



*You're invited to...*

*Coffee with the Superintendent*



Superintendent Rozzi will once again be hosting **Coffee with the Superintendent** throughout the 2016/2017 school year. This is an opportunity to hear about and celebrate the latest district initiatives and for our parents and community members to share their thoughts on how to help our schools best serve every youngster. We hope your schedule allows you to attend.

Wednesday, September 28, 2016 – Babylon Elementary School (9:00 – 10:00 a.m.)

Monday, November 21, 2016 – Babylon Jr./Sr. High School (7:00 – 8:00 p.m.)

Monday, January 9, 2017 – Babylon Grade School (9:00 – 10:00 a.m.)

Tuesday, April 25, 2017 – Babylon Jr./Sr. High School (7:00 – 8:00 p.m.)



# BABYLON UFSD AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

November 20, 2016

Dear Parents,

The Babylon School District After School Program would like to take this opportunity to inform you that the **2nd session** of the integrated after school program will begin **on Monday, December 5, 2016**. The purpose of the program is to give our students extended opportunities to interact with each other in a social yet structured setting that will enhance the development and improvement of skills that are necessary to be lifelong learners. **We are always looking for students who are interested in becoming peer mentors, role models or have an interest in community service and helping others. Yes, future leaders, the after school program needs you!** To those students who are currently participating and to those who have done so in the past, it is with great pleasure to extend our congratulations to you! **We are extremely proud of you!**

The program is run by a certified special education teacher one hour afterschool four days a week; Monday through Thursday. Ending times will be 3:45 at the elementary school and 3:40 at the grade school. Grade School students are located in Room 41 and Elementary School students are located in Room D2.

The program consists of the following:

- Two days will focus on social skills. As social skills are facilitated, students will profit from the development and improvement of cooperative and collaborative skills that will benefit them throughout their lives. Another added benefit is the development of long-lasting friendships that would not be otherwise possible
- Two days a week will focus on homework strategies. Focus will be on teaching strategies that will facilitate successful completion of homework at home. Strategies include but not limited to, organizational skills, study skills, reading activities, etc.
- Students and teachers will participate in collaborative activities

If you have any questions, please contact the office of special education at 893-7941.

**Please return the form below in an envelope to the main office attention to: Metro Therapy Afterschool Staff no later than November 30, 2016.**

Thank you.



# BABYLON UFSD AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM

Student Name \_\_\_\_\_ Classroom Teacher/Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Home Tel. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Work No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cell No. \_\_\_\_\_

My child  has not  has participated in the afterschool program.

Does your child receive 1:1 support throughout the school year and will need continued support in the Afterschool Program? Yes  No

Does your child receive the support of a Nurse throughout the school year and will need continued support in the Afterschool Program? Yes  No

Please check each program that you would like your child to participate in:

Mon/Wed: Homework Strategies  Tues/Thurs: Social Skills

\*The After School Program requests your input in how we can best meet your needs. Please indicate below your goals for your child in this program.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

I give my child permission to attend the afterschool program on the days indicated above

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



# BABYLON K-6 PTA LIPSYNC 2017

**\*\*\*New this year-K-6 event\*\*\***

**When:** Friday January 27<sup>th</sup>, 2017

**Time:** 5:30pm (Grades K-2), 7pm (Grades 3-6)

**Where:** Rowe Hall, Babylon High School

**What:** Lipsync & dance to a favorite song for the audience

## Here's what you need to know:

- Groups must have at least 3 students
- Students must be from grades K-6
- Songs and dress must be appropriate for school sponsored event
- Songs must be shorter than 3 minutes
- Songs will be accepted from Dec 12-Jan 17 on a first come basis
- Final approval will not be given until the actual version is submitted free of foul language
- All correspondence is done via email
- All groups must attend the rehearsal on Tuesday January 24 from 3-5pm

To register, contact Christine Graham at [cmg989@yahoo.com](mailto:cmg989@yahoo.com). Please reference "Lipsync K-2 or Lipsync 3-6" in the subject line and include parent name, contact email and phone number.

