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Greetings!

February marks Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month and we are excited to share details of our school-wide awareness campaigns with you. Please enjoy reading our February Newsletter, which includes updates on our impactful advocacy efforts, programs and upcoming events. Thank you for making these results possible and for keeping our children safe!

Your Joe Torre Safe At Home Foundation Team

EVENTS

Join Us on April 30th for Our Dinner Event in Los Angeles!



On Thursday, April 30th 2015, Ali and Joe Torre and the Safe At Home Foundation will be hosting an event in Los Angeles at the Hotel Bel-Air. The evening will include a cocktail reception, dinner and silent auction. We are thrilled to share that Kirk Gibson will be joining Joe Torre onstage at the event. Famous for two dramatic World Series home runs, the first in 1984 with the Detroit Tigers and the second in 1988 with the Los Angeles Dodgers, he will be a special part of the evening. Additional panelists will be announced shortly.

All proceeds will benefit the Joe Torre Safe At Home Foundation and its goal of expanding its comprehensive, in-school program, Margaret's Place, in Los Angeles and educating youth to end the cycle of domestic violence.

To reserve your ticket, or for sponsorship information, please contact Jocelyn Toner at (310) 570-4523 or email Jocelyn@joetorre.org.

SAVE THE DATES

1st Annual Casino Night

Thursday, April 9, 2015
Trump National Golf Club
Briarcliff Manor, NY
For more information, please
contact Dan Scavino at
scavino@joetorre.org

2015 Los Angeles Dinner

Thursday, April 30, 2015
Hotel Bel-Air
Los Angeles, CA
For more information, please
contact Jocelyn Toner at
jocelyn@joetorre.org

2015 Celebrity Golf & Tennis Classic

Thursday, July 23, 2015
Sleepy Hollow Country Club
Scarborough, NY
For more information, please
contact Jennifer Coppola at
Jennifer@joetorre.org

SAH IN THE NEWS

Joe Torre Featured in Forbes Magazine

In a recent issue of *Forbes*, Joe Torre was featured as part of a series on coaches and retirement. He discusses his past career as a manager and his current work as Chief Baseball Officer of MLB and Chairman of the Safe At Home Foundation.

**Reserve Your Tickets Today for Our 1st Annual
Casino Night on April 9th!**

NYC MARATHON

Calling All Runners...Join Team Safe At Home in the TCS New York City Marathon!

We are excited to share that New York Road Runners has selected the Joe Torre Safe At Home Foundation to participate as a charity partner in the 2015 TCS New York City Marathon on November 1st! We have a limited number of guaranteed spots. Please contact Anna Oliveros at anna@joetorre.org if you are interested in running on Team Safe At Home.



The Joe Torre Safe At Home Foundation is hosting our 1st Annual Casino Night on Thursday, April 9th at Trump National Golf Club in Briarcliff Manor, NY! The evening will begin at 6:00 p.m. with cocktails and passed hors d'oeuvres, followed by a buffet dinner and casino games. All registered guests will receive \$500 in Safe At Home "play money" to use toward casino games to win raffle tickets. Raffle tickets will be drawn at the end of the evening for a chance to win amazing prizes! (Please note that there are no cash prizes. Rules and regulations will be distributed the evening of the event).

STAY CONNECTED



DONATE

All proceeds from this event will be used to sustain and expand our national Margaret's Place programs that provide awareness, education and safe rooms in schools for students affected by abuse, at home or on campus. Together, we can end the cycle of domestic violence and continue to empower, inspire and help keep our youth safe.

To reserve your spot or for additional event information please contact Dan Scavino at 212-880-7360, or email Scavino@joetorre.org.

MARGARET'S PLACE

Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month Recap



Unhealthy Relationship Traits

- disrespect
- violence
- extreme jealousy
- lying
- possessiveness
- controlling
- teasing
- force
- constant arguing
- insults
- inconsistency
- use and abuse
- pressuring
- invasive
- manip
- feeling
- pain
- seer
- propert
- an act
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Healthy Traits of Relationships

- Trust
- Honesty
- Respect
- Love
- Intimacy
- Communication
- "Space"
- Respecting privacy
- Friendship
- Supportive
- Ambition
- Give and Take
- Equality
- Responsibility
- Common Interests and beliefs
- A Family Person
- Loyalty
- Faithful
- Open
- Encouragement
- Goals
- Patience
- Appreciation



February is Teen Dating Violence Awareness Month! Here's a recap of what our Margaret's Place Peer Leaders did through our Love Lifts You Up Campaign. Be sure to also check out our resources for teens and parents below.

