

**WEEKLY ENVELOPE UPATE from the OTPTO for**  
**January 20, 2015**



**THE WEEK AHEAD:**

- **OT EDGE CLUBS ARE FINALLY HERE!** The brochure is attached and can be found on-line at the OTPTO website. You will see that it was worth the wait! We have new programs that are exciting and educational...and there are clubs available for students in Kindergarten and First Grades! **NEW THIS SESSION: INTERNATIONAL DANCE HAS BEEN ADDED AS A CLUB!** Check out the brochure. Registration will open on the OTPTO website tomorrow, Wednesday, January 21<sup>st</sup>.
- INTERESTED IN MORE **UPDATED** INFORMATION ON **COMMON CORE STATE STANDARDS AND PARCC?** If so, attend a **parent evening presentation** by Ms. Danielle Da Giau, Superintendent of Schools on **Thursday, January 22nd at 7PM**, Ms. Da Giau will continue to provide parents with insight and clarification into what is coming up for our students and faculty.

As I'm sure those that attended the January 15<sup>th</sup> presentation will agree, this presentation is very valuable and worth the time to attend. It is extremely informative!

- **RAISING RESILIENT GIRLS! CALLING ALL PARENTS OF GIRLS –TBD & CDW–SAVE THE DATE, TUESDAY, JANUARY 27<sup>TH</sup> at 7PM!!!!** *Girls' Leadership Institute* Executive Director and Co-Founder Simone Marean will speak to parents and teachers about the challenges girls face today and the reasons why we see girls struggling. Ms. Marean gives audience members concrete steps to awaken girls to the power of their authentic selves by teaching the practice of assertive self-expression, emotional intelligence, healthy communication and conflict management skills.
- **GIRLS LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP FOR GIRLS IN GRADES 2 & 3 WILL BE COMING TO TBD 2/24. SAVE THE DATE AND WATCH FOR REGISTRATION INFORMATION COMING SOON!** Don't miss the presentation by Simone Marean to understand what its all about! **PARENTS OF 2<sup>ND</sup> & 3<sup>RD</sup> GRADE GIRLS – TAKE THE TIME TO ATTEND – IT WILL HELP YOU UNDERSTAND THE IMPORTANCE AND VALUE OF THIS WORKSHOP!**

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- **TBD & CDW – “SAVE THE DATE” FOR THE HARLEM WIZARDS COMING TO NVOT TO PLAY AGAINST CDW & TBD TEACHERS ON SATURDAY, APRIL 18<sup>TH</sup> IN THE EVENING. SEE FLYER ATTACHED AND TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE SOON** – This is an OTPTO fundraiser in connection

with Northvale, Harrington Park and Norwood. What a great event to bring the whole family too – loads of fun guaranteed.

- **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED: Check out our volunteer page on the website.** It gets updated frequently and we are currently looking for volunteers to help with our annual fundraiser.
- **SAVE THE DATE, THURSDAY, MAY 7, 2015 FOR OUR ANNUAL FUNDRAISER.** We will have more info coming up in January 2015. Note: The date has changed from the original SAVE THE DATE! We are excited to announce that this year's event will take place at **THE OLD TAPPAN MANOR** and the entertainment for the night will be **THE NERDS!**
- **A NEW AND EASY WAY TO EARN MORE BOXTOPS WHEN SHOPPING AT SHOPRITE!** Just Register, Shop & Earn! ShopRite stores will give away up to \$1,000,000 via valuable eBoxTops offers throughout the year (8/1/14 - 7/31/15). Links to register can be found on the OTPTO website. **Be sure to register your Price Plus® club card today so you can start earning eBoxTops for your school!** [Register Now](#)
- **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](mailto:Melissa@OTPTO.org) if you have any questions, or contact TD Bank in Norwood for more details.