#### WEEKLY ENVELOPE UPATE from the OTPTO for

### **September 17, 2014**



Welcome to the weekly envelope! In an effort to help keep the Old Tappan PTO members "in the know", we have come up with "The Weekly Envelope". The weekly envelope will be available on the OTPTO website (<a href="www.otpto.org">www.otpto.org</a>) sidebar, and it will be updated weekly (Wednesday). You will be able to access the weekly envelope at any time that is convenient for you —; however, don't wait too long or you may miss an important announcement or reminder. You MUST BE AN OTPTO MEMBER TO RECEIVE THE EMAIL BLAST EACH WEDNESDAY!

New this year...you can access these updates through the OTPTO Directory Smartphone App

We hope that you will find this form of communication beneficial and convenient. Your feedback is important to us, so if you have any recommendations, suggestions or general feedback, feel free to email me directly at Melissa\_DelRosso@yahoo.com.

Thanks for your support!

### **Updates:**

TIME SENSITIVE: HULAFROG IS OFFERING A CONTEST OFFERING \$1,000 IN SUPPLIES FROM STAPLES FOR THE SCHOOL THAT RECEIVES THE MOST VOTES FROM SUBSCRIBERS, PLUS AN ADDITIONAL \$250 TO ONE RANDOM SUBSCRIBER FROM THE WINNING SCHOOL. PLEASE GO ON LINE, SUBSCRIBE, AND VOTE FOR "OLD TAPPAN PTO". Subscribe and vote by SEPTEMBER 25, 2014! Hulafrog is the popular emai newsletter that delivers the best events, activities & local resources for kids in the Pascack Northern-Valley area. \* (See flyer attached) <a href="https://www.hulafrog.com/pascack-northern-valley-nj/win">www.hulafrog.com/pascack-northern-valley-nj/win</a>

- ➤ MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup> IS PICTURE DAY AT CDW & TBD.
- ➤ CALLING ALL TBD PARENTS....Please join us Monday, September 22nd at 8:30AM (After Dropoff) for Classroom Volunteer Sign-Up and Class Dues collection. Bagels, Muffins and Coffee will be served. See website for more details. You also receive more information from your class parent.
- **▶** PIZZA LUNCH WILL START MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 22<sup>ND</sup>. ORDERING IS NOW CLOSED.
- TGA BRINGS THE GOLF COURSE AND TENNIS COURT TO YOU, making it convenient and affordable to learn and play golf or tennis in a fun and safe environment. Kid-friendly instructors help students develop golf or tennis skills and knowledge, while using the sports to teach

valuable life lessons like honesty and sportsmanship. Sign up today to experience all the fun and excitement TGA has to offer. See attached flyer or go to www.OTPTO.org for more information.

- ▶ iPiggibank After-School Enrichment program for TBD 2<sup>nd</sup> 4<sup>th</sup> Graders. Cha--Ching. Master saving, sharing and shopping wisely. Cash in on this awesome opportunity to learn smart money management. See the attached flyer or go to <a href="www.OTPTO.org">www.OTPTO.org</a> for more information and to register.
- ➤ **JOIN US FOR OUR FIRST OTPTO GENERAL MEETING ON THURSDAY, OCTOBER 9**<sup>TH</sup> at OT Library at 9:15AM. We will go over the plans for the 2014-15 school year. In addition, we will have a special presentation provided by *LICE HAPPENS*. Go to <u>www.OTPTO.org</u> for more details.
- "IT'S TIME TO TALK − PARENTING IN THE AGE OF TECHNOLOGY" is a special OTPTO sponsored presentation for TBD & CDW parents scheduled for October 14<sup>th</sup> at 7PM. Tom Kersting, psychotherapist and school counselor, will provide this insightful and interactive presentation:

This will be a unique and interactive discussion with parents. Parents will have the opportunity to learn about and discuss the following: The connection between technology use and mental health

- How much screen time is too much
- The link between ADHD and Tech overload
- Strategies to help your child lower his/her anxiety
- How much sleep is acceptable for your over-scheduled child
- Creating leaders not followers
- Your role as a parent

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Go to www.OTPTO.org for more information and to reserve a spot at this FREE presentation!

- \* "BACK TO SCHOOL" COMEDY NIGHT, WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 22<sup>ND</sup>! Gather some friends, do a ladies' night out, make it a date night with your spouse...come join us for a fun night at Levity Live Comedy Club & Dinner Theater at the Palisides Center Mall. Tickets are \$25 and require an additional 2 item purchase (drinks or apps). See flyer for details.
- THE BOX TOP SCHEDULE HAS BEEN ADDED TO THE WEBSITE SIDEBAR. September collection deadline is Tuesday, September 30<sup>th</sup>.
- ➤ **AFTER-SCHOOL ENRICHMENT CLUBS:** We are in the process of planning after school enrichment clubs for students of both TBD and CDW. Information and registration information on other clubs will be out shortly.
- REMINDER: REVIEW THE LUNCH VENDOR LIST AND POLICY PROVIDED BY THE SCHOOL!

