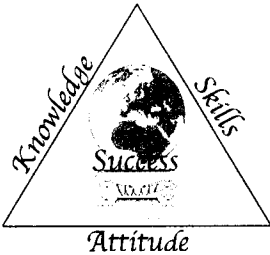


MIDDLE COUNTRY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
AT CENTEREACH

8 43RD STREET • CENTEREACH, NY 11720
631-285-8005 • 631-467-4243 (fax) • www.middlecountry.k12.ny.us



August 13, 2003

Mr. Alan J. Weiss
Marine Helicopter Squadron 361
Veterans Association, Inc.
P.O. Box 429
Cutchogue, NY 11935

Dear Mr. Weiss:

Dr. Lorthridge, our former Superintendent, passed along to me your letter of June 12, 2003 requesting that we consider having our students participate in possible internship opportunities and/or living history programs associated with your restoration of a Marine Core Vietnam Era helicopter. Since we have an active community service curriculum, we would like to have our young people experience this type of activity and participate in your venture.

Kindly contact us at your earliest convenience so that we may follow up with our administrative staff relative to your request.

Sincerely,

John S. Reid
Asst. Superintendent for
Secondary Education

JSR/cm

cc: Mr. Adams
Ms. McMahon
Mr. Cirone
Ms. Cooke
Ms. Flynn
Mr. Ross
Ms. Abrams
Ms. Curran

Ted J. Adams
Superintendent of Schools

Francine McMahon
Deputy Supt. For Instruction

John S. Reid
Asst. Supt. For Secondary
Education

Herbert B. Chessler
Asst. Supt. For Business

Richard P. Herman
Asst. Supt. For Personnel

Maria A. Talierno, Ed. D.
Asst. Supt. For Pupil Personnel