- Handed out Valentine's Day lollipops with Love Lifts You Up Tip Cards (See a sample of our tip card below)
- Made school-wide announcements with important statistics and facts about healthy vs. unhealthy relationships
- Displayed posters and fliers (See a sample of one of our posters below)
- Peer Leaders did classroom presentations about healthy vs. unhealthy relationships
- Engaged other students in signing pledges agreeing to engage in healthy relationships
- Hosted lunch time activities for students around the topic of healthy relationships
- Handed out "Healthy Relationships" quizzes to educate their peers about the signs of teen relationship abuse.
- Gave out awareness heart stickers, encouraging students to "wear their hearts on their sleeves" to raise awareness about Teen Dating Violence.

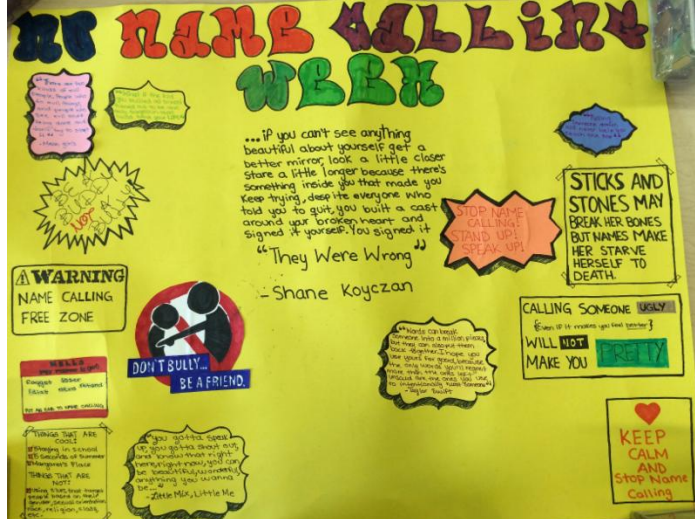
Check out our resources:

[Love Lifts You Up Tip Card](#)

[Love Lifts You Up Poster](#)

[Love Lifts You Up Parent Newsletter](#)

Margaret's Place Promotes No Name-Calling Week



This month our Margaret's Place program in the Bronx promoted No Name-Calling Week at the school. The week was developed in partnership with the school's Safety & Respect Committee. Led by our Margaret's Place Counselor, the Safety & Respect Committee is a group of staff and teachers at the school committed to promoting a safe and respectful culture at the school. No Name-Calling Week raised awareness about bullying and encouraged staff and students to play an active role in creating a safe and respectful school community. As a part of the week, students signed pledges saying that they would not bully and would speak out against and report bullying. Margaret's Place hosted discussions with students on bullying as well as created a "bully-free zone" where students discussed bullying scenarios and how they would handle a situation non-violently. Students learned more about reporting cases of bullying at the school as well as shared concerns and fears about retaliation from a bully. The MP Counselor educated students about ways they can stay safe when reporting bullying. In addition to the great work that MP and the Safety & Respect Committee did with students, they also educated staff to reward students who stand up and speak out against bullying. It is our hope that initiatives such as No Name-Calling Week will inspire our school community to play an active part in ending bullying.

Stand With Me Youth Summit Recap



This February our Los Angeles sites participated in the first annual Stand With Me Youth Summit. Safe At Home partnered with Peace Over Violence, Los Angeles Unified School District, the City Attorney's Office, and other organizations to plan this event. The goal of Stand

With Me was to bring community stakeholders and youth leaders together to collaborate in creating safer and healthier schools, homes, and communities. As a part of the event, Margaret's Place hosted a youth art exhibit showcasing impactful pieces created by MP students. Throughout the day adults and youth dropped into the art exhibit adding to the artwork and taking pledges to stand together against violence. In addition, MP Peer Leaders presented on a school safety project and an MP alumna spoke on a healthy relationships panel. She shared how she has been able to break the cycle of violence in her own life with the help of Margaret's Place, saying that MP is a "safe home away from home" for youth impacted by violence. At the end of the day, an adult participant commented that her words of resilience were inspiring and the most powerful of the day. We are thrilled that our youth had the empowering opportunity to share the room and stage with community stakeholders like the Mayor's wife, the head of school police, the chief of the LAPD, the LAUSD superintendent, and others. Our Peer Leaders and alumni truly showed their ability to stand up and speak out at this event. We are so proud of them!

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