

November 29, 2017

Dear Friends of Star Lane Center:

Please stop by at Star Lane Center's new location, 3000 Independence Court, on December 6<sup>th</sup> or 7<sup>th</sup> to see Star Lane's unique approach to learning.

Our students have been working in small groups sharing the knowledge they've gained through research, from community contacts, and other resources. Community input is vital to the learning process at Star Lane Center. Your audience participation with questions and comments will help our students gain knowledge in new areas and develop confidence as they present research results.

Star Lane freshmen have been writing short stories and developing video games to accompany their stories. They will share them on **Wednesday, December 6, at 9:30 a.m. and 1:45 p.m.**

Star Lane sophomores and juniors have been preparing a mock trial case involving the daughter of Aaron Hernandez, who is suing the New England Patriots and the NFL for the loss of companionship she has suffered as a result of her father's suicide. Aaron Hernandez committed suicide at the age of 27 and had played in the NFL for three years. Autopsy results indicated Stage III CTE. Students will present both sides of the case before a judge and jury in a mock trial on **Thursday, December 7, at 9:30 a.m. and 1:45 p.m.**

We encourage your attendance at one of these one-hour presentations.

Sincerely,

Star Lane Center Staff