

A time for celebration

July 2017

HORNETS' NEWS

Commencement Edition

The Harpursville Central School District Class of 2017 - 69 in all - marched across the stage and into the 'real world' full of confidence and well prepared for what lies ahead, be it college or a career. The June 24 graduation ceremony was a true celebration of individual commitment, personal growth and lasting success.

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Superintendent Michael Rullo's address to the Class of 2017

It really is such a privilege to work in a school and to be a part of the transformation that occurs within our students as they grow and mature into the young men and women we see before us today. I have to tell you guys and girls that I have really had a great time with you this year at the events like the senior breakfast, the senior etiquette lunch, graduation rehearsal and baccalaureate just the other night. I have found myself being really impressed by your maturity. Now, you have to remember, I knew most of you when you were 7th-graders. So, seriously, after each event, people would ask me, "How was the etiquette lunch?" My response was, "I had a really good time and the students were awesome." And it's true. You were polite, courteous, and you carried on great conversation. Don't let this go to your head, but you guys are really pretty cool! I am not saying that because I am surprised. Now, some of your parents might be surprised (ha ha ha). Just kidding. I am saying that out of my appreciation and admiration for the people that you've become at this point in your life. Keep it up – you're on the right track. But, as you know, you didn't do this alone.

Parents, I want to extend my most sincere congratulations to you. And thank you for sharing your daughter or son with us over the years that they've been a Harpurville Hornet. Really, I mean it. It is such a privilege to get to be a part of helping your child grow and learn. In a small district like ours, we get to know our kids so well they feel like our kids to us. We love these guys! I know I am so proud of them and I know our entire team here at the school is, too. I can only imagine how you feel. Celebrate the fact that today is a day when your work, your support, and your love and guidance is rewarded with your son or daughter's accomplishment of being a high school graduate. Congratulations!

One of the many things I enjoy so much about our school is that every student matters and each of these students has a unique story of how they got to this day. I can



assure you that each story is rich with perseverance, persistence and, ultimately, accomplishment. As you look at these young men and women, there are many, many different paths that were taken. But, they all led to this same point. It's not easy to become a graduate, but each and every one of you did it ... In addition to academics, and equally as important, I know that these graduates are good, caring, giving people. They have completed countless hours of community service – hundreds, if not thousands of hours. They have done food drives, clothing drives, benefit walks, they volunteer at the food pantry. These young people know how to make sacrifices, they know how to make and honor commitments, and they are willing to serve others. Speaking of which, I want to take a moment to recognize and applaud a student who is choosing to make the ultimate decision in service – he has enlisted in our nation's military. Colby Hendrickson – stand up and let us honor you!

In summary, our graduates are scholars, they are athletes, they are artists and musicians, and they are philanthropic. They have become and will continue to be productive members of our society. This is the job of our school and we have accomplished our mission.

Students - today is a day when your life takes a dramatic and exciting turn. Today is a day of change. Just think about it ... we call today your

commencement. Not only does the word commencement mean a ceremony like this one, but it also means "the beginning of something." Think about that. We're celebrating the end of high school, but really we're celebrating the beginning of whatever is next, too. As you begin your new

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journey, I'm sure you will ask yourself many questions, one of which is likely to be "what do I do now?" or "Am I getting it right?" So, here's a little advice - if I may - and I shared this not too long ago with the top 10 students at their recognition luncheon: Keep your eyes and ears open.

There's a difference between seeing and watching, hearing and listening. Here's a different way of thinking about that ...

A few years ago, as a young adult myself who, of course, knew everything, I heard a quote that stuck with me. I don't remember who I heard it from, but that wasn't the important part. The important part was what was said and I only remember the words because they stuck with me at that point in my life. Here it is: "As I get older, my parents get wiser." Let me say it again. As I get older, my parents get wiser. Look, you can insert whatever noun you want for parents - grandparent, older brother or sister, boss, mentor - the point is, the older you get, the more you realize what you don't know. So, how do you figure it out? Watch and listen. Or, know then think. Others have done some of the figuring already and you can learn from them. There is something

to be said for experience and wisdom. So, be patient with yourself as you continue to become you. Surround yourself with good people who really care about you. They will help you get where you want to be. Treat people well and make good decisions. I can tell you from experience that those things make a difference; they really do. If you surround yourself with good people, people who truly have your best interests in mind, and you treat people well and make good decisions, it will come back to you in rewarding ways. I, we, look forward to hearing about all of your successes in the future. So, go and create your own destiny. However, please never forget the school and community that helped to shape you. I want you to know that we will always be here for you, no matter where life takes you. This will always be home. Congratulations and our best wishes to you.

Thank you!

