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Upcoming Events

The 1965 Immigration Act 50 Years Later

Tuesday, April 21, 2015

Henry Street is co-sponsoring this event at the Lower East Side Tenement Museum

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How To Talk To Children & Teens About Sex

Wednesday, April 22, 2015

The Parent Center

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This Month at the Abrons



The 2015 Dinner Dance: Elegant and Spirited



Filled with energy, rousing spirit and, most importantly, generous individuals whose support makes the Settlement's work possible, the Grand Ballroom at the Plaza Hotel elegantly set the stage for Henry Street's 2015 Dinner Dance on April 14.

Honored at the event were Michael Steinberg, Henry Street Board Vice President; Ennead Architects; and Marissa Sackler, founder of Beespace.

Robert Harrison, Henry Street Board Chairman Emeritus, presented the award to Michael Steinberg, joking that the honoree "tortured" three sets of investment advisors, but his investment acumen ultimately saved the Settlement millions of dollars in the 2008 recession. "We are all very grateful to Michael," he said, adding that everyone is appreciative of Steinberg's two-decade plus philosophy that he will do "whatever is best for Henry Street."

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Henry Street School for International Studies Career Day

They say it takes a village to raise a child — at Henry Street Settlement

**David Neumann/Advanced
Beginner Group / I UNDERSTAND
EVERYTHING BETTER**

April 15–25, 2015

Employing a combination of personal narratives, traditional Japanese theater, and his own poetic approach to performance, Bessie Award-winner David Neumann's newest dance-based work is co-commissioned and presented by The Chocolate Factory.

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**Sibyl Kempson LET US NOW PRAISE
SUSAN SONTAG**

April 28–May 17, 2015

A story of an extended family of sharecroppers who are visited, interviewed, and photographed by two live-in reporters from the "Big City" and also possibly by an ancient Mesopotamian sage. *Let Us Now Praise Susan Sontag* is inspired by the work of James Agee and Walker Evans as well as Sontag's essay 'On Photography,' the journals of Symbolist painter Odilon Redon, The NEW American Machinists' Handbook, the ancient Assyrian mythological seals in the JP Morgan Collection, and a couple of Broadway musicals.

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Studies (HSSIS), recently hosted a Career Day for students in grades 6-12.

Shohreh Tolou, Expanded Horizons College Counselor, organized the event with help from Dream Director of The Future Project Sarah Zapillar, to showcase a wide range of potential career paths. Shohreh went above and beyond to ensure that every student was able to meet with professionals working in their desired field.

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Celebrating Social Workers Across the Lower East Side



For the first time, all of the Lower East Side settlement houses celebrated Social Work Month together at a festive breakfast held at the Educational Alliance's Manny Cantor Center on Friday, March 27. Speakers included Alan van Capelle, President & CEO of

the Educational Alliance, who opened the program, and Henry Street's Chief Program Officer Diane Rubin—a social worker herself for 35 years!—who said to the packed room, "It's important that we celebrate the hard work that we all do!"

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