



The Hagedorn Little Village School

Jack Joel Center for Special Children

**May 2026
Newsletter**

The HLVS Parent Association Fashion Show!

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Dr. Jon Feingold and June Sayers, this year's recipient of the *Anne Partridge Spirit Award* at Little Village's 2026 Parent Association Fashion Show!

Parent Association Fashion Show

Our 2026 Fashion Show” Garden of Dreams” was held on Thursday, April 23rd at Crest Hollow Country Club. Thank you to the **HLVS Parent Association** for a wonderful event! A special thanks to our Fashion Show Chairpersons **Li Chang, Breanna Jordan & Amber McKiel** and all the parent committee members who worked so hard to make the evening fabulous!

Congratulations to **June Sayers** who was our 2026 Anne Partridge Spirit Award recipient.

Thank you to all our staff and student models. We would also like to thank our Sponsors -

- ♦ **Imagination Blossoms The Sayers Family** - Cocktail Sponsor
 - ♦ **Un Be-Leaf-Able Children** - Centerpiece Sponsor
- ♦ **Woodbury Pediatric Dentistry Orthodontics** - Centerpiece Sponsor
 - ♦ **Metro Physical & Aquatic Therapy** - Centerpiece Sponsor

Lastly, a special thanks to:

- ♦ **Bella Luna Beauty Boutique** and the hairdressers Cassandra Lombardo, Madison DiMonda and Nicole Murray for donating their time to do our models hair
- ♦ **Danielle Barretta** from **Danielle Nicole Esthetics & SMP Studio** for donating her time to do our models make-up
- ♦ **DJ Jenny Powers & MC Collette Lee Morales** for donating their time and providing the music
- ♦ **Reminisce Photobooth** for donating his time
- ♦ **Charming in Chocolate** by **Laura Musso** for donating the favors tonight
- ♦ **A Pop of Amber** by **Amber McKiel** for donating the centerpieces



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Current Job Opportunities at Little Village

Little Village provides essential educational and therapeutic services to special children and their families. Integral to the success of Little Village are an exemplary staff. Below are our current open positions for both center-based and home-based programs. Find detailed job descriptions and requirements in addition to the ability to apply online at

<https://littlevillage.org/career-opportunities/>

Center-Based Opportunities:

- 12 month per diem Teacher Aide/Assistant
- 12 month salaried Teacher Aide/Assistant
- Full Time Permanent Substitute Special Education Teacher
 - Summer 2026 Teacher Aide/Assistant
- Dance/Movement Therapist Leave Replacement

Home Based Opportunities:

- Home Based Special Education Teacher
 - Physical Therapist – Part Time
 - Occupational Therapist – Part Time
- Special Education Itinerant Teacher (SEIT)
 - Speech Therapist – Part Time
 - Speech – Clinical Fellows

Many of our full time positions include benefits such as:

- 403(b)
- Vision insurance
- Health insurance
- Dental insurance
- Paid time off
- Paid holidays



Room 13 Learning About Spring!



Room 13 learned all about spring and the changes that happen during this season. The children and Teacher **Nicole Castaldo** talked about the weather becoming warmer, the flowers beginning to bloom, and the rain that helps plants grow. They also learned about things people can observe in spring, such as birds returning, trees growing new leaves, and colorful flowers blooming outside.

To make learning even more exciting, they completed a tulip craft using forks and paint and participated in a blooming flower letter activity. They also participated in a fun rain cloud experiment using pipettes and shaving cream to see how much rain (blue food coloring) their clouds could hold. Learning about spring was so much fun!



The 2026 Little Village Golf Classic!

JOIN US!

THE HAGEDORN LITTLE
VILLAGE SCHOOL
JACK JOEL CENTER FOR SPECIAL CHILDREN

2026 GOLF OUTING
MONDAY JUNE 1, 2026
COLD SPRING COUNTRY CLUB
22 E GATE DR., HUNTINGTON, NY 11743



Honoring
Samantha Hein
HLVS Alumna
with the 2026
Drew Weidhorn
Humanitarian Award!



For information, contact Jennifer Kirincic at 516-520-6043 or email her at jennifer.kirincic@littlevillage.org

EVENT Sponsorship \$25,000

Includes: Three Foursomes, Event Sponsor Banner, 10 Additional Dinner Guests, an HLVS Classroom named in your honor, and 4 Tee Box Signs; Company Name and Logo on all event literature

GOLD Sponsorships \$13,500

Includes: 2 Foursomes, Gold Sponsor Banner, 8 Additional Dinner Guests and 4 Tee Box Signs

SILVER Sponsorships \$6,000

Includes: 1 Foursome, Silver Sponsor Banner, 4 Additional Dinner Guests and 2 Tee Box Signs

BRONZE Sponsorships \$4,000

Includes: 1 Foursome, Bronze Sponsor Banner and 2 Tee Box Signs

☐ Golf Foursome \$2,400 ☐ Golf Individual \$700 ☐ Dinner & Cocktails Only \$175

Other Golf Sponsorships:

Multiple Sponsorships available. All sponsorships below include an on-course sponsorship sign and one tee box sign. Deadline for all Sponsorship purchases is Friday May 15, 2026

Dinner	\$3,000	Giveaways	\$3,000	Refreshment Cart	\$1,000	Driving Range	\$500
Cocktail Hour	\$2,500	\$10,000 Hole-in-One	\$1,250	Cigars	\$750	Two Tee Box Signs	\$350
Lunch	\$1,750	Golf Carts	\$1,250	Prize Grid	\$750	One Tee Box Sign	\$250
Breakfast	\$1,750	Beat the LVS Teacher	\$1,250	Bloody Mary Station	\$750		

June 1, 2026 • Cold Spring Country Club • 22 E Gate Dr., Huntington, NY 11743

Registration & Breakfast: 9:00-10:30am • Shotgun Start: 11:00am
• Cocktails: 4:00-5:30 pm • Dinner/Auction: 5:30-7:30 pm

Hosted By the 2026 HLVS Golf Committee; Chairpersons
Paul Adimando, Johanna Keep & Michael Raab

Scan the QR Code to the right
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<https://secure.givelively.org/event/the-hagedorn-little-village-school/2026-annual-golf-classic>

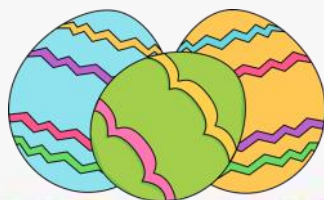
For information, contact Jennifer Kirincic at 516-520-6043 or email her at jennifer.kirincic@littlevillage.org

Room 21's Egg Hunt!

Room 21 hopped into spring with a fun egg hunt throughout the school! Teacher **Emily O'Leary** and the students searched the hallways for colorful eggs while practicing color recognition skills along the way.



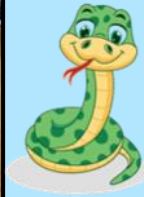
They had so much fun!



The Nature Company Entertains Our Students!



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Room 10pm Learning About Spring

This spring, Teacher **Shauna Wykert** and the students in Room 10PM have been busy exploring the exciting changes that come with the new season! They learned how flowers being to grow, the weather becomes warmer, and how our clothing choices change as we say goodbye to winter.

To bring their learning to life, students created their own birdhouses, connecting to how animals prepare for spring. They also worked on important language skills by practicing the prepositional concept “put on”, as students added leaves onto our classroom winter tree to transform it into a beautiful spring tree. It was a wonderful way to combine hands-on activities with seasonal learning!

