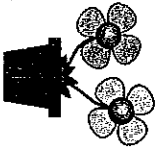
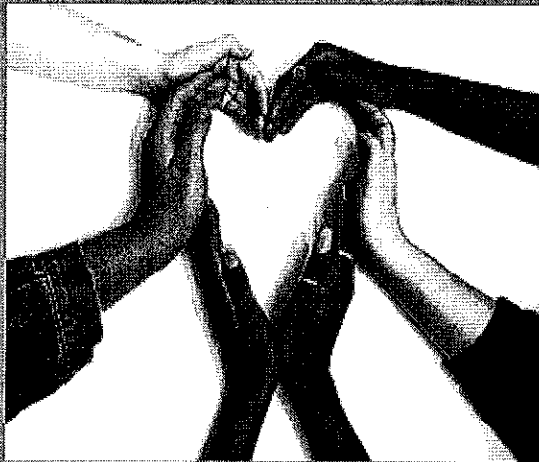


MAY 2017 - WATSESSING SCHOOL

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
PARCC Testing through May 19	1 Home & School Mtg 7PM	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9 BOE Mtg 7:30PM	10	11 Art Show @ BMS Grades 1,2 & 3 6:30PM	12 H&S Plant Sale	13
14 	15	16 Art Show @ BMS Grades 4,5 & 6 6:30PM	17 DARE Picnic 6th grades	18 Kindergarten Orientation 1:30PM	19 H&S Plant Sale	20
21	22 Track & Field	23 H & S Planetarium Assembly BOE Mtg 7:30PM	24	25	26	27
28	29 School Closed Memorial Day	30	31 NIASK Science 4th Grade			

TRANSGENDER SYMPOSIUM



Wednesday, May 3, 2017
6:30 PM BHS Media Center

Moderator: Nicholas J. Dotoli, Ed.M., Esq.,
Director of Administration & General Counsel
Presenters: Kathryn Flynn, Parent Advocate
Robyn B. Gigl, Esq., Partner, Glück
Walrath, LLP
Aaron Potenza, Director of Programs,
Garden State Equality
Marc M. Mucciollo, Esq.,
Counsel at Methfessel & Werbel

Biographies:

Kathryn Flynn

Kathryn has been an educator for 20 years. She is currently an Inclusion Resource Teacher at Oak View Elementary School in Bloomfield. Mrs. Flynn is the proud parent of 3 children, ages 22, 19, & 17. She is a member of the Essex County Education Association LGBTQ+ committee & is a parent advocate for transgender rights.

Robyn B. Gigl

Robyn is a partner with Glück Walrath, LLP in Trenton, New Jersey.

Robyn is a Past Chair of the LGBT Rights Section of the New Jersey State Bar Association.

She is the Co-author of the Chapter "Title VII of the Civil Rights Act of 1964" published in *Gender Identity and Sexual Orientation in the Workplace (BNA - 2014)*, and articles that have appeared in the *New Jersey Lawyer Magazine*, the *Diversity Committee's Newsletter* and the *LGBT Rights Section's Newsletter*.

Robyn is a frequent speaker on LGBT issues and is AVO rated by Martindale-Hubbell and has been selected since 2010 as a New Jersey Super Lawyer. Robyn is a graduate of Stonehill College, and Villanova University School of Law where she was a Member of the Villanova Law Review. She is admitted to practice before the state and federal courts of New Jersey and the Third Circuit Court of Appeals.

Aaron Potenza

Aaron is Director of Programs at Garden State Equality, New Jersey's largest LGBT organization. He is an educator and historian by training, and has taught courses on the histories of race and ethnicity, sexuality, gender, and gender identity at Yale University and Trinity College Hartford. At Garden State Equality, he manages programs on LGBT health and wellness, transgender legal issues, and LGBT youth and safe schools, providing policy consultation and training to schools and medical providers and doing advocacy work on behalf of LGBT New Jerseyans. He identifies as a transgender gay man, and uses male pronouns.

