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News You Can Use

2018-2019 Annual Campaign



A well-rounded education refers to one that provides opportunities that foster critical thinking, problem solving, and teamwork. In the 21st century, our children's educational journey is not the same as the one we once traveled. Yes, students still learn their ABC's and 123's but they're also delving into evolving areas such as STEM literacy, global citizenship and socio-emotional development.

As parents, we send our children to school assuming that everything is being done to provide them with a high quality, well-rounded education. You may be surprised to learn that...[read more](#).



To celebrate the launch of our annual campaign we sent a TEF calendar cling home in student backpacks last week. If you did not receive it and you'd like one, please visit the TEF table at Family STEM Night on 11/14.

Program Spotlight

Health & Wellness
4th Grade Program

Community Corner



Family STEM Night
Wednesday, 11/14, from
6:30-8:30 pm at TES

Tiger Trot
Sunday, 5/19, at 12:30 pm at
Christie Hoffman Park in
Califon

Barn Dance
Saturday, 6/8, at Life Camp in
Pottersville

More details coming soon!

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TES Happenings

Health & Wellness Program
kicked off in Fourth Grade in
October

Looking Ahead:

Wellness Program
Unit 2 (MOVE)
for Fourth Grade
November 16th

Social and Life Skills
with Joe Beckman
for K-2 and 3-5
January 23rd

Coding Musicians
for Fourth Grade
January 11-15th



Each month we will be sharing details of an innovative program we are bringing into our school district.

This month, we are thrilled to provide greater detail on our Health & Wellness Program, back for a fourth year and sponsored by our partner, Hunterdon Healthcare. During this year-long program, fourth graders work with Coach Eric Eisenhart from Pro-Activity Associates and learn about five "elements" of health: move, fuel, recover, connect and endure. Students work as a team to earn points for making healthy choices throughout the year. Be sure to let your fourth grader know what team they're on! New this year, we've made a virtual "workplace" blog available to parents to facilitate the family discussion of topics and teaming up together to inspire a healthy lifestyle. The culminating event of this wellness program is a 1-mile fun run and 5k race. Registration for the race is now available [here](#).

Person Spotlight

Jean Frankel Founder's Award
8th grade student, Leigha Schultze



Each month we will be celebrating one of our very own Tewksburian's. This will be a great way to get to know one of our students, teachers, administrators, board members, etc.

This month, please join us in congratulating the most recent recipient of the Jean Frankel Founder's Award, Leigha Schultze. This scholarship is presented to one graduating 8th grade student each year; a student who demonstrates a consistent dedication to enhancing their own education. This award recognizes a student's efforts at school, home and in the community. To learn more about this award, click [here](#).

[Learn More](#)



[OTS Happenings](#)

Congratulations to Leigha Schultze on receiving the Jean Frankel Founders Award in June! We wish you continued success at VHS.

Looking Ahead:

Ode to the Everyday

Poetry Program for

Sixth Grade

December 3rd-7th

School of Rock

Eighth Grade Field Trip

to New York City

December 12th

Poetry Workshop

with BJ Ward

for Eighth Grade

December 20th

Social & Life Skills

Assembly with Joe Beckman

for 6-8th Grade

January 23rd

Smart Car Developers

Robotics Program

for Sixth Grade

January 2nd-9th

[Learn More](#)

[News from Our Neighbors](#)

Buffalo Wild Wings

Fundraiser

Friday, 11/16, in Bridgewater

to support the Tewksbury

PTA

Ladies Night Out

Thursday, 11/29, hosted

by the Tewksbury PTA.

We hope you have a Happy Thanksgiving.



If you find yourself in a thankful mood, please make a donation to our annual campaign on November 27th - Giving Tuesday!

Details to follow.

Oldwick Tree Lighting

Sunday, 12/9, at 4:00 pm at the Oldwick Library hosted by Women's Club of Tewksbury Township

Have you seen our new website? Check us out [here](#) and follow us on Facebook and Instagram.

Be on the lookout for the next edition of the Tewksbury Education Foundation Newsletter hitting your inbox in December.



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