You will receive a response within one to two days with additional instructions. If email is not available call Christine Graham at 671-9939.

Here's to another exciting and entertaining year!



**Christine Graham**  
Babylon K-6 PTA  
Lip Sync Chairperson

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**BMGS 6<sup>th</sup> Grade Yearbook**  
**IMPORTANT-- PLEASE READ CAREFULLY**

Preparations for the BMGS 6th grade yearbook are underway! As you may or may not know the yearbook is a gift from the Babylon K-6 PTA, given to each 6th grader. The cost of this project is paid for through the sale of boosters and business ads within the yearbook itself as well as general fundraising efforts. It is put together entirely by parent volunteers.

Photo submission this year will be done **EXCLUSIVELY IN DIGITAL FORM** directly to the *LifeTouch* website, our yearbook provider. Similarly, personal boosters will be submitted and paid for **EXCLUSIVELY ON THE BABYLON K-6 PTA WEBSITE**. Business Ad boosters will have the option of either a physical or digital submission.

On the following pages you will find **IMPORTANT** info on Photo Submissions, Personal Booster Submissions and Business Ad Submissions. Please read the instructions carefully and note the deadlines.

**DEADLINES for PHOTO SUBMISSION, BOOSTERS and ADS are Friday, <sup>DECEMBER 5<sup>th</sup></sup> ~~November 19<sup>th</sup>~~, 2016.**

Thanks in advance for all your help in creating a wonderful keepsake for our children! And please feel free to contact me using the info above, with any questions, comments or concerns.

Thanks again!

Debbie Burke

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**PHOTO SUBMISSIONS**

**DEADLINE:** ~~11/19/16~~  
12/5/16

Please review the criteria listed below to help you choose pictures most likely to be considered for inclusion in the yearbook. Space is limited, but we will work hard to include every child as often as possible.

1. **Through the Years photos** - Please, **No School Portraits!** Photos taken of your child and his/her classmates in school related activities during 3<sup>rd</sup>- 5<sup>th</sup> Grade. Group photos (at least 2 people) are preferred, but not mandatory. These photos should not contain any other age group or family friends/relatives. Pictures with past teachers are terrific, also field days, field trips (Bronx Zoo, Hoyt Farm, Fl Lighthouse), class parties, concerts, boy or girl scouts, Lip Sync, ....
2. **Sports Photos** – Please, **No Professional Photos!** Casual team photos or action photos of your child and/or his/her teammates over the last few years.
3. **6<sup>th</sup> Grade only** - classroom or other photos taken this year – Class parents are a great resource here. **These photos can be submitted throughout the year as they are taken.**

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**DEADLINE FOR ONLINE SUBMISSION OF PHOTOS IS:**

~~DECEMBER 5<sup>th</sup>~~ **November 19, 2016**

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To begin the process of uploading photos for consideration in the 2016-2017 yearbook, please go to <https://community.lifetouch.com>, **ACCESS CODE: KDEKJA**

Use the above link and access code to create an account to upload images. There is an upload limit of 5 PHOTOS at one time per student. You can upload more than 5 images. When uploading an image please use the following criteria for identification purposes:

In the **KEYWORD** box, include the student's last name followed by first initial  
*ex. Keyword: Smith, J.*

In the **DESCRIPTION** box, include a short description with the names of other students in the picture  
*ex. Description: Soccer 2015 w/ Mike Jones*

In the **CATEGORY** box, please choose a folder that best describes your picture. This will help with the sorting process, feel free to use the **MISCELLANEOUS** folder if you don't find an exact fit.

For those parents/caregivers who have diligently documented so many of the special events at BMGS over the last 3 years, please feel free to reach out to make arrangements for additional uploads.