Michael J. Rullo,
Superintendent of Schools

Excerpted from Superintendent Rullo's commencement address - A few statistics about our graduates:

There are 69 graduates in this class, most of whom are here today. This class has earned the following:

- | One Skills and Achievement Commencement Credential
- | Two Career Development and Occupational Studies credentials
- | Seven local diplomas
- | Three of the local diplomas also have a Career and Technical Education Endorsement and six of them have the Career Development and Occupational Studies credential
- | Forty-two Regents diplomas
- | Three Regents diplomas with honors
- | Thirteen of the Regents diplomas have 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
- | Sixteen Advanced Designation Regents diplomas
- | Two of the Advanced Regents diplomas are with mastery in science (Tienna Avery and Devon Ritter)
- | One of the Advanced Regents diplomas is with honors and mastery in math (Noah Dann)
- | One of the Advanced Regents diplomas is with honors and mastery in math AND science (Jacob Peterson)
- | One Advanced Regents diploma with honors and a Career and Technical Education Endorsement (Taylor Hanson)

So many of our students graduating are job-ready as a result of their two-years of study at BOCES.

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

These students are job-ready and you'll hear of the different fields that they are well-prepared for when we present their diplomas and highlight their future plans. They are ready to be productive citizens, for sure!



Moving up day - always exciting

On June 9, the student council organized another FUNtastic Moving Up Day. The day started with the annual Senior Breakfast, where some of the faculty and administration serve the pending graduates a yummy meal. They also enjoyed a video montage of memories of their time here at Harpursville (made by Barbara Hendrickson). Following the breakfast, all students in grades 9-12 reported to the auditorium for the "MUD" assembly, where the spring sports



Pictured (l-r): Yasmine Warner, Mariah Loveless and Andre Birt

athletes, club members and Honor Society participants were recognized. Also featured was the swearing in of the new flag bearer and defenders, awarding the athletes of the year, and presenting the Babe Ruth Award winners. A fun video made by the seniors provided advice along with some favorite memories and some funny laughs. Before dismissing for the picnic lunch, all of the election results were shared to the underclassmen.

In the afternoon, there were many competitions, including 3-on-3 basketball, "chopped at the ville," a video game



Pictured (l-r): Rachael Snow, Destinee Thompson, Riley Craig and Megan Sculley tournament, and a talent show. At the conclusion of the school day, everyone met back in the auditorium where winners were awarded and each class "moved up" to their new seating arrangements after sending off the graduates.

Because there hadn't been quite enough fun for one day, later that evening two dances were held at the school - a junior high dance (for grades 6-8), and a senior high dance (for grades 9-12). Dan Foster was our DJ for the evening, accompanied by some awesome black lights and a fun bounce house. Everyone had a blast!

Thank you to Visions Federal Credit Union for sponsoring our DJ and bounce house, and also the staff and administrators who supported the student council in organizing this huge endeavor.

Moving Up Day awards:

Carelyn Decker- NYSAPERD Award (New York State Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance). Award given and chosen by the physical education department.

Dan Villano- NYSAPERD Award

Junior high award winners- **Mckenna Lowe & Jamie McWherter** (NYSAPERD)

Brynn Crocker- Athlete of Year Award (this award is given to the top two athletes as voted on by all of the coaches)

Madison Hoover- Athlete of Year Award

Tienna Avery- Babe Ruth Award (given to two seniors who represent the best characteristics of academics, athletics, school spirit, and community service as voted on by the JSHS staff.)

Jacob Peterson- Babe Ruth Award



Eating in style: Baseball hats and flip-flops left behind

Caroline Thomas, English teacher

This year at the annual Etiquette Luncheon, held June 2 at Remlik's Grille & Oyster Bar in Binghamton, seniors in Caroline Thomas and Joshua Buczek's English classes practiced the dining etiquette they learned in class.

Students kept their manners in check even when wait staff spilled some soup on Josh Grover and Mr. Buczek. There was no harm done, and we all had a good time. The students enjoyed a four-course meal that included soup, salad, an entrée and dessert. The prime sirloin and chicken parmesan were hits, and either a delicious cheesecake or brownie ala mode topped off the meal. Not only did seniors expand their palates and have fun with friends, they also polished their dining skills using the correct silverware and placing it and their napkins in the correct positions throughout the meal. The seniors shared their meal with Ms. Thomas, Mr. Buczek and our guests, Superintendent Michael Rullo, Principal Kristine Conrow and teacher Colleen Murphy.



Pictured: Senior English students pose for a group photograph before heading to dinner

A thank you to the administration for supporting this Harpursville tradition. Students also learned other etiquette rules in May such as cell phone and interview etiquette, which requires the applicant to send a thank you note after a job interview. Most importantly, the seniors enjoyed a lunch out with good friends before their senior trip and Moving Up Day.

