**Commencement Edition** 

# HORNETS' NEWS eady for the futur July 2016 The Harpursville Central School District Class of 2016 fulfilled

the promise implicit in our school motto - "High expectations. High achievement" - and leaves behind a legacy of remarkable success. The members of this year's class - 60 in all - said their final farewells at a graduation ceremony on June 25 in the high school gymnasium. -TIO

> Graduation photos, pages. 16-19 **L SCHOOL**

> > "If history – their work ethic and achievement tells us anything about these graduates, I'd say they are college and career ready. It's quite an impressive group,"

- Superintendent Michael Rullo (See entire text of speech on page 2)



# Superintendent Michael Rullo's address to the graduating Class of 2016

This class is a really, really impressive group. Let me give you a few statistics about our graduates and I think you'll agree with me:

There are 60 graduates in this class, most of whom are here today. This class has earned the following:

- 2 Career Development and Occupational Studies credentials
- 3 local diplomas
- 2 local diplomas with a Career and Technical Education Endorsement
- 23 Regents diplomas
- 3 Regents diplomas with honors
- 15 Regents diplomas with a Career and Technical Education Endorsement – an important statistic and you'll hear in a moment how many students are job-ready as a result of the CTE education and credentials
- 7 Advanced Designation Regents diplomas
- 1 Advanced Regents with honors
- 1 Advanced Regents with mastery in math
- 2 Advanced Regents diplomas with honors and mastery in math AND science
- 1 Advanced Regents diploma with honors and a Career and Technical Education Endorsement

### And there's more good news ...

So many of our students are not only graduating, they are also leaving us jobready as a result of their two years of study at BOCES.

- 22 students successfully completed a two-year BOCES trade program
- 18 students earned a Career & Technical Education endorsement on their diploma ... earned via successful completion of their program and passing the rigorous NOCTI exams.

Let me highlight just how invaluable these experiences are through one example. One of our graduates completed a work-study program through much of his senior year where he took his BOCES training and went to a job site to perform. This resulted in not only a job during his senior year, but also a job after graduation doing exactly what he loves and what he has trained to do. Allyn Rhodes, please stand up and be recognized - great job!

And our students planning to go to college are well-prepared for that too:

- 44 of the graduates (that's over 70%) successfully completed at least one college credit. These students earned a total of 709 college credits.
- 17 students have more than one full-time semester of college or over 15 credits under their belt. 8 students are graduating with over 30 college credits! This means they already have sophomore standing in college. But there's more...6 students have more than 40 credits, 3 have 50 or more, and...are you ready for this...1 student has more than 60 credits. This leads me to a Harpursville Central Schools first that deserves recognition. For the first time ever, we had a student earn his Associates Degree from TC3 before he even graduated from high school. Ben Copeland, stand up, and be recognized.

When you consider these diploma statistics and college credits, keep

in mind that these students did all of this while completing other rigorous high school courses, participating in all types of extra-curricular activities such as sports and clubs, and while having jobs. Are these students ready for whatever is next? If history – their work ethic and achievement - tells us anything about these graduates, I'd say they are college and career ready. It's quite an impressive group, don't you think?

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"The class of 2016

is a really, really

impressive group."



# Student Council get-out-and-vote campaign provides lesson in democracy

In May, the Harpursville Student Council ran it's inaugural #VilleVotes campaign to help students learn about the democratic process through active participation. The campaign kicked off with the help of Norene Tasber and Chef Dan, who met with the Student Council to organize a senior high online vote on our Moving Up Day luncheon. More than 400 votes were cast, resulting in a winning menu of chicken spiedies, macaroni salad, and watermelon.

Continuing with #VilleVotes, the teachers voted to elect the 2016-2017 flag bearer and flag defender. For next year, Dale Youngs and Ashlee Howell will hold these prestigious positions, giving the daily announcements and reciting the "Pledge of Allegiance."

Additionally, throughout May more than 60 students in grades six through 11 completed the required paperwork to run for class officer and/or student council. On May 31 and June 1, Harpursville students voted to fill these positions.

Congratulations to the following candidates on being elected:

#### **Student Council representatives**

12<sup>th</sup> Grade Alexandra Fynboe Malayia Lowe Jacob Peterson Sabrina Gates Samantha Cower

11<sup>th</sup> Grade Michael Bennett Morgan Crocker Amber Birt Allen Brozonis Courtney Phillips 10<sup>th</sup> Grade Chris Dattoria Sarah Peterson Dominick Stock Morgan Fleming Abby Kelley

9<sup>th</sup> Grade\_ Logan Culver Riley Livermore Mackenzie Whidden Kaitlyn Dattoria Camaron Smith Kaylee Shear 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Saleen Medovich Victoria Whidden Grace Floyd Allison Kelley Sara Brown

**7<sup>th</sup> Grade** Kyle Colsten Justin Fargo Makenna Lowe Abigail Lyon Sarah Young







### **Class officers**

#### 12<sup>th</sup> Grade

President: Sabrina Gates Vice President: Lexie Cutmore Secretary: Natalie Brown Treasurer: Ashlee Howell

#### 11<sup>th</sup> Grade

President: Morgan Crocker Vice President: Saige Collins Secretary: Michael Bennett Treasurer: Trevor Hanson

#### 10<sup>th</sup> Grade

President: Chris Dattoria Vice President: Sarah Peterson Secretary: Morgan Fleming Treasurer: Abigail Kelley

#### 9<sup>th</sup> Grade

President: Logan Culver Vice President: Mackenzie Whidden Secretary: Katie Dattoria Treasurer: Tanner Hanson

#### 8<sup>th</sup> Grade

President: Victoria Whidden Vice President: Grace Floyd Secretary: Sara Brown Treasurer: Jaime Gilmore

#### 7<sup>th</sup> Grade

Will be determined in September.



