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Inside Caedmon
for the week of
March 8 – 12, 2010

**Diversity
Empathy**

**Community
Community Service**

Telling Our Stories

Author: Lucille Clifton
(Compliments of Dr. Blackburn)

The fox came every evening to my door
asking for nothing. my fear
trapped me inside, hoping to dismiss her
but she sat till morning, waiting.

at dawn we would, each of us,
rise from our haunches, look through the glass
then walk away.

did she gather her village around her
and sing of the hairless moon face,
the trembling snout, the ignorant eyes?

child, i tell you now it was not
the animal blood i was hiding from,
it was the poet in her, the poet and
the terrible stories she could tell.

Dear Caedmon Family,

What a wonderful time we all had at this week's Spring Fund Raiser! The community spirit was a very heartfelt experience for all of us who attended. A huge THANK YOU goes out to all of our families who worked endless hours to make this evening so comfortable and happy. During these economic times, this experience certainly exemplified our Caedmon respect and grace for others and the overriding support of our mission. The faculty/staff are very appreciative of all the support they received that evening as well. At the end of the day, we at Caedmon hold our mission and our children first.

Also, please note the flyer attached at the bottom of this newsletter regarding **DOGS** and the **79th St. Neighborhood Association**. Pass it around the neighborhood. Thank you...

Dr. Blackburn



SCHEDULE REMINDER...

Spring Break
Saturday, March 20
through
Monday, April 5

School resumes on: Tuesday, April 6

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Calendar for the Week

Saturday, March 6

John Johns in Concert

- 7:30p
- Caedmon Hall

Monday, March 8

No School Event

Tuesday, March 9

Middle & Upper Level Sports Night

- 6:00-7:30p
- Gym

Wednesday, March 10

Afterschool Open House

- 6:00 – 7:30p
- Lunchroom

Thursday, March 11

Adult Yoga

- 8:30a
- Gym

Friday, March 12

Child Chat!

- 8:30-10:00
- Ask where

CFA/Community...

Weekly Thank You Notes SPRING FUNDRAISER

Here is the beginning of our thank you list for last night's wonderful event. There are so many to thank, and we will continue doing so in the weeks ahead. **We will be reporting on the results next week...**

A HUGE thank you to the **Caedmon Family Association** and **ALL the parent volunteers** who made the Spring Fundraiser such a big success. And thank you to the entire Caedmon Community for coming out and supporting our school! A great time was had by everyone last night! ...more details to follow in the coming weeks!

We are most grateful to Caedmon Parent, **Tom Denzler**, for orchestrating and securing the auctioneer, **Geraldine Nager** from Sotheby's. She and Tom did a wonderful job last night and kept the evening fun and prosperous!

Thanks to our alum volunteers who spent the night back at Caedmon, so that all of our parent volunteers could enjoy their own party. They were: **Taylor Albertson, Richie Carbone, Graham Derfner, Matthew Derfner, Sabrina Kleckner, Madison Kahn, Jason Kahn, and Jay Rodriguez**. It was great seeing you all.

A special thank you also to all the administrative staff members who stepped up to help run the event **Cindy Rodriguez, Miguel Gomez Marshall** and **Erica Papir** (and her husband, **Ryan**).

...and finally, thank you to our Plant Supervisor, **Luis Morillo**, and his team, **Miguel Gomez** and **Melvin Morillo**, for their help in setting up and CLEANING UP the affair. Their willingness to lend a helping hand over the last few weeks was greatly appreciated!

Volunteers still needed! The Fundraiser is over, but WE STILL NEED YOUR HELP!

There are a number of little jobs that we need volunteers to help with as we close down this year's SUPER SUCCESSFUL SPRING FUNDRAISER. If you are able to give an hour of your time this TUESDAY, MARCH 9th, immediately after drop-off in the church basement, we need help counting Caedmon Money and organizing the boxes and materials for next year!

Help continue to show your Caedmon Spirit by volunteering!

Now don't forget Haiti

We are extending The Haiti painting raffle until right before spring break. You may put cash or check in the box even if you wish to remain anonymous, and do not wish to compete for the painting prize.





Community...

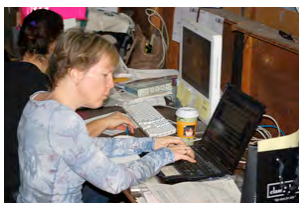
Haiti Update

Attached with this newsletter, please find the full **OCHA Situation Report No. 26** on the Haiti earthquake, dated 4 March 2010...
...thank you, Rosa Malango.