Best wishes seniors and, remember, it's never too late to thank someone.

Opening doors to new ideas, information, imagination *By Caroline Thomas, English teacher*

As part of New York state's requirement for accountable independent reading (AIR), ninth-graders read independent books above and beyond their classwork. In fact, the class of 2020 read 2,682 hours of self-selected titles. Each week, students logged the minutes they spent reading a book of their choice and several times posted what they thought of their book on our class Schoology site for classmates to see.

Harpursville Jr.-Sr. High School sets aside 10 minutes each morning for students in grades 7-12 to read independently before first period begins. Some students keep their reading books in their first period classes while others carry their books around with them to study halls and back and forth to home. For some students, it is just hard to put down a good book. Students are able to borrow books from the library, the Whitney Titus Reading Room, and teachers' classroom collections. Some students made their way through old favorites while others read new titles (nonfiction and fiction), opening doors to new ideas, new information and a greater imagination. A student's reading

speed does not matter, what matters is the time that they are engaged in reading and understanding a text. Not only does independent reading have solid academic benefits, but it is also free entertainment and a stress reducer. We encourage all students to keep reading magazines and books of interest over the summer to prevent the "summer slide."

Congratulations to our top readers this year: Matt Lyon (224 hours), Justin Sayman (188.3 hours), Ashley Rooker (151.7 hours), Kristin Cogshall (139.5 hours), Camaron Smith (133.5 hours), Eva Mae Rychlicki (84.1 hours), Zoe Meyer (83.7 hours), Maddy Liddle (80.7 hours), Karina Seeley (77.7 hours), and Kaitlyn Dattoria (77.3 hours).

This is only a fraction of the class, though. Ask your student what they read this year and help them pick up a new book for the summer. With the right book they will be able to open doors into fantasy, crime, adventure, sports, biographies, romance, history, science fiction; indeed, our whole world.



6th Grade Graduation



Jaeden Barriger



Pictured (l-r): Kaydence Schultz and Madelynn Kelley



Nathan Fletcher



Class Vice President Maddison Fleming addresses her classmates at commencement



Superintendent Rullo hands a diploma to Kaylynn Marade



Sixth-grade class President Trevor Warpus



Pictured (l-r): Morgan Rutherford and William Locke

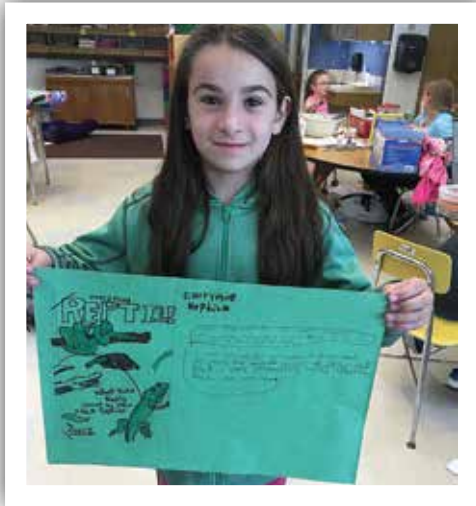
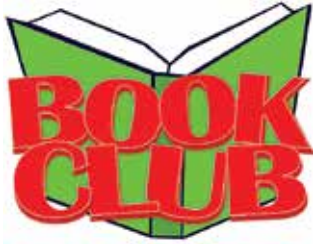


Pictured (l-r): Allena Rowe and Madison Nesbitt



After-school book club lets 5th-graders merge reading with artistic skills

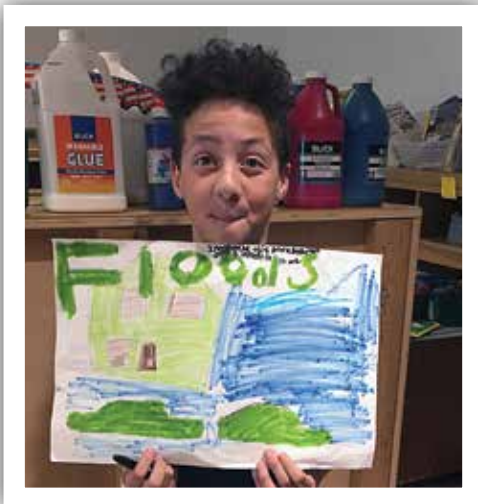
In Book Club this session, the fifth-graders made book recommendations for their favorite books. They drew their favorite illustration from the book and then wrote reasons why they would recommend it. They are super talented artists and have read some fantastic books.



