know, for instance, that Princess Winnifred actually swam the moat to reach Prince Dauntless the Drab? Or that Lady Larken's love for Sir Harry provided a rather compelling reason that she reach the bridal altar*

*post haste? Or that, in fact, it wasn't the pea at all that caused the princess a sleepless night? Carried on a wave of wonderful songs, by turns hilarious and raucous, romantic and melodic, this rollicking spin on the familiar classic of royal courtship and comeuppance provides for some side-splitting shenanigans. Chances are you'll never look at fairy tales quite the same way again.*

The cast is composed of 38 talented students along with our stage crew and pit! We are all excited to be bringing this show to the Jr./Sr. High stage in March. Tickets can be ordered online. Please follow this link <http://www.edencsd.org/site/Default.aspx?PageID=522> to order tickets.

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## Eden Elementary Students of the Month

By Patty Steinmetz

### November

**Grade 3:** Logan Gemza, Maya Hartman, Thomas Rasmus, Trent Ratajczak.

**Grade 4:** Josiah Devlin, Colton Hornquist, Lucas Roberts, Maverick Sutherland, Alex Widelko.

**Grade 5:** Elizabeth Agle, Alexis Ecker, Devin Fanning, Aidyn Gombos, Michael Preischel.

**Grade 6:** Ella Brenner, Kyle Ecker, Brianna Meatyard, Isabella Sgroi, Austin Sroda.

### December

**Grade 3:** Madison Brocious, Camdin LoBello, Kayla Pelc, Mitchell Preischel.

**Grade 4:** Hanna Barrett, Hailey Cooper,

Brendan Felser, Georgia Horschel, Annabelle Koszelak.

**Grade 5:** Gianna Gould, Mya Ogle, Alaina Ventry, Emma Willet, Juliana Wray.

**Grade 6:** Danielle Answeeney, Lydia Kobie, Kayleann Kowalski, Stephanie Lorden, Gunnar Schwenkbeck.

### January:

**Grade 3:** Ronan Crowley, Elizabeth Fanning, Kyle Huttenlocker, Tucker Jobe.

**Grade 4:** Jesse Buczkowski, Zachary Karpinski, David McCart, Madison Stetz, Josephine Wray.

**Grade 5:** Molly Cassidy, Brynn Hall, Lauren Hickok, Jacob Lauricella, Brendon O'Donnell.

**Grade 6:** Ashley Blaszc, Drew Cassidy, Jane Heffernan, Julia Kuster, Shane Walczyk.



## Congratulations to Mathis, Banko, Preischel and Clark!

Congratulations to:

Katie Mathis, who was granted tenure in Elementary Education effective January 14, 2016.

Mary Banko who was permanently appointed as a Head Bus Driver effective December 31, 2015.

Tom Preischel who was permanently appointed as a Maintenance Mechanic effective January 1, 2016.

Mark Clark who was permanently appointed as an Auto Mechanic Crew Chief effective December 31, 2015.

Pictured are Mrs. Anzalone, Ms. Mathis and Mr. Byrnes.



### 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.



The Eden PTA will be sponsoring a Spring Book Fair on March 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Eden Elementary Library. Information will be coming home with students prior to the start of the sale.



## Happy Valentine's Day!



## Nickels for Nepal

By Amy Steger and Morgan Theophilus



Students in Mrs. Theophilus and Mrs. Steger's fifth grade class ran a fundraiser to raise money for relief efforts in Nepal.

After reading a first hand account of a Nepali man's fight for education, and learning about the recent earthquake in Nepal, students decided they wanted to help! Small groups of students worked on different job committees. These jobs included collecting jugs, distributing them to classrooms, creating artwork, researching and writing announcements, counting money, creating spreadsheets, and writing a letter to inform students and their families. The fundraiser ran from October 27<sup>th</sup> to November 10<sup>th</sup>, and in total the class raised \$715!

## Elementary All-County

By Annette Bahun & Denise Uhlman

Twenty instrumentalists from Eden Elementary School auditioned for the 2016 Erie County Band and Orchestra. Many months of hard work go into preparing a solo, scales and sight-reading. We applaud these students for their dedication and commitment and thank them for representing our school so well!

*Pictured at right—Row 1: Mitchel Schnaufer, Lizzie Agle, Aaron Kline, Julia Kuster, Alaina Ventry, Brynn Hall.*

*Row 2: Juliana Wray, Caitlyn Murphy, Katie Donovan, Rianna O'Connor, Danielle Gephart, Elle Noecker, Graham Lenz.*

*Row 3: Liam Clark, Luke Schinzel, Luke Blandino, Peyton Koszelak, Mya Schrecengost, Gianna Gould, Cecelia Karpinski.*

It will be a great honor for these Eden Elementary 4<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade musicians to perform in the 2016 All-County Band and Orchestra. They will practice with other musicians from all over Erie County and on Saturday, March 5<sup>th</sup> perform a concert at Kleinhans Music Hall. Congratulations!

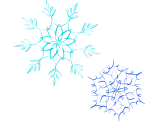
*Pictured at right: Mitchel Schnaufer, Danielle Gephart and Graham Lenz.*

These are students of Annette Bahun and Denise Uhlman.



# Learn to Knit Program at Eden Jr./Sr. High School

By Lisa Alessi Nicastro



Beginning on December 9<sup>th</sup>, 2016, Mrs. Nicastro's Creative Crafts students participated in a three week "Learn to Knit" program and were visited on three occasions by Erin, owner of Hamburg's Embraceable Ewe Yarn Shop, and "Grandma" Genevieve.

Needles and yarn were provided for a fee of \$15.00 and art students learned basic knitting while making headbands, hats, and scarves. The best part of the class was having Mr. Cervoni and Ms. Costanzo join in on the knitting fun.

Students at the high school level have suggested starting an after school knitting club, and plans are in the works.



Pictured: Haley Kobie, "Grandma Gen," Greer Chatwood, Mr. Cervoni, Sam Burgio, Gabby Mohan, Abby Rojek-Schultz, Erin-Owner of Embraceable Ewe, Patrick Sullivan, and Alexis Browning.

# FBLA Student Organizes March of Dimes Fundraiser

By Joann Ramaekers



Brittney Gawel, an active FBLA member, organized a hat day on Friday, January 16<sup>th</sup> with all proceeds going to the March of Dimes Foundation.

Brittney is working towards the FBLA Business Future Award and must complete certain service requirements. She chose to do a

fundraiser for the March of Dimes foundation. This foundation helps preterm babies live healthy lives and helps women have healthy pregnancies.

She was able to raise \$218 through the hat day and other generous donations. Thank you for all your help and support.



A special thank you goes out to Debbie Ricey, a grandmother of a couple students at the GLP, who has so very generously donated some beautiful, handmade hats and headbands for students who may not have one on or needs one to keep their little heads warm for the winter.

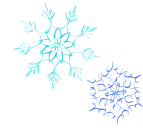
These are new and unworn hats and headbands. If your child is in need of one, just have them come down to the Nurse's clinic.

These items are a heartfelt donation that certainly are appreciated by our school and will be put to good use. We are very thankful at the GLP to know that this community is so supportive and caring towards some of their youngest citizens!



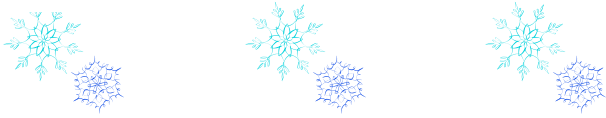
# From the High School Art Department

By Lisa Alessi Nicaastro



Ninth grade art students in Mrs. Nicaastro's Studio in Art classes made great use of gold foil paper donated last year by Mr. John Nelson of Ashton Potter Security Printers.