# Harpursville Central School District directory

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Joshua Ouick

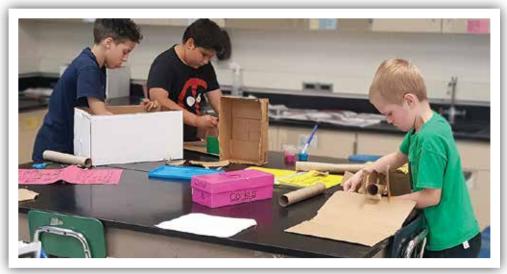
# 'Art with a Twist' spurs students' imagination, creativity

The fourth-graders had a fun-filled year being creative doing "Art with a Twist," which enabled them to enhance their creativity with imaginative art projects.

The students came together to discuss, plan and form different strategies, and then make a final presentation of projects. They created games that required a lot of teamwork. The students' final presentations and accomplishments are then shown off at a game party, where all are given the opportunity to play each other's games.



Pictured (I-r): Wyatt Huizinga, Nicholas Frost, and Madison Miller.



Pictured (I-r): Keith Dunn, Matthew Sanchez, and Brendan Pike.



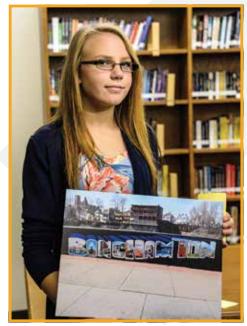
Pictured: Madison Miller.



# Young photographers offer community perspective with 'Through Our Eyes' project

Tenth-graders Manuella DiLuzio and Brock McWherter were among a group of students in the Southern Tier Pathways in Technology Early College High School (P-TECH) program who recently provided a unique perspective on the strengths and needs of our community as part of an initiative called the "Through Our Eyes" photography project. Donna Lupardo, the project challenged students to share their personal views of our community through a series of photographs. Their work - featuring scenes of hope, despair and pride - was recently on display at Binghamton's First Friday at Enviren Calibrations, 202 State Street.

The brainchild of state Assemblywoman



Manuella DiLuzio

"It gives us an opportunity to see things from a new perspective"

#### -Assemblywoman Donna Lupardo

Students took more than 4,000 photographs during a series of outings throughout the Triple Cities. They then scrutinized each for quality, composition and message, winnowing the collection to 27 images to exhibit that best illustrate the key themes.

"It gives us an opportunity to see things from a new perspective," Lupardo said of the student exhibit. "And it also gives those of us in policy positions perhaps some ideas on things that need further improvement. And there are certainly things that need improvement in our



Brock McWherter community."

P-TECH is a six-year, state grant-funded program that enables students to earn both a high school diploma and associate's degree, the latter being at no cost. Students also work with several community partners to develop professional skills. The grant was awarded to the Binghamton City School District in partnership with Broome-Tioga BOCES, 11 area school districts, SUNY Broome Community College, and business partners such as Lockheed Martin, Delta Engineers, Bothar Construction and Lourdes Hospital.





**Pictured** - State Assemblywoman Donna Lupardo (center) conducts a news conference to announce the "Through Our Eyes" exhibit. With her are Manuella DiLuzio (second from left) and Brock McWherter (second from right).



# Personal interests revealed at 'Learn a New Thing Day' By Karen Shannon, 4th grade teacher

Our class has a unique way of finishing the last few weeks of fourth grade. The students did a presentation on something they are good at or something they would like to share with the class. Every year students amaze me at how creative they are with their presentations. This year we learned about pugs, balloon animals, vegetarian eating (wonder who that was—me!), drawing, origami, science experimenting, making play dough, toy cars, magic card tricks, latch hooking and softball. Everyone is good at something. Thanks to all who shared their ideas. Keep being creative!





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# Moving Up Day marks history while continuing to evolve, grow

### Pingpong challenge is latest entry

Moving Up Day started with the end of an era. Alec Peterson and Ben Copeland's Facebook reports on the end of the epic pingpong trilogy had thousands of views and the build-up to "Ryder vs. Moschak III" led to a packed house to start off the morning. In the end, Tom Ryder (PE teacher) and Steve Moschak (math teacher) joined forces to defeat the partycrashing "Team Science" and became world pizza-eating champions. Those who attended witnessed history, but is this the end or just the beginning?



### **Moving Up Day activities**

Moving Up Day started with the senior breakfast. Seniors were served by teachers and administrators and viewed a slide show created by library clerk Barb Hendrickson.