Kayleigh Paff



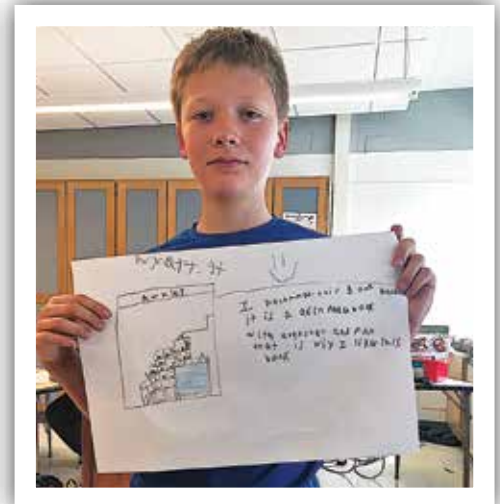
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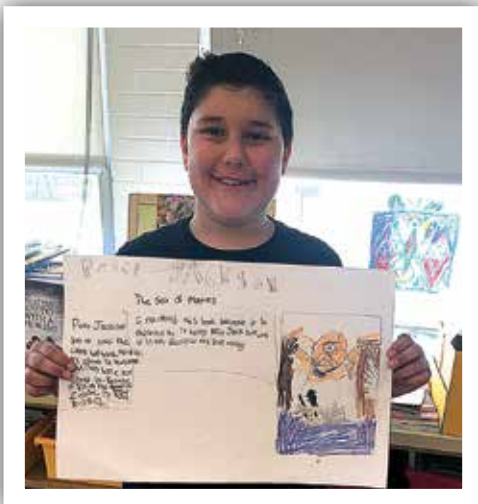
Keith Dunn



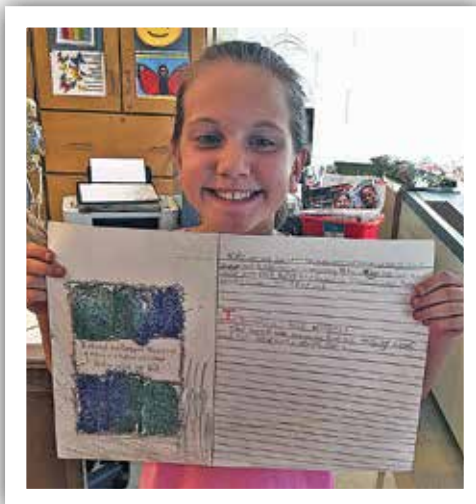
Alexis Clement



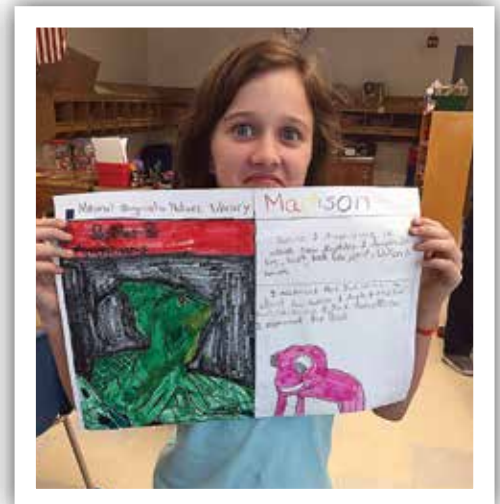
Wyatt Huizinga



Matthew Sanchez



Lillian Taylor



Madison Miller



Caleigh McComas

Team-building skills form the foundation of Art with a Twist program

Art with a Twist is all about team-building skills. Students benefit from each other with everyone using their communication, reasoning and strategy skills and coming together and creating marble maze games. For their final presentations, everyone takes a turn at playing each maze game. They can also watch another student play their game and help them by offering suggestions. While discussing how their marble game maze is amazing, they can also share ideas on how modifications to the game might make it better.



Pictured (l-r): Alanna Jones (in background), Caleigh McCommas and Damien Pease



Pictured (l-r): Jacob Rueffer, Caleigh McCommas, Jessica Fowler, and Alexander Affy



'67 alumni attend breakfast with Class of 2017

Each year, alumni celebrating their 50th class reunion are invited to join our graduating seniors for a breakfast reception on Moving Up Day.



Pictured (l-r): Russ Ives, Jack Villecco, Donald Stankavage, John Monta

On June 9, the Class of 1967's Russ Ives, Don Stankavage, Jack Villecco and John Monta joined our soon-to-be graduates for breakfast and a short program in which they addressed the Class of 2017.

Thank you for returning to your alma mater and sharing this very special occasion.

1967

Nineveh Public Library welcomes summer readers of all ages

The Nineveh Public Library kicked off its summer reading program on June 2 with the annual puppet show featuring Bruce Weaver at W.A. Olmsted Elementary School.

