



**Pictured (l-r):** Saleen Medovich, Jamie McWherter, Justin Fleming, Colton Sakowsky and Victoria Whidden

## All together at last, Class of 2021 send-off is a gathering to remember

This year the district continued the tradition began last year of holding an outdoor graduation ceremony. We were fortunate that restrictions lifted and we were able to hold one ceremony that all friends and family members could attend. This was only the second time the entire class was together as a group. Other than windy conditions, we were fortunate the weather cooperated to give the Class of 2021 a beautiful ceremony.

The ceremony began with the seniors being escorted to the track by the Edward P. Maloney Memorial Pipe Band. Stephanie Witinski, a Harpurville High School math teacher, is a member of the band and a Class of 2021 favorite.

As the ceremony progressed,

Superintendent Michael Rullo spoke about the accomplishments of our seniors and honored those students entering the armed forces. High School Principal Kristine Conrow then recognized the “Top 10” seniors, offering them words of wisdom for the future.

Salutatorian Colton Sakowsky thanked his classmates for the journey, talked about everything they have overcome, and finished by thanking his family. Valedictorian Victoria Whidden talked about her classmates and her family. She also took a moment to recognize Mrs. Conrow for her hard work and dedication to the students and staff at Harpurville.

After Victoria’s speech, Senior Class Advisor Leslie Whaley presented

Victoria with an iPad with pre-recorded message from her brother, CPL Joseph Whidden, a Duty Position Team Leader stationed at Camp Walker in South Korea. It was a touching moment for everyone at the ceremony, especially for Victoria and her family.

As the students received their diplomas, presented by Harpurville Board of Education President Mike Rhodes, Mr. Rullo announced the future plans of each graduate along with any scholarships they may have won. After the diplomas were presented, Taylor Rutherford led the singing of the Alma Mater to conclude the ceremony.

Congratulations and best of luck to the Class of 2021!



# Letter from the superintendent

Dear residents,

After a challenging school year of dealing with COVID, the Class of 2021 finally got a break just in time for graduation.

With about a week of lead time, we were given the green light to have an unlimited number of guests present on our campus for the Class of 2021 Commencement. The morning of Saturday, June 26, 2021, treated us to exquisite weather and a gorgeous outdoor venue that our seniors most certainly deserved.

Led by the Joseph P. Maloney Memorial Pipe Band, the Class of 2021 processed into our Alumni Stadium and was greeted by 400-500 supportive family members, friends, community members, faculty and staff. It was a perfect morning, and a beautiful ceremony where the love, support, pride, togetherness and true community feel of our graduation was evident. The speeches given by everyone, and especially our salutatorian, Colton Sakowsky, and valedictorian, Victoria Whidden, were heartfelt and smart. They thanked their family members for everything over the years, they thanked everyone at the school for supporting them, and then made sure to congratulate their classmates, thanking them for their experiences together over the years as the Class of 2021 and wishing everyone well. It was a most fitting send-off for a group of young men and women who are destined to have outstanding futures due in part to the preparation provided by our talented team of faculty and staff at HCS. As I shared in my address:

“Carl Frederick Buechner, an American writer and theologian, is quoted as saying, “They may forget what you said, but they will never forget how you made them feel.” Our faculty, staff, and administrators worked morning, noon, and night, sometimes seven days a week this past year to take care of our students under extraordinary teaching and learning circumstances. They took care of our students as people first and then as learners, always making sure our students knew they were cared for and supported. Our faculty and staff here at HCS are about more than just the “3 R’s” - they are loving, patient and kind. And, they are tireless. Thank you to our faculty, staff and administration for all that you’ve done to support our Class of 2021 over the years and especially this year. Our students will always remember how you made them feel and especially in a time when there

was so much uncertainty. You are appreciated beyond words.”

We could not do our work without the partnership of the parents, guardians, relatives, friends and entire school community. The support shown to our graduates throughout their educational careers, and especially this year, is beyond

impressive. The Class of 2021 couldn’t have done it without you, and we couldn’t have either. It truly takes a village, but our students deserve it.

Given our collective efforts, coupled with the diligence and perseverance of our students, the Class of 2021 is well positioned to successfully take on whatever comes next. Also, as I shared in my address, “College-level classes, Career and Technical Education classes, family lives, jobs, sports, clubs, musical instruments, community service projects, church-life, you name it – these students took it all on during high school and a pandemic. That’s one of the beautiful things about a high school graduation - there are so many different pathways that students can and have taken to get to this point today. But no matter which path they took, with some hard work and perseverance, it led to

being a graduate of the Harpursville Schools.