Young art learners designed Illuminated ("filled with light") letters in the style of the Middle Ages. The works were done on gold foil adhesive paper using acrylic paint. The results were stunning.



Michael Scheu



Brandy Fiumara



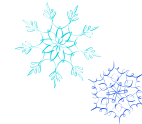
Stephanie Altherr



Allison Spicola

# Getting Ready for The Lion King!

By Amy Witman



Elementary Art teacher, Mrs. Witman, along with her "Art Crew" were busy creating large-scale papier-mâché props for the Eden Elementary musical, The Lion King!



# International Food Day Celebrated at Eden Elementary

By Sandi Ploetz

Fifty-three years after Eden initiated its first food festival celebrating our famous corn cobs, the library at Eden Elementary saw the dawn of a brand new food celebration: Eden Central's first ever International Food Day.

On December 18<sup>th</sup>, seventeen student chefs from Eden Jr./Sr. High School's International Foods class traveled to Eden Elementary and prepared tasty dishes from five different countries/regions of the world.

They fed 90 hungry and curious Grade 3 students bite-size samplings of Italian Biscotti, West African Peri Peri chicken, Brigaderios (fudge balls) from Brazil, Black Forest mini-muffins from Germany and Tuk Patata Aloo Took (Spicy Indian Potatoes). Students feasted at tables in the library that had been turned into an International Café for the occasion. Third graders had made flags and maps of Senegal, India, Germany, Italy and Brazil to decorate for the event.

This project was the brain-child of FACS teacher Sherri Stoneberg and me. Third graders study world geography and cultures as part of their Social Studies curriculum, and their Library Studies focus on how to use almanacs, atlases and reference databases to learn about different places in the world. International Foods students learn about the types of foods and flavorings from around the world. They also learn about how to plan for cooking on scale and to adapt recipes for people with dietary restrictions. So this project met the learning needs of both groups.

The high school students gathered information about the various countries into Power Point

presentations. Mrs. Stoneberg had asked the school community for any memorabilia from different countries for the students to use in displays. The students then brought their presentations down the road in early December and spoke about their countries to a group of 18 Grade 3 students, selected as ambassadors from their classrooms. These third graders, in turn, spoke to their classmates during Library class about what they had learned from the older students. The classes used that information to make decorations for International Food Day. They practiced using the almanacs and atlases to find flags and maps of the five countries.

According to the teachers, this event gave both groups a real taste of authentic learning. Both the third graders and high school students were learning for a purpose and sharing it with an audience. Mrs. Stoneberg and I feel the program was enough of a success that International Food Day will be back for another year. It looks like our first-ever festival will be our first ANNUAL event. Can't wait for next year!



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## Eden Volleyball Player Named NYS Gatorade Player of the Year

Junior, Samantha Burgio was announced as the Gatorade Player of the year for New York. Gatorade POY is an athletic awards program that annually recognizes one winner in each of the 50 states and the District of Columbia across twelve different sports. Winners are chosen based on athletic excellence, academic achievement and exemplary character. Since its inception 29 years ago, the Gatorade POY program has become one of the most prestigious high school athletic awards in the nation. Congratulations to Samantha who joins such professionals as JJ Watt, Michael Jordan, Kobe Bryant, Emmitt Smith, and LeBron James. Samantha is Eden's third Gatorade POY, joining Ashley DoEpp, and Heather Feldman. Congratulations Samantha Burgio and Coach Stephen Pierce!



# Photography Students Plan Exhibit with Help of Albright-Knox

By Lynn Morgan



Two professionals from the Albright-Knox Art Gallery met with Eden's Jr./Sr. High School's Photography I class to help the students plan an exhibit of their work at the school. Education Program Coordinator Liz Bryson and School Program Coordinator Kelly Macagnone came from the internationally esteemed gallery to share with students their expertise in the museum field.

Students learned from Ms. Bryson the criteria museum professionals use to curate a show and a myriad of things to consider when displaying work. Bryson, who runs the Albright-Knox's Young Curators program, discussed determining theme, establishing perimeters for the pieces to be exhibited, looking critically at the space to be used including assessing sight lines, and making decisions for signage and labels.

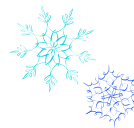
The photography class had toured the gallery earlier in the fall thanks to the availability of the Arts'Cool program funded by Blue Cross/Blue Shield of WNY which covered admission, a tour guide, and most of the transportation costs. The Eden PTA funded the remainder, which enabled the young photographers to spend a few extra hours taking photos in and around the gallery and at Canalside. While at the gallery, students were inspired by a thematic photography exhibit called Artist to Artist,

which featured artists either creating or installing work for the gallery, taken by artists. Students began taking photos "student to student," and based on creativity in the schools. After Ms. Bryson's presentation, the students made critical decisions to alter the emphasis a little bit, focusing on the energy within the school environment and titling it *Eden Vibe*.

Ms. Macagnone also discussed museum work as an art career. She talked about the various positions available within the Albright-Knox Art Gallery ranging from Board President to security and many positions in between. Students learned that if they have a passion for art, there are many ways to create a career, even if they do not feel they themselves are artists.

The photography show, *Eden Vibe*, will be on display throughout February at the High School.

Pictured are Liz Bryson and Kelly Macagnone.



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## Mastery Level Designation Information

By Dave Hassett

Beginning in June, 2014 the New York State Board of Regents decreed that student achievement on specific Regents exams would be recognized by a notation of "Mastery" on a student's High School diploma, awarded in either the area of Mathematics or Science or both.

To qualify for "Mastery in Science," a student will have earned a score of 85 or higher on three of the following NYS Regents exams: Earth Science, Living Environment, Physics, Chemistry.

Similarly, a designation of "Mastery in Mathematics" is awarded to any student who scores 85 or higher on the Algebra I, Geometry and Algebra II exams.

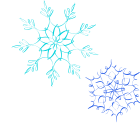
Since this determination, Eden High School counselors have encouraged students who are close to qualifying for "Mastery" in either subject to re-take the Regents exam(s) that would qualify them for this designation on their diplomas.

If you have any questions about this Regents exam score accomplishment and how it may pertain to your child, please contact Scott Minton, Amy Banks or Dave Hassett in the Eden School Counseling Office (992-3601).



## Communication Follow-up

By Lucinda Karstedt, Director of Technology/Enrollment and CIO



This past summer, we migrated to a new Emergency Notification System, School Messenger. With the recent bad weather, we have evaluated how we can improve the system to meet the needs of all vested parties. One area we would like to improve on is to assist parents who may need to have additional people contacted in the event of an emergency, such as the school closing early due to weather.

From your Parent Portal, if you click on the School Messenger link on the left and navigate to the Contacts section to edit your contacts, you will now see three additional Phone fields that you can add your own custom numbers into. This can be any number you would like called, such as grandparents, work numbers, neighbors, other guardians, etc. You can also customize which type of broadcasts each number receives, so you can set specific numbers to only be called if it is a school hours emergency and others to be called if it is an after school hours emergency, or if any of them should get general district broadcasts or attendance calls.

The primary parental and student contact information on that site cannot be edited through School Messenger. If you need to change any of your primary parental contact information, please return to PowerSchool and do so on the Demographic Update Page. If you have never logged in, you will need an instruction sheet to create a new account. Please contact your child's school.