This year's theme is "Build a Better World." The show has been a big success in getting students interested in reading over the summer. The program features crafts, activities, and pre-set reading goals for the summer. What better way to keep the children interested in reading than having fun doing it? The reading program runs each Tuesday and Thursday, 6 to 7:30 p.m. from July 11 through August 10.

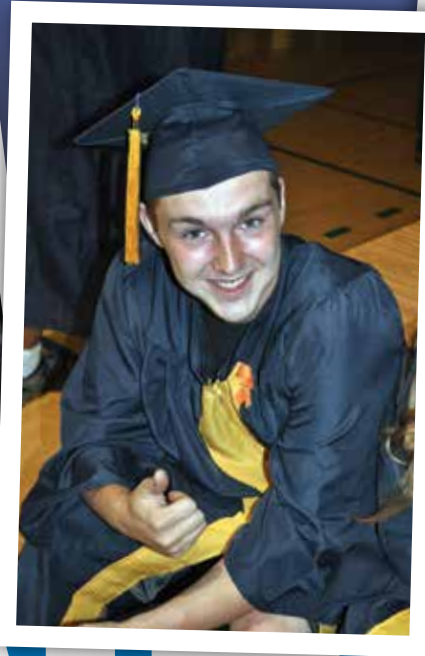
The Nineveh Public Library is welcoming summer with new books for all ages. The collection contains new best sellers with authors such as David Baldacci, Michael Connelly, Danielle Steel, James Patterson, Greg Iles, Richard Paul Evans, Diane Ackerman, Paula Hawkins, Pam Jenoff, Lee Child, Jay Asher and many more. New children's titles include early readers featuring Disney characters, "Frozen," "Cars," "Princesses" and many more. The library will be adding more to the children's collection through a books grant that features the summer reading theme. New non-fiction for children feature animals, machines and vehicles, outdoor activities and careers. Minecraft books are also available.

The library has computers and Wi-Fi available for public

use, and copy and fax services for a small fee. Upgrades include new desks, cabinets, shelving and a beautiful window overlooking the reading garden, making the library a beautiful place to be. Book collections are also being updated, so book donations are not accepted at this time.

The new Nineveh Public Library is located on state Route 7 next to the post office in Nineveh. Hours are Monday through Thursday, 12:30 - 7:30 p.m., and Friday and Saturday 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. You can contact the library by phone, 693-1858, or fax, 693-1358.





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Class of 2017



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Class of 2017



Board grants tenure to three

On June 12, a celebration was held during which time three faculty members from the elementary and Jr./Sr. high schools were awarded tenure.

The three included Caitlin Bedford (foreign language), Joanna Burd (business education) and Demetra Kermidas (special education).

To mark the special occasion, the Harpursville Central School District Board of Education hosted a small party for the three and their families, friends and co-workers to celebrate this achievement.

Congratulations to each of them.



Pictured (l-r): Joanna Burd, Caitlin Bedford , Demetra Kermidas

Students showcase skills at piano recital

On June 1, music teacher Nicole Cole and students in her piano classes conducted their annual piano recital to showcase what they have been learning during the year.

Each student had the opportunity to choose a song, which they practiced for the last month leading up to their performance. Parents, friends and teachers were invited to the Harpursville auditorium to hear students perform what they had prepared on the baby grand piano.

Everyone did a great job.

Piano class is an elective open to all students in grades 9-12 and has been offered since 2006.



Pictured (l-r): **Front** - Zach Turck, Takota Dunlap, Trevor Hanson, Crizabith Sceranka **Back** - Michael Pavlisak, Eric Wilkinson, Kaitlyn Dattoria, Kaylee Shear, Alexis Silfee, Tori Johnson, Rebecca Zhang, EvaMae Rychlicki, Melody Cutting, Dylan Faiella.



