



The Weekly Torchlight

September 27, 2024

This is a weekly digest of stories that highlight the going's on around the Ardsley School District. Many are shared by building administrators, teachers and staff and we appreciate their participation!

AHS Highlights

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Sriya Ayachitula Presents Paper on Method Improving Large Language Model Transparency

AHS Senior and Science Research student Sriya Ayachitula, presented her single-author paper to the International Conference on Distributed Computing Systems conference to propose a method to increase the transparency of the Large Language Models decision-making.



Students Consider Variety of Activities at Club Fair

The Annual AHS Club Fair was a huge success! Students poured into the gym during their lunch period to consider and sign up for a wide variety of extracurricular activities. Make sure to click on the photo to read the whole article and view the slide show!

AMS Highlights

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7th Graders Enhance Writing Through Nature Walk

English Language Arts teacher, Ms. Carpentieri, recently took her seventh-grade students on a nature walk to help them learn to use real-life observations to create nature poetry with stronger word choices.



AMS History Club Visits Mead House

The AMS History Club kicked off their 3rd season at The Mead House which is the home of the Dobbs Ferry Historical Society.

Upcoming Club Events & School Programs

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Ardley High School Key Club is
Hosting A
Halloween Costume Drive



September 23rd to October 10th, 2024

The Sharing Shelf (in Port Chester) is
accepting donations for Grades 1 to 12

All donations can be dropped off at Ms. Dosso's room (137) or
placed in a box outside the auditorium at Ardley High School.



AHS Key Club Halloween Costume Drive

All donations can be dropped off in a box located by the auditorium until October 10!



Stress Reduction Workshop Series for Seniors

Workshops for AHS Seniors offered on Wednesdays, Period 9, starting September 25 in AHS Guidance Office.

Upcoming Supporting Organizations Events

PTO - ACE Panther Fest Parade and Event

October 19th - Parade starts at 12:30pm; Community Event at AHS until 4:00pm.

Volunteer opportunities for AHS students:

Sign up today for the Parade -

<https://forms.gle/am3unydfFfKeXoKUQ7>

A few spots left for the Powder Puff game -

<https://forms.gle/DxQjbaFwE3fBAkxq8>



October 19, 2024
PARADE STARTS 12:30PM
ENDING AT AHS WITH A COMMUNITY
EVENT AT AHS UNTIL 4:00 PM

BECOME A SPONSOR

- **BLUE SPONSOR \$50**
- **GOLD SPONSOR \$100**
- **PACK SPONSOR**

SCAN THE QR CODE FOR MORE DETAILS OR VISIT
<https://ardsleypantherfest24.cheddarup.com>



Questions? acesatahs@ardsleycommunityenrichment.org

Ardsley PTSA 8th Grade Sweatshirts

Ardsley Middle School Class of 2025 Sweatshirts - order by October 4th here: [BIT.LY/GR8T-2025](https://bit.ly/gr8t-2025)

LIMITED TIME ONLY

8TH GRADE SWEATSHIRTS

ORDER BY OCT 4TH



STANDARD \$31

PERSONALIZED \$38

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Upcoming Local Community Events

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Spooktoberfest
 At Hart's Brook Park & Preserve
 Saturday
 October 19th, 2024
 12:00pm - 4:30pm
 Rain or Shine

- "Larger Than Life" DJ 12:30-6:30
- Inflatable Slide & Obstacle Course 12:00-4:30
- Confetti Crowns 12:45-1:15
- Bubble Bus 1:00-3:30
- Ned Grubbs...the Comedy Juggler 1:30-2:15
- Arnie Magic: Doodle Show 2:45-3:30

ROAMING
 Halloween Crafts, Games
 Halloween Trail Run Ride
 Greenburgh Nature Center
 Petting Park & Cider Press
 Food Vendors

COST: \$7 per person
 Includes water & treat
 All tickets for this event Sold Day of event
 Tickets/Parking @ Ridge Road Park,
 157 Ridge Rd., Westcoke, NY 10599
 For more info: Call 914-382-3100 or 914-382-3111

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Greenburgh Parks & Recreation



The Village of Ardsley and the Ardsley Multicultural, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee
 presents the

ITALIAN AMERICAN Heritage Celebration

EST. 2023

Discover the beauty of Italian culture right in Ardsley!

- Music & Entertainment
- Educational Programs
- Local Artisan Goods
- Food Trucks
- Bouncy Houses & GoGo Pit

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 28
 12pm-6pm | Free Admission
 Pascone Park, 636 Ashford Avenue, Ardsley

RAIN DATE: SUN, SEPT 29

Don't Miss the Italian American Heritage Celebration This Saturday!

Presented by The Village of Ardsley and the Ardsley Multicultural, Diversity, and Inclusion Committee with volunteers from the AHS Italian-American Club

Saturday, September 28, 12 - 6 P.M. at Pascone Park

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