This was followed by an assembly filled with fun, student recognitions, a principal karaoke battle, senior roasts, and the traditional moving of grade levels to their new seats in the auditorium.

After the assembly, the entire senior high went out to the football field and concession area for lunch. During this time, students got to enjoy a wonderful Chef Dan barbecue, signed yearbooks, and played lawn games arranged by the Student Council.

After lunch, the students were given an open campus. There was courtyard karaoke, the second annual "Gamer World Cup" ran by teacher John Giblin and Mrs. Ramden, Kelly Rooney's 2<sup>nd</sup> annual "Chopped at the Ville" food competition, the traditional 3-on-3 basketball competition ran by math teacher Jason Lyon, and, for the first time, and a jukeball tournament organized by PE teacher Thomas Ryder.



The day concluded with one last assembly recognizing the winners of the MUD events as well as a tear-jerker of a video created for the seniors by math teacher Kyle Tibbits.



The Student Council would like send a special thanks to class advisor Nicole Cole for all of her hard work planning the event, and to all of the teachers who put in the extra effort to make this day special.

### A moving bit of history

According to social studies teacher Kim Rusnak's extensive research, Moving Up Day evolved out of a Harpursville tradition in the late 1930's called "Class Night," which was held the night before graduation.



The first official Moving Up Day was conducted in the early 1950's to recognize the end of a school year and the "moving on" to the next grade (or in the case of seniors, to adulthood). Over the next few decades, traditions such as creating a class motto, picking a class flower, wearing class colors and ribbons, hanging up streamers in the hallways, singing songs, grade-level competitions, basketball tournaments, movies in the auditorium, talent shows, and other events were added. All of this culminated with the classes moving to their new spot in the auditorium. This year, we continued the tradition by keeping many of our timehonored traditions while adding a few new ones.











While the senior high enjoyed a schedule full of Moving Up Day events, junior high students were enjoying their own fun-filled day. Continuing a tradition that started last year, the 7th grade went to the Most Museum of Science and Technology while the 8th grade went to Wonderworks in Syracuse. The Jr. High Student Council would like to thank our advisor, Ms. Fye, as well as all of our teachers for all the work they put into this fun day.



# Superintendent Honor Roll - Fourth Quarter 6/24/2016

#### Grade 11

Tienna Avery Natalie Brown Lexie Cutmore Noah Dann Kaitlyn Doud Sabrina Gates Megan Grover Jacob Lupka Tara Merrell Savannah Pasquale Jacob Peterson Shania Swan Daniel Villano Zachary Waterman

#### Grade 12

Georgia Lee Baker Melissa Church Benjamin Copeland Emily Hunt Stella Marin Miranda Messinger Abigail Miller Sarah Miller Alec Peterson Samantha Strollo Dennis Wilson Peyton Woloszyn



# Principal's List - Fourth Quarter 6/24/2016

#### Grade 7

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#### Grade 8

Stefanie Allen **Kvle Averv** Logan Culver Kaitlyn Dattoria Aylisia Dunaway **Tanner Hanson Connor Hoyt** Zachary Huizinga Ashlyn LaClair Samantha Lawler **Riley Livermore** Matthew Lyon **Duncan Marin** Zoe Mever Krysteena Race Megan Sculley Karina Seeley **Kaylee Shear Camaron Smith** Yasmine Warner Mackenzie Whidden Sara Williams

#### Grade 9

Aubrey Cluck Christopher Dattoria Kaitlyn Ellsworth Nicole Fargo Morgan Fleming Annamarie Goosley Steffan Hanson Maryjane Kappauf Abigail Kelley Colin LaDue Madison Nealy Sarah Peterson Mackenzie Robertson **Alexus Rovs** Hunter Sakowsky **Alexis Silfee Ritajane Silfee Dominick Stock** Kerynn Stonier Kailee Tyler

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#### Grade 12

Georgia Lee Baker Melissa Church Zachary Clapper **Benjamin** Copeland Marie Griswold Dakota Lippert Stella Marin Miranda Messinger Sarah Miller Alec Peterson Allyn Rhodes Ethan Riegel Samantha Robertson Dixie Rowe Samantha Strollo **Courtney Tyler Dennis Wilson** Peyton Woloszyn



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#### Grade 8

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#### Grade 9

**Caytlin Allen** Andrea Austin Parker Bixby Alayna Dudek Halee Eberly-Robinson Noah Fletcher Collin Gillette Vanessa Groover **Dixie Hadlick** Brandon Hoover Tori Johnson Lily-Anne Mauzy Alissa McCrimmon **Michael Pavlisak** Zzakary Rolston Amelia Sindon

#### Grade 10

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#### Grade 11

Natalie Brown **Devin Butler** Melody Cutting Sabrina Gates Joshua Groover **Breanna Hoover** Jacob Horoszewski Ashlee Howell Dylan Koranka Malavia Lowe Tara Merrell Savannah Pasquale Garrison Paugh Matthew Scott Joseph Whidden **Dale Youngs** 



