

HELLO
February

CELEBRATING

**BLACK
HISTORY
MONTH**



P.S. 235
Janice Marie Knight School
Parent Teacher Association
Our contact Info:
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Wednesday, February 7, 2024

5:00pm- 7:00pm

AGENDA

- Welcome
- PARENT WORKSHOP: Time Management for Successful Academic & Life Outcomes – Mr. Herring- Personal Safety & Educational Development
- Reading of Minutes, Financial Report & General News, 5th Grade Updates

PTA Board Members

- Social & Emotional Learning Intro
Lee Eisen, P.S. 235 No Place for Hate/ Lead Teacher

- Principal's Report
Principal Nicola Grant

Student of the Month & Perfect Attendance Announcements
Ms. Troman & A.P. Mr. Pinsky



Parents please register to attend: [click here](#) / Scan code

Pay annual membership dues @ [Home | Ps235 Pta \(square.site\)](#)



PARENT WORKSHOP



TIME MANAGEMENT FOR SUCCESSFUL ACADEMIC & LIFE OUTCOMES

Presenter: Mr. Michael Herring

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Contact Information

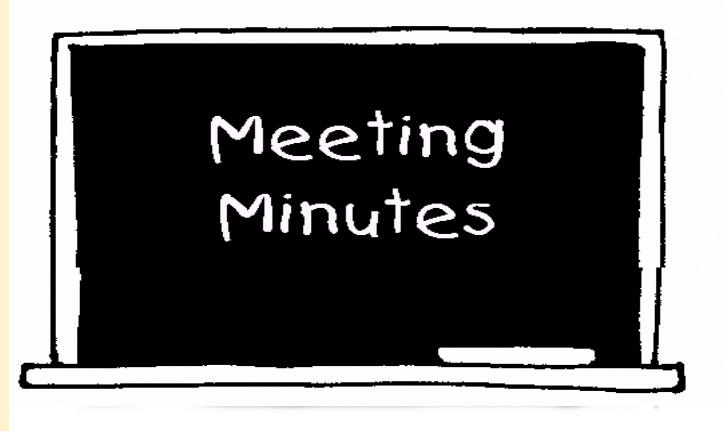


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aplustutor98@gmail.com

Ms. Annique Walters



January 10, 2024 minutes review

Ms. Jackson, Recording Secretary, will be collecting 2 names to accept January's minutes before we continue. Thank you!

Mr. Eisen, No Place for Hate/ Head Teacher

RESPECT FOR ALL WEEK UPDATES

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Respect for All Spirit Week!
Wear your "No Place for Hate" Tee
Shirt. Wear it...Live it!

Elite Learners After School
2:30 - 4:30pm (917-403-5885)

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Respect for All Spirit Week!
Making Changes: Wear your solid blue
or white uniform shirt to showcase
your in-class Super Hero Badge!



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Celebrate Valentine's Day!
Happy "Read to your Child" Day!
<https://nationaltoday.com/read-to-your-child-day>

Respect for All Spirit Week!
Wear Hearts, Red or Pink

Elite Learners After School
2:30 - 4:30pm (917-403-5885)

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Respect for All Spirit Week!
Multicultural Day
Wear or bring in items that
represent your Culture.



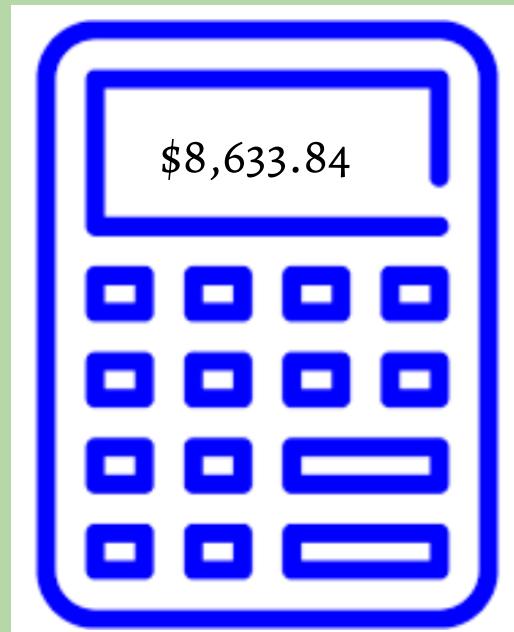
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Hot Chocolate Friday!
Main Building 10:35 - 12:30
Respect for All Spirit Week!
100th School Day Olympics
Wear your Team Shirt!