To the entire class of 2021 – I am really proud of you, we are really proud of you. I thought maybe a little Rascall Flatts would be fitting this morning, but lucky for you, I’m not going to sing. The words say it all:

“My wish for you, is that life becomes all that you want it to. Your dreams stay big. And your worries stay small. You never need to carry more than you can hold. And while you’re out there getting to where you’re getting to. I hope you know somebody loves you. And wants the same things too. This is my wish.”

I am excited about what the future holds for you. Just remember, you are in control of your own destiny. As Abraham Lincoln said, “The best way to predict your future is to create it.” Go get it, Class of 2021! Congratulations!”

We certainly wish our Class of 2021 all the best.



Michael Rullo,  
Superintendent

**“The Class of 2021 is well positioned to take on whatever comes next.”**

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I'd like to shift gears for a moment to recognize, congratulate and thank a different Class of 2021 – the HCS Retirees of 2021. Look at this list of amazing people who committed so much of their lives, both personally and professionally, to HCS:

**Kurt Ehrensbeck**, *music teacher since 1988*

**Michele Marinaro**, *elementary teacher since 1988*

**Laurie Moore**, *teacher aide since 1983*

**Teri Moriarity**, *elementary teacher since 1985*

**Donna Murray**, *elementary teacher since 1990*

**Dan Northrop**, *maintenance since 1990*

**Bernie Scott**, *transportation since 2002*

The commitment and longevity of this group is beyond impressive and sincerely appreciated. Congratulations to our retirees and many thanks for all that you have done to serve the families of the Harpersville Central School District.

We wish you a long, healthy and prosperous retirement!

We will remain busy this summer, preparing for the 2021-2022 school year. I'm excited for the return of everyone in our HCS family and to welcome our new students, faculty and staff into our community. Furthermore, we're looking forward to getting our capital project wrapped up before the start of school so that everyone can come in and see our new and improved spaces. Stay tuned for more info on that.

September will be here before we know it, but not until we've had more summer fun, rest and relaxation. I wish you all the best for good health, safety, and an enjoyable July and August.

Yours in education,

Michael J. Rullo  
Superintendent

**Go Hornets!**



## District communication guidelines

Frequently, parents and other community members request help in knowing the best way to communicate with the school. The chart below will serve as a helpful resource. By contacting the following people in the prescribed order, you can be assured that your questions will be answered.

For questions about	1 <sup>st</sup> contact	2 <sup>nd</sup> contact	3 <sup>rd</sup> contact	4 <sup>th</sup> contact
<b>Academics</b>	Teacher	Guidance Counselor	Building Principal	Superintendent
<b>Athletics</b>	Coach	Athletic Director	Jr/Sr Principal	Superintendent
<b>Behavior</b>	Teacher	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>BOE policies</b>	District Clerk	Superintendent	Board of Education	
<b>Budget</b>	Business Official	Superintendent		
<b>Building Use</b>	Administrative Assistant	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Cafeteria</b>	Director of Food Services	Business Official	Superintendent	
<b>Classroom Procedures</b>	Teacher	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Bus Behavior</b>	Bus Driver	Head Bus Driver	Building Principal	Superintendent
<b>Co-Curricular</b>	Advisor	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Facilities</b>	Director of Facilities	Business Official	Superintendent	
<b>Health Office</b>	Building Nursing Office	Grade Level Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Scheduling</b>	Guidance Office	Jr/Sr Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Special Education</b>	Teacher	Grade Level Principal (academics)	CSE/CPSE Chairperson	Superintendent
<b>Transportation</b>	Head Bus Driver	Business Official	Superintendent	



## Special Awards

- Air Force Math & Science** – Justin Fargo
- Air Force Math & Science** – Sarah Young
- Air Force Scholar Athlete** – Saleen Medovich
- Air Force Technology** – Austin Baker
- Air Force Technology** – Stephen McKnight
- Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award** – Justin Fargo
- Clarkson University Achievement Award** – Sarah Young
- Clarkson University Leadership Award** – Joshua Powell
- DAR American History Award – Bronze** – Victoria Whidden
- DAR American History Award – Bronze** – Kyler Meisner
- DAR Good Citizen Award** – Victoria Whidden
- Elmira College Key Award** – Mackinzie Meisner
- Elmira College Key Award** – Caidence Ryder
- Frank G. Paul Medal of Excellence in Math and Science** – Colton Sakowsky
- Frank G. Paul Medal of Excellence in Math and Science** – Victoria Whidden
- Frederick Douglas & Susan B. Anthony** – Abigail Lyon
- George Eastman Young Leaders Award** – Benjamin Williams
- George H. Ball Community Achievement Award (Keuka)** – Makayla Kelly