HIGHLIGHTS/KEY PRIORITIES

- The Government and humanitarian actors are coordinating to determine the scale of humanitarian needs in Nippes and Sud departments following floods on 27 February. President René Préval flew to the affected areas on 4 March in order to survey the damages.
- Priority needs following the earthquake of 12 January continue to be emergency shelter, site management, sanitation and food.
- WFP and its partners will start its surge operation of general food distributions on 5 March. The operation will target 1.9 million beneficiaries with a two-week ration of rice and a one month ration of beans, corn-soy-blend, oil and salt.
- Protection monitoring teams are visiting an average of eight displacement sites per day;
- Around 300 experts from Haiti and abroad have been working in Port-au-Prince on the Post Disaster Needs Assessment and Recovery Framework (PDNA).
- The Clinton Foundation has donated, through the logistics cluster, 40 International (Penske) trucks of 10-15 metric tons capacity for inter-agency use. Another 140 smaller 1.5 -2.5 metric tons vehicles were also donated and will be registered and insured by WFP for use by organizations with mid- to long-term projects in Haiti, as well as by government partners.



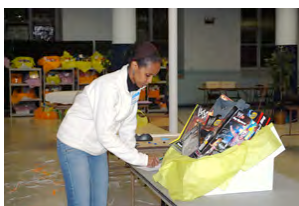
Field Trips in Store

Lo/Rama and Mastrangelo/Jorgensen Circle in the Square

- Fri, March 12
- Afternoon

Kindergarten Bronx Zoo

- Fri, March 19
- Morning



Coming Events

First Reconciliation for 2nd Grade Religion Students
Tuesday, March 16

Montessori Wednesday for EP and Beg Families
Wednesday, March 17
8:45 am
(CHANGE)

FACES Workshop "Digital Immigrants"
Thursday, March 18

Afterschool Winter Trimester Ends
Friday, March 19



Community Event...

The Caedmon Music School Invites You To Enjoy

John Johns

Classical Guitarist, in recital

This Saturday, March 6th
7:30 pm, at Caedmon Hall

Admission is \$15 for adults
Children under 15 years free, with an adult.



Curriculum – SAVE THE DATE! ...

Middle Level and Upper Level Sports Night!

Tuesday, March 9th
6:00 - 7:30pm in the Gym

This year's theme is: "College Games"
...contests related to basketball, track & field, football, golf, and more.

Curriculum...

The Afterschool Winter Trimester Ends Friday, March 19

The new trimester begins on **Tuesday, April 6th**.

School Closed / Spring Break

Monday, March 22 –
Monday, April 5

No-Frills Vacation Camp

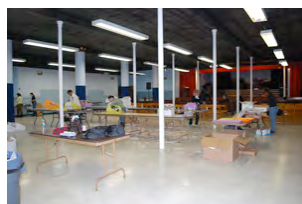
March 22 – 26 and
March 29 – April 2

CFA Teacher Appreciation Luncheon

Monday, April 5

School Re-Opens

Tuesday, April 6



Afterschool Spring Trimester Begins

Tuesday, April 6

Upper Level Bake Sale

Thursday, April 15 &
Friday, April 16

Open Classes for EP and Beg Music

April 19-23

Panel Discussion for Grade 3-4 Families

Wednesday, April 21



Elementary Classroom Observations End

Friday, April 23

Testing for ML and UL

April 26-27

FACES Workshop - TBA

Tuesday, April 27

Caedmon Chorus Performs for Families

Thursday, April 29

CFA Men's Night Out

Thursday, April 29

Early Program Grandparent & Special Friend Day

Friday, April 30

Curriculum...

The Spring Open House Wednesday, March 10th, 6:00 - 7:30 pm

Another Chance to Win A Free Class!

If you didn't win the free Afterschool Class at last night's Fundraiser, don't fret. You have another chance!

Fill out a raffle ticket in the front lobby and attend the Open House on Wednesday for another chance to win. You must be present at the Open House to win. The drawing will be held at 6:45pm.