Cub Scouts 2:20 - 4:20

Financial Update

Mr. Alleyne, Treasurer





Special Thank YOU!

Parents:

Ms. Paula Daniels

Ms. Kehmisha Reid

Ms. Camille McIntosh

Ms. Melicia Walker-Diallo

Ms. Shillan Burke

Ms. Peggy Alleyne

Ms. Trudeau Mckenzie

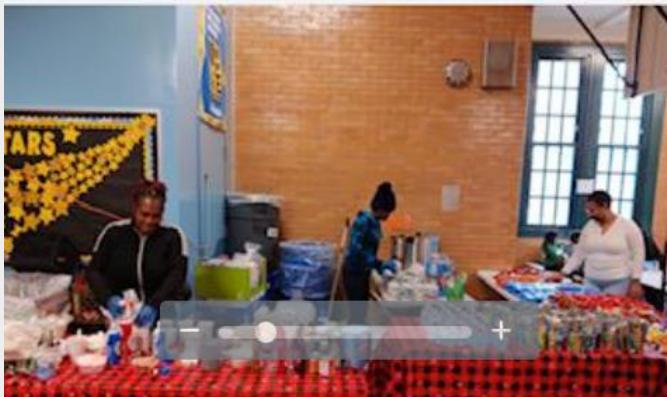
School staff:

Ms. Booker/ Mr. Shamar

This is the consistent and faithfully support we receive during PTA snack sale. This event continues to be a success!

This is what our Hot chocolate/ Snack Sale looks like on Fridays! Thank you so much families for your continued support!





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****Proceeds from this Event will be donated to the graduating class, and senior activities.****

OUR SCHOOL'S FUNDRAISER IS **COMING SOON!**

_packets Will Be Sent Home Shortly



www.misschocolate.com

BEGINS on February 15th through March 10th

_packets will be backpacked home on Feb. 15th

Online ordering is available or you may return paper order
forms to PTA



LOST AND FOUND UPDATE



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PS 235 PTA INC. AND THE CAMPAIGN AGAINST HUNGER PRESENTS A



FOOD PANTRY



2ND & 4TH MONDAY
OF EACH MONTH

Starting Monday, December 11th



- DISTRIBUTION WILL TAKE PLACE AT DISMISSAL FROM 2:15-4:30 WHILE SUPPLIES LAST.
- A SIGNATURE OF RECEIPT IS REQUIRED
- BE READY TO PROVIDE FAMILY SIZE

MORE INFO

LENOXENRICHMENT@YAHOO.COM
INSTAGRAM: @PS235JMK

Food Pantry in 'action'



Ms. Decoteau, CEC Representative



CEC Updates

Office of Language Access Presented information available to NYC Families who are non English Speakers. This is a free service.

Families must first go to their local school to request for interpretation services. 2nd step is going online to schools.nyc.gov/hello. Fill out the language service form. Families can also call 311 to request this service and will be transferred to the office government this service. Families can file a complaint or expedite on the NYC website above or file one once transferred by 311.

Superintendent Terry's Presentation

D17 & D18 Spelling Bee

Great effort. 4 students from D18 will move on to the citywide competition.

Attendance D18 90.4% above citywide average of 89.6%

Witt and Wisdom Curriculum Training and Piloting:
K-2 before testing and 3-8 after testing

Computerized testing this year - no issue arise from test run.

Title 1 Deadlines coming up 2/9.

Principals need to apply for funds and programs.

District liaisons and representatives:

Summer Rising SYEP funding being cut.