GLP: 992-3638

Eden Elementary: 992-3610

Jr./Sr. High School: 992-3600

You will need an **access code letter** for each of your children to connect their information to your account. Directions for updating your contact information and email address are available on the Parent Portal webpage. Once you are logged into your account, you can update the following demographic information:

**Account Preferences** – updates your primary email address.

**Email Notification** – allows you to select what information you would like to receive through email, such as, grades, attendance, and school announcements. It also allows you to list additional email addresses.

**Demographic Change** – updates your phone numbers and email addresses that will be used in the new Emergency Notification System. All requests will be verified and additional residence and/or custody documentation may be required before completion.

**School Messenger** [New Emergency Notification System] – this section allows you the ability to select what phone numbers and email addresses will be used.

Recipients not wishing to receive text messages to a particular number can simply do one of the following:

Text “STOP” to 68453 at any time.

Uncheck the SMS boxes in your Parent Portal account [[www.edencsd.org](http://www.edencsd.org)]

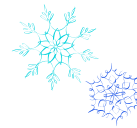
Opt out online at <http://schoolmessenger.com/txtmsg>

Lastly, as Mrs. Anzalone mentioned in her January 22<sup>nd</sup> phone broadcast, Eden Central School District has the ability to send messages to parents and guardians via phone, email and text. The email and text messages should reach you within minutes of the broadcast being sent, while phone messages may take up to 40 minutes to reach you. Please take a moment to sign up in your Parent Portal account for the District's Emergency Notification System (School Messenger) to send you these notifications via email and/or text. Please double check that these messages do not land in your SPAM folder or get rejected as SPAM by your email.

You must take personal responsibility. You cannot change the circumstances, the seasons, or the wind, but you can change yourself. That is something you have charge of.

Jim Rohn

# New High School Course—History of Eden



By Jamie Utley

History of Eden is a new Social Studies elective offered at the Eden Junior/Senior High school. The focus of the class is to have students complete original historical research that provides a better understanding of the town's past and its role in national events. Students, Emily Agle, Brittny Gates, David Mammoser and Nick Tripi spent the first ten weeks completing a Then & Now webpage of historical buildings, such as the Roeller Hotel and Eden Railroad Depot. Using a historic photo, students had to take another picture today and compare how it has changed over time. They also had to research the history of the building and explain its role in the past.

For the next quarter, students focused on social reform movements of the 1800s, including temperance, abolition and women's rights. This provided quite a challenge as they had to rely on old

newspapers, journals and meeting records to gather information on the various organizations and people involved in these movements. They worked with the town historian, Sue Minekime, and traveled to the Library at the Buffalo History Museum. In the process, they were able to uncover interesting facts about pioneer, Asa Warren, abolitionist, James McNitt and women's rights pioneer, Amy Juengling.

Besides uncovering more about the history of our town, the goal is to help students learn how to use primary sources to gather information, organize research and draw conclusions from what they have discovered. In addition, they are learning how to build webpages and crafting PowerPoints to present their findings. Finally, the History of Eden students will have a better understanding of the contributions made by people of the past and, hopefully, develop pride in the town where they live.

## School Budget Process 2016-2017 Process Underway

By Thomas Murphy

While we are quickly working our way through the 2015-2016 school year, it is never too early to look ahead to next year. One sure sign budget season is underway is when the Governor releases his version of state aid for school districts.

So what is in it for Eden and how did we fair? The answer is a lukewarm okay. We receive just over \$10 million dollars in aid from the state. Here are a couple items to highlight:

- Foundation Aid – up \$27,410 (up .41%)
- Special Education Aid – down \$40,435 (down 13.45%)
- Building Aid – down \$7,514 (down .57%)
- Transportation Aid – up \$49,030 (up 4.08%)\* This aid will most likely be decreased as the year goes on
- Gap Elimination Adjustment - \$375,596 taken back last year... \$243,000 taken back this year (up 35.3%)

Overall we see an increase of \$176,668 (\$10,466,944 vs. \$10,290,276). That's what the numbers say... but then you must interpret them. This represents a .65% increase in our appropriations from 2015-2016 of \$26,994,111.

We are likely to see changes to the Governor's proposed budget after the Senate and Assembly make their recommendations. This number represents a starting point for the district to work with when it comes to anticipating revenues for next year.

## Welcome to the Board!

A warm welcome to newly appointed member of the Eden Board of Education, Mr. Donald Sutfin. Mr. Sutfin was appointed to replace Mr. Colin Campbell who resigned in January.

Many thanks to Mr. Campbell for his dedication to the Board. We wish him well. Pictured below are Mrs. Anzalone, Superintendent; Mrs. Thomasulo, District Clerk; and Mr. Sutfin.



# RAIDERS RESPOND

Thursday, May 19, 2016

**The Eden Central School District will be participating in a community service project where all Faculty, Staff, and Students will work together to make a difference in this great community.**

*Raiders Have*

**R**espect and tolerance

**A**ppreciation

**I**ntegrity

**D**etermination

**E**mpathy

**R**esponsibility

**S**elf-control

On Thursday, May 19<sup>th</sup>, Eden Central School administrators, faculty, staff and students will participate in the seventh annual district-wide community service program. Each of the schools in the District will sponsor an activity or several activities and events in an effort to support our community.

It is particularly important for secondary students wishing to attend college to get involved with community service projects. More and more colleges look at community service hours when considering admission. We also know this is a great way to teach children of all ages that they can make a difference.

This program was extremely successful in previous years. We would like to see it expand even more. Your input is very valuable. Please submit your ideas on what we can do to provide assistance to the Eden community, while helping students to realize the importance of being a vital part of it. If you have suggestions, please write them in the box below and mail them as soon as possible to:

Eden Central School  
District Shared Decision Making Team  
District Office  
3150 Schoolview Road  
Eden, NY 14057

Or you can e-mail them to [bthomasulo@edencsd.org](mailto:bthomasulo@edencsd.org). We welcome suggestions from local residents, businesses, and not-for-profit groups. Please feel free to drop off any donations at the appropriate school building.

An Eden community service project I would like to see is: \_\_\_\_\_

How many students would you like at your project? \_\_\_\_\_

If necessary, you can contact me to discuss this further at:

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

*Note: There is NO rain date. In the event of rain/lightning; some projects will not take place on that day.*



**Eden Central Schools**  
**CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM**  
**Winter/Spring 2016**

**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, 3150 Schoolview Road, Eden, NY 14057, or you may bring your registration and check to the District Office 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 PARTICIPANTS, YOUR CHECK WILL BE RETURNED TO YOU. YOU WILL NOT RECEIVE NOTIFICATION IF THE CLASS WILL RUN.** All classes are held in the Jr./Sr. High School, *unless otherwise noted*. E-mail questions to [bthomasulo@edencsd.org](mailto:bthomasulo@edencsd.org).

**IMPORTANT** – When school is closed during the day or canceled because of weather, so are your courses. Likewise, when after school activities are canceled due to the weather, so are your courses.

**BEGINNING TENNIS LESSONS**

Learn the basics of this fun, lifelong sport afterschool in the gym with Mrs. Witman! Students will learn basic ground strokes, as well as rules of the game and tennis etiquette. All equipment will be provided.

Open to students in grades **4-6**  
 Mondays  
 April 18th -May 23rd (6 weeks)  
 3:10 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.  
 Minimum 8 students  
 Instructor: Coach A. Witman  
 Elementary School gym  
 Cost: \$25

*Please note:* May 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup>, lessons will take place at the HS tennis courts. Pick up will be 4 pm at the courts. All other dates pick up will be at 4 pm at the gym door near the Nurse's Office @ Eden Elementary.