Air Force Math & Science Award

Noah Dann, Jacob Peterson

Air Force Scholar Athlete Award

Daniel Villano, Carelyn Decker

Air Force Technology Award

Robert Hosmer, Dalton Marble

Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award

Amber Birt

Clarkson University Achievement Award

Morgan Linkroum

Clarkson University Leadership Award

Trevor Hanson

DAR American History Award - Bronze

Tienna Avery, Jacob Peterson

DAR Good Citizen Award

Tienna Avery

Elmira College Key Award

Amber Birt, Emily Russell

Frank G. Paul Medal of Excellence in Math and Science

Tienna Avery, Noah Dann

Frederick Douglas & Susan B. Anthony Award

Morgan Linkroum

George Eastman Young Leaders Award

Emily Russell

George H. Ball Community Achievement Award

Amber Birt, Matthew Johnson, Courtney Phillips

Andrew Rucky, Emily Russell

**Kazuo Inamori School of Engineering
at Alfred U./CANY Award**

Trevor Hanson

NYS Comptroller's Student Achievement Award

Sabrina Gates

RIT Computing Medal

Brock McWherter, Emily Russell

RIT Creativity & Innovation Award

Trevor Hanson

Sage Student Award

Bethany Niles, Christian Noyes

St. Michael's Book Award

Bethany Niles, Trevor Hanson

School to Careers Award

Jacob Peterson

Semper Fideles Musical Excellence

Jacob Peterson

Triple "C" Award

Tienna Avery, Jacob Peterson

US Army Reserve Scholar Athlete

Jacob Horoszewski, Megan Grover

US Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete

Joshua Wilson, Makenna Hagerman

US Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence

Kaitlyn Doud

BOCES Community Service Awards

Criminal Justice II

Noah Barriger, Abigail Hunt, Joseph Whidden,
Christopher (Joey) Kiehle

Cosmetology II

Chloe Dodd, Kendra Riegel, Harley Silfee
Kayli Smith, Jenna Wayman

2016-2017 Perfect Attendance Awards (HS)

Alexander Bomboy	Jacob Peterson
Morgan Fleming	Ashley Rooker
Ashlee Howell	Kyle Rooker
Matthew Johnson	Emily Russell
Abigail Kelley	Kaylee Shear
Derek Mann	Destinee Thompson
Bethany Niles	Zachary Waterman
Braydon Pedley	Rebecca Zhang





Principal's List Fourth Quarter 6/23/2017

Grade 7 Kayleigh Cluck Kyle Colsten James Craig Jr. Justin Fargo Nico Hadlick Alexandra Hosmer Connor James Jesse LaDue Hailey Lancaster Jordan LaVergne Makenna Lowe Abigail Lyon Emma Marvin Ghia Medovich Alaina Neer Zachary Pike Joshua Powell Joy Putney Trenton Reynolds Caidence Ryder	Grade 7 Krysta Thomas Thomas Vanvorce Rheanna Wilcox Benjamin Williams Sarah Young Grade 8 Cross Brown Sara Brown Idaeah Campbell Ashlyln Link Audrey Locke Jamie McWherter Jr. Kyler Meisner Taylor Rutherford Colton Sakowsky Paige Smith Shyanne Stilson Payton Villecco Courtney Waterman Victoria Whidden	Grade 8 Sasha Whitney Joshua Wolbert Grade 9 Kyle Avery Riley Craig Logan Culver Kaitlyn Dattoria Tanner Hanson Samantha Lawler Riley Livermore Matthew Lyon Zoe Meyer Krysteena Race Megan Sculley Karina Seeley Kaylee Shear Destinee Thompson Yasmine Warner Mackenzie Whidden Sara Williams	Grade 10 Aubrey Cluck Christopher Dattoria Kaitlyn Ellsworth Nicole Fargo Morgan Fleming Annamarie Goosley Steffan Hanson Tori Johnson Maryjane Kappauf Abigail Kelley Colin LaDue Sarah Peterson Hunter Sakowsky Alexis Silfee Kailee Tyler Grade 11 Dakota Andersen Michael Bennett Amber Birt Allen Brozonis Jr.	Grade 11 Daniel Cower Manuella Diluzio Trevor Hanson Charles Huizinga Cassie Knickerbocker Morgan Linkroum Brock McWherter Bethany Niles Courtney Phillips Talon Rezucha Andrew Rucky Emily Russell Marisa Turck Joshua Wilson Rebecca Zhang Grade 12 Tienna Avery Cassandra Bakley Devin Butler Samantha Cower	Grade 12 Lexie Cutmore Noah Dann Carelyn Decker Kaitlyn Doud Dallas Fehrman Alexandra Fynboe Megan Grover Breanna Hoover Madison Hoover Jacob Horoszewski Ashlee Howell Ryan Kachmar Dylan Koranka Malaysia Lowe Liam Nannery Jacob Peterson Zachary Waterman
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Honor Roll Fourth Quarter 6/23/2017