#### Grade 12

**Emma Beavers** Ryan Dailey Payton Dean Ashlyn Dudek Shelby Elliott Joshua Fletcher **Emily Hunt Christine Kark** Roger Kise Jr. Elizabeth Knapp Noah Masse` **Ryan Mies** Abigail Miller **Alexander Pritchard** Anastasia Regalbuto Crystal Riegel Cassandra Rincavage Wayne Stanton **Carter Wiggins** William Wilsey **Derick Wilson** 

## Perfect Attendance 2015-2016

Congratulations to the following students for maintaining perfect attendance for the 2015-2016 school year:

#### Kindergarten Samson Shoemaker

Nolan Shofkom Grade 2

Sierra DeVaul

#### **Grade 3** Abigail Fargo

Donovan Rowe Braxton Shoemaker

#### Grade 4

Gracie Bomboy Brianna Huizinga Wyatt Huizinga Morgan LaVergne Jacob Wolbert

#### Grade 5

Madison Fleming Nathan Fletcher Mikel Hill Amber Kachmar Allena Rowe Scott Spence

#### **Grade 6** Cavden Brown

Justin Fargo Cheyenne Farnham Jordan LaVergne Makenna Lowe Isaac Plumlee Caidence Ryder Rheanna Wilcox

#### Grade 7

Cross Brown Sara Brown Aidan Ellsworth Justin Fleming Michael Johnson Jamie McWherter Jr. Saleen Medovich Cody Terkowski

#### Grade 8

Alexander Bomboy Derryk Bradtke Aylisia Dunaway Zachary Huizinga Riley Livermore Mellissa Locke Braydon Pedley Karina Seeley Sara Williams

#### Grade 9

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#### Grade 11

Haley Davis Ryan Kachmar Dylan Koranka Jacob Peterson Daniel Villano

#### Grade 12

James Cole Roger Kise Jr. Ashley Rucky Peyton Woloszyn



# After-school program mixes computer fun and exercise by Lisa Williams, ASEP teacher

Third-grade students in the after-school enrichment "computer mash" program had lots of fun with animation and simulation games and activities. The entire group read "Beezus and Ramona" together during dinner time over the course of several weeks. After reading the book and creating projects using the paint program, the students were allowed to watch the Ramona and Beezus movie. They also worked together while playing educational games, discovereing how much fun Gonoodle.com can be as they participate in the various activities while also releasing some energy.



Abby Fargo (left) and Lily Barriger performing for the class



Pictured (I-r): Maddy Neale, Emma McWherter, and London Miller



Madison Wolbert (standing) wondering why Maddy Neale seems comfy on the floor while listening to Tumblebooks on the computer.



Pictured (I-r): Abby Fargo, Bobbie Griswold, Lloyd Byers, Vincent Risoli-Clark, Brandon DeGroat, Devon Rowe, Madison Wolbert dancing to Gonoodle.com

# Student musicians celebrate year's end with a piano recital

On May 23, 19 students from Nicole Cole's piano class participated in the end of the year recital. Each student (with help from Cole) chose one song that would showcase their progress from the year. Students were challenged to practice this song for a couple of weeks, and then perform it on the baby grand piano

in the auditorium in front of their piano class peers.

All did a wonderful job and celebrated with cake and ice cream afterwards.

Great job students!





