

Superintendent's Highlight April 18, 2019

Each year we leave the POBJFK Drama Cadets production marveling at the talent of the students and the magnificence of each production. We say, "It just cannot get better," and each year it does. Such was the case as the cast and crew of this year's musical left us enthralled with the singing and dancing of another Rich Olivari off-Broadway production of *Mamma Mia!*



Whether it was the melodious voices of the students, the beautiful costumes of Meredith Goldfarb, the dynamically choreographed dances set to songs such as "Dancing Queen," "Super Troupers," "Mamma Mia," or "SOS," the beautiful set designed to look like a traditional taverna in Greece, or the incredible pit, all were treated to a memorable performance. As always, we enjoyed the cameo appearance of the principal, Mr. Murray; but this year,

he played two roles which were equally well received. Applause must once again be given to our Director/Producer, Mr. Richard Olivari, and the entire team involved in the production including Robert Lombardo, Sharon Olivari, Leigh Olivari, Christopher Brick, Steven Carbo and Kimberly Muller.

Such perfection only comes after months of hard work during months of rehearsals. Kudos to the staff and students for their dedication and

for sharing their talent to once again treat us to a beautiful piece of theatre that will forever be a part of the canon of amazing works performed in the District.



Thank you, Mr. Olivari, for once again bringing Broadway to Plainview-Old Bethpage with this electric and wonderful production! Bravo!

