



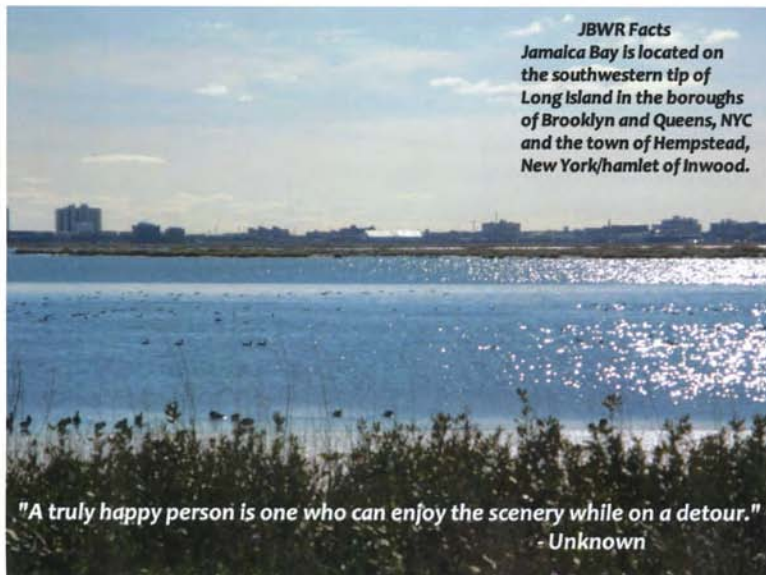
Channel View School for Research

PRESENTS

Jamaica Bay Wildlife Refuge

THE NATURAL WORLD

A direct respectful relationship with the natural world refreshes the human spirit and teaches the important ideas of recurring cycles and cause and effects. Students learn to become stewards of Earth and of future generations.



JBWR Facts
Jamaica Bay is located on the southwestern tip of Long Island in the boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens, NYC and the town of Hempstead, New York/hamlet of Inwood.

*"A truly happy person is one who can enjoy the scenery while on a detour."
 - Unknown*

SUCCESS AND FAILURE

ALL STUDENTS MUST BE ASSURED A GOOD MEASURE OF SUCCESS IN LEARNING, BUT IT IS ALSO IMPORTANT TO EXPERIENCE FAILURE TO PREVAIL AGAINST ADVERSITY AND TO LEARN TO TURN DISABILITIES INTO OPPORTUNITIES.

15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:
COMMUNITY

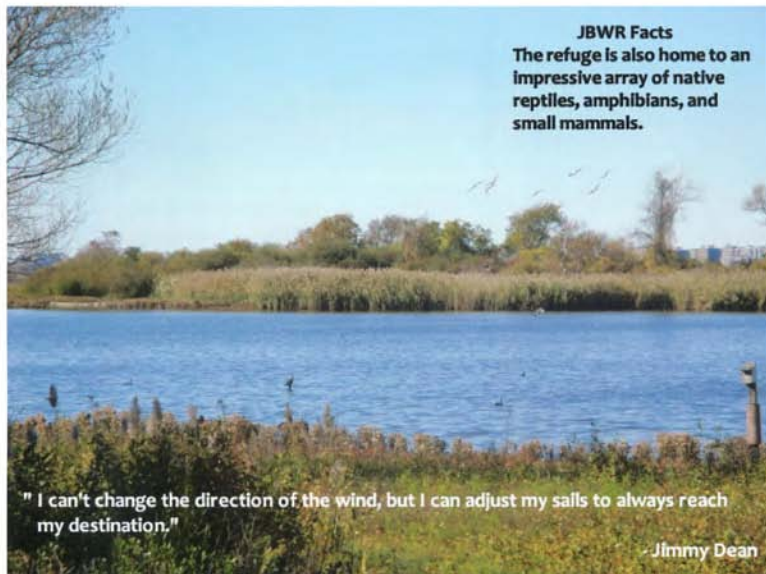


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JBWR Facts
The refuge is also home to an impressive array of native reptiles, amphibians, and small mammals.

"I can't change the direction of the wind, but I can adjust my sails to always reach my destination."