**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** and wear District provided nametag at all times. Registration by mail, e-mail or drop in only; please **no** phone calls. Nametags can be picked up near the door of room 143 in the High School. You must also sign in outside of room 143 each time you walk.

Monday through Friday,  
 Now through May 31st  
 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.  
 No minimum registrants  
 No instructor, \$1 for tag.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION**

**REGISTRATION FORM**

**Winter/Spring 2016**

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

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

AMOUNT ENCLOSED:

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

### BOATER'S SAFETY CLASS

The New York State Parks and Recreation Department Boaters' Safety Course meets NYS requirements for a Personal Watercraft Boating Safety Course. It is intended to provide a basic knowledge of safe and legal boating practices. This is an 8 hour instructor led workshop, which includes a textbook and a 50 question multiple choice exam, which you MUST pass. Satisfactory completion will earn you an official completion certificate and may earn you up to a 15% annual discount on your watercraft insurance. It is approved by the NASBLA and meets education requirements for states with boater education laws. Course completion is good for life and is recognized by the US Coast Guard. MUST be over 10 years of age at beginning of course.

Saturday, April 2nd

OR

Saturday, April 30th

7:00 am – 3:00 pm

Minimum 5 people to run course

Instructor: Mike Voelker

Faculty Lounge

\$40 fee will include all books and materials and final exam

### 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 templates. Choose to make two pendants, a pair of earrings, two refrigerator magnets, one suncatcher, one glass tile, or one night-light. Additional fee for extra projects, multiple firings (if required), and dichroic glass.

You can pick up your project after it's been fused and annealed (heated and cooled gradually to remove thermal stress), or I can mail it to you for an additional fee. If your project requires a bail, earring backs, magnet or night-light assembly, complete it on a Saturday morning, the second or fourth Wednesday evening of the month, or by appointment.

Monday, March 7th, 6:00-8:30 pm OR

Sunday, April 17th, 1:30 - 4:30 pm OR

Saturday, April 23rd 1:30 - 4:00 pm

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 23rd

9:00 am–2:00 pm

Bring a lunch

Min. 6 people to run class

Instructor: Isafety Certified Instructor

High School Room 145

\$59

- A wide array of financial classes.
- SAT & ACT Classes for your student.
- Voice classes for everyone!
- Make your own glass beads and jewelry.
- Don't just sit there and read this — get up and join in the fun!

## GLASS BEADMAKING—THE FIRST STEPS

*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 flameworking 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.

Saturday, April 2nd 1:30-4:30 pm OR

Monday, April 4th 6-9 pm OR

Sunday, April 10th 10 am-1 pm

1 Session

**Maximum** of 4 people

Instructor: Vicki Schneider

*Classes held at Expressive Glass, 3333 Lakeshore Road (Route 5) Woodlawn*

\$65 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.

## FIVE HOUR PRE-LICENSING COURSE

Completion of this course is mandatory to sign up for a road test. Permit is required for registration. You must pre-register in Room 143 at the High School. You must also bring your permit to class. Ages 16 and up.

Monday, March 14th - 1 Session

4:15 pm – 9:30 pm

Minimum 10 people

Maximum 36

Instructor: Ronald Uhlman

Room 130

\$30

**\*EDUCATIONAL\***

## “THE CALL OF PARADISE”- A SPIRITUAL JOURNEY TO HAWAII

Have you ever dreamed of traveling to Hawai'i? Sun-kissed beaches. Firey volcanoes. Lu'au feasts. The gracious beauty of a hula dancer. Hawai'i is all of these things and more! Come spend an evening luxuriating in the aloha of the islands as we look more deeply into the history, culture and spirituality of this remarkable part of America. Through fascinating pictures and stories, we will explore the rich heritage and traditions that make Hawai'i one of the most beautiful, healing and life-giving places on Earth. Our journey will take us to the beautiful islands of Oah'u and the Big Island of Hawai'i. In addition to visiting Iolani Royal Palace, the Pearl Harbor Memorial, and Volcanoes National Park, we will get to meet with native kahuna shamans, experience spiritual ceremony at sacred sites, and visit the birthplace of Reiki Healing in America. For those who are interested, there will be an opportunity after the presentation to discuss the details of our 10-day spiritual tour to Hawai'i this coming January. So come join us for an evening of inspiration and let the magic of Hawai'i “call you home” to Paradise!

Date: Monday, January 25th

Time: 6:30-8 pm

**LOCATION: Maryvale HS Campus**

Instructor: Jesse Wicher

Cost: \$10

## Wellness Information

♦ A copy of the District Wellness Policy #5661 can be found on the [edencsd.org](http://edencsd.org) website under “Our District”, “About Us”. Go to the Policy Manual Link on the left side of the page ([www.edencsd.org/page/55](http://www.edencsd.org/page/55)).

♦ If interested in a summer lunch program, call 1-800-522-5006 for details.

## SPANISH ENRICHMENT

This class is for **students in grades K-6**. Each six-week session is \$65. Flyers and registration forms will be sent home with students. See web-site for more info.

GLP - Wednesdays

**WINTER:** 2/10, 2/24, 3/2, 3/9, 3/16, 3/30  
(No class 2/17 and 3/23)

**SPRING:** 5/4, 5/11, 5/18, 5/25, 6/1, 6/8  
GLP Room 15

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EDEN ELEMENTARY - Fridays

**WINTER:** 2/12, 2/26, 3/4, 3/11, 3/18, 4/8  
(No class 2/19, 3/25, 4/1)

**SPRING:** 4/29, 5/6, 5/13, 5/20, 5/27, 6/3  
Cafeteria

After School

Minimum 8 people; maximum 18  
Culture Kids Instructor  
\$65 per six week session

## 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 1st  
5 Sessions—7 pm—9 pm  
No minimum  
Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*  
Maryvale High School Campus  
Cost \$99

## AMERICAN RED CROSS ADULT/INFANT/CHILD CPR/AED

Could you operate an Automated External Defibrillator if a friend, family member or someone nearby was suffering from cardiac arrest? Take CPR/AED to learn the skills needed to prevent, recognize, and provide basic care for cardiac arrest and the effective use of an AED. Updated with the latest science for CPR and emergency cardiovascular care, this course also provides useful take-home materials to retain skills and use as reference tools once training is complete.

Tuesday and Thursday, April 5th & 7th  
4:00 pm - 8:00 pm

Minimum 4; Maximum 6 people to run class  
Instructor: Mary Lee Roush  
High School, Nurse's Office  
\$45, plus \$19 cash for Red Cross card

## AMERICAN RED CROSS ADULT/INFANT/CHILD CPR/AED RECERTIFICATION

This class is for those who already have CPR/AED certification but need a refresher course for recertification.

Choose a date: 2/24, 3/3, 3/8, 3/16, 3/31  
4:00 pm-6:00 pm

Minimum 4; Maximum 6 people to run class  
Instructor: Mary Lee Roush  
High School, Nurse's Office  
\$20, plus \$19 cash for Red Cross card

## EMOTIONAL RELEASE FOR INNER PEACE

Inner peace is impossible to maintain while we still hold on to the very feelings and beliefs that keep us from being peaceful to begin with. Trapped negative emotions like fear, anger and sorrow can disrupt the flow of vital energy in our bodies and actually sabotage our inner peace. In this single evening course, you will learn simple, yet effective techniques for getting in touch with, understanding, accepting and releasing the emotions that keep us from ourselves. Nobody wants to suffer. Come learn to rest in the peaceful state of loving acceptance that is our true nature.