Spring Trimester Schedule

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Block 1 3:40-4:40	Block 1 3:40-4:40	Block 1 3:40-4:40	Block 1 3:40-4:40	Block 1 3:40-4:40
Gymnastics K - ML	Skate-boarding* K - UL	In-line Skating* K - UL	Arts & Crafts EP - ML	Movie Making 2nd - UL
All About Dogs K - UL	Punk Rope K - ML	Book Club EP, K	Sticks & Stones 2nd - UL	Sports Medley EP, K
Hip Hoppers EP, K	Take A Bow EP - LL	Chess Masters LL - UL	Learners Chess K, LL	Ballet Dancing EP - ML
Music Together EP, K	Tae Kwan Do K - UL	Little Slugger EP, K	Girls Sports K - ML	Swimming# 2nd - UL
Legos Robotics 2nd - UL	Hoppin' Hebrew EP - LL	Aviation Club K, LL	The Little Artist EP, K	
Block 2 4:40-5:40	Block 2 4:40-5:40	Block 2 4:40-5:40	Block 2 4:40-5:40	* 90-min class ends at 5:10
Hockey/Golf LL - UL	Fun with French K - UL	Indoor Baseball LL - UL	Shooting Hoops 2nd - UL	
Hip Hop Dancers K - UL	Advanced Karate K - UL	Advanced Aviators ML, UL	Knitting LL - UL	# pick up is back at Caedmon at 5:30
Advanced Magic 2nd - UL	Live Fencing 2nd - UL			

Curriculum...

Early Program Field Trip Circle in the Square Children's Theater Program



On Friday, March 12th, Ms. Lo/Ms. Rama's class and Ms. Mastrangelo/Ms. Jorgensen's class will see "**Aesop's Fables**". This is a performance of the classics: "The Boy Who Cried Wolf", "The Lion and the Mouse", and the "Tortoise and the Hare."

Curriculum...

Religious Education Program First Reconciliation

Tuesday, March 16 @ 10:00am at St. Monica's Church

Families are encouraged to attend the service, which will include communal prayer, in addition to individual confession and absolution for the children.



Community...

Register now for the No Frills Vacation Camp

March 22 – 26 and March 29 - April 2

\$50 per Half-Day (8:30-12:00)

\$100 per Full Day (8:30 - 3:30)

Morning and Afternoon Snack will be Provided
Full-Day Campers must BRING THEIR OWN LUNCH!

Contact **Andrew Kagan** at: kagan@caedmonschool.org,
212-879-2296 ext. 316, or by leaving a note with Mrs. Virella.



Curriculum...

Spring Squash for Middle and Upper Level!

Middle and Upper Level students may now sign up for the **Friday afternoon Squash classes at the New York Sports Club** (86th Street and Lexington Avenue).



The First class is April 9th. The class will take place at the end of the school day - **not after school**. Students enrolled in the class will depart Caedmon at 2:15pm and return prior to dismissal at 3:30.

Cost for 8 classes is \$400. This includes professional instruction, supervision, 45 minutes of court time, and transportation.

10 students is the maximum enrollment, so register soon. Email Andrew Kagan at kagan@caedmonschool.org to register your child.

Andrew Kagan, Director of Afterschool/Music Together

MONTESSORI QUOTE OF THE WEEK...



"The child can develop fully by means of experience in his environment. We call such experiences 'work'."

Curriculum/Community...

Early Program Grandparents/Special Friends Day Friday, April 30th at 2:15pm (Full-Day only, not including Discovery)

The full-day Early Program children would like to invite their grandparents to visit in their classrooms and watch them go about their work. Children whose grandparents are unavailable are encouraged to invite an aunt and uncle, a caregiver, a neighbor, or any "special friend" who would like to be reminded how gratifying it is to work hard and learn in school (...mom or dad will serve in a pinch).

We would like to have someone special for each child that day, so if you are unable to come up with a special friend, let us know and one of our staff or faculty will jump on the opportunity.

R.S.V.P. To **Kristina Wels** or **Maria Howard** at (212) 879-2296 x313.

Weekly Lunch Menu

Monday

Cheese Tortellini
Peas & Carrots

Tuesday

Ground Turkey Patties
Mashed Potatoes
Roasted Brussels Sprouts

Wednesday

Grilled Chicken
Farfalle Pasta w/ Olive Oil
Vegetable Medley

Thursday

Asian-Style Roast
Pork Tenderloin
White Rice
Edamame

Friday

Macaroni & Cheese
Steamed Broccoli





SCHEDULE CHANGE REMINDER...

Montessori Wednesday for Early Program and Beginner Families

The next Montessori informational event, originally scheduled for the evening of **Monday, March 15th**, is rescheduled for the MORNING of:

Wednesday, March 17 @ 8:45 in the morning



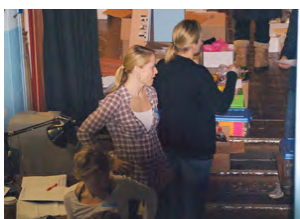
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Diversity...