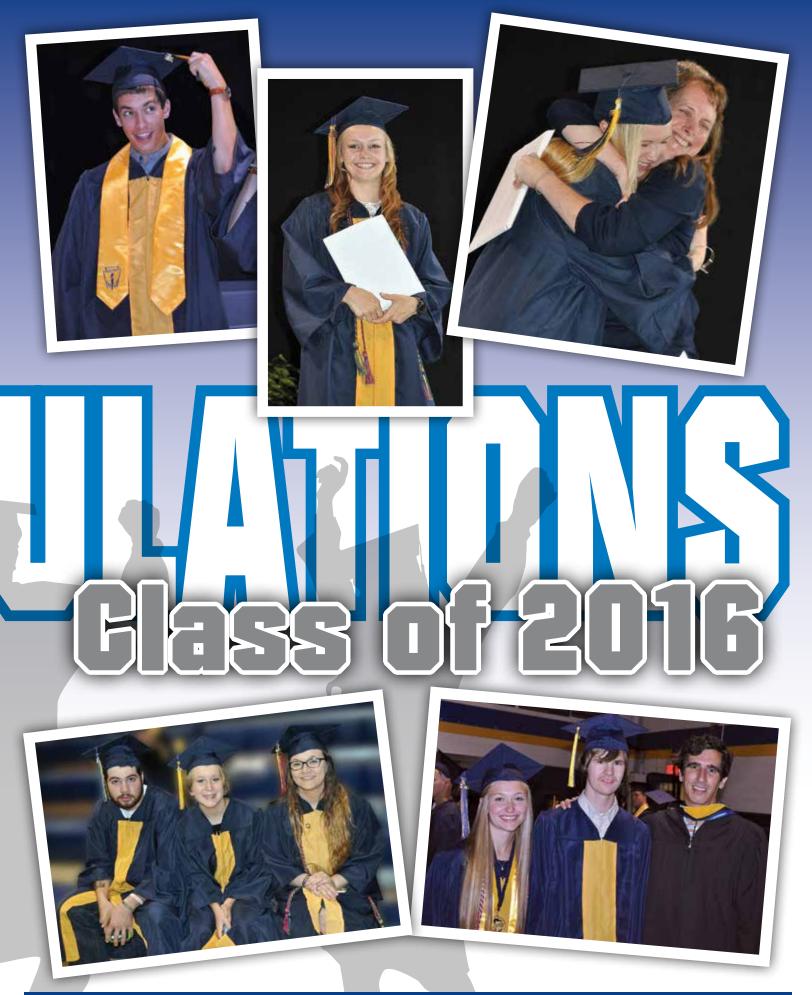






**Pictured (I-r) - Back:** Carter Wiggins, Stella Marin, Amelia Sindon, RitaJane Silfee, Peyton Woloszyn, Vanessa Groover, Koltyn Green, Braeden Molyneaux, Sydney Behal, Shania Swan, and Emily Russell. **Front:** Dixie Hadlick, Katelyn Rooker, Tori Johnson, Aleigha Tuttle, Morgan Fleming, Abigail Kelley, Christopher Dattoria, and Alayna Dudek









# Prekindergarten graduation 2016



# Sixth-grade graduation 2016









#### **7th Grade - Achievement Award**

Saleen Medovich - English Language Arts 7, Math 7, Art 7 Courtney Waterman – Keyboarding Sara Brown – Music 7 Colton Sakowsky – Life Science 7 Majesti Brown – Health 7 Victoria Whidden – Honors Math 7, Technology 7 Ashlyn Link – Social Studies 7 Shyanne Stilson – Home and Career Skills 7

#### 7th Grade - Most Improved Award

Brionna DeVaul - Jr. High Physical Education Philip Combs Jr. - English Language Arts 7 Patrick Lane – Keyboarding Cody Terkowski – Music 7 Justin Shaffer – Life Science 7 Michael Johnson – Health 7 Taylor Rutherford – Honors Math 7 Majesti Brown – Math 7 Hunter Scott – Social Studies 7 Alex Konidis – Home and Career Skills 7, Technology 7

#### 8th Grade - Achievement Award

Sara Williams - French 1A Mariah Loveless - Jr. High Physical Education Megan Sculley – Music 8, Math 8 Zachary Turck – Junior Chorus Harry Dibble – Instrumental Music Kaitlyn Dattoria - Living Environment, English 8, Home and Career Skills 8 Riley Livermore – Social Studies 8, Jr. High Physical Education Mackenzie Whidden – Art 8 Ashlyn LaClair - Science 8 Kyle Avery – Technology 8 Matthew Lyon - Algebra 8

#### 8th Grade - Most Improved Award

Justin Sayman - French 1A Slater Collins – Music 8 Sara Williams – Junior Chorus Derryk Bradtke – Instrumental Music Alexandria Steele – Social Studies 8 Brandon Riegel – English 8 Karleen Vele - Home and Career Skills 8 Megan Sculley – Science 8 Tyler Mies – Jr. High Physical Education Brock Merrell – Technology 8 Connor Hoyt – Math 8 Kaylee Shear – Algebra 8



7th Grade - Most Improved Overall Award Abbey Dudek

8th Grade - Most Improved Overall Award **Eric Wilkinson** 

7th Grade - Citizen of the Year Award Victoria Whidden

8th Grade - Citizen of the Year Award Mackenzie Whidden



Victoria Whidden



Mackenzie Whidden

#### **Perfect Attendance Awards**

**7th grade** Cross Brown, Sara Brown, Aidan Ellsworth, Justin Fleming, Michael Johnson, Jamie McWherter, Saleen Medovich, Cody Terkowski

**8th grade** Alex Bomboy, Derryk Bradtke, Aylisia Dunaway, Zachary Huizinga, Riley Livermore, Mellissa Locke, Braydon Pedley, Karina Seeley and Sara Williams.

#### Jr. High Student Council members -Certificates of Participation

Logan Culver, Mackenzie Whidden, Riley Livermore, Kaitlyn Dattoria, Camaron Smith, Victoria Whidden, Saleen Medovich, Grace Floyd, Allison Kelley, Alex Hoyt

Jr. High Interact Club members Certificates of Participation Andre Birt, Lindsey Bird, Garrett Kiehle

#### NYSAPHERD (physical education) Award

Connor Hoyt, Ashlyn LaClair

# **Most Improved Overall**





Abbey Dudek





### **National Junior Honor Society**

Inducted at the May 31 ceremony

8th grade Zoe Meyer

#### 7th grade

Majesti Brown Sara Brown Idaeah Campbell Wyatt Ellsworth Grace Floyd Cameron Stone Joshua Wolbert

#### 6th grade

Kayleigh Cluck Kyle Colsten Justin Fargo Hailey Lancaster Jordan LaVergne MaKenna Lowe Abigail Lyon Emma Marvin Ghia Medovich



Alaina Neer Zachary Pike Joshua Powell Caidence Ryder Dominic Schwartz Thomas VanVorce Benjamin Williams Sarah Young

# Jr./Sr. High School student supply list for the 2016 -17 school year

One (1) passport will be provided to every student free of charge. If available, replacements can be purchased for \$5.00 during the school year. The use of passports is mandatory at Harpursville Jr. Sr. High School.