- George H. Ball Community Achievement Award (Keuka)** – Chelsea Merrill
- NYS Comptroller’s Student Achievement Award** – Imani Harris
- RIT Computing Medal** – Kyle Colsten
- RIT Creativity & Innovation Award** – Zachary Pike
- RIT Creativity & Innovation Award** – Sarah Young
- St. Michael’s Book Award** – Jacob Risoli-Clark
- St. Michael’s Book Award** – Benjamin Williams
- Semper Fideles Musical Excellence** – Taylor Rutherford
- Student Sage Award** – Thomas VanVorce
- Student Sage Award** – Jesse LaDue
- Student Sage Award** – Ghia Medovich
- Triple “C” Award** – Sara Brown
- Triple “C” Award** – Saleen Medovich
- US Army Reserve Scholar Athlete** – Ryan Akulis
- US Army Reserve Scholar Athlete** – Shyanne Stilson
- US Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete** – Kyle Colsten
- US Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete** – Abigail Lyon
- US Marine Corp Scholastic Excellence** – Joshua Wolbert
- Xerox Award for Innovation and Information Technology** – Zachary Pike

## Broome-Tioga BOCES Awards

- President’s Award for Educational Excellence – Trades/Plumbing II** – Aidan Ellsworth
- President’s Award for Educational Excellence – CAD & 3D Animation** – Stephen McKnight

- President’s Award for Educational Achievement – Carpentry II** – Wayne Lewis

# Outstanding!

## Perfect Attendance Certificates

Aliyah Campbell	Brayden Sakowsky	Kiera Licata	Justin Fargo	Joshua Powell	Colton Sakowsky
Aubree Eberly-Robinson	Matthew Sanchez	Jaylyn Merrill	Alexandra Hosmer	Caidence Ryder	Justin Fleming
Logan James	Jacob Wolbert	Alana Nannery	Jesse LaDue	Benjamin Williams	Payton Villecco
Hannah Livermore	Nolan Crocker	Gabrielle Riewerts	Hailey Lancaster	Sarah Young	Courtney Waterman
Casey Lusk	Madison Fleming	Allena Rowe	Jordan LaVergne	Majesti Brown	Victoria Whidden
Kylee Noyes	Joseph Florance	Morgan Rutherford	Makenna Lowe	Sara Brown	Jamie McWherter Jr.
Jenna Pierce	Kaiden Franklyn	Hanna Whitman	Ghia Medovich	Wyatt Ellsworth	
Brendan Pike	Amber Kachmar	Ashton Villecco	Mackinze Meisner	Danielle Gausgruber	
	Sophia Konidis	Dylan Willumson	Zachary Pike	Kyler Meisner	



## Rotary Academic Achievement Awards

**2D Studio Art, 3D Studio Art-** Mackinze Meisner

**Algebra I-** Aliyah Campbell

**Algebra II, English 10, Career and Financial Management, French II, High School Chorus-** Sophia Konidis

**Career Exploration, Advanced Photography-** Tara Liddle

**Ceramics-** Addison Lawrence

**Chemistry, High School Band-** Abigail Lyon

**College Academic Writing II. College Earth Investigations, College Microeconomics, Creative Writing-** Victoria Whidden

