



Trip to Kevin Can Wait

By Andrew Rodriguez

Kevin can Wait is a television sitcom that airs on CBS Monday nights at 8pm. I got the opportunity to visit the set in Bethpage, Long Island. Jayson and I were on a tour of the set given by Skylar, Kevin James assistant. We got to see a segment of an actual episode. It was so funny that Jayson snorted and water came out of his nose. They told us to be quiet as they were shooting. But, we were allowed to

laugh. We also met the director of the show. We met Leah Remini and Kevin James. Turns out Kevin and I have one thing in common which is that we both like the New York Jets. When we took pictures and videos of the set we were told not to post them on social media until the episode was aired. I had a great time seeing the set and I can't wait until the episode airs.



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NO MORE MELO BY ANDREW RODRIGUEZ

On Saturday, September 23, 2017 the star small forward of the New York Knicks Carmelo Anthony, was traded to the Oklahoma City Thunder. Carmelo was traded for Enes Kanter, Doug McDermott and a 2018 second round draft pick of the Chicago Bulls. My opinion is that it was a bad trade because Kanter wasn't doing too much for OKC. The Knicks have Joakim Noah and Kristaps Porzingis. They don't need another big guy. In the 2017 regular season the Knicks will play against the Oklahoma City Thunder and that would be very awkward for Melo playing against his former team. Now the Knicks have three centers, Enes Kanter, Joakim Noah and Willy Hernagomez. They also have seven small forwards. That is way too many! I feel like the Knicks will try to do better this year than last year. Now that Melo is in OKC he has Russell Westbrook and Paul George at his side. So, now there will be a better chance for Melo to win his first ring.



It was a good game. Once again Viscardi takes the victory!



Destiny 2 is a first person shooter available on XBOX, PS4, and PC. It came out



early September 2017. I pre-ordered it for the PS4. It came with exclusive content like a background for the main screen of the console. It has been in my console ever since. This sequel has superior graphics, improved armory, enhanced worlds and better loot than the first *Destiny* game. I play mostly online in an open world and I am almost finished with the story mode. -*Shums Arain*

Poetry by Kamya Rose

I remember the smile on my daddy's face. Then one day he left without saying goodbye. God only knew why! I miss you more than I thought I would and I cried much MORE than I thought could. I thought time heals all? Well I guess not for all but I love you so I pray. Sometimes I knew you were there. It was rare! You're still not here. Years go by and you remain the same. Yet I am not, I changed . However, in my heart you hold a piece that I will not exchange . I love you Daddy...



The James and Wade Mashup Once Again By the Ghost Girl

So we all know the basketball legends such as Steven Ash, Jerry West and of course Michael B. Jordan. But, LeBron James and Dwyane Wade are something else. Dwyane and LeBron are the best team to crush The Warriors' fan favorites Kevin Durant and Stefan Curry. LeBron as the power forward & the small forward and Dwyane as the shoot guard, they're the perfect duo to shake things up. Between these two they have 44.7 points this previous season. This'll be a show that you don't want to miss. After LeBron left the Heat in 2014 to join the Cavaliers. Wade with Chris Bush still stayed on the Heat until now. In my opinion, I feel kind of sorry for Bush now. But, business is business. The official NBA website uploaded Dwyane's tweet saying, "There's no better place to be right now to continue to play and compete at the highest level". So the Cavaliers' coach Tyronn Lue has to adjust the team with the right game plan. This will be an entertaining season.



Alexa's New Cupcake Business

By Alexa Rodriguez

I was going to start a makeup business but it was too complicated. I am really fascinated by desserts and so is my sister Arianna. Arianna says "I like adding ingredients, mixing, decorating and eating!" These are all things I cannot do. I just got my first customer and it



was my nurse. Some people think because I have a disability or something the matter with me, I can't do anything. I started a cupcake business called Alexa and Arianna Cupcakes when my first customer asked me to make 80 cupcakes. I told her I would do it for \$1 for each cupcake. I just did my first interview with bakery owner Bridget Brennan. She owns two bakeries that specialize in gluten free, nut free and dairy free baked goods. She is also a mom.

She pays her assistants \$12 to \$14 an hour if they went to culinary school. She said she might start cooking classes again for juniors ages 8 and up. I will be her first student! Bridget's favorite recipe is vanilla cake batter. Bridget sells her mini cupcakes for \$1.60 and her regular cupcakes for \$3.75 each. My nurse showed Bridget my watermelon cupcakes and she told me, "I really like your watermelon cupcakes."