All students in grades 7-12 will need

the following supplies: Blue or black ink pens Highlighters Pencils and erasers Bookcovers Loose leaf paper (multiple packs) One (1) scientific calculator version TI-30XIIS or better One (1) flash drive (with the student's name on it)

Please plan to replenish writing utensils and loose leaf paper several times throughout the school year.

All students in grades 7-12 will need the following items for physical education classes:

hair bands (if necessary) non-marking soled sneakers that lace up and do not have open backs deodorant comfortable, appropriate clothing for PE classes (Must change to earn PE credit).

All students in grades 7-12 that will be

participating in Jr. and Sr. Band & Chorus will need the following:

Concert performance dress clothes – black on bottom/white on top

All students in grades 7-9 will be provided with a binder and dividers free of charge. This is a new initiative to help establish organizational skills. Students will need to replenish their school provided binder throughout the school year with several packs of loose leaf paper.

\*\*If your teacher is not listed on this supply list, it is because they require nothing more than the items listed above.

#### 7th graders will need:

ELA, Science, Home & Careers (3) (1 for each)) 1-subject spiral notebooks Home & Careers

(1) 2-pocket folder
 Technology 7 & Art 7 –
 (1) small box of #2 pencils,

#### 8th graders will need: ELA 8

(2) 2-pocket folders,
(1) marble composition notebook,
Home & Careers 8 – (1) 2-pocket folder
Technology 8 – combination or key lock for Technology locker – pencils will be left in Technology lockers
French 1A - (1) 2-pocket folder
Art 8 – (1) small box of #2 pencils 9th – 12th grade students will also need to purchase supplies listed below if they have the following teachers:

#### 9-12 Science Department Mr. McNamara - Chemistry and Environmental Studies:

One (1) 3-ring binder, looseleaf paper

Mr. Strantz - Earth Science and College Geology:

One (1) 3-ring binder, paper, calculator

#### **Mr. Tibbits - Physics**

Mechanical pencils One (1) 3-ring binder Binder tabs Composition notebook Graphing calculator (optional)

#### 9-12 Math Department Mrs. Gilfillan - Algebra II & Trigonometry, Intermediate Algebra, Foundations of Algebra II & Trig, College Algebra/Trig.

One (1) 3-ring binder 2" or larger with dividers College ruled loose leaf paper One (1) one-subject notebook that has 3-ring binder holes

#### Mr. Pianella – Geometry

College ruled loose leaf paper One (1) 3" binder w/5 dividers One (1) compass One (1) one subject notebook that has 3-ring binder holes

#### Mr. Pianella - College Algebra, Trigonometry, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Statistics, CAD, Computer Science

College ruled loose leaf paper One (1) 2 inch binder with 5 dividers One (1) one subject notebook that has 3-ring binder holes

#### Mr. Tibbits - Foundations of Geometry

Mechanical Pencils One (1) 3-ring binder or notebook + folder Binder tabs

Mr. Lyon – Algebra, Algebra 1A, Algebra 1B 3-ring binder, ruler

#### 9-12 English Department Mr. Buczek and Mrs. Thomas -

English 12A/12B, Public Speaking Notebook or binder of choice Folder, post-it notes

#### Mr. Buczek – English 11

One (1) 3-subject notebook One (1) 2 pocket folder

#### Mrs. Webster (formerly Malloy) – English 10

One - 1 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" or 2" 3-ring binder dividers index cards paper post-it notes

#### Mrs. Thomas– English 9

One (1) 1.5" or  $2^{\overline{"}}$ 3-ring binder, dividers, post-it notes, index cards

#### Mrs. Thomas – Approaches to Literature CL

Notebook or binder of your choice, post-it notes, index cards

#### 9-12 Social Studies Department

Mrs. Cronk – Global Studies 10 One (1) 3-ring binder One (1) composition notebook

#### Mrs. Rusnak – US History, Colesville

History, College Level Sociology One (1) 3-ring binder only – NO notebooks Composition notebook Highlighter(s), paper

#### Social Studies 9

One (1) spiral notebook

#### Additional High School Classes Mrs. Burd - Business Law, Microeconomics, QBM, Accounting, Computer Applications, Microsoft Office,

CFM, Personal Finance One (1) 3-ring binder and dividers, folder specifically for this class

#### Mrs. Rossie-Ashbaugh -

Sculpture and Drawing Classes One (1) box of #2 pencils to be kept in the Art room One (1) roll of masking tape

Mrs. Rossie-Ashbaugh - Sculpture and Studio Art must bring in masking tape with name on the inside of the roll

#### Foreign Language Classes Miss Bedford - French

One (1) 2-pocket folder, loose-leaf paper, 1-subject notebook, blue/black pens

#### Mrs. Ramsden - French

One (1) 1 inch binder, loose leaf paper, blue/black pens

\*This list is our best estimate. Please know it is always subject to change.

\*\*Please plan to replenish writing utensils, loose leaf paper and various other items listed above throughout the school year. Thank you!