-Jimmy Dean

COLLABORATION AND COMPETITION

TEACHING MUST JOIN INDIVIDUAL AND GROUP DEVELOPMENT SO THAT THE VALUE OF FRIENDSHIP, TRUST AND GROUP ENDEAVOR IS MADE MANIFEST. TEACHERS MUST ENCOURAGE STUDENTS TO COMPETE, NOT AGAINST EACH OTHER, BUT WITH THEIR OWN PERSONAL BEST AND WITH RIGOROUS STANDARDS OF EXCELLENCE.

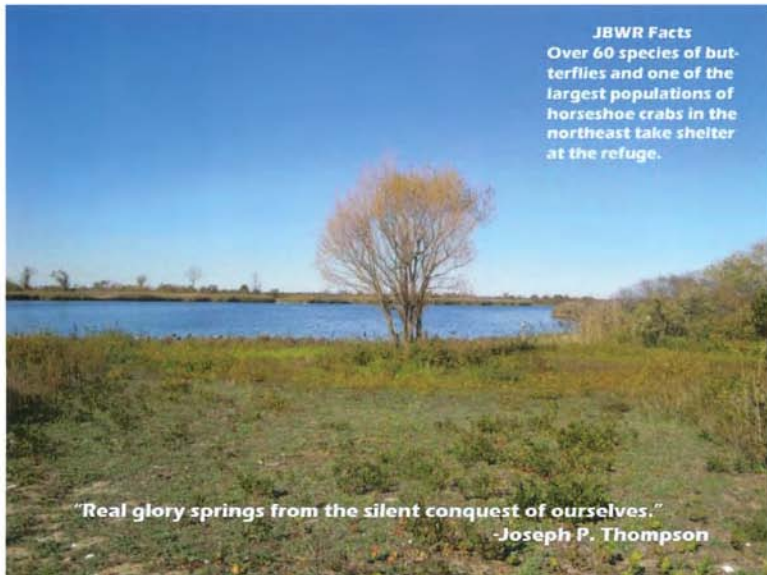
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TOLERANCE



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JBWR Facts
Over 60 species of butterflies and one of the largest populations of horseshoe crabs in the northeast take shelter at the refuge.

"Real glory springs from the silent conquest of ourselves."
-Joseph P. Thompson

DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION

STUDENTS SHOULD INVESTIGATE, VALUE, AND DRAW UPON THEIR DIFFERENT HISTORIES, TALENTS AND RESOURCES TOGETHER WITH THOSE OF OTHER COMMUNITIES AND CULTURES. LEARNING GROUPS SHOULD BE HETEROGENEOUS.

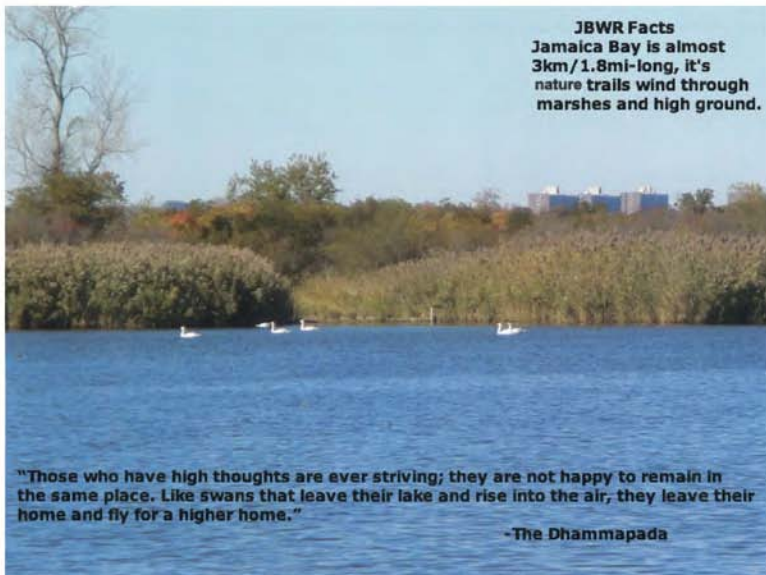
15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:
RESPECT



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THE NATURAL WORLD

A DIRECT AND RESPECTFUL RELATIONSHIP WITH THE NATURAL WORLD REFRESHES THE HUMAN SPIRIT AND REVEALS THE IMPORTANT DIMENSIONS OF RECURRING CYCLES AND CAUSE AND EFFECT. STUDENTS LEARN TO BECOME STEWARDS OF EARTH AND OF THE GENERATIONS TO COME.