FACES of Diversity Presents

In the year 2010
...in the month of March
...on the 18th day!

Are you **Digital Immigrants** in a land of **Digital Natives**?
Do you speak Cyber language?

PDS!

BBL **TY** **H&K** **JK**
BBIAF **GTSY** **K**
IDC **NE1** **LHO** **IM**

RSVP to:

Solange Louis: Slouis002@nyc.rr.com
or Moon Kim: msk30026@aol.com

CMI (Child Minding available)

STD! (SAVE THE DATE!)

Community/CFA...

SAVE THE DATE
Men's Night Out!
April 29th @ 6pm

Community...

In Memory of...
Douglas M. Gravel
Former Head of Caedmon School (1974-1977)

Caedmon recently learned of the passing of one of its former Heads of School. Though few in our current community will remember Mr. Gravel, he is a fond fixture in the memories of many alums, families, faculty, and staff. We share the article below supplied by The American Montessori Society, with which Doug worked for many years. At the end of this issue, please enjoy an excerpt from Caedmon's history relating some of Doug Gravel's contributions to the mission and character of our school.

February 26, 2010

Dear Colleagues and Friends,

It is with deep sadness that I send this message to you. Douglas M. Gravel died early yesterday morning, Thursday, February 25, after a long illness.

Doug and his wife, Maria, former director of the Seton Day Care Center in New York City, were important supporters of the American Montessori Society since its creation in 1960. A close friend and colleague of AMS founder Dr. Nancy McCormick Rambusch, Doug was a member of the AMS founding board of directors. He and Maria also worked closely with Nancy in Greenwich, Connecticut, when Whitby School and the first American Montessori teacher education center were established.

Doug was instrumental in establishing the AMS Archives Collection at Teachers College, Columbia University, and in its eventual relocation to The Thomas J. Dodd Research Center at the University of Connecticut. He was a founding member of the AMS Archives Committee, a board member for many years, and a former member of many committees of the Society. The mantle he wore as the American Montessori Society historian will be just one part of his rich legacy.

Doug was a visionary, writer, scholar, and lifetime advocate of children and their needs. His steel-trap mind and wit educated and entertained many, including the students at the Montessori teacher education programs he helped organize and administer, and the staff and students of The Caedmon school in New York City, of which he was headmaster for many years.

Doug's family includes his wife of 54 years, Maria Gravel; daughters Mary and Annie; two grandchildren; and a large extended family.

A Mass to celebrate Doug's life will be held Saturday, March 6, 2 pm, at the [Church of the Ascension](#), 221 West 107 Street (between Amsterdam Avenue and Broadway), New York, NY 10025 (212-222-0666). A reception at the church will follow immediately afterwards.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to [Mount Saviour Monastery](#), 231 Monastery Road, Pine, New York, 14871 (607-734-1688) or the [American Montessori Society](#), 281 Park Avenue South, New York, NY 10010.

We at AMS extend our deepest sympathies and love to Maria and her family. Doug will be missed.



Private Events... NEW!

Saturday Fencing Classes in The Caedmon Gym!

All Necessary Equipment Available at No Charge!

12 Sessions - March 27 - June 12

9:30am to 11:00am - fencing for ages 7-10

11:00am to 12:30pm - fencing for ages 10-14



Class Fees
12 classes \$440
4 classes \$150
1 class \$40



Enroll Today

e-mail: fencingprogram@gmail.com,
or call Reka @ 718.308.1453, or Nitai @ 917.582.9211

Community...

Nurse Notes

Nurse Neis is delighted to introduce this occasional column in Inside Caedmon, with which she will work to provide our community with information on general health awareness. Enjoy...



Winter is still here, in order to keep our children warm and dry in the courtyard, they still need to come to school with proper winter wear. For the little ones an extra change of clothes is a must. If they come in snow or rain boots, please send a pair of sneakers to change into for class.

Make a note: snow can last in our courtyard for up to a week after the city is clear, and the kids love it! Remember also: our kids are very active and have a lot of stairs to climb, please send them in rubber-soled, active wear shoes. Sneakers are our favorite. Please, no Kloggs! Several kids have tripped in them, and have landed in my office.

Be Well and Happy, Nurse Neis

REGISTRATION DEADLINE EXTENDED...