#### Miss Rooney - Family & Consumer Science Electives

One (1) one subject notebook

# Visiting the Bronx Zoo - Where everything is, indeed, happening

By Denise Talbut - 6th grade advisor

In June, the Class of 2022 visited the Bronx Zoo, where everyone went on a predator/prey tour and then had time to see all of the amazing animals that are housed there.

A fun time was had by all.



# Christ's Bounty FREE Holiday Food Basket Sign Ups

### Nineveh Presbyterian Church, Route 7, Nineveh.

for families in the Colesville, Harpursville and Nineveh area.

# Families must sign up on Saturday, November 5

from 10 a.m. to noon.

### **THIS WILL BE THE ONLY SIGN UP!**

Please bring proof of address.

Quantity limited to 125 baskets, and **ONE PER HOUSEHOLD**.



SKUNX ZOUZ





# First-ever courtyard dance is a huge success, promises to become tradition

On June 10, the junior/senior Student Council organized the first-ever courtyard dance outside under the stars.

Junior high students welcomed the sixth-graders to join the festivities, which included limbo and plenty of awesome music by our own DJ, English teacher Matt Bucci. Later in the night, the senior high got to enjoy a beautiful star-filled evening under the lights and danced until their feet hurt.

The Student Council would like to give a special thanks to Paul Peterson (ELA teacher) for putting in all the extra time decorating the courtyard and supplying the speakers, Matt Bucci for DJing his 4<sup>th</sup> dance of the school year, and all the chaperones who made this dance a success and maybe helped start a new Moving Up Day tradition.







## Choices, lessons served at senior etiquette luncheon - by Caroline Thomas, English teacher

What would you order? Prime sirloin, Atlantic salmon, chicken picatta, or risotto primavera? This possibly was the seniors' hardest decision all year.

On June 3, our seniors attended the annual etiquette luncheon at Remlik's in downtown Binghamton. There were many hands to help teach our seniors the interview and dining etiquette during English class and collaborative time this year. Thanks go out to Ms. George, Mrs. Whaley, Mr. Giblin, Mr. Petras, and Ms. Thomas.

Students enjoyed a hats-free and cellphone-free afternoon with friends. An added thanks go to Superintendent Michael Rullo and Principal Kristine Conrow for attending this wonderful afternoon with the Class of 2016. It was a great way for the seniors to kick off their senior trip to Washington D.C., Moving-Up Day and graduation. The brownie à la mode wasn't half bad either.



# 'Sing Star' selected following month-long tournament - by Nicole Cole, music teacher

The music department has crowned the winners of our Sing Star competition. Following our spring music concert, the junior and senior chorus began the month-long tournament to select the singing champions. Each day in chorus, students would have their names randomly drawn to compete against each other singing random songs from the Sony play station games "Sing Star."

The following games are used giving students a wide variety of song choices: Pop, Pop vol. 2, Amped, Country, 1980s, 1990s, and Disney. Each song lasts approximately one and a half minutes and scores you on your ability to sing correct notes and rhythms. The student with the highest score is put back in the bag to compete in the next round. The following vocalists came out on top:

Senior chorus	Junior chorus		
<b>1</b> <sup>st</sup> – Peyton Woloszyn	<b>1</b> st – Justin Sayman		
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> – Tyler LaVergne</b>	<b>2</b> <sup>nd</sup> – Sara Boyer		
<b>3</b> <sup>rd</sup> – Sarah Miller	<b>3</b> <sup>rd</sup> – Abbey Dudek		

First place winners were awarded \$25 gift cards of their choosing, second place won \$10 gift cards, and third place

won bragging rights. We are super proud of all the students for being brave enough to participate, and look forward to next year's sing-off.



**Pictured (I-r)** - Junior high chorus winners Justin Sayman, Abbey Dudek and Sara Boyer

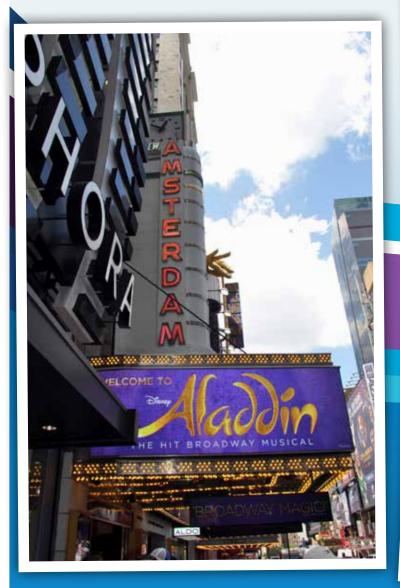




# Students take in NYC sights, sounds, celebrity autographs - by Nicole Cole, music teacher

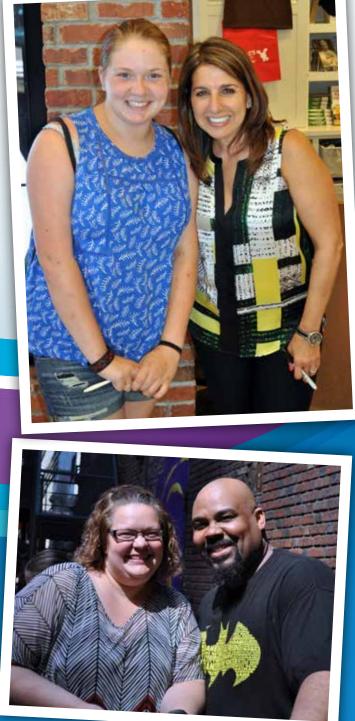
The music department made its semi-annual trip to New York City to see a Broadway musical. The show chosen for this trip was "Aladdin." After a little free time it was off to the New Amsterdam Theater to see the show. The New Amsterdam Theater is one of the oldest surviving Broadway venues. From our seats in the mezzanine, we could see everything and were surprised as the magic carpet ride was right at eye level. The show was spectacular! The costumes were beautiful and the music made a special connection with the majority of our students. It was truly a great performance.