Monday, February 22nd  
1 Session—6:30—9:00 pm  
No minimum  
Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*  
Maryvale High School Campus  
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.

Level I—1 Session  
Saturday, February 6th  
9 am—3 pm  
Cost \$149

Level II—1 Session  
Saturday, February 27th  
9 am – 3 pm  
Cost \$175

Level III—1 Session  
Saturday, April 2nd  
9 am – 3 pm  
Cost \$199

Advanced Reiki Training  
1 Session  
Saturday, March 12th  
9 am – 3 pm  
Cost \$139

Long-Distance Reiki  
Saturday, March 19th  
9 am – 3 pm  
\$139

Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*  
Holistic Arts Studio

## 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 7th  
1 Session— 6:30 – 9:00 pm  
No minimum  
Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*  
Holistic Arts Studio  
Cost \$29

## DEVELOPING YOUR INTUITION

Think you’re not intuitive? Think again! Each one of us is born with an innate sensitivity to the world of energy within and around us. By learning how to pay attention to and trust the subtle impressions we all get, we can gain amazingly accurate insights into the questions of our lives and the lives of others. During this five-week course, you will build confidence in your natural abilities through engaging, skill-building exercises and will practice exchanging healing and empowering messages with your classmates. Come experience the freedom and fun of opening to your inner gifts as you grow in your spiritual connection.

Thursdays, January 28th  
5 Sessions—7:00 pm – 9 pm  
Instructor: Jesse Wicher\*  
At Maryvale High School  
Maryvale High School Campus  
Cost \$99

## 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\*  
Holistic Arts Studio  
Cost \$85 for five lessons

*\*Jesse Wicher’s classes are held at either the Holistic Arts Studio, 68 Reed Avenue, Lackawanna, off Ridge Road, near OLV or the Maryvale High School Campus, Robert A. Binner Educational Center- Room 278, 1050 Maryvale Drive, Cheektowaga.*

### SAT/PSAT BOOT CAMP

**Are you ready for the new SAT test?** This comprehensive review course will introduce the new test format and will help students improve their SAT/PSAT test score. Includes: classroom instruction, test-taking strategies, testing information, and workbook/study materials. The new SAT test will be administered on March 5th, May 7th and June 4th.

Monday & Wednesday, February 22nd and 24th

**OR** Tuesday & Thursday, May 3rd & 5th

6:00 pm-8:00 pm

Minimum 5 People

All-Pro Tutoring Instructor

Room 102

\$59

### ACT BOOT CAMP

The ACT Test is held in equal esteem as the SAT Test by most colleges and universities. This comprehensive review course is designed to help students improve their ACT test scores. Includes: classroom instruction with special attention to the new writing format, test-taking strategies, testing information, and study materials. ACT test dates: April 9th and June 11th.

Monday & Wednesday, March 14th & 16th

**OR** May 23rd & 25th

6:00 pm-8:00 pm

Minimum 5 people

All-Pro Tutoring Instructor

Room 102

\$59

### WRITING THE COLLEGE APPLICATION ESSAY

**Do you want to ace your college application essay?** Then this 2½ hour workshop is for you! All the fundamentals of Standard English, as well, as essay strategies will be reviewed. Students will identify effective versus non-effective essays and apply these strategies to their own writing. Students will gain the confidence and knowledge necessary to write an effective college application essay. **Only \$49!**

Wednesday, April 20th

6:00-8:30 pm

Minimum 5 people

All-Pro Tutoring Instructor

Room 102

\$49

### 9-HOUR REGENTS REVIEW PREP COURSES

Review sessions available for Algebra I, Algebra II/Trigonometry, Geometry, and Living Environment. Each Regents prep course includes classroom instruction, test-taking strategies, testing information, practice test, and workbook/study materials.

Algebra 1:

Monday/Wednesday/Monday

May 16, 18 & 23, 2016

5:30 pm—8:30 pm

Algebra 2/Trigonometry:

Tuesday/Thursday/Tuesday

May 17, 19 & 24, 2016

5:30 pm—8:30 pm

Geometry:

Thursday/Tuesday/Thursday

May 5, 10 & 12, 2016

5:30 pm—8:30 pm

Earth Science; Living

Environment:

Wednesday/Monday/Wednesday

May 4, 9 & 11, 2016

5:30 pm—8:30 pm

Minimum 5 people

All-Pro Tutoring Instructor

Room 102

**Only \$109!**

To register, complete registration form and mail it with check payable to Eden Central School to:

District Office

Eden Central School

3150 Schoolview Road

Eden, NY 14057

### **KIDS AND CASH**

All parents want their kids to grow up financially secure. Teaching kids about money starts at home. This workshop helps you learn what you should be discussing with your kids to give them the skills they need to prepare for their financial futures.

Wednesday, March 16th  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10

### **BENEFICIARY PLANNING: DON'T LEAVE YOUR LEGACY TO CHANCE**

This presentation discusses the importance of beneficiary planning and why one should designate a beneficiary for each retirement account that they have. You will also learn how beneficiary designations affect your beneficiaries.

Thursday, March 17th  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10

### **AGING AND ITS FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

Lifestyles may change dramatically in our 70s, 80s, and 90s and beyond, and the reality of retirement may turn out quite differently from what we have envisioned. Unfortunately, many of you have looked at your “golden years” in idealized terms, and have not given careful consideration to the realities of aging. Aging and frailty know no economic boundaries and often bring physical, lifestyle, financial planning, and family, psychological and social challenges. Helping you truly understand the realities of retirement can help in giving financial, emotional and family considerations the proper attention well in advance in order to make appropriate plans.

Wednesday, March 30th  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10

### **GETTING THE MOST FROM SOCIAL SECURITY**

Social Security is a critical component of retirement planning—and one that can be overwhelming and potentially costly if you are uninformed. This seminar starts with a quick definition of Social Security and discusses how to identify Social Security benefits. It then focuses on the options available to you, and discusses ways to maximize your Social Security benefit and how to get it started.

Wednesday, March 2nd  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10

### **IDENTITY THEFT: HOW TO PROTECT YOURSELF**

This seminar will help you bolster your awareness of identity theft, increase your anticipation of, and help take action to prevent identity theft in your life.

Thursday, March 3rd  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10



## ROLE REVERSAL: YOUR AGING PARENTS AND YOU

Today, many individuals struggle to balance the needs of their growing family and aging parents. Since more people are living longer, more adult children find themselves assuming responsibility for aging parents. With this seminar, you will be provided an objective perspective and youthful energy to accomplish the tasks that must be completed with your parents.

**New**

Wednesday, April 13th  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10

## MEDICARE: WHAT YOU DON'T KNOW AND WHAT IT COULD COST YOU

Medicare planning is a critical component of retirement planning. This presentation covers the nuts and bolts of Medicare Parts A, B, C, and D.