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We are pleased to be offering our 6<sup>th</sup> grade students their yearbooks at no charge. To help offset the printing cost, we are selling booster ads, which provide an opportunity for parents, grandparents, siblings, teachers and staff to congratulate the students as they "move up." The kids love reading the boosters at the end of their yearbook. The cost for each booster is \$5 with a limit of 100 characters per booster. There is no limit on how many boosters you can submit!

**PERSONAL BOOSTER SUBMISSION**

**DEADLINE:** 11/19/2016

12/5/16

Example as follows:

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Dear Tommy,  
Good luck in the High School.  
Love, Mom and Dad

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**DEADLINE FOR BOOSTER SUBMISSION IS:**

DECEMBER 5<sup>th</sup>      ~~November 19, 2016~~

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To submit and pay for a booster please:

1. Visit [www.BabylonPTA.org](http://www.BabylonPTA.org)
2. Click on **School Store** and you will find an option for: 6th Grade Yearbook Booster
3. Click on the **ADD** button, where you will be prompted to login to the site (if you do not have an account, you will be able to create one at this time)
4. You can then add one or more boosters to your cart and head to checkout. Please enter all your boosters at one time to avoid additional surcharges.
5. At checkout you will submit payment info and **will type your booster** under the heading: **Student/Teacher Information** and inside the box labeled **Any Additional Information**

Below, please see a "screen shot" of the PTA Website page where booster will be entered.



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6th Grade Yearbook  
Debbie Burke  
516 991 4485  
debbie\_burke20yahoo.com

- Pay by CreditCard This is a secure form. Click Here for details.

### Creditcard Information

Card Type:	☺
Card Number:	
Expiration Date:	☺ ☺
CVV2:	
Name on Card:	

### Billing Information

First Name:	Babylon
Last Name:	K-6 PTA
Address:	151 Ralph Avenue
City:	babylon
State:	ny
Zip Code:	11702
Country:	US ☺
Email Address:	BabylonPTA@gmail.com
Phone:	

### Student/Teacher Information

Teacher's Name:	
Student's Name:	
Any Additional Information:	Dear Jimmy, Congratulations! Love, Mom & Dad

Review

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The Babylon School District's K-6 Parent Teacher Association (K-6 PTA) will be photographing and/or filming students, staff, and PTA members as they go about the business of learning, succeeding and participating in PTA events and activities. If you do not wish to have your child or yourself photographed and/or videotaped, you must submit your request to babylonpta@gmail.com in writing. Full-class or group photographs and videotapes should not be included in your request.





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**BUSINESS AD BOOSTER SUBMISSION**

**DEADLINE: 11/19/2016**

12/5/16

Thank you for considering an advertisement in our 6th grade yearbook. We hope to continue our tradition of providing these books to our outgoing students at no charge and your advertising dollars are an important part of making that happen.

Submission of business ads can be done in one of two ways:

- 1) complete the form below, attach a 2" by 3.5" business card, enclose in an envelope and return to the BMGS office for placement in the "PTA Mailbox"--please label the envelope "Yearbook Business Booster". When received, you will be directed to complete payment on the PTA website through an email with specific instructions.
- 2) if you have a digital copy of your business card, you may submit it directly to debbie\_burke20@yahoo.com --please label the subject "Yearbook Business Booster". When received, you will be directed to complete payment on the PTA website through a return email with specific instructions.

The price for a business card ad is \$50. Full- and half- page business boosters are available for purchase. Please contact Debbie Burke at above contact info for pricing.

Space is limited and ads will be accepted on a first-received basis, so please return your completed form as soon as possible.

Thank you kindly for your support!



Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

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# Babylon SEPTA Yankee Candle Fundraiser

Group Number: 990069887

Due to overwhelming response we've  
EXTENDED our YANKEE CANDLE  
Fundraiser for the holidays



Please support **BABYLON SEPTA** by offering these highest-quality, brand-name products, which everyone loves, to friends and family alike!

