

GREAT NECK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

PHIPPS ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
345 LAKEVILLE ROAD
GREAT NECK, NEW YORK 11020

December 19, 2012

Important Information about the Continuation of the Optional Attendance Zone

Dear Optional Zone Parent/Guardian:

I am pleased to inform you that the Board of Education of the Great Neck Public Schools will continue the optional secondary school attendance zone for the 2013-2014 school year; the continuation of the program is in the best interest of our school community. Students living in the E.M. Baker and Saddle Rock attendance areas, currently in grades 5-11, and currently zoned to attend South High School and South Middle School, may elect to attend North High School or North Middle School. (You may click on the "Optional Attendance Zone Map" link to determine if you reside in the optional attendance area.) Please note: all students who take advantage of this option are eligible for transportation if they are beyond the "walker" limits of the chosen school.

A copy of the District's January calendar appears on the reverse side of this letter. You are welcome to attend middle and high school events as a means of learning more about each of our secondary schools prior to making your Optional Attendance Zone decision.

Regardless of whether or not the optional attendance zone continues in future years, younger siblings will be able to attend the same secondary schools as their older brothers and sisters when they reach middle or high school age. Should you elect to have your child attend North High School or North Middle School, please complete, sign, and return this form by Friday, February 1, 2013. **Note that you must submit this form even if your child's older sibling(s) are already attending North High School or North Middle School.** Written confirmation approving your request will be sent in writing on or about February 15, 2013. Please contact Dr. Stephen C. Lando at 516-441-4009 if you have any questions.

Very truly yours,



Dr. Thomas P. Dolan
Superintendent of Schools

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I request that my child attend the indicated school for the 2013-2014 school year. I understand that any request to return to South High School or South Middle School must follow the process as written in Board of Education Policy 5110, *School Attendance Areas*.

Student Name: _____

Current School: _____

Street Address: _____

Current Grade: _____

School Requested (check one):

_____ North MS

_____ North HS


Parent/Guardian Name (please print)

Parent/Guardian Signature

Return form to Dr. Stephen C. Lando, Phipps Administration Building, 345 Lakeville Road, Great Neck, NY 11020

January 2013

School Telephone Directory is on the Inside Back Cover

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday																																																																																																		
 <p>Tara Strain</p>	<p>Shaded Box Indicates Schools Closed</p>	<p>1</p> <p>New Year's Day</p>	2	<p>3</p> <p>NYSSMA All-County Music Festival Gr 5 (thru 1/8)</p> <p>Joint Elementary PTA Mtg at PARK – 7 pm</p> <p>NH Junior College Planning 7 pm</p>	4	5																																																																																																		
6	<p>7</p> <p>Adult Program Winter Semester Begins</p> <p>SH SDMC Mtg – 2:45 pm</p> <p>UPTC Mtg at NM – 7:30 pm</p> <p>Epiphany</p>	<p>8</p> <p>SH PTSA Mtg – 7:30 pm</p>	<p>9</p> <p>LAK Photo Makeup Day</p> <p>NM PTSA Mtg – 7:30 pm</p>	<p>10</p> <p>Board of Education Dinner with Asst Principals at Phipps 6 pm</p> <p>SEPTA College & Post-Secondary Options Night at NH – 7 pm</p>	<p>11</p> <p>EMB Staff Recog Breakfast</p>	<p>12</p> <p>DECA Regionals (tentative)</p> <p>Super Saturday Rec Program for Gr K-2 Begins at EMB & PARK – 9:15 am</p> <p>Super Saturday Rec Swim for Gr 3-5 Begins at SM Pool 9:30 am</p> <p>SH Fashion Show – 8 pm</p>																																																																																																		
<p>13</p> <p>SH Fashion Show (snow date) 2 pm</p>	<p>14</p> <p>LAK Gr 5 Principal's Tea & Talk 10:30 am</p> <p>VS PTA Mtg – 7 pm</p> <p>UPTC Presidents Council Mtg at Phipps – 8 pm</p>	<p>15</p> <p>NYSSMA All-County Music Festival Gr 6-12 (thru 1/20)</p> <p>LAK SDMC Mtg – 3:45 pm</p> <p>NH Incoming Gr 9 Mtg – 7 pm</p> <p>PTSA Curriculum Mtg 7:30 pm</p>	<p>16</p> <p>PARK Picture Retakes</p> <p>NH SDMC Mtg – 2:45 pm</p> <p>EMB Gr K-1 Family Math Night 7 pm</p> <p>SH Gr 11 Students-Parents College Night – 7:30 pm</p>	<p>17</p> <p>Board of Education Dinner with Administrators at Phipps 6 pm</p> <p>SM Gr 7-8 Parent Guidance Mtg – 7 pm</p> <p>PTA Mtg – 8 pm</p>	<p>18</p> <p>SH MLK Jr Assembly Improv – 7:30 pm</p>	<p>19</p>																																																																																																		
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<p>27</p>	<p>28</p> <p>Third Quarter Marking Period Begins</p> <p>Board of Education Budget Meeting with GNTA/SAGES/UPTC – 7:30 pm</p> <p>Meeting* at NH – 8:30 pm</p>	<p>29</p> <p>SEPTA Breakfast Mtg at NM 10 am</p>	<p>30</p> <p>EMB PTO Mtg on NYS Assessment Tests – 7:30 pm</p> <p>SR Gr 4-5 Family Game Night 7 pm</p>	<p>31</p> <p>NH College Panel – 7 pm</p> <p>SH Gr 9 Incoming Parent Orientation – 7:30 pm</p>	<p>DECEMBER 2012</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>S</td><td>M</td><td>T</td><td>W</td><td>T</td><td>F</td><td>S</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td><td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td></tr> <tr><td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td></tr> <tr><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td></tr> <tr><td>30</td><td>31</td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> </table>	S	M	T	W	T	F	S							1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31						<p>FEBRUARY 2013</p> <table border="1"> <tr><td>S</td><td>M</td><td>T</td><td>W</td><td>T</td><td>F</td><td>S</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td>1</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>3</td><td>4</td><td>5</td><td>6</td><td>7</td><td>8</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>10</td><td>11</td><td>12</td><td>13</td><td>14</td><td>15</td></tr> <tr><td>16</td><td>17</td><td>18</td><td>19</td><td>20</td><td>21</td><td>22</td></tr> <tr><td>23</td><td>24</td><td>25</td><td>26</td><td>27</td><td>28</td><td>29</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td><td></td></tr> </table>	S	M	T	W	T	F	S							1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29							
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*Additional Board of Education Meetings to be announced.

All events are subject to change.