

SUPERINTENDENT'S BLOG

ROCKAWAY BOROUGH SCHOOLS--SEPTEMBER 10, 2018



THE BOROUGH "TACKLES" BULLYING

Starting this school year the staff at Lincoln Elementary and Thomas Jefferson Schools will be initiating a new program in partnership with the New York Jets and the organization "STOMP Out Bullying". In this program nicknamed "Jets Upstander of the Week", Rockaway Borough will be "tackling" bullying by promoting good character and being an "upstander". An upstander is a person who demonstrates upstanding qualities such as kindness, helpfulness, and respect for others along with standing up against bullying. One student per week will be chosen and in turn receive 3 free tickets to a Jet Game as well as a t-shirt and bumper sticker.

I am very excited to announce that our first "upstander" of the week is Katie Lee, a second grader at Lincoln Elementary, who is known for kindness and willingness to help others. Congratulations to Katie as well as all other students nominated this first week!