

# SAYVILLE SEPTA NEWS LETTER

Special Education Parent Teacher Association

February 2016

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	Brave the cold and come join us on	
	<b>February 9, 2016 at 7:30pm</b>	
	<b>High School Student Lounge</b>	
	Diane MacDonald will present a workshop on...	
	<b>"Stress in our Children and</b>	
	<b>How to De-Stress through</b>	
	<b>Sensory YogaPlay"</b>	
<input type="radio"/>	Sensory YogaPlay is an interactive, effective therapeutic practice for children with special needs.	
	Come hear what it is and how it can help to better manage stress, behavior and emotions and help prepare children for learning new tasks and help at home and in the classroom.	
	More info on Diane MacDonald can be found at <a href="http://www.awomanalive.com">www.awomanalive.com</a>	
<input type="radio"/>	Any questions/comments send along to Sayville SEPTA@gmail.com	

## SEPTA KUDOS AWARD

Congratulations to our nominee!

*Joanne Korb*

Keep the kudos coming and nominate someone in our school community for positively influencing our students. Please send an email with your nomination to Erin Hynes at [septakudos1@gmail.com](mailto:septakudos1@gmail.com). Be sure to include the person's name, school, and a few sentences explaining why you are nominating this individual.

**Please nominate today!**

## Kudos 4 Kids

For the past year we have been shining a spotlight on Sayville staff members who impact our students with special needs in the most positive way. We would like to recognize STUDENTS who encourage and support our children with special needs. We are asking for families and staff members to send us your nominations to [sayvillekudos1@gmail.com](mailto:sayvillekudos1@gmail.com).

Please include the student's name, school and a short paragraph as to why you are nominating this student.



***Extra, Extra, Read All About It!***

**Did You Know...**February 15th is the first ever International Angelman Day. Angelman syndrome is a rare neuro-genetic disorder exhibiting lack of speech, seizures, and developmental delays. AS is often misdiagnosed as Autism or Cerebral Palsy due to lack of awareness. Learn more at [angelman.org](http://angelman.org)

**SEPTA Member Scholarships...** SEPTA is honored to be able to provide scholarships to graduating seniors with an IEP. You'll find SEPTA's application with the HS applications next month. All applicants must be a SEPTA member. Any questions please email Kim at [sayvillesepta@gmail.org](mailto:sayvillesepta@gmail.org)

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