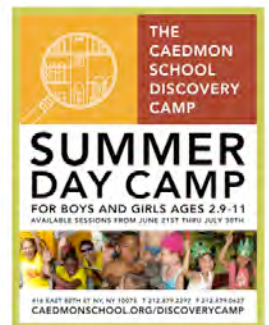
**The Caedmon School Discovery Camp
Registration Deadline has been EXTENDED to**

FRIDAY, APRIL 5TH

After April 5th, families will need to pay an extra \$150 per camper.

**CONTACT: SARAH FRANKLIN
by March 1st 2010!**

**Franklin@caedmonschool.org
212-879-2297**



Copy and paste this link to download forms from the Caedmon website.

<http://www.caedmonschool.org/discoverycamp.htm>

Community...

Ms. Rossano's Maternity Leave

Ms. Rossano, Lower Level Head teacher, plans to remain in the classroom right up until **Tuesday, May 25**, prior to taking her maternity leave. A substitute will work with Ms. McGregor the last week of school.

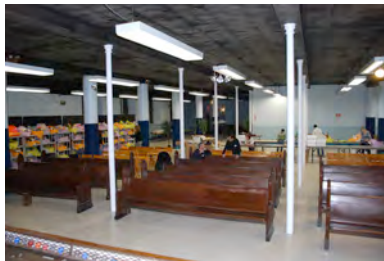


We are pleased to share that Ms. Rossano **WILL** be returning in the fall.

Community...

Photo Gallery SPRING FUNDRAISER PREPARATIONS

Enjoy these pix (...compliments of Reem Shiber) of last night's Fundraiser Extravaganza "in the making." So many cheerful hours of work and dedication to Caedmon went into the event!



THANKS TO ALL WHO HELPED!

An Excerpt from: The Caedmon School: An Anecdotal History and Appreciation

Part Two: Douglas Gravel

With Josephine Hartog's return to retirement, the school was once again in need of leadership. During the few months it took the Board to perform a proper search, Mary Fanning acted as interim Headmistress, having been the Curriculum Coordinator since 1969.

In the autumn of 1974, the Board of Trustees hired Douglas Gravel, a Trustee of The Whitby School in Connecticut. Mr. Gravel's first year as Caedmon's Head of School was quite literally baptized when a urinal on the second floor overflowed and caused a deluge in his office below. For Christmas that year, Sr. Joel, the Principal of St. Monica's, gave him a bucket and umbrella to ward against future calamity.

Sadly, in the spring of 1975, St. Monica's Parochial School closed its doors for good, after teaching Catholic children in the Yorkville and Gracie Mews neighborhood for a hundred and sixteen years. Caedmon, finding itself in the right place at the right time, signed a lease with the parish to occupy the entire building. Though the Board had not abandoned their plans to purchase a building of its own, the geographical future of the school looked more stable than ever.

The Caedmon family now found itself the sole occupant of a wonderful school building, yet with only enough children to fill half-a-dozen classrooms. Now it had all five floors with fifteen gloriously spacious and sunny classrooms at its disposal. Mr. Gravel immediately began transforming Caedmon's new home. In addition to more furniture and equipment, the new classrooms would need a little remodeling as well – a more Montessoriesque motif, perhaps.

Anyone who has ever attended a parochial school will know that the traditional building design can be rather dark and brooding. This was especially so in "the old days". The building that Caedmon had inherited was nearly a hundred years old and, though the old-fashioned spaciousness was welcome, the heaviness of the atmosphere felt distinctly un-Montessori. Mr. Gravel set right to work brightening things up. The walls were all painted a warm and bright off-white, and the doorways, which had been battleship gray, were color-coded in bright primary tones. To furnish the new space, Mr. Gravel supervised the purchase of shelving, tables, desks, and other high quality furniture – much of which still in use today.

Since the hiring of Yvonne Kelly in 1965, student admissions at Caedmon had become primarily the responsibility of the Head of School, with plenty of help from the administrative staff, volunteers, and professional consultants like Dr di Leo. It therefore fell to Mr. Gravel to begin filling up all those empty classrooms with children. As dynamic as he was in overhauling the physical appearance of the school, he immediately began taking in new Caedmon families. Enrollment grew dramatically. Mr. Gravel received some valuable assistance from his wife, Maria Gravel, who was another dynamo in New York education at the time. Through her association with the Sefton Day Care Center in Manhattan, she was able to refer families to Caedmon. Many of the children she helped place at Caedmon were from families of color, thus improving the school's racial diversity while helping to fill its wonderful new classrooms.

