

Hello Families!

We hope you enjoyed Breakfast with Maggie and the Me. You. Us. inclusion workshop this week! If you were not able to join us, or would like to see the TED talk that we featured at the beginning of the evening, click

here: http://www.ted.com/talks/chimamanda_adichie_the_danger_of_a_single_story . It is also posted on the home page of our website.

Important School News and Housekeeping Items/Reminders

- The parent workshop on *Helping Your Child to Manage Themselves* has been **rescheduled for Thursday, March 2** at 8:30am in Room 226. To sign up or change your previous signup, click here: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0445adaf22aaff2-helping1>

TOMORROW!

- **Saturday, February 11, 11am** - Our very own **Bill Gordh will be telling Scandinavian Folktales** at Scandinavia House in midtown. This is a FREE event! **See attached flyer for details!**
- **The 4th Annual Peck Slip Variety Show** is TOMORROW at 2:30 in the Gymnasium! Peck Slip Players presents: Small World/Big Stars. **QUESTIONS?** Contact Emily Hellstrom at emilyhellstrom@me.com

Upcoming Community Events – Save The Date:

- Due to scheduling constraints, the next **Maggie’s Math Club for Math Haters will be Wednesday, 3/15** in Room 226 at 8:30am.
- **Thursday, March 16th** –The Coalition for Healthy School Food is sponsoring a **dinner for Peck Slip families** right here in our Cafeteria at 5:45pm. Come taste some delicious vegetarian items featured on our school lunch menu. Featuring a guest speaker and kid-friendly activities! More details forthcoming. Sign up here: <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/20f0445adaf22aaff2-coalition1>
- **Peck Slip Annual Auction and Gala is on March 30!** Tickets are on sale NOW! Early Bird Pricing! Click here to order: <https://www.501auctions.com/peckslipauction/tickets?type=6347>

PTA News

- Amazing Amazon Deals! Remember to use the Amazon Peck Slip link when you are shopping! <https://www.amazon.com/?&encoding=UTF8&tag=peckslip-20&linkCode=ur2&linkId=17ca3645e42cf17554bf2e8dec7c141e&camp=1789&creative=9325>

Excerpt from the Family Handbook

Snow days & Emergency closing

- Snow days and emergency closings are announced on the DOE website (schools.nyc.gov) and through most local media outlets. If it looks like weather may result in a school closing, please check these sources. *Please do not call the school regarding school closings or delays.* We are typically informed when the public is...

Important Upcoming Dates

Saturday, 2/11	Peck Slip Players Presents: The 3rd Annual Variety Show	Small World, Big Stars! 2:30pm-4:30pm in the Peck Slip Gymnasium.
w/o 2/13		
Thursday, 2/16	Safety Meeting	10:20am in the Library. Learn about the School Safety Team and the General Response Protocol at this special monthly meeting, which this month is open to Peck Slip families.
Thursday, 2/16	4th Grade New Amsterdam Celebration	8:45 in your child's classroom
Friday, 2/17	3rd Grade Brooklyn Bridge Celebration	9:00am in your child's classroom
Friday, 2/17	1st Grade Family Friday	8:30am in your child's classroom.
Friday, 2/17	PreK Family Friday	8:20am in your child's classroom
w/o 2/20		
Monday, 2/20 – Friday, 2/24	No School	Midwinter Recess

Have a great weekend!