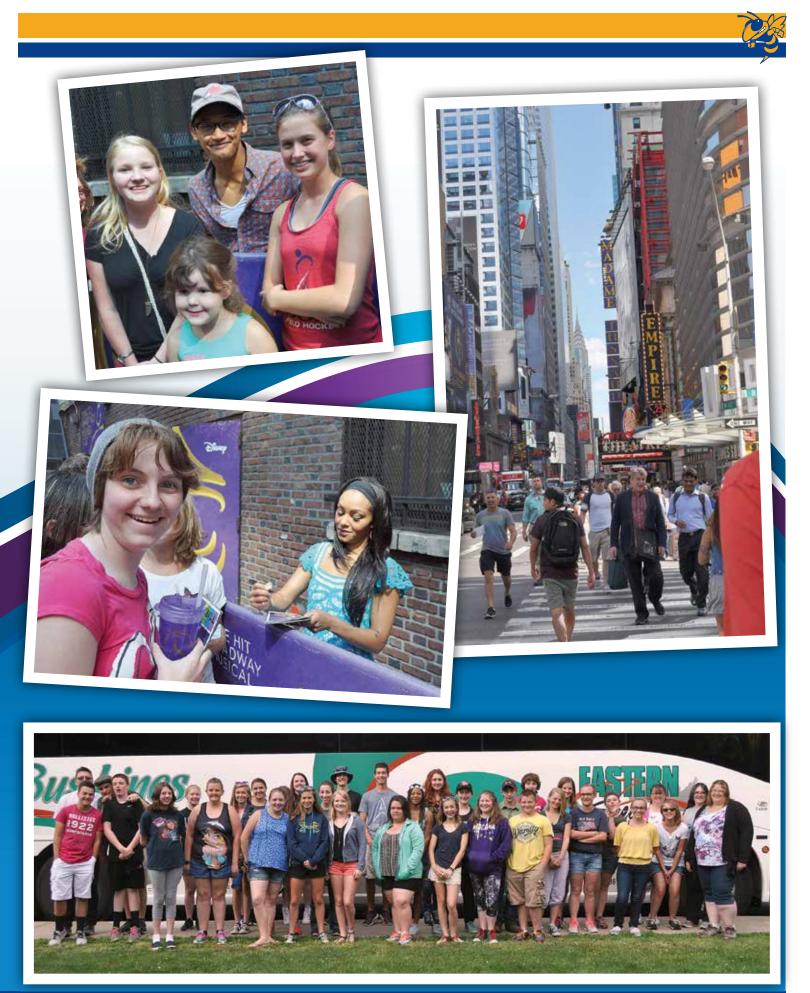
After the show, some of us made our way to the stage door and met Aladdin, Jasmine and the Genie. This was truly the highlight for some of our students. Free time in the city for others included the M+M World, dinner at Hard Rock Café, Bubba Gump, shopping, eating treats



at Carlo's Bake Shop (owned by Buddy, from the HGTV show "Cake Boss") and a walk around Grand Central Station.

Teachers Nicole Cole and Kurt Ehrensbeck would like to thank the school administration for approving our trip to NYC and *"Aladdin."* We also the community for always supporting our music department.







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For questions about	1 <sup>st</sup> contact	2 <sup>nd</sup> contact	3 <sup>rd</sup> contact	4 <sup>th</sup> contact
Academics	Teacher	Guidance Counselor	Building Principal	Superintendent
Athletics	Coach	Athletic Director	Jr./Sr. Principal	Superintendent
Behavior	Teacher	Assistant Building Principal	Building Principal	Superintendent
BOE policies	District Clerk	Superintendent	Board of Education	
Budget	School District Administrator	Superintendent		
Building use	Administrative Assistant	Building Principal	Superintendent	
Cafeteria	Director of Food Services	School District Administrator	Superintendent	
Classroom procedures	Teacher	Assistant Building Principal	Building Principal	Superintendent
Bus behavior	Bus Driver	Director of Operations	Superintendent	
Co-curricular	Advisor	Building Principal	Superintendent	
Facilities	Director of Facilities	School District Administrator	Superintendent	
Health office	Building Nursing Office	School Nurse Practitioner	Grade Level Principal	Superintendent
Scheduling	Guidance Office	Jr./Sr. Principal	Superintendent	
Special education	Teacher	Grade Level Principal	CSE/CPSE Chairperson	Superintendent
Transportation	Director of Operations	School District Administrator	Superintendent	