Georgetown Cupcakes is a cupcake business and also a TV show called *DC Cupcakes*. I looked on their website and saw all different flavors and decorations for holidays, seasons and months. The prices were a little less because they are not gluten free, dairy free and nut free.

Michelle Nembhard owns Michy's Delectable D'lights. She's a mom who has a kid with cerebral palsy. She wants to put her daughter in Henry Viscardi. Her daughter's name is Nialani Rolon and she is 8 years old.

Michelle is opening a store to sell her delicious cupcakes and other desserts. She is going to hire people with special needs. They have to be at least 16 years old and she is going to pay them \$10.50 an hour. She is looking for a place in Lynbrook or Rockville Centre. She has interesting flavors of cupcakes such as piña colada, cotton candy, bubble gum and watermelon. For the cotton candy cupcakes, she puts cotton candy on the top for decoration. Michelle said that she charges her customers \$42 per dozen for the specialty cupcakes. She charges \$12 per dozen for the mini cupcakes and \$24 per dozen for the regular cupcakes.



Squirrels

By Rayhana Elharji

You might see them around wondering why they are so energetic, and also how are they helpful and resourceful for the environment? Well, the animal I am talking about is the mighty squirrel that runs around in the middle of Central Park searching for nuts. Squirrels bury their nuts in the ground, a behavior called caching. They dig up and eat most of the food they bury, but some of it is forgotten. The nuts and seeds that are not recovered sprout in the spring and grow into plants and trees, thus assisting with forest renewal.



LADY GAGA CONCERT REVIEW

BY JESSICA DALONZO

This summer I did many fun things, the one thing that stands out is I attended the Lady GaGa concert. You are probably thinking that's the singer that wore meat to an awards show, she is not the same person from back then. She has grown as a person and has become a very caring and humble woman. Her new album *Joanne* was dedicated to her aunt who passed away when she was only 19 years old. This experience was a very traumatic one for her family. Lady GaGa never met her but was still affected by her death because of the impact it had on her family. They gave her the middle name Joanne in remembrance of her aunt. This in fact put a lot of pressure on Lady GaGa. She felt she had to be as good as her aunt and she didn't believe she could live up to her standards. This caused many emotions leading to her spiraling into drugs and partying. This inevitably caused her to go into a depression and act out as we have all seen in her earlier years. This concert changed my view and opinion of her. She humbled herself and told her story explaining all of the past events and the reason for her bad actions. Lady GaGa is also a big supporter of the LGBT community and is very involved in the Born this Way Foundation which empowers youth and inspires bravery.

Halloween Costume Contest

By Nidhi Majumder

The high school student council once again hosted a ghostly gala. At the event, there is a student only costume contest that the executive committee judges. There is 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. The awards are given to the most elaborate costumes. 1st place was awarded to Claire Becker, 2nd place was given to Andrew Rodríguez and Glorianna Jackson came in 3rd. Congratulations to all the winners!



The First Grade Welcomes Community Helpers

Written by Miss Kim's 1st Grade Class

On Friday, October 13th, Miss Kim and Miss Alice's classes were honored with a visit from LT. Nicole of the NYPD and Firefighter Wayne from East Northport Volunteer Fire Department. After learning all about community helpers in social studies, these two community service providers came to Miss Kim's class to talk about what it is like to be a police officer and a firefighter. They also answered all of our questions about what it is like to perform these important jobs.





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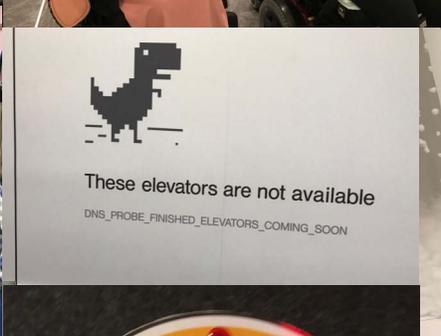
Sports



Entertainment



Eat & Drink



Cougars Win at Pep Rally

By Raul Lopez

On Friday, December 8th, The HVS Cougars defeated The First National Bank of Long Island (FNBLI) at the annual winter pep rally. The Final Score was 55-34. Thank you to all the students who came out to cheer our team on.



The Cougar Chronicle Corner

There are currently positions available for the school paper including editor, publisher, photography, graphics, and writer positions. If interested see Mr. Chris OT or Mr. Haviken.

