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# IMPORTANT DATES...

Event Name	Day	Date	Time	Where
PSSA Practice Tests (3rd-8th)	Tue. - Fri.	Sept. 29 - Oct. 2	8.30am-11.30am	Classes
Board Meeting	Thu.	Oct. 1	7 pm	MPR
Picture Day	Mon.	Oct. 5	All Day	MPR
PTO Meeting	Tue.	Oct. 6	5:30 pm	MPR
No School	Mon.	Oct. 12		
Parent-Teacher Conferences	Mon.	Oct. 12	8 am - 4 pm	
Josh and Gab Assembly	Tue.	Oct. 20	1:30 pm - 3 pm	MPR

# SEPTEMBER 2015 EVENTS...

## WTAE AND CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER VISITED YOUNG SCHOLARS!

On Wednesday, September 16th, YSWPCS welcomed Mike Harvey from WTAE and "Fantastic" Zack from the Carnegie Science Center! Mike talked about different weather patterns that affect us in Pittsburgh and different weather patterns that occur around the country. Zack showed us some pretty cool experiments including a real life volcano! Our students learned a lot and had plenty of fun! Our thanks to Bethel Bakery for helping us present a delicious Autumn themed cake to the staff at WTAE!



## FIELD TRIP TO THE NORTH SHORE

THE MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS TOOK A FIELD TRIP TO THE NORTH SHORE TO TOUR THE LST 325 NAVY SHIP THAT WAS USED IN WWII. WHILE TOURING, STUDENTS GOT TO SEE SHIP MEMORABILIA AND MEET WWII VETERANS. THANK YOU



## STAFF BOAT TRIP

The YSWPCS teachers kicked off the 2015-2016 school year with a cruise on the 3 Rivers! They participated in team building activities that included creating a "Wish list" for this year, an ice-breaking exercise which let us all know which cartoon character the teachers identified with, and a group scavenger hunt! And the winners of the scavenger hunt is Team 1 (Mr. Pek, Mrs. Michael, Mrs. Neely, Mr. Gigler, Ms. Laufer, and Mrs. Neubert)! A big thank you to the staff of the Gateway Clipper Fleet for making this an incredible morning!



Wednesday, September 23, 2015 First and Second grade scholars celebrated the first day of fall with a trip to Trax Farm! Students learned about the farm with a fall tour of the produce cleaner, bee hives, and tractor ride. We tasted apple cider and fresh picked apples. Each student also picked a pumpkin to take home!

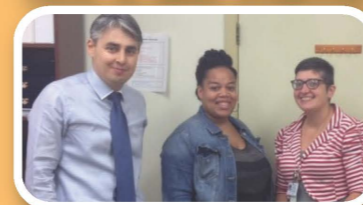


## FIELD TRIP TO TRAX FARM



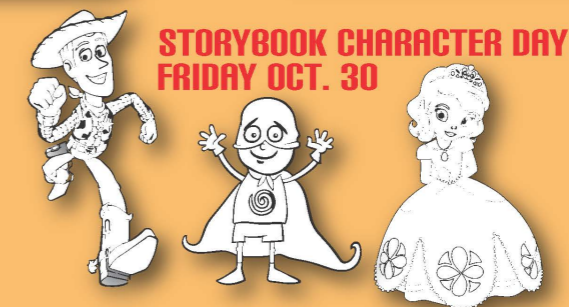
# COMING EVENTS...

## PARENT BREAKFAST 2015-16 HAVE STARTED!

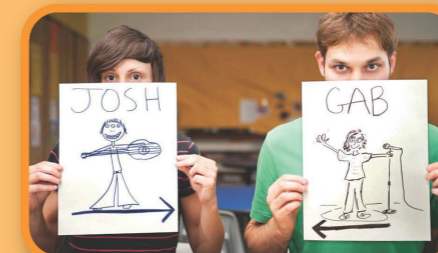


ON SEPTEMBER 21, 2015, YSWPCS HELD THE FIRST PARENT BREAKFAST OF THE YEAR! WE WELCOMED ASHLEY HAMMONDS (AYRIANA, 4B) TO THE YSWPCS FAMILY! PARENT BREAKFASTS ARE HELD EVERY MONDAY AND WEDNESDAY AT 8 AM. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO BE PART OF A PARENT BREAKFAST,

PLEASE CONTACT RACHEL MAJCHER AT R.MAJCHER@YSWPCS.ORG. WE HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON!



## JOSH & GAB



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