Foundation Aid going to Albany to advocate for more more
and rest to the Governor's budget cuts based on formulas used
previously.

Assemblywoman Monique Chandler Waterman. Contact: 718 385-3336.

Free bus:
March 16
April 20
May 18
June 15

Housing Thursdays: Landlord & Tenant Issues @ 903 Utica Ave 11-2

Council Member Mercedes Narcisse

DOB REPS WILL BE AVAILABLE Feb 21 to assist with:
Construction projects
Resolving DOB violations, summonses, stop work orders

Free hot meals food giveaways
Monday's at 4:00 PM
Feb 12 Bay View
Feb 26 Sheepshead
Mar 4 Canarsie
718-241-9330
5827 flatlands

If you are interested in being a voice in your community board 18: Feb 8
Register Zoom: bit.ly/48RExka

NYC Department of Education
COMMUNITY EDUCATION COUNCIL 18

Council Member Jamie Williams

Looking for 4th Graders+
Environmental Student Ambassador
Program to learn about the environment
718-252-2124
5318 Ave N

Senator Roxanne Persaud

See flyer attached:
*Electronics recycling collection
*SD-19 MOBILE OFFICE
*Conversations about hair loss and alopecia webinar

Jamaica Bay Rockaway Park conservancy hiring now 2024
Jamaica Bay wetlands fellowship a 6-month paid workforce
development in job training program for young adults ages 18
to 25 focused on skills for wetlands maintenance monitoring
and restoration within Jamaica Bay pays \$20 an hour 20 hours
a week Tuesdays - Thursdays from April to September 2024
for more information or to apply visit www.jbrpc.org/fellowship.

PS 235 SCHOOL LEADERSHIP TEAM



February 1st, 2024
5:30 PM



The School Leadership Team (**SLT**) is a group of people who develop educational policies for their school. They also make sure there are resources to support those policies.

SLT Meeting Rolling Agenda

- ✓ Call to Order
- ✓ Review Previous Minutes
- ✓ Principal's Report
- ✓ PTA Report
- ✓ UFT / DC37 Report
- ✓ Title 1 Report
- ✓ New Business
- ✓ Future Meeting Protocol
- ✓ Questions or Concerns
- ✓ Creation of Agenda for Next Meeting
- ✓ Adjournment



Community Observers
Welcome
Scan the QR Code to
Register in Advance

February 1st, 2024
5:30 PM (zoom)

UPCOMING DATES THROUGH THE END OF THE SCHOOL YEAR

- **Mar 05, 2024 05:30 PM**
- **Apr 02, 2024 05:30 PM**
- **May 02, 2024 05:30 PM**
- **Jun 04, 2024 05:30 PM**

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PARENT WORKSHOP



P.S. 235 PTA Saturday Parent Workshops @ Main Building- 525 Lenox Road. This short survey is to gather your interest in various topics so that we can schedule upcoming workshops accordingly. As a PTA, one of the goals is to empower our parent community. When we come together and engage in learning opportunities through workshops it helps to enhance us as parents and guardians. Your feedback is important to us. Please select and rank your top 4 choices.

Form description

Email *

Valid email



P.S. 235 Morning Drop-Off Parent Volunteer Sign-Up

Thank you for considering being a parent volunteer during morning drop-off at P.S. 235. Kindly complete this short survey and a PTA member / School Administrator will follow up with you.

Email *

Valid email

This form is collecting emails. [Change settings](#)



- 5th Grade families are invited to join the PTA, tomorrow, February 8th @ 6:30pm
 - Yearbook Ads purchase will begin later in February
- Senior Trip - June 5th. Luncheon is tentatively scheduled for June 18th & Graduation for June 24th
- NYC Schools Families Survey were sent home- YOUR VOICE MATTERS
 - Consider joining the PTA Executive Board for School Year 24'-25'. All positions are open to P.S. 235 parents & guardians- More information will be shared in the upcoming months.

Updated Flyers were sent home on last Thursday & also emailed to Families



Senior Package Selection & T-shirt /Hoodie Size Selection (Return this completed form to your child's Teacher **on or before February 16th, 2024**)

Congratulations on your child's upcoming graduation. Please fill out this form in its entirety so that we may process your graduation items.