Grade 7 Ryan Akulis Austin Baker Cayden Brown Skylar Clement McKena Giles Makayla Kelly Mackinze Meisner Chelsea Merrill Nelson Merrill Dakota Murphy Jacob Risoli-Clark Elijah Rogers Nathaniel Steele Brandi Thorne	Grade 8 Alyas Austin Edward Barber Jr. Sara Boyer Majesti Brown Justin Fleming Grace Floyd Jaime Gilmore Danielle Gausgruber Alexander Hoyt Allison Kelley Alexander Konidis Tara Liddle Saleen Medovich Dalton Sheldon Cameron Stone	Grade 9 Alexander Bomboy Kristin Cogshall Aylisia Dunaway Connor Hoyt Zachary Huizinga Mariah Loveless Selena Morelock Aiden Nannery Ashley Rooker Eva Mae Rychlicki Justin Sayman Camaron Smith Zachary Turck	Grade 10 Harley Bunker Noah Fletcher James Gausgruber Vanessa Groover Dixie Hadlick Brandon Hoover Lily-Anne Mauzy Jessie McRorie Mackenzie Robertson Zzakary Rolston Alexis Roys Dominick Stock Kerynn Stonier	Grade 11 Gregory Akulis Morgan Crocker Taylor Fish Brittney Hamilton Matthew Johnson Nathan June Abigail Livermore Christian Noyes Sean Snyder Bradley Wilson	Grade 12 Natalie Brown Haley Davis Chloe Dodd Autumn Elwood Sabrina Gates Robert Hosmer Jr. Brittany Hrehor Christopher Kiehler Jacob Lupka Dalton Marble Tara Merrell Garrison Paugh Devon Ritter Daniel Villano Dale Youngs
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Superintendent Honor Roll Fourth Quarter 6/23/2017

Grade 11 Amber Birt Allen Brozonis Jr. Trevor Hanson Brock McWherter Christian Noyes	Grade 11 Courtney Phillips Andrew Rucky Emily Russell Joshua Wilson	Grade 12 Tienna Avery Natalie Brown Lexie Cutmore Noah Dann Kaitlyn Doud	Grade 12 Autumn Elwood Dallas Fehrman Sabrina Gates Megan Grover	Grade 12 Jacob Horoszewski Ashlee Howell Malaysia Lowe Tara Merrell	Grade 12 Jacob Peterson Shania Swan Zachary Waterman
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7th Grade Achievement

Makenna Lowe – PE
Alaina Neer – Music
Trenton Reynolds – Math
Rheanna Wilcox – Technology
Benjamin Williams – SS , Jr Chorus
Sarah Young – Science, Honors Math, Eng

7th Most Improved

Shaelynn Beard – Tech , Jr Chorus
Cayden Brown – Music
McKena Giles – English
Nathan Javier – Social Studies
Makenna Lowe – Honors Math
Emma Marvin – Science
Elijah Rogers – Science

8th Achievement

Grace Floyd – Technology
James Hoover – Junior Band
Jamie McWherter – Physical Education
Saleen Medovich – Science , Math , Comp
Colton Sakowsky – Music
Victoria Whidden – French 1A, Algebra ,
Social Studies , English

8th Most Improved

Orion Beard – French 1A
Alex Brady – Social Studies
Sara Boyer – Math 8
Brionna DeVaul – PE
Aidan Ellsworth – Science
Alexander Konidis – Technology
Taylor Rutherford – Algebra , Jr Band
Hunter Scott – English , PE
Dalton Sheldon – Music
Paige Smith – Computers

7th Most Improved Overall

Makayla Kelly

8th Most Improved Overall

Tara Liddle

7th Citizen of the Year

Jesse LaDue

8th Citizen of the Year

Taylor Rutherford

Perfect Attendance

Cayden Brown
Justin Fargo
Makenna Lowe
Alexis Opel
Zachary Pike
Krysta Thomas
Rheanna Wilcox
Edward Barber Jr.
Cross Brown
Justin Fleming
Jaime Gilmore
Danielle Grausgruber
James Hoover
Ashlyn Link
Isaac Livermore
Jamie McWherter Jr.
Austin Wormuth

NYSAPHERD (Physical Education)

Jamie McWherter
Makenna Lowe



2016 Technology Club

Kyle Colsten
Jacob Risoli-Clark
Justin Fargo
Zachary Pike
Dominic Schwartz



Jr. High Student Council Student Assembly (7/8)

Lt. President – Victoria Whidden
Lt. Vice President – Saleen Medovich
Lieutenant Treasurer – Allison Kelley

7th

Kyle Colsten
Justin Fargo
Makenna Lowe
Abigail Lyon
Sarah Young

8th

Saleen Medovich
Victoria Whidden
Grace Floyd
Allison Kelley
Sara Brown

Year-end Awards

National Junior Honor Society



2016-2017 Membership

Rocco Arduini	Kayleigh Cluck
Allison Kelley	Melissa Locke
Joshua Powell	Kaylee Shear
Alyas Austin	Slater Collins
Kevin Killmeier	MaKenna Lowe
Krysteena Race	Cameron Smith*
Sara Boyer	Kyle Colsten
Hailey Lancaster	Abigail Lyon
Taylor Rutherford	Shyanne Stilson
Cross Brown	Logan Culver*
Jordan LaVergne	Matthew Lyon*
Caidence Ryder	Cameron Stone
Majesti Brown	Kaitlyn Dattoria
Ashlyn Link	Emma Marvin
Colton Sakowsky	Thomas VanVorce
Sarah Brown*	Wyatt Ellsworth
Riley Livermore *	Jaime McWherter
Dominic Schwartz	Payton Villecco
Ideaeh Campbell	Justin Fargo
Audrey Locke	Ghia Medovich
Karina Seeley	Yasmine Warner

