



Tales of the Fourth Grade

2017

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Welcome Fall!

We are pleased to share the news that the Fourth Graders will soon begin “The Nutcracker” residency program with the NYC Ballet. Inspired by George Balanchine’s The Nutcracker, students and teachers will be working with a resident artist from The NYC Ballet who will engage them in lessons which explore artistic expression, communication and collaboration skills.

The program culminates with a live matinee performance of “The Nutcracker” at Lincoln Center on Wednesday, November 29. We are all very excited to begin this residency!

Upcoming Events: (please look for the upcoming notice).

Parent Engagement Workshops on Tuesday Afternoons (2:45–3:30pm).

Please join us with your child!

Tuesday, November 14–“Parent/Child Book Clubs”

Tuesday, December 12– “Holiday Cards”

Tuesday, April 17–“Spring Celebration”

Start Spreading the News...

Planned Field Trips:

November 29- *Lincoln Center to see a performance of “The Nutcracker”*

March 21 and 22- *Billy Jean King Tennis Center*

Spring, date TBA- *New Victory Theater to see “Water on Mars”*

***Parent volunteers are always needed for these trips!**



Please save the date for these wonderful celebrations and upcoming events in 4th grade!

December, 19- A performance by the 4th Graders, (culminating activity from our residency with the NYC Ballet)- 9:00am in the Auditorium. WE WILL UPDATE THE PERFORMANCE DATE AFTER OUR RESIDENCY BEGINS!

***Tuesday, January 23rd - Cultural Celebration
In classrooms – (10:00am)***

Tuesday, March 6th (9:00 in the school auditorium) – “Welcome to New York!” The grade four students will perform a musical, review of songs about New York City to enhance the social studies curriculum. We will soon begin studying these songs, making up dances and writing historical essays about life in New York City and its different neighborhoods!

We look forward to seeing you at our Celebrations!

Please remember to bring a photo id!