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## Ten Join NHS at HARP



Ten Academy of Health Science (HARP) sophomores, juniors, and seniors were inducted recently into the prestigious National Honor Society (NHS). The 10 inductees met all the requirements with grade point averages of at least 3.25 and 100 community service hours. The beautiful dual language (English and Spanish), student-led ceremony was planned by advisers, Melissa Wright and Maria Yoplac. Interact Club students served as hosts. Following the ceremony,

75 parents, faculty members and students enjoyed a catered dinner reception. Principal K.A. White served as the keynote speaker and stressed the importance of scholarship, leadership, service and character.

## Budding Conservationists at YMLA

Learning should never be limited to the classroom; it is often extended into the community, the environment and beyond, and vice-versa. Seventh grade students at the Young Men's Leadership Academy (YMLA) are doing just that - they are bringing the environment directly into their science classes and putting theory into practice. Under the guidance of resource teacher, Mr. Michael Fede, students are participating in the science-based initiative, "Trout in the Classroom." The young men visited the *Pequest Trout Hatchery* where they learned all about how to raise their own trout from eggs to adult for release into the Watchung River in the spring. In the picture they are adjusting the water based on their discovery of high levels of ammonia and nitrites, which are toxic to the fish. They are responsible for maintaining an environment that is suitable for the trout to live in until they return to their natural habitat.



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## Upcoming Events

**Jan. 17: Special Meeting of the Board of Education**  
6:00 p.m. at the District Offices, 90 Delaware Avenue

**Jan. 18: Parent University Mini Conference**  
6:00 p.m.-7:30 p.m. at School 9

**Jan. 20: Saturday Academy Program Begins**  
8:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. Various Locations.

**Jan. 30: 2nd Marking Period Ends**

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