Package 1: Yearbook, Customized Senior T-Shirt, Customized Hoodie, Customized Drawstring Bag, and Customized Scarves & Catered Senior Luncheon at an event hall & Senior Trip to Adventureland via yellow bus, Long Island, NY (\$260).

Package 2: Includes: Yearbook, Customized Senior T-Shirt, Customized Hoodie, Customized Drawstring Bag, and Customized Scarves & Catered Senior Luncheon at an event hall (\$180)

- You may complete this form and return to your child's teacher or complete it online (link will be emailed)

Student First Name: _____

Student Last Name: _____

Home Room Teacher's Name: (Select one)

- Ms. Caliendo
- Ms. Williams/ Ms. Ramsaran
- Ms. Sanford
- Ms. Campbell
- Ms. Mills

T-Shirt Size & Hoodie Size will be the SAME (Please be mindful of your child's growth between now and the end of the school year- June 2024)- WE CANNOT PROCESS EXCHANGES-
Circle One:

Youth Medium / Youth Large / Youth XL / Adult S / Adult M / Adult L / Adult XL

Parent's name: _____



Graduation is in June and although it may seem like a long way off, we must plan now for the many activities which will make this a very special year.



IF YOU WILL BE SENDING IN CASH/ CHECK OR MONEY ORDER YOU MUST FIRST NOTIFY THE PTA VIA EMAIL @ LENOXENRICHMENT@YAHOO.COM



Senior Dues

Package 1: \$260
Will cover cost of:

- Luncheon/Caterer/Venue
- Yearbook
- Class of 2024 Backpack & Key Chain
- Personalized Class of 2024 T-shirt
- Personalized Class of 2024 Hoodie
- Graduation Scarf
- Transportation and Admission to Theme park (Unlimited activities and one lunch voucher)

Package 2: \$180
Includes all of the above **except** Senior Trip to Adventureland

*Packages cannot be customized to exclude clothing items.



PLEASE NOTE THAT SENIOR DUES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. PAYMENT CAN BE
MADE IN FULL OR IN INSTALLMENTS.

UPCOMING SESSION- Hope to see you there!



5TH GRADE ACTIVITIES UPDATES & INFO SESSION WITH PTA



JOIN US ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH, 2024 @ 6:30PM

VIA ZOOM – [CLICK HERE](#)

SEE YOU THERE!

MEETING ID: 944 4149 5893

PASSCODE: 925923

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NYC School Survey

Your School. Your Child. Your Voice.

**Be sure to complete your FAMILY SURVEY by
Friday, April 5th, 2024**



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Parent Teacher Association (PTA)

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SY 23'-24' PTA ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

Every dollar received from dues goes towards the enrichment of our children's educational experience, paying for parents workshops, student of the month awards, teacher appreciation and so much more...

\$20 PER FAMILY – SCAN CODE TO PAY





Attendance Matters

Every student. Every day.