View the Online catalog by visiting  
[yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://yankeecandlefundraising.com) , scroll down to the "Start Shopping" box and enter

Group #

**990069887**

then select "Start Shopping"

....have fun and enjoy.

**-----Order Online today-----**

Yankee Candle ® products make excellent gifts for any occasion, including Holidays, Birthdays, Anniversaries, and Housewarmings. The brochure may be viewed online at:

[www.yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com)

## IMPORTANT DATES:

Start Date: **OCTOBER 31, 2016**

End Date: (online order) **JANUARY 11, 2017**

Delivery: 7- 10 days direct to you  
from receipt of orders (online order)

## MONEY COLLECTION:

Online orders-pay online w/ CC, pay pal, etc. (use group # 990069887)

## IMPORTANT NOTES:

- All online orders must be done **NO LATER** than **JANUARY 11, 2017**. (-pay online-delivered direct to you)
- Thank you for helping Babylon SEPTA reach our fundraising goal of \$2000

***Thank you for your support!***

YANKEE CANDLE YOUR GROUP NUMBER  
FUNDRAISING

**990069887**

Have friends & family shop online

@[www.yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://www.yankeecandlefundraising.com)

Scroll to "Start Shopping" Enter GROUP # 990069887

Click on "Start Shopping"--have fun and enjoy.

YANKEE CANDLE®  
**FUNDRAISING**

**Due to overwhelming response we've  
EXTENDED our YANKEE CANDLE  
Fundraiser for the holidays!**

**Help BABYLON SEPTA Programs while you shop!**  
For each YANKEE CANDLE item sold SEPTA will receive a  
**40% profit** to use towards our scholarships & programs.

**----- Order online today! -----**

Visit [yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://yankeecandlefundraising.com) , scroll down to the "Start Shopping" box and enter  
**Group #**  
**990069887**

**Thank you for helping Babylon SEPTA reach our  
fundraising goal of \$2,000!**

**Our Fall & Holiday 2016 Collection has  
something for everybody!**

**CANDLES**

So many wonderful fragrances - You'll find  
something for everyone!

Use Group # 990069887 & Shop Now >

### **GIFT SETS**

Perfect gifts for every occasion - all perfectly packaged for gift giving!

Imagine having all of your holiday shopping done with just a few clicks of the mouse!

*Use Group # 990069887 & Shop Now >*

### **CANDLE ACCESSORIES**

It's the little things that make a room feel finished.

*Use Group # 990069887 & Shop Now >*

### **And so much more...**

Flameless options, car fresheners and even gourmet popcorn & gift wrap are available this year!

*Use Group # 990069887 & Shop Now >*

**SHOP NOW >>**

*Do you have friends or family who might be interested in purchasing?*

If so, simply visit [yankeecandlefundraising.com](http://yankeecandlefundraising.com) and click on the "Seller Login" button. Fill out the "Sign up to be a seller" form. Use your Group # 990069887 to register and follow the instructions to have informational emails sent to friends and family across the country!

Thanks again for your continued support! For questions please contact Fundraising Chair Michael Drake at [captreeisland@aol.com](mailto:captreeisland@aol.com).

# Babylon Youth Wrestling 2017 Registration

Self Discipline Self Defense Self Esteem  
Conditioning Team Spirit

**Online Registration is now available on  
[www.babylonwrestling.com](http://www.babylonwrestling.com)**

Walk in Registration to be held at the High School (Grove Place)  
Main Lobby on:

**Thursday, November 10, 7:00 – 8:30 p.m.**

**Saturday, December 3, 11:00 – 12:30 p.m.**

## Grades 1 and 2

Tues and Thurs, 6:00 – 6:45 p.m. starting Jan. 3, 2017  
High School Wrestling Room (Grove Place Entrance)  
\$75 includes USA Card

## Grades 3 – 6

Tues and Thurs, 7:00 - 8:30 p.m. starting Jan. 3, 2017  
High School Wrestling Room (Grove Place Entrance)  
\$85 includes USA Card