15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:

KINDNESS



JULY 2012

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JBWR Facts
Most of the waters and
marshes have been
protected since 1972
as part of the Gateway
National Recreation Area.

"No problem is insurmountable. With a little courage, teamwork and determination a person can overcome anything."

-Unknown

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15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:
TRUST



AUGUST 2012

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JBWR Facts
Jamaica Bay is internationally renowned as a prime birding spot where thousands of water, land, and shore-birds stop during migration.

"The nice thing about teamwork is that you always have others on your side."

- Margaret Carey

SOLITUDE AND REFLECTION

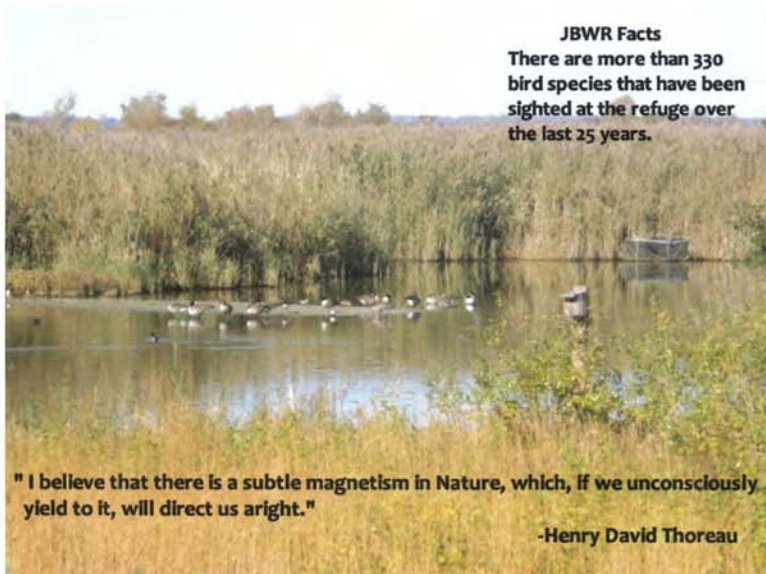
STUDENTS NEED TIME ALONE TO EXPLORE THEIR OWN THOUGHTS, MAKE THEIR OWN CONNECTIONS, AND CREATE THEIR OWN IDEAS. THEY MUST THEN BE GIVEN OPPORTUNITY TO EXCHANGE THEIR REFLECTIONS WITH EACH OTHER AND WITH ADULTS.

15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:
HONESTY

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JBWR Facts
There are more than 330
bird species that have been
sighted at the refuge over
the last 25 years.

"I believe that there is a subtle magnetism in Nature, which, if we unconsciously
yield to it, will direct us aright."

-Henry David Thoreau

SERVICE AND COMPASSION

"WE ARE CREW, NOT PASSENGERS". ONE OF A SCHOOL'S
PRIMARY FUNCTION IS TO PREPARE STUDENTS WITH THE
ATTITUDES AND SKILLS TO LEARN FOR AND BE OF
SERVICE TO OTHERS.

15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:
**ACHIEVEMENT,
SPORTSMANSHIP**



OCTOBER 2012

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JBWR Facts
The location of Jamaica Bay combined with the rich food resources found there make it a regionally important fish, wildlife, and plant habitat complex.

"As a single footstep will not make a path on the Earth, so a single thought will not make a pathway in the mind. To make a deep physical path, we walk again and again. To make a deep mental path, we must think over and over the kind of thoughts we wish to dominate our lives."

—Henry David Thoreau

THE RESPONSIBILITY OF LEARNING

EVERY ASPECT OF A SCHOOL MUST ENCOURAGE CHILDREN AND ADULTS TO BECOME INCREASINGLY RESPONSIBLE FOR DIRECTING THEIR OWN PERSONAL AND COLLECTIVE LEARNING.

15 WORDS TO LIVE BY:
FRIENDSHIP

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