Wednesday, April 20th  
1 Session—6:30 p.m.  
Minimum 5 people  
Instructor: Mark Ziemba, AIF  
Room 109  
\$10

## TRIPS AND TOURS

### SAP'S ARISING

#### A SWEET TRIP THROUGH BEAUTIFUL GEauga COUNTY

SAT., MAR. 12  
\$113.00

Start off with **JUICE & a MUFFIN** on the way to Ohio for **A SWEET TRIP THROUGH BEAUTIFUL GEauga COUNTY**. Meet the **STEP ON GUIDE** & begin touring. The maple syrup tour is "one "sweet trip" but is available only for a limited time of the year. This is when the sap begins to rise in the areas male trees and can be tapped for making syrup. Maple syrup is made in only a small part of the entire world and Ohio sits in the heart of this area. We will visit **SWINE CREEK** and learn how the early settlers learned from the native American Indians how to turn the watery sap of the maple tree into a delightful and wholesome treat. Lunch is a traditional **AMISH FEAST** – Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes W/ Gravy, Seasonal Vegetable, 7 Layer Salad, Date Nut Pudding, Homemade Bread & maple themed dessert - Served Family Style. Visit **A FAMILY OWNED SUGAR SHOP**. An experienced maple syrup maker will be on hand to answer questions. Shop at **RICHARD MAPLE PRODUCTS** for everything maple. Ohio maple producers produce some of the finest pure maple syrup in the world A fast food stop (on your own) will be made en route home. **DEPART** EH 7:00 am TP 7:30 am **RETURN** TP 8:30 pm EH 9:00 pm

### ST. PATRICK'S DAY LUNCHEON SHOW

#### SEAN PATRICK'S IRISH RESTAURANT BOOK EARLY – LAST YEAR WAS A SELL OUT!

TUES., MAR. 15 WITH TRANSPORTATION \*\$84.00  
TICKET & SHOW ONLY \*\$50.00

We're ALL Irish during the St. Patrick's Day holiday time of year! Dress in green, and travel via luxury motor coach (optional) to **SEAN PATRICK'S IRISH RESTAURANT** for a delicious **COMPLETE LUNCHEON**. Following lunch, enjoy an afternoon show starring Viva Niagara Productions. Whether you're Irish all year or just for a day, this musical celebration is sure to bring out your green! Join the Derwald Family for "St. Patty's Day with the Superstars!", a real crowd pleaser filled with high energy Irish show tunes like Black Velvet Band and No Nay Never. Irish dancers join this colorful variety show featuring full costume tributes to Elvis, Judy Garland, Kermit the Frog, and Neil Diamond! Sing along with "McNamara's Band", "When Irish Eyes Are Smiling", and "Harrigan", enjoy outrageous comedy, and experience such heart touching showstoppers as "Danny Boy" and "Lady of Knock". – Know How Tours exclusive!

#### CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE:

• Corned Beef with Cabbage • Roast Pork Loin • Baked Haddock

For Ticket Only: Arrive & Doors open 11:30 for seating

Sean Patrick's Restaurant, 3480 Millersport Hwy., Getzville, NY

**LUNCH** 12 NOON **SHOW** 1:30-3:00 pm

**DEPART** TP 10:30 am EH 11:00 am **RETURN** EH 3:30 pm TP 4:00 pm

**AMISH TEA PARTY**  
**SPEND THE DAY WITH THE AMISH**  
**IN MIDDLEFIELD, OH**

**SAT., MAR. 19** **\$114.00**  
 We're heading to **MIDDLEFIELD, OH** for an **AMISH TEA PARTY TOUR**. We will make a coffee/rest stop en route. Meet the **STEP ON GUIDE** & begin touring with an **AMISH TEA PARTY** at Miller's Home. Your hostess will serve you a ham sandwich, potato chips & cookies made for you by Mrs. Miller. Enjoy a cup of tea and **VISIT WITH MR. & MRS. MILLER** and **EXPERIENCE A BIT OF AMISH CULTURE**. Next, we'll visit **BUCKEYE CHOCOLATE SHOP** to satisfy your sweet tooth...with a yummy sample! Next stop is **MIDDLEFIELD ORIGINAL CHEESE**. The largest swiss cheese manufacturer in the United States. There are several brands of this nutritious food...the range offers something for every palate and culinary creativity! Our last stop before our early dinner is a **BULK FOOD STORE**. Purchase those hard-to-find items at a great price. Hungry yet? A real **AMISH WEDDING DINNER** is planned. You will have the pleasure of eating in Emma's home. Menu includes chicken, real mashed potatoes, gravy, seasonal vegetables, seven layer salad and delicious homemade pies. Following our Amish Meal, visit **COUNTRY ART'S & JEWELRY** – a store like you have never seen before! A rest stop (on your own) will be made en route home.  
 DEPART EH 7:00 am TP 7:30 am RETURN TP 8:30 pm EH 9:00 pm

**MAPLE FARM & MUSEUM**

**SUN., MAR. 20** **\*\$100.00**  
 Travel to **EDINBORO, PA** to take in their annual **MAPLE FESTIVAL WEEKEND**. Our first stop of the day is **HURRY HILL MAPLE FARM**. Travel back in time at the **FARM MUSEUM** to see how the Native Americans, pioneers, and farmers made pure maple syrup. Enjoy a **SUGARHOUSE TOUR** including 3,000 sq. ft. maple museum featuring a "Tree to Table" exhibit, sugaring antiques, and maple production displays. Take the **WAGON TOUR** and see how pure maple syrup is made, the old fashioned way. Many pure maple syrup products for sale plus free samples and maple hot chocolate! (checks and cash only). The **MAPLE FARM** will extend maple candies for your travels home! We're off for a wonderful **BRUNCH** at **O'CHARLEYS** in **ERIE, PA**. A warm and welcoming place where "Everyone who walks through this door is a friend of mine." Serving traditional elements of Southern Hospitality include generous portions of classic American food with a Southern accent. Following **BRUNCH**, we will make a stop at **PULAKO'S CHOCOLATES** to shop for some yummy treats!  
 CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE

- Classis Eggs Benedict served w/potatoes & fruit
- Egg White Veggie Omelet & Yogurt Parfait
- Belgian Waffle Combo served w/eggs & meat

DEPART EH 7:30 am TP 8:00 am RETURN TP 5:30 pm EH 6:00 pm

**MON., MAR. 28** **\*\$54.00**  
 Join **KNOW HOW TOURS** for this **EXCLUSIVE ANNUAL EVENT** as we host an authentic celebration of the end of Lent and Polish Pride in America. Enjoy a **POLISH THEMED BUFFET LUNCHEON** at the beautifully decorated **COVE BANQUET FACILITY** before you dance & polka the afternoon away to your favorites Polish tunes sung by the Internationally known, **FRITZ'S POLKA BAND**. Dance or sit back and relax and hum along to your favorite well known to modern-style polkas. Bring your pussy willows & specialty water ... there's lots in store on this special **DYNGUS DAY CELEBRATION!**

Groups Welcome! Book early to avoid disappointment.  
**POLISH THEMED BUFFET (CASH BAR AVAILABLE)**  
**DOORS OPEN 11:30 AM**  
**LUNCH SERVED 12:00 PM**  
**ENTERTAINMENT: 1:30-3 PM**  
**DEPART 3:00 PM**  
**TRANSPORTATION ON OWN FOR THIS LOCAL EVENT. THE COVE SEAFOOD & BANQUETS, 4701 TRANSIT RD. DEPEW, NY**