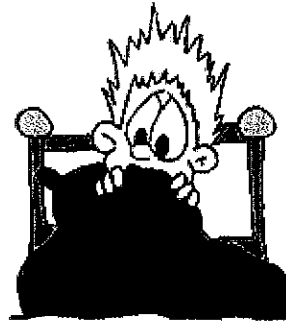
Marc Mucciollo, Esq.

Marc has served in private practice since 2007. Marc's practice focuses primarily on special education law and insurance coverage litigation, as well as general education law and employment law.

Marc is well-versed in all areas of special education law, including Section 504, civil rights issues and transgender concerns. Marc holds a J.D. from Seton Hall Law, a B.A. from Saint Joseph's and is admitted to the NJ Bar.

Nicholas J. Dotoli, Ed.M., Esq.

Nicholas serves as Director of Administration & General Counsel in Bloomfield. Previously, Mr. Dotoli served as Bloomfield's Interim Superintendent of Schools. A ten year veteran of the NJ Department of Education, Mr. Dotoli brings his perspective as a teacher, school law attorney and central office director. Nicholas obtained his undergraduate degree from Wesleyan, his Ed.M. from Harvard and J.D. from Rutgers Law School. He is licensed to practice law in NJ and NY, and holds a NJ School Administrator Certification.



Stress - Fear - Anxiety - School Avoidance - Depression

“I Don’t Want To Go To School”

If any of these words have become part of your vocabulary please join
Dr. Ellen Platt for some help!

Wednesday May 17th 7-9 PM

PreK/Elementary

Early Childhood Center @ Forest Glen

SEPAC Meeting

Dr. Ellen Platt will be joining us to talk about these concerns for your preschooler and elementary students. Bring your concerns, bring your questions and let’s talk! The agenda isn’t preplanned but will take the course the parents need!

Dr. Ellen M. Platt is a Child, Adolescent, and Adult Psychiatrist practicing in Cedar Grove, NJ. Dr. Platt consults with many school districts in addition to her private practice. She also provides workshops focusing on Child and Adolescent problems from a clinical perspective as they relate to everyday life stresses.



Save the Date

BMS PARENT ACADEMY

Parents as Partners

WHEN

June 1st, 2017

6:00pm

WHERE

BMS

60 Huck Rd. Bloomfield

WHO

Incoming 6th and 7th grade families

TOPICS FEATURING • Chromebook Info • Balanced Literacy • Social Media Safety • Connected Math • BMS Guidance • Google Classroom • PowerSchool Social/Emotional Well-being

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**CHILDREN ARE
WELCOME**

VIP ACCESS

**Attendance allows
express line access at
the Chromebook
distribution in August.**

ADVANCE REGISTRATION

**Course registration will
be available online and
by phone. Details
coming soon.**

EXTRAS

BMS Art Show

Onsite babysitting

Giveaways

Refreshments

Info: Title I Family/

Community

Involvement



Reserva La Fecha



BMS ACADEMIA DE PADRES

Padres como socios

¿CUÁNDO?

1 de junio del 2017

6:00pm

¿DÓNDE?

BMS

60 Huck Rd. Bloomfield

¿Para Quién?

Las familias de 6 y 7 grado

**TEMAS • Chromebook información •
Clase de literatura • Social Media
seguridad de conecciones de la red •
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**LOS NIÑOS
SON
BIENVENIDOS**

**Prioridad de
Acceso**

**Su asistencia a este
evento le permitira tener
prioridad de acceso a las
computadores en agosto.**

REGISTRARSE EN

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ESTARÁ DISPONIBLE EN IN-
TERNET Y POR TELÉFONO. SE
ENVIARAN MAS DETALLES.**

EXTRAS

Muestras de arte

Guardería

Premios

Refrescos

**Info: Título I familia/
de la participación
comunidad**

