

Plainview-Old Bethpage School District hosts Holocaust Remembrance Night

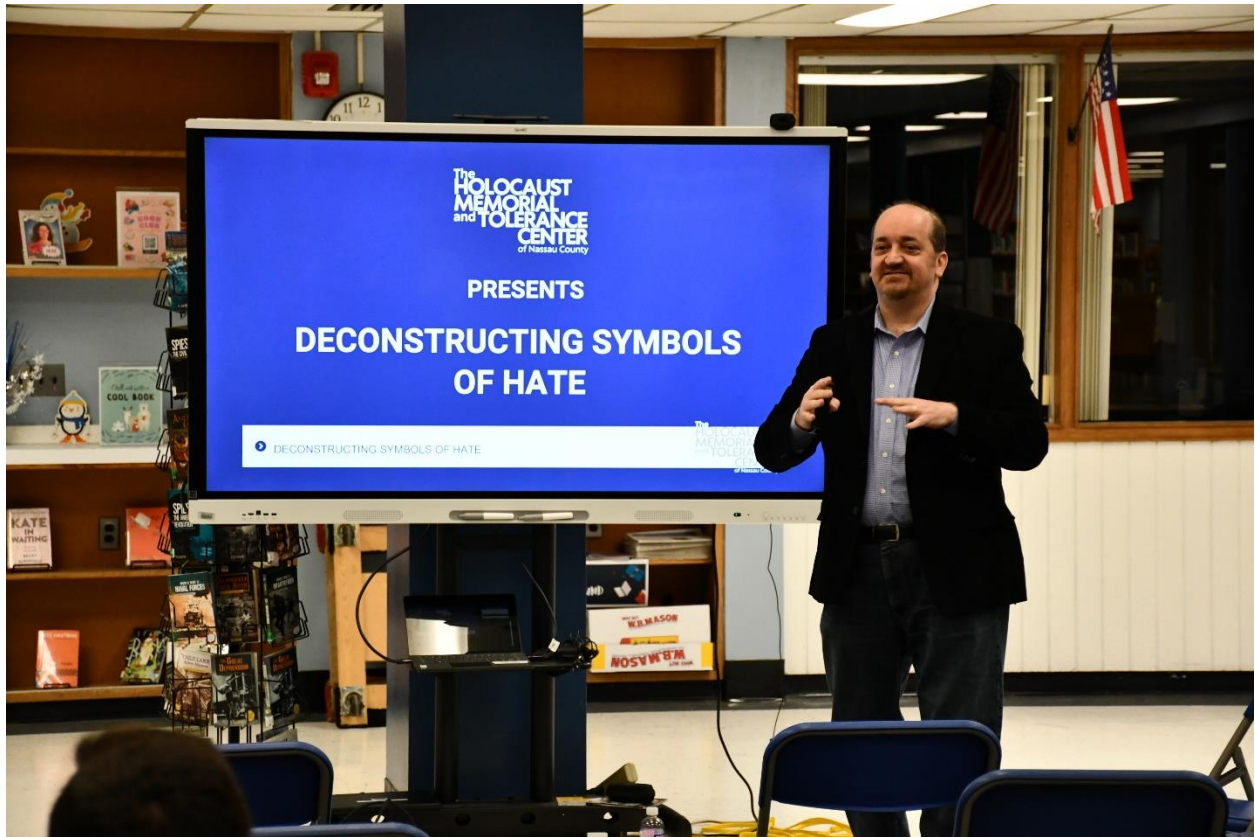
Plainview-Old Bethpage School District hosted a Holocaust Remembrance Night on January 25th at Plainview-Old Bethpage JFK High School in advance of International Holocaust Remembrance Day. Holocaust survivor, Eric Lipetz, spoke to students, families, teachers, and administrators about his experiences during his early childhood in Belgium, prior to the German invasion in 1940 which changed the course of his family's life.

After the keynote, guests were given a choice of attending one of two breakout sessions — a discussion with recently certified 3G students and JFKHS student documentarians presenting their work on the documentary, “Names Not Numbers” or “Deconstructing Symbols of Hate,” by Dr. Christopher Probst, Director of Education for the Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center, which examined the history behind the most widely-known symbols of hate and discrimination.

The District thanks everyone who made the event possible, including Mr. Lipetz, the POBJFKHS Advocacy Club, the POB Media Club, student documentarians and 3G certified storytellers, and the Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center of Nassau County.



Holocaust survivor, Eric Lipetz, spoke during the Holocaust Remembrance night held at POBJFKHS on January 25th.



Dr. Christopher Probst, of the Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center, presented “Deconstructing Symbols of Hate”.



JFKHS student documentarians and recently certified 3G students presented their work on the documentary, "Names Not Numbers".