Justin Fleming
Saleen Medovich
Courtney Waterman
Grace Floyd
Kyler Meisner
Mackenzie Whidden
Jamie Gilmore
Zoe Meyer
Victoria Whidden
Danielle Grausgruber
Alaina Neer
Benjamin Williams
Alexander Hoyt
Zachary Pike
Joshua Wolbert
Connor Hoyt
Sarah Young
**Denotes an officer in the organization*

NJHS new inductees

Ryan Akulis	Joy Putney
Jesse LaDue	Trevor Warpus
Cooper Smith	Amber Kachmar
Autumn Bolster	Allena Rowe
Alana Nannery	Sarah Willmot
Paige Smith	Madelynn Kelley
Madison Fleming	Morgan Rutherford
Madison Nesbit	Jayden Yereb
Jacob Stiner	Sophia Kondis
Nico Hadlick	

Invention Convention

Austin Wormuth Josh Wolbert
Paige Smith

Jr. High Interact Club

Krysta Thomas McKena Giles



National Junior Art Honor Society

Kristin Cogshall
Paige Smith
Victoria Whidden
Yasmine Warner
Saleen Medovich
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Paige Smith	Crizabeth Sceranka
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High school achievement awards

STUDENT	COURSE
Dakota Anderson	French 1
Kyle Avery	DDP
Tienna Avery	College Biology
Tienna Avery	Business Law
Tienna Avery	Microeconomics
Michael Bennett	Real World Science
Robert Bertram	Ceramics
Timothy Bezouka	Transportation Systems
Amber Birt	College Algebra & Trigonometry
Amber Birt	College Precalculus
Natalie Brown	College Sociology
Samantha Cover	Physical Education
Lexie Cutmore	Cultural Foods
Noah Dann	Public Speaking
Noah Dann	College Statistics
Noah Dann	College Calculus I
Christopher Dattoria	English 10
Haley Davis	Colesville History
Kaitlyn Doud	CL French 4
Kaitlyn Doud	CL French 5
Kaitlyn Doud	Participation in Government
Autumn Elwood	CL Drawing
Megan Grover	Academic Writing II
Megan Grover	Approaches to Literature
Megan Grover	Economics 12
Dixie Hadlick	Creative Crafts
Brittney Hamilton	Foundations of Algebra 2
Madison Hoover	CL Ceramics
Robert Hosmer	World of Technology
Robert Hosmer	Electronics
Zachary Huizinga	Algebra 1A
Abigail Kelley	Chemistry
Abigail Kelley	Career & Financial Management

STUDENT	COURSE
Abigail Kelley	Global Studies 10
Abigail Kelley	Algebra 2
Samantha Lawler	Algebra 1
Morgan Linkroum	Advanced Art II
Malaysia Lowe	English 12A
Malaysia Lowe	English 12B
Malaysia Lowe	Human Development
Matthew Lyon	ELA 9
Matthew Lyon	Global History & Geography
Matthew Lyon	Geometry
Brock McWherter	US History & Government
Zoe Meyer	Living Environment
Brandon Morden	Foundations of Geometry
Bethany Niles	English 11
Bethany Niles	Photography
Samantha Northrop	Advanced Art 1
Savannah Pasquale	Watercolor
Jacob Peterson	Senior Chorus
Jacob Peterson	Senior Band
Courtney Phillips	Microsoft Office
Emily Russell	French 3
Emily Russell	Physics
Emily Russell	English 11 Honors
Emily Russell	College US History
Matthew Scott	Foundations of College Math
Camaron Smith	Ceramics
Rachael Snow	Acrylic Painting
Kailee Tyler	French 2
Daniel Villano	Personal Finance
Zachary Waterman	Physical Education
Mackenzie Whidden	Sculpture
Sara Williams	Earth Science
Xinyue Zhang	Piano Class



Junior High Dance



Pictured (l-r): Luke Merrill (as the chicken), Olivia Weist and Tori Whidden



Amy Rigo and Adam Kappauf



Dancing the night away

Tori Whidden and Saleen Medovich



Pictured (l-r): Mackinze Meisner, Hailey Lancaster, Jordan LaVergne, Cheyenne Farnham, Krysta Thomas



Senior high dance





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For questions or concerns, please contact Cheryl Hamilton at 693-8124 or chamilton@hcs.stier.org.