8:00AM - 2:20PM

Make every minute count

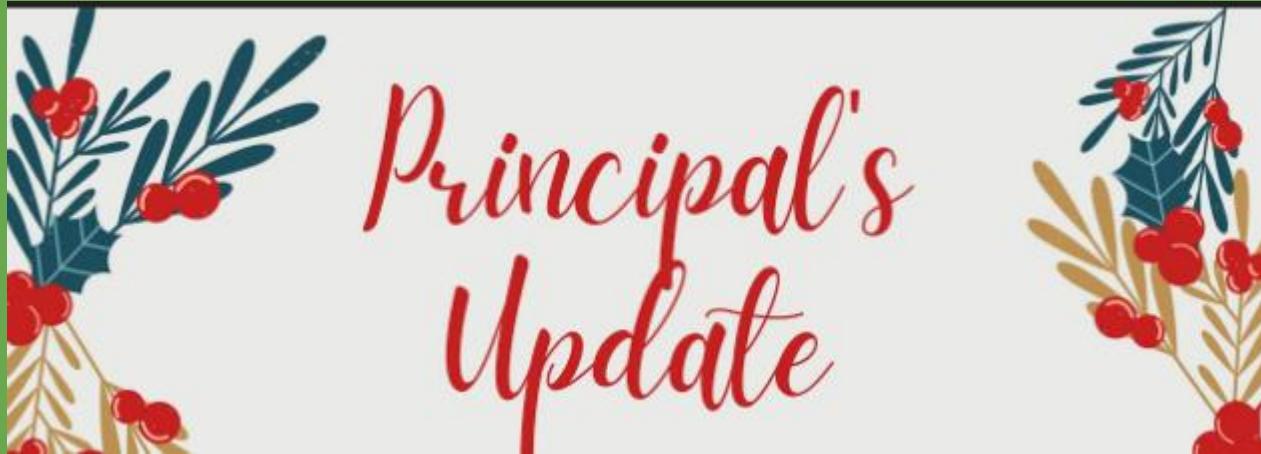
Families lets work on bringing our children to school

ON TIME

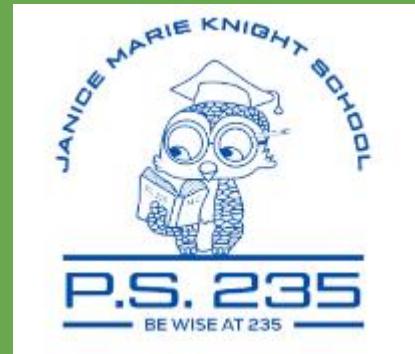


we need VOLUNTEERS

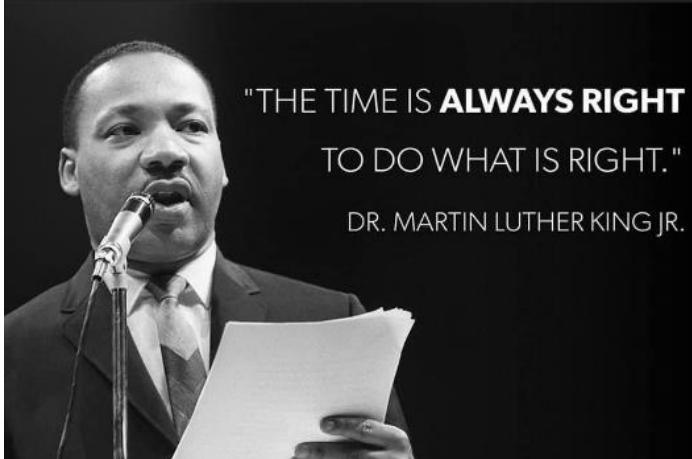
**For school events, picture day, help with
fundraisers, etc. send an email to us at
lenoxenrichment@yahoo.com or speak to any Board
Member you may meet at the school.**



PRINCIPAL NICOLA GRANT REPORT & UPDATES



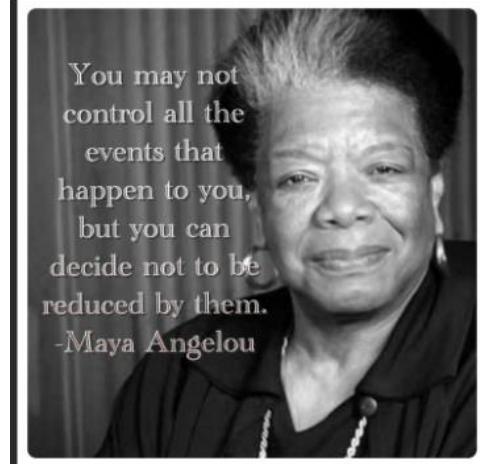




"THE TIME IS **ALWAYS RIGHT**
TO DO WHAT IS RIGHT."
DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING JR.



MARCH



You may not control all the events that happen to you, but you can decide not to be reduced by them.
-Maya Angelou

Our next meeting is scheduled for
WEDNESDAY, March 13th, 2024