An additional per tournament fee is required.  
'Wrestlers World' magazine, insurance is also included with  
USA Card

- Checks payable to '*Babylon Youth Wrestling*'
- Multiple child discount of \$10 per family
- Please note that there will be a Late Registration Fee of \$10 per child

## Coaches

Chris Donaldson

Danny McHugh

TJ Golub

For additional info go to [www.babylonwrestling.com](http://www.babylonwrestling.com)

# December Children's Room Happenings

Registration for December programs will begin on Tuesday, November 1st @ 9:30 AM. Either by phone, in person, or online with your CHILD'S Babylon Library card. Please note age requirements. Registration is required unless otherwise noted.

Out-of-district residents may register for programs with a two weeks after registration has begun, **IN PERSON ONLY**, using a CHILD'S library card.

## My first storytime

For 6 to 23 months with parent/caregiver  
Fridays, December 2, 9, 16~10-10:30am  
**Storytime. Songs. Play.**

## Friendly snowman cupcakes

For BABYLON patrons only  
**A-**For ages 2 to 5 with parent/caregiver  
Tuesday December 6~11:00am-12:00pm

**B-**For grades K-2nd grade with parent/caregiver  
Tuesday, December 6~3:30-4:15pm

## Holiday gift tags and cards

For grades K to 5th grade  
Thursday, December 15~3:30-5:00pm

## Family gingerbread house

For BABYLON patrons only  
For families with children up to 5th grade  
Saturday, December 17~2:30-4:30pm  
**OR**  
Wednesday, December 21~6:30-8:30pm

## Drop-in and play

(No registration required)  
6 to 23 months with parent/caregiver  
Friday, December 23~10:00am-12:00pm

## All aboard the Polar Express (Drop-in movie)

For grades K to 5th grade  
Monday, December 19~6:30-8:00pm

## Inchworms

(child must be 2 by first session)  
For 2s and 3s with parent/caregiver  
Mondays, December 5, 12, 19~10-10:30am  
**Stories. Music. Craft.**

## Get along gang

For 3s, 4s, 5s not yet in kindergarten  
Wednesdays, December 7, 14, 21~1-1:45pm  
**Stories. Playtime Craft.**

## Dog treats for the shelter

K to 5th grade with parent/caregiver  
Thursday, December 8~3:30-4:30pm

## Salt dough ornaments

For pre-k to 5th grade with parent/caregiver  
Friday, December 16~3:30-4:30pm

## Hot chocolate mason jar

For 3rd to 5th grade  
Thursday, December 22~3:30-4:30pm

## Rockin New Year's Eve

For families with parent/caregiver  
Friday, December 30~12-1:30pm



# January Children's Room Happenings

Registration for January programs will begin on Thursday, December 1 at 9:30 AM, either in person, by phone or online with your CHILDS Babylon Library card. Please note age requirements. Registration is required unless otherwise noted. Out of district residents may register for programs with an Asterisk(\*) two weeks after registration has begun, **IN PERSON ONLY**, using a CHILD'S library card.

## \*Inchworms

(Child must be 2 by the first session)

2's & 3's with parent/caregiver

Mondays, January 9, 23, 30~10:00-10:30am

Stories, music and craft.

## \*My First Storytime

6 to 23 months with parent/caregiver

Fridays, January 13, 20, 27~10:00-10:30am

Storytime and songs.

## \*Winter Art Starts

For ages 2-5 with parent/caregiver

Tuesday, January 24~11:00am-11:45am

Crafts. Crafts. Crafts.

## Lego Drop In

For grades K-3rd

Tuesday, January 17th~4:00-5:00pm

Drop in and Play (no registration)

6-23 months with parent/caregiver

Friday, January 6~10:00am-12:00pm

## \*Get Along Gang

3's, 4's, 5's and not yet in Kindergarten

Wednesdays, January 11, 18, 25 ~1:00-1:45pm

Storytime and craft.