➤ THE OTPTO IS EXCITED TO ANNOUNCE OUR PARTICIPATION IN THE TD BANK AFFINITY PROGRAM. TD Bank Affinity program offers us the opportunity of raising funds for the OTPTO just by having a TD Bank Account. More details are attached, all banking information is confidential and no money comes from your accounts. Please contact Melissa at Melissa@OTPTO.org if you have any questions, or contact TD Bank in Norwood for more details.

\*NOTE: Melissa Del Rosso, OTPTO Co-President is also the publisher for the Hulafrog Pascack Northern-Valley website.





Through Old Tappan PTO!

TGA After School Golf and Tennis at T. Baldwin Demarest

TGA brings the golf course and tennis court to you, making it convenient and affordable to learn and play golf or tennis in a fun and safe environment. Kid-friendly instructors help students develop golf or tennis skills and knowledge, while using the sports to teach valuable life lessons like honesty and sportsmanship. Sign up today to experience all the fun and excitement TGA has to offer!

### **Every TGA Golf Class & Tennis Class Features:**

- All equipment provided
- Group and individual instruction
- Physical activity & stretching
- Rules & etiquette lessons
- Applying math, science and other educational concepts
- Life lessons including sportsmanship & teamwork

### **Golf Class Details**

Days: Tuesdays

Dates: 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/11, 11/18

Time: 3:00pm - 4:00pm Location: T. Baldwin Demarest

Gymnasium Grades K-8

Cost: \$160/Student

**Ouestions? Contact TGA** (201) 230-9502

krooney@playtga.com

**Tennis Class Details** 

Days: Thursdays

Dates: 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/13, 11/20, 12/4

Time: 3:00pm - 4:00pm

Location: T. Baldwin Demarest

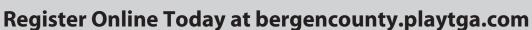
Gymnasium Grades K - 8

Cost: \$160/Student









# **TGA** Registration Form After-school Programs • Camps • Tournaments • Clinics

After School Golf/Tennis in Old Tappan

Send completed form and check made payable to TGA of Bergen County to: 10 Oneida Ave. Oakland, NJ 07436 or Register Online at bergencounty.playtga.com

PLEASE CIRCLE PROGRAM(S)	
Tennis Golf Both	
Child Name	
	Grade Male/Female
Height ft in.	Right Handed / Left Handed
Parent / Guardian Name _	
Address	
City	StateZip
(M)	(H)
Email	

**Consent & Release Form and Participant Agreemet** While my child is participating in a TGA Premier Junior Golf [TGA Golf] or TGA Premier Youth Tennis [TGA Tennis] Program, I acknowledge and assume all the forgoing risks on his/her behalf and likewise accept personal responsibility for any injury that may occur. I release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue TGA Golf or TGA Tennis administrators, agents, sponsors, other participants, advertisers, and owners/lessors of premises used to conduct the activities. I have read the above waiver and release, and understand that I have given up substantial rights by signing it, and sign it voluntarily I give my permission for my child to be photographed, videotaped, and/or interviewed for promotional purposes while attending a TGA Golf or TGA Tennis Program.

Signature	Date

# iPiggiBank"

Allowance is serious kid business.

iPiggiBank Money Management for Kids (Grades 2-4) Cost: \$150 (8 weeks)

**Cha-Ching!** Master saving, sharing and shopping wisely! Cash in on this awesome opportunity to learn smart money management!

### Here's a sneak peek of the action:

- 1. Earn some steady extra cash from different & FUN chores
- 2. Save up for something extra special and totally cool that you can call all your own
- 3. Shop wisely for exactly what you want (take our receipt challenge and see if you paid the right price!)
- 4. Learn how you can give back to your community or favorite charity (we love animals and good causes too!).

We'll provide all the material; just bring your superstar attitude and a big appetite for learning a fun, smart, new way to think about responsibility & money!

The class meets after school on Thursday, 3-4pm, for 8 weeks. 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/13, 11/20, 12/4
Please pick up your child in the classroom promptly at 4:00pm. No child will be dismissed without a parent or guardian, unless they are dismissed to aftercare.

### "BACK TO SCHOOL" COMEDY NIGHT

GATHER THE GIRLS OF MAKE IT A COUPLES NIGHT
GREAT FUN WHILE FUNDRAISING TO SUPPORT OTPTO



Wednesday, October 22, 2014, 7PM
LEVITY LIVE
Palisades Center Mall

# \$25 PER TICKET

WITH ADDITIONAL 2 ITEM PURCHASE REQUIRED (DRINKS, APPS)

Purchase tickets at www.OTPTO.org or contact Melissa@OTPTO.org

This is a "4 Towns Mingle" Event that we are sharing with Norwood,

Northvale and Harrington Park.

WE HAVE A 25 PERSON MINIMUM!



Hulafrog is the popular email newsletter that delivers the best events, activities & local resources for kids in the Pascack Northern-Valley area. Subscribe (it's free) and you could win! VOTE FOR OLD TAPPAN PTO

## hulafrog.com/pascack-northern-valley-nj/win

- Subscribe & vote by **September 25, 2014** to win.
- \$1,000 goes to the school with the most votes.
- \$250 goes to one random subscriber from winning school.
- Subscriber & school must reside in Pascack Northern-Valley area to qualify.

See website for complete rules.