**"DRINKING HABITS"**  
**A MUSICAL COMEDY / FARCE**  
**STATION DINNER THEATER**

**WED., APR. 6** **\*\$100.00**  
 We're off to **THE STATION DINNER THEATER** in **ERIE, PA** for the show, **"DRINKING HABITS!" A HYSTERICAL COMEDY FARCE**. Accusations, mistaken identities, and romances run wild in this traditional, laugh-out-loud farce. Two nuns at the sisters of Perpetual Sewing have been secretly making wine to keep the convent's doors open, but Paul & Sally, reporters and former fiancées, are hot on their trail. They go undercover as a nun and priest, but their presence, combined with the addition of a new nun, spurs paranoia throughout the convent that spies have been sent from Rome to shut them down. Wine and secrets are inevitable spilled as everyone tries to preserve the convent and reconnect with lost loves. **LUNCHEON SHOW INCLUDES FAMILY STYLE MEAL**. Prior to the show, we'll stop at the **ST. PATRICK'S CHURCH**. Meet Sister Mary who will guide our group throughout the church. You will enjoy the life-size Stations of the Cross at this beautiful church. Note: Cash bar and soft drinks available for purchase at Dinner Theater.  
 DEPART EH 8:30 am TP 9:00 am RETURN TP 5:30 pm EH 6:00 pm

**BOSTON RED SOX VS BLUE JAYS**  
**IN TORONTO**

**SAT., APR. 9** **\*\$120.00**  
 Spend a Saturday afternoon enjoying the **BOSTON RED SOX** take on the **BLUE JAYS** in **TORONTO**. The trip includes Round Trip Motor coach Transportation & Ticket to the 1:07 pm game. Meals are on your own. Bring your friends – this is a great family outing! (Game Time is subject to change based on MLB Schedule)  
**PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED**  
 DEPART TP 8:00 am EH 8:30 am RETURN EH 6:30 pm TP 7:00 pm



**SAT., APR. 2—WASHINGTON—No HOTEL**  
**SPEND 12 HOURS IN THE CITY—\$114**

**"WIZARD OF OZ" - AT SHEA'S****SUN., APR. 10****CENTER SEATING \*\$150.00****SIDE SEATING \*\$134.00**

We're off to **SHEA'S PERFORMING ARTS CENTER** for the afternoon **MATINEE** performance of **WIZARD OF OZ**. This new production of **THE WIZARD OF OZ** is an enchanting adaptation of the all-time classic, totally reconceived for the stage. Developed from the ever popular MGM screenplay, this production contains the beloved songs from the Oscar®-winning movie score, all the favorite characters and iconic moments, plus a few surprises along the way, including new songs by Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber. Click your heels together and join Scarecrow, Tin Man, Lion, Dorothy and her little dog Toto, as they journey through the magical land of Oz to meet the Wizard and obtain their hearts' desires. Watch out for the Wicked Witch of the West and her winged monkeys as you rediscover the real story of Oz in this fantastic musical treat for the whole family. Prior to the show, we will enjoy a delicious **FAMILY STYLE LUNCH** at **ILIO DIPAOLLO'S RESTAURANT**.

DEPART EH 10:30 AM TP 11:00 AM RETURN TP 5:30 EH: 6:00 pm

**SUPREME REFLECTIONS****TRIBUTE TO THE MUSIC OF DIANA ROSS & THE SUPREMES**

• GENERAL SEATING CASINO SHOW • MOTOR COACH

\$20 CASINO FREE SLOT PLAY • FULL BUFFET LUNCH

**WED., APR. 13****\*\$84.00**

Travel to the **SENECA NIAGARA CASINO** for a **MATINEE SHOW EVENT - SUPREME REFLECTIONS- THE ULTIMATE TRIBUTE TO THE MUSIC OF DIANA ROSS & THE SUPREMES**. This show is a loving tribute to the most famous female singing group of all time, **THE SUPREMES!** This sparking trip down Motown's memory lane was written and directed by independent Motown producer George Solomon and award winning producer Michael Chapman. This show presents the original, familiar classic hits and the true story of the actual Supremes. You'll love, love, love this stylish, fun and informative musical gem! The ladies in the cast are multi-talented and have performed in scores of Broadway musicals and television shows ranging from soap operas to Star Search. They are young, but possess the dynamic qualities of the classic entertainers from another generation. Most importantly, their interpretation of The Supremes vocals are so true to original recordings that it must be out that they are not lip-syncing. This show does not just stop with the music ... the show has costumes that even Cher would envy. **SUPREME REFLECTIONS** is a full-scale musical comedy revue that will thrill your audience and give new appreciation to the three classic ladies from Detroit who became and remain the most popular female vocal group in the world. **SEATING IN EVENT CENTER IS GENERAL SEATING. FIRST COME FIRST SERVE. YOU WILL RECEIVE TICKET TO THE 2:00 PM SHOW, \$20 SENECA SLOT DOLLARS & FREE BUFFET FOOD VOUCHER.**

VALID PHOTO ID REQUIRED TO RECEIVE CASINO INCENTIVE. (PASSPORT OR DRIVER'S LICENSE) BRING YOUR SENECA PLAYERS CARD IF YOU HAVE ONE.

DEPART TP 9:30 am EH 10:00 am CASINO 10:30 - 4:30 PM

RETURN EH 5:00 pm TP 5:30 pm

**A TRIBUTE TO BUDDY HOLLY****"NOT FADE AWAY"****ROCK & ROLL'S ORIGINAL LEGEND****LUNCHEON SHOW AT BINGEMANS CONFERENCE CENTER****WED., APR. 13****\*\$104.00**

Travel to **BINGEMANS CONFERENCE CENTRE** in Kitchener, Ont. for Lunch followed by the Show produced by Showplace Entertainment. This **"NOT FADE AWAY" SHOW IS A TRIBUTE TO BUDDY HOLLY** features the story and songs that you love! Sit back, relax and sing along to the tunes like, "That'll Be The Day", "Peggy Sue", "Oh Boy", "Chantilly Lace" and MORE! It's a **TRIBUTE TO BUDDY HOLLY** that you won't want to miss! All you can eat **LUNCH BUFFET** consists of hot & cold entrees. End the day with a short stop at **FX CHOCOLATES** to shop this large retail store where they have hundreds of decadent ideas for the chocolate lover in you! **PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED.**

DEPART TP 8:30 am EH 9:00 am RETURN EH 7:00 pm TP 7:30 pm

**NANA'S NAUGHTY KNICKERS****MUSICAL AT LUCILLE BALL THEATRE****SUN., APR. 17****\*\$100.00**

We will travel to the Southern Tier of New York State. Enjoy a sit down lunch at the **FALCON'S NEST RESTAURANT** including their award winning **CARROT CAKE FOR DESSERT**. The restaurant will host their bake sale after lunch. **THE LUCILLE BALL LITTLE THEATRE** is starting their 79<sup>th</sup> season of continuous live community theater. This is to the core of volunteers on stage as well as back stage, who have given an almost professional job of producing many wonderful years of live theater. **NANA'S NAUGHTY KNICKERS** is a fantastic comedy. "Nana's Naughty Knickers is a slick comedy by a new playwright, Katy DiSavino...the dialog is crisp and funny, and the action fast-paced...[this] Senior Citizen's sexy sideline will have you in stitches!" You will laugh yourself right outta your kickers!!! It's a great cabin fever reliever!

