# I.S. 73 PARENT NEWSLETTER INCOMPANY OF THE PARENT N

### I.S. 73 PTA

Our next PTA meeting will be held on Thursday,
November 16, 2017 at
6:30 PM. Please donate and support our PTA. You can submit your envelope with your donation and send it to your child's homeroom teacher or bring it to the next PTA meeting.
The PTA will be selling ice cream every Thursday during the student's lunch period.

IS73PTA@gmail.com

### PARENT WORKSHOPS

"Guiding Good Choices"
A Five Session Workshop Series These interactive workshops will give you and your family the skills to work together and take action now to prevent your child from using drugs in the future. You will learn practical skills to help you strengthen your relationship with your child and help him or her avoid drug use and other problems.

Presenters – Barbara Barker, Mariana Miranda, Substance Abuse Prevention and Intervention Specialist Thursdays, 5 Sessions

Starting
Thursday, November 9, 16,
December 7, 14, 21, 2017
11:00 AM - 1:00 PM
I.S 73 room 114A
"NYC Schools

Account/Pupil Path"
If you need the information and

help to log into the NYC Schools Account and Pupil Path Contact Daisy Rangel, Parent Coordinator (718) 639-3817 ext. 1117

### PARENT LIBRARY



We have a parent library at I.S. 73 in room 114A. There is a variety of parenting resources including books geared to parenting, and different topics, CD's, DVDs and learning games that are available to borrow. We also have computers with internet access available for parents. If interested, please contact Daisy Rangel, Parent Coordinator.



### **NOVEMBER 2017**

Parent-Teacher Conferences



I.S. 73 invites all Parents & Guardians to our Parent/Teacher Conferences on

Thursday, November 30, 2017 Afternoon session - 12:20PM - 2:20PM Evening session - 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM

We hold these conferences twice a year and are a chance to find out how your child is doing, discuss your own concerns and find out what you can do to help your child do better.

Here are some of the questions you might want to ask at Parent/Teacher Conferences.

- Does my child participate in class activities and discussions?
- Does he/she do the homework assignments?
- What can I do at home to reinforce what my child is learning at school?
- How does he/she do on class exams?
- What determines the grade my child gets in this class?
- How many times has my child been absent/late to your class?
- How can I help at home?

## 8th GRADE

High School applications are due back on **Friday, December 1, 2017**. A receipt will be given to your child regarding the high school application choices. This receipt serves as confirmation for choices that you submitted on the high school application. If you have any questions regarding the high school application, please contact your child Guidance Counselor.

Visit the NYC Department of Education website for complete information about high schools and a complete copy of the directory of the NYC public high schools in several languages, events, key dates and new small high schools. The high school admissions homepage is located at:

http://schools.nyc.gov/ChoicesEnrollment/High

# **Ring Day**



Wednesday, November 15, 2017 During Lunch Periods

NYC SCHOOL FINDER

Explore choices for your High School Application with NYC School Finder schoolfinder.nyc.gov



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### PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Nov 1, 2, 3 - I.S. 73 Scholastic Book Fair

Nov 7 - Election Day (School

Closed for Students)
Nov 9, 16 - Parent Workshop
"Guiding Good Choices" 11:00 AM

Nov 9 - Safety Meeting 3:30 PM/ SLT Meeting 4:00 PM

Nov 15 - Ring Day (8th Grade)

Nov 16 - PTA Meeting 6:30 PM

**Nov 22 -** Report Card Distribution to all students

Nov 23 - 24- Thanksgiving Recess (no school)

**Nov 30 -** P/T Conferences 12:20 - 2:20 PM/5:00 - 8:00 PM (I.S.73) 1/2 day for all students

(11:11 AM dismissal)

### MASPETH H.S. OPEN HOUSE

Maspeth High School Open House Monday, November 13 & 20 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM 54-40 74th Street Queens, NY 11373

### **2018 STATE EXAM DATES**

**April 11 - 13 -** New York State English Language Arts (ELA) Grades 6 - 8

May 1 - 3 - New York State Mathematics Grades 6 - 8

### **BUILDERS' CLUB**



For the month of November the I.S. 73 Builders Club along with the Academy Outreach is hosting a food drive. The food will be sent to City Harvest at the end of November. We encourage students and faculty to bring in canned, boxed and or bagged food.

### FREE SCHOOL BREAKFAST



Breakfast in school is **FREE** for all NYC students. Breakfast is available every school day at 7:20 A.M. in the student's cafeteria.

### DIAL- A- TEACHER



FREE HOMEWORK
HELP
OVER THE PHONE
212-777 - 3380
MON - THURS 4 - 7 PM