## \*Pages & Pizza

For 3rd to 5th grade

Wednesday, January 11th~4:00-4:45pm

Discuss favorite books, write...eat some pizza!

## \*Winter Sensory Play

18 months to 5 years with parent/caregiver

Thursday, January 19~11:00am-11:45am

Preschool Fair (no registration)

Thursday, January 19~7:00-8:30pm

Meet representatives from local preschools.

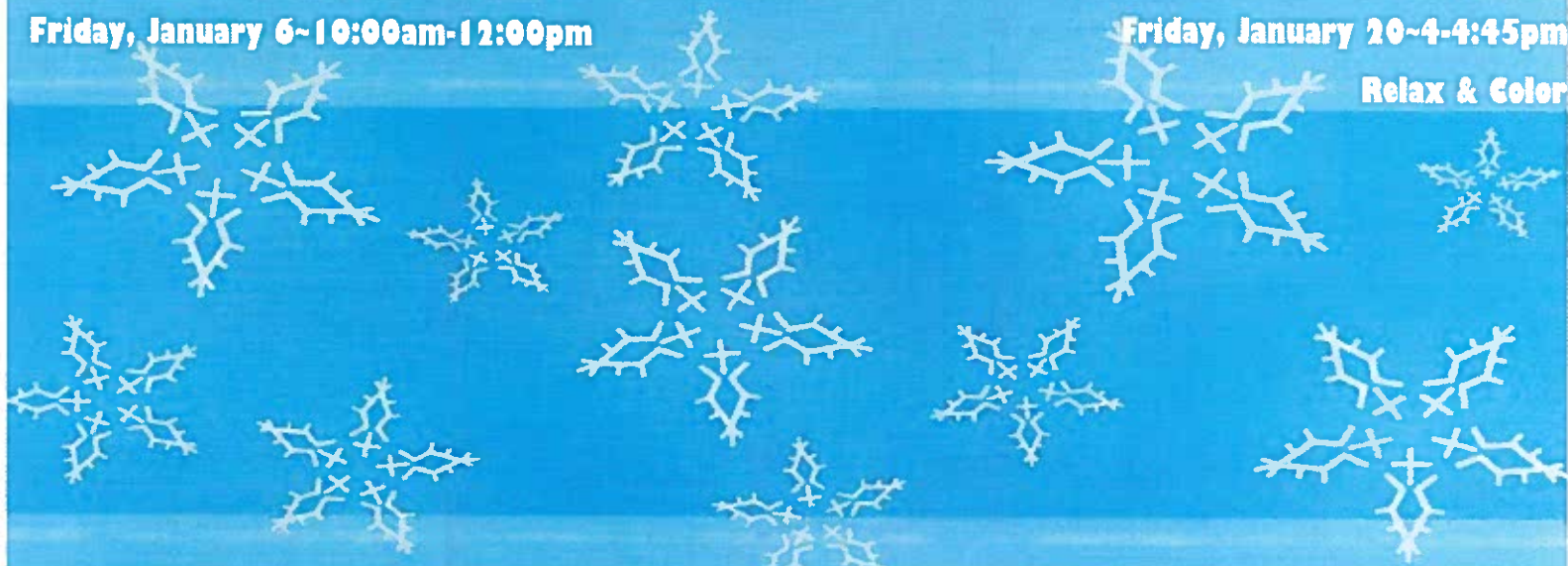
(Snow date Jan. 26th)

## \*Makerspace Club—COLORAMA

2nd-5th grades

Friday, January 20~4-4:45pm

Relax & Color



# Babylon HS Presents



Written by Moss Hart and George S. Kaufman

New Performance Schedule:

Friday Dec 9<sup>th</sup> 8PM

Saturday Dec 10<sup>th</sup> 8PM

Sunday December 11<sup>th</sup> 12PM