**CHOOSE ONE ENTRÉE:**

• Stuffed Pork Chop • Stuffed Chicken Breast • Swiss Steak

DEPART EH 9:30 am TP 10:00 am RETURN TP 6:30 pm EH 7:00 pm

**AMISH BROWN BAG TOUR****RECEIVE GIFTS & GOODIE ALONG THE WAY MIDDLEFIELD, OH****WED., APR. 20****\$114.00**

Start off with **JUICE & MUFFIN** on the way to Middlefield, OH for an **AMISH BROWN BAG TOUR**. Meet the **STEP ON GUIDE** & begin touring "behind the scenes" throughout **MIDDLEFIELD, OH**. Follow the route & stop at sites that Rachael Ray visited as part of her travels over 6 weeks in September 2008 for her "Hidden Gems" Segment. Stops include **MIDDLEFIELD SWISS CHEESE HOUSE, A COUNTRY MARKET, MIDDLEFIELD BAKERY, AMISH HOME CRAFT & NAUVOO FAMILY MARKET** Lunch is a traditional **AMISH WEDDING DINNER** - Baked Chicken, Mashed Potatoes w/ Gravy, Seasonal Vegetable, 7 Layer Salad, Date Nut Pudding, Homemade Bread & Pies all served Family Style. Along the route, receive goodies to add to your Brown Bag. A fast food stop (on your own) will be made en route home.

DEPART EH 7:00 am TP 7:30 am RETURN TP 8:30 pm EH 9:00 pm



**GROVE CITY OUTLET**

**SAT., APR. 23** **\*\$64.00**

Enjoy a **MUFFIN & OJ** on your way to **GROVE CITY**, rated as one of the top 20 Outlet Centers in the US. With over 140 Brand Named Outlets, customers save from 25% - 75% off every day retail prices making it a "Bargain Shoppers Paradise"! Plus there is **NO TAX** on clothing in PA! Shop include: Adidas, Aerie by American Eagle, Aeropostale, Banana Republic, Brooks Bros., Calvin Klein, Charlotte Russe, The Children's Place, Coach, Gap Outlet, Guess, Gymboree, J Crew, Jones New York, Le Gourmet Chef, New York & Co., Old Navy, Payless, Polo by Ralph Lauren, Sketchers, Nike, Tommy Hilfiger, and MORE! Upon arrival at the Mall, receive a **SHOPPING BAG**, a **DIRECTORY** and **DISCOUNT CARD & COUPON BOOK** for various stores. Enjoy lunch on your own at the food court. A quick stop will be made on the way down and back.

**DEPART** EH 7:30 am TP 8:00 am **RETURN** TP 9:00 pm EH 9:30 pm

**ALICE IN WONDERLAND  
WORLD PREMIER MUSICAL  
NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE**

**WED., APR. 27** **\*\$144.00**

Arrive in **NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE** for a unique **ALICE IN WONDERLAND TEA PARTY LUNCH BUFFET LUNCH** at the commons of The Festival Theater before the performance. After dining, we will enjoy the 2:00 pm matinee show, **ALICE IN WONDERLAND**, playing at the **FESTIVAL THEATER**. This is the **WORLD PREMIERE!** It's a non-traditional magical musical. A little girl, a white rabbit, a trip down a hole into a mysterious underground world – the classic story of Alice's adventures is brought to life in this new play especially commissioned for the Shaw acting company. Delight in the magic as we meet the Cheshire Cat, the Mad Hatter and the Queen of Hearts and watch Alice make sense of this world of grown-up nonsense. **FEATURING 19 ORIGINAL SONGS!!!** If the group is small, a Mid-Size non-restroom motor coach will be used.

**PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED**

**NOTE: COACH DROP-OFF'S ARE RESTRICTED TO SPECIFIC LOCATIONS IN TOWN SO WALKING IS NECESSARY. IF THIS IS A PROBLEM, PLEASE CHECK WITH US TO ASSURE THIS TRIP WILL WORK FOR YOU.**

**ALICE IN WONDERLAND TEA PARTY BUFFET LUNCHEON INCLUDED**

A variety of tea sandwiches, pinwheels, savory tarts, along with fruit and vegetable platters, plus, Shaw Festival's house-made pastries and fresh coffee / tea.

**DEPART** TP 9:00 am EH 9:30 am **RETURN** EH 6:00 pm TP 6:30 pm

**"JERRY'S GIRLS"**

RIVERSIDE INN CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS, PA

**SUN., MAY 1** **\*\$104.00**

We'll travel to **THE RIVERSIDE INN, CAMBRIDGE SPRINGS**, an 1885 Victorian Style Inn located in **PENNSYLVANIA** for a **2:30 PM MID DAY DINNER**. After dining, enjoy the show, **"JERRY'S GIRLS"**. This Broadway hit features all the best songs for women from such immortal musicals as Mame, Hello Dolly!, Milk and Honey, Mack and Mabel, A Day in Hollywood / A Night in the Ukraine and LaCage Aux Follies. "A brilliantly lively and scintillating evening of cabaret." "Warm, witty, lively and terrific!" A show of tremendous musicality and great wit. Variety Jerry's Girls was first presented on Broadway at the St. James Theater in December 1985 – a show you will truly love. **A PLATED DINNER** with choices upon arrival will be served. A visit to **ARROWHEAD WINE CELLARS** in North East, PA will start our day.

**DEPART** EH 11:00 am TP 11:30 am **RETURN** TP 7:30 pm EH 8:00 pm

**A CHORUS LINE"**

**STRATFORD FESTIVAL THEATER**

**WED., MAY 4** **\*\$144.00**

We're traveling to **STRATFORD, ONT.** for the Stratford Shakespeare Festival show, **A CHORUS LINE**. One of the longest running shows on Broadway, A Chorus Line won nine Tony Awards and the Pulitzer Prize for Drama. Our updated songbook features vocal lines with piano accompaniment for ten songs: At the Ballet \* Dance: Ten; Looks: Three \* I Can Do That \* I Hope I Get It \* One \* What I Did for Love \* more. Lunch is on own in the Village of Stratford before the 2 pm matinee performance Playing at the Festival Theatre.

**PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP REQUIRED**

**DEPART** TP 8:00 am EH 8:30 am **RETURN** EH 8:00 pm TP 8:30 pm

**"DIRTY DANCING" - AT SHEA'S  
GREAT MOTHER'S DAY TRIP!**

**SUN., MAY 8** **CENTER ORCH SEATING \*\$144.00**  
**SIDE ORCH SEATING \*\$134.00**

We're off to **SHEA'S PERFORMING ARTS CENTER** for the afternoon **MATINEE** performance of **DIRTY DANCING**. **DIRTY DANCING - THE CLASSIC STORY ON STAGE** is a record-breaking live theatre sensation, exploding with heart-pounding music, passionate romance and sensational dancing. Featuring the hit songs, "Hungry Eyes," "Hey Baby," "Do You Love Me?" and the heart-stopping "(I've Had) The Time of My Life." You'll have the time of your life! Prior to the show, we will enjoy a delicious **SUNDAY BRUNCH** at **HAMLIN HOUSE**.

**DEPART** EH 10:30 am TP 11:00 am **RETURN** TP 5:30 pm EH: 6:00 pm

**TOPS – 355 Orchard Park Road, West Seneca (Park between poles marked "I" & "F")**  
**EASTERN HILLS MALL – 4545 Transit Road, Williamsville (Rear Lot Behind Sports Performance Store) (Most rear lot located between Sears and Macy's)**

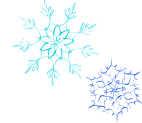
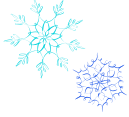
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## *Eden Central School – Embrace, educate, empower*

### 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 June 1<sup>st</sup> at GLP. Call 992-3638 for more information. Current Pre-K students will be screened during class time.

### TRANSPORTATION REQUESTS

The deadline for all Non-public school transportation requests is April 1st. If you plan to send your child(ren) to private school next year, you must request transportation in writing no later than April 1st. All requests should be sent to:

Mrs. Mary Banko, Eden Central School, Transportation Department, 2902 Schoolview Road, Eden, NY 14057



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