Many teachers who were hired during Mr. Gravel's tenure remember him as a mixture of the Wizard of Oz and Captain Kangaroo. He had their looks, their personality, and their wisdom. Norma Nathanson remembers her interview with Mr. Gravel in 1975. "I was late in applying and I needed a place to intern in a hurry, but Mr. Gravel just kept playing," she says. "He liked to play! I would ask, 'Do you have a position for an intern?' and he would ask me questions and we would talk, talk, talk. Then after awhile I would ask again, '...but do you have a space in your program?' and he would play some more and we would talk, talk, talk. I was on my way out the door and I was still asking, 'Do you have a space for an intern in your program?' He just wouldn't give it up, you know? Finally, he said, 'Yeah, yeah, sure... You're hired!' Twenty years later, Ms. Nathanson is still a much-loved Caedmon teacher – the kind that alumni always ask about in their emails.

Doug Gravel's creativity extended beyond building design. Until he arrived, Caedmon had no official school logo. The school stationery was decorated simply with "The Caedmon School" and its address. Mr. Gravel attempted to remedy this by having a logo designed that would bring a little personality to the school's publications. For inspiration, he followed the footsteps of founder Marilou Doyle in her search for a school name. He remembered that St. Caedmon had been a humble cowherd before his divine transformation into the first poet of the English language. With the children's help he came up with a logo that was also a kind of school mascot. It depicted a cow framed by the suggestion of a barn or stable, and sought to somehow embody the school's humble beginnings and its debt to divine inspiration. After a while, the logo became known as "The Caedmon Cow" and was stylized into a more conceptual etching. For a brief while The Caedmon Cow was used to ornament the [Caedmon News](#) newsletter and on some PA sponsored gift items. Today, if one looks through enough of the books in the school library, he may still find a bookplate or two that depict the long lost logo of the Caedmon Cow.

By the time of his departure, Doug Gravel had re-made the old St. Monica building into a space that felt distinctly "Caedmon" and enrollment was up to nearly two hundred children. One of the most valuable contributions that Mr. Gravel was to make to Caedmon came in 1974 when, to assist with the special needs of some of the new students, he began looking for a regular consultant in child psychology. A mutual friend introduced him to Dr. Leo Altschul from the Kingsboro College of City University. A full Professor of Psychology and Director of Mental Health and Human Services, Dr. Altschul also maintained his own private practice as a child psychologist. From the start, Dr. Altschul took to Caedmon and its mission with joy, enthusiasm, and commitment.

So, let the record show that Mr. Gravel brought to Caedmon an immense energy and a touch of eccentricity along with his wisdom and perspective. At a time when the school needed to make dynamic changes to take advantage of ripe opportunities, his dynamic personality galvanized the entire community and attracted energetic and creative people to get the job done.



sanitation

ATTENTION Dog Owners / Walkers

CLEAN UP AFTER YOUR DOG:

State Public Health Law 1310

It is unlawful, inconsiderate, and unhealthy to leave canine waste on the sidewalk, street or other public area. Failing to clean up after your dog is a violation of the New York State Public Health Law and carries a fine. Canine waste should be placed in a non-leaking container and deposited in either a refuse receptacle or litter basket.



LEASH YOUR DOG:

Health Code Section 161.05

A dog is not permitted to be in public place unless the dog is effectively restrained by a leash or chain not more than six (6) feet long. Failure to comply with the law carries a fine.

It's not just a courtesy,
It's the Law!

For more information call 311

www.nyc.gov/sanitation



East 79th Street Neighborhood Association



P.O. BOX 20052 CHEROKEE STATION, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10021-0060

FREE PUBLIC MEETING

**THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2010
6:00 PM**

**CITY UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK
535 EAST 80 ST. (EAST END AVE.)
FIRST FLOOR BOARD ROOM**

AGENDA: Note Earlier Meeting Time

- **19th PRECINCT POLICE REPORT** On Neighborhood Safety,
Including Bike Stats
- **SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER** From Census Bureau
- **PROPOSED BUS CUTS** For Our Area
- **ELECTED OFFICIALS / REPS** Reports and Updates

Meetings are **FREE** and **OPEN** to the Public

All neighborhood residents are invited to attend these monthly, free, informative meetings and hear guest speakers discuss issues that affect us all. Meeting notices are posted one week before the meeting, in banks, store windows and residential buildings from 75th – 84th Streets, East River to Second Avenue; on First, York and East End Avenues; and on 79th Street, East River to Fifth Avenue.

NEXT MEETING: APRIL 8, 2010