



WEDNESDAY NOTICE

January 14, 2026



Calendar Reminders

Monday, January 19th: **School Closed – Martin Luther King Jr. Day**

Wednesday, January 28th: **Leni Winn's Parent Discussion Group 9:15am**

Thursday, January 29th: **PCDS Annual Benefit – The Harvard Club – 7pm**

**The 63rd Annual Benefit is
TWO WEEKS AWAY!**

[BUY BENEFIT TICKETS HERE!](#)

THE SILENT AUCTION IS OPEN!

[Click HERE](#) to view all 95 amazing auction items!

We will be adding new items daily!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED to help with setup, registration, checkout, and cleanup. These roles are crucial to run a smooth and successful Benefit. Please **[Click HERE](#)** to volunteer.

Thank you in advance!



Thank you to our amazing Pajama Breakfast Co-Chairs,
Andrew Cook and **Nivaan Linhares** for putting together a fun-filled delicious breakfast last Saturday!



The gym was filled with pancakes topped with lots of chocolate chips and sprinkles, **Magic Evan's** PCDS magician debut, and great company!

Thank you to all our volunteers who helped make this event possible:

SK Kim, was the head chef of the pancake batter, Jim Bright, Rafique Decastro, Nathan Felle, Jonathan Jolivette, Dennis Levin, Al Organ, Andres Perez, and Peter Stapor for helping with setup,

Phil Boyd, Scott Daubin, John Duffy, Andy Fernandez, Michael Gawlik, Joshua Heft, Kurt Hoffmeister, Eugene Kim, Daryl Leon, Taylor Mulherin, Dev Sengupta, Neel Shah, Gaurav Sharma, Lawrence Stuart, Lei Tie, David Weiner, and Philip Lang for helping cook and serve breakfast, Peter Chien, Rafique Decastro, and Thomas Obersteiner for helping with check-in, Jim Cheng, Jonathan Messika, Oren Schwartz, and Calla Videt for helping with temporary tattoos, Sarkis Kalashian for helping with clean up, and the PA for their support throughout the entire event.

Also, a special thank you to **Alex Sanchez**, our custodian, for helping with setup and cleanup.



If you did not have a chance to purchase your tickets last Saturday,
please [Click HERE](#)

Thank you!!!



Leni Winn's Upcoming Parent Discussion Group

9:15am to 10:00am in the Reception Room

Wednesday, January 28th

Topic: HOW TO RAISE A CONFIDENT CHILD

**** IMPORTANT ****

Please keep your children home if they are sick and always refer to the PCDS Handbook for medical and health guidelines. If you have any further questions, please email Pamela or Rhonda.

Attention: Returning Families

If there is a possibility that your child will NOT be returning to PCDS next fall, it would be greatly appreciated if you could inform Patti or Fiona.

Re-enrollment contracts will be sent out tomorrow.

If you have any questions about the program for next year, please do not hesitate to contact Patti or Fiona.

Thank you!



**The NYC Public School Kindergarten
(and Kindergarten Gifted & Talented)**

The Kindergarten Application is OPEN!

Friday, January 23, 2026: Kindergarten Application Closes

Tuesday, March 31, 2026: Kindergarten Offer Release

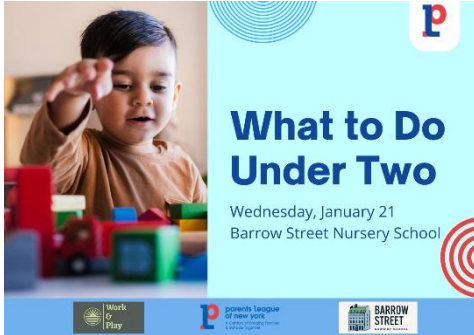
If you have any questions about public schools, please email Pamela.

To learn more about the process, [Click Here](#)



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EVENTS



What to Do under Two: Toddler Time

Wednesday, January 21st – 6:00pm – 7:00pm

Member price is free. Non-Member price is \$20.

Speakers: Amy Mockbee and Emily Boucher – Co-founders of Work & Play

Links will be made available to all registrants.

To register: [Click Here](#)



Special Education Group Discussion

Thursday, February 5th 1:00pm - 2:00pm

Free to members.

Where: Remote

Speaker: Chantal Aflalo

To register: [Click Here](#)

Follow us on Instagram [@parkchildrensdayschool](#)

BULLETIN BOARD



Summer Art Bunch is back for its 23rd year!

The program will run from June 8th through July 31st.

Registration opens December 22nd

Summer Art Bunch is organized by PCDS teacher, Christine Barber.

The program is tailored for children ages 3 through 5 years old.

Please visit our website for details and to register www.summerartbunchnyc.com

Email questions to summerartbunchnyc@gmail.com



PLUM+PORT PHOTOGRAPHY PRESENTS

Dear Irving, GIRLS IN SPORTS

DEAR IRVING, GRAMERCY NYC/SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH

BOOK YOUR SESSION: [HTTPS://BOOK.USESSESSION.COM/S/U9T70NYSX0](https://book.usesession.com/s/u9t70nysx0)

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**Melena, Patti's friend, will be in
NY on**

Saturday, March 7th only

To view more information and to book
your Girls In Sports photoshoot session,
please [CLICK HERE](#)



Caregiver Available

My name is Roxanne Persad.
I am currently seeking employment as a
nanny. I was previously employed by the
Parra family and have 15 years of nanny
experience in the Manhattan area. I live
on the lower east side, so commuting is
easy in and around Manhattan. Over the
years, I have acquired great references.

Anyone interested, please email me at
rox.p.r@hotmail.com.



Caregiver Needed

Hi PCDS parents! We are seeking a full-time
Nanny for our 5-month-old
and 2-year-old. We are looking for someone
experience, dependable, and
communicative, with a strong background
caring for multiple young children.
Familiarity with the UWS is preferred.
Minimum of 42 hours per week.

If you know someone who
could be a great fit,
please text [413-636-3799](tel:413-636-3799).

Thank you!



PAACDS Alum Available for Babysitting

Hi, my name is Alejo Fernholz. I am a
sophomore at Trinity School and a Park
Children's Day School alumnus. I still
remember playing with blocks, reading in
the library and cooking with pumpkin
seeds!

I am available for babysitting and tutoring
most weekdays after 6 pm and holiday
weekends. Starting in April I will also be
available for babysitting after school and
on weekends. My phone number is [718-308-1050](tel:718-308-1050). Thank you!

To place ads in the PCDS bulletin board, please send an e-mail to:
pcds@parkchildrensdayschool.org by Sunday prior to next week's Wednesday notice! Thank you!