**College Algebra & Trigonometry-** Sara Boyer

**College Calculus II-** Colton Sakowsky

**College Microsoft Office, Life Skills-** Caidence Ryder

**College Pre-Calculus-** Benjamin Williams

**College Sociology, College French 5-** Sara Brown

**College US History 131, Physics-** Justin Fargo

**Economics-** Kyler Meisner

**English 9, Global Studies 9, DDP-** Brayden Sakowsky

**English 11-** Thomas VanVorce

**English 12B, Colesville History-** Saleen Medovich

**Foundations of Algebra II-** Ryan Akulis

**Foundations of College Math. Great Films-** Paige Smith

**Foundations of Geometry-** Ashton Villecco

**French I-** Gabrielle Riewerts

**French 1B-** Brendan Pike

**Global Studies 10, Piano-** Allena Rowe

**Government-** Sasha Whitney

**Geometry, Earth Science-** Jacob Wolbert

**High School Health-** Madison Fleming

**Honors English 11, College US History 130, French III, College Ceramics-** Sarah Young

**Living Environment-** Casey Lusk

**Pre-Algebra, Material Processing-** Cody Randall

**Real World Science-** McKena Giles

**US History & Government, Photography-** Connor James

**World of Technology-** Zachary Pike

## Colesville Dollars for Scholars

### SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Sara Brown

Tyler Doud

Danielle Grausgruber

Alexander Hoyt

Kyler Meisner

Saleen Medovich

Taylor Rutherford

Colton Sakowsky

Paige Smith

Shyanne Stilson

Payton Villecco

Courtney Waterman

Victoria Whidden

Joshua Wolbert

**Agribusiness Scholarship-** Kyler Meisner

**Tracie Livermore Scholarship-** Sara Brown, Courtney Waterman, Taylor Rutherford

**STEM Scholarship-** Victoria Whidden

**BOCES/CTE Scholarship-** Tyler Doud

**Business and Economics Scholarship-** Payton Villecco

**Colesville History Scholarship-** Victoria Whidden

## Section IV Character Counts Recognition Award

Ryan Akulis

Justin Fleming

Saleen Medovich

Caidence Ryder

## Triple "C" Award

Sara Brown

Saleen Medovich



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

**Math 7-** Abbygayl Baburchak

**Science 7, Boys Physical Education-** Jayden Deleon

**Honors Math 7, ELA 7, Social Studies 7, Music 7, Junior Band, Girls Physical Education-** Adriana Hartman

**Art 7-** Hope Kolb

**Social Studies 7-** Gabrielle Pawela

**ELA 7-** Amber Tyler

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Most Improved Award

**Junior Chorus-** Cyrick Brown

**Junior Band-** Jayden Deleon

**ELA 7-** Nicholas Farnham

**Science 7-** Elijah Fellows

**Math 7-** Presley Locke

**ELA 7, Social Studies 7, Boys Physical Education-** Lukas McKnight

**Honors Math 7-** Jessalyn Powell

**Music 7-** Davin Warren

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

**ELA 8, Social Studies 8, Art 8-** Abigail Afify

**Computers 8-** Elizabeth Ives

**Math 7/8-** Jonathan Prentice

**Math 8, Science 8, French 1A, Junior Chorus-** Jonathan Prince

**Music 8-** Devon Rowe

**Science 8-** Ephram Rowe

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Most Improved Award

**ELA 8, French 1A, Girls Physical Education-** Lily Barriger

**Science 8-** Daniel Clapper

**Science 8-** Andrew Fowler

**Social Studies 8-** Emily LaClair

**Music 8-** Nathan Riewerts

**Computers 8-** Devon Rowe

**Math 8-** Hailey Weeks

**Math 7/8-** Blaze Zylko

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Most Improved Overall

Bellajoy Brown

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Most Improved Overall

Louis Sophie

## 7<sup>th</sup> Grade Citizen of the Year

Gabrielle Pawela

## 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Citizen of the Year

Lloyd Byers

## 7<sup>th</sup> & 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Perfect Attendance

Abbygayl Baburchak

Jaelin Brown

Lloyd Byers

Lilyana Carpenter

Aryan Cower

Jayden Deleon

Elijah Fellows

Emily Gillette

Adriana Hartman

Emily Kane

Hope Kolb

Emma McWherter

Gabrielle Pawela

Jessalyn Powell

Myrakle Ray

Vincent Risoli-Clark

Molly Stack

Amber Tyler

Davin Warren

Leigha Wolbert

Blaze Zylko



Student Name	Subject
Trena Byers.....	French I
Madison Nesbit .....	French II
Zach Pike .....	French III
Sara Brown .....	French IV
Jaelin Brown .....	Jr. High PE
Brayden Sakowsky .....	Sr. High PE
Aiden Quick.....	ELA 7
Hunter Scott.....	ELA 12
Matthew Sanchez.....	Geometry
Hailey Lancaster.....	CL Precalculus
Victoria Whidden.....	CL Calculus II
Gabrielle Riewerts .....	Career & Financial Management
Victoria Whidden .....	CL Microeconomics
Hailey Weeks .....	Computers 8
Courtney Waterman .....	CL Microsoft Office
Gabrielle Pawela .....	Music 7
Leigha Wolbert.....	Jr. Chorus
Taylor Rutherford.....	Sr. Chorus
Bradley Bennett .....	Piano
Hope Kolb .....	Science 7
Lily Barriger.....	Science 8
Aubree Eberly-Robinson.....	Living Environment
Cassidy Bolster.....	Social Studies 7
Madison Wolbert .....	Social Studies 8
Alisia Granger.....	Social Studies 7/8
Sawyer Lusk.....	Global 9/10
Scott Spence .....	Global 10
Cross Brown.....	Great Films
Jonathan Prince .....	ELA
Elizabeth Ives .....	Reading and Writing Lab
Allison Williams .....	Pre-Algebra

Student Name	Subject
Aaron Moore .....	Algebra I
Elizabeth Ives .....	Art 8
Addison Lawrence.....	Ceramics
Imani Harris .....	CL Ceramics
Alana Nannery.....	2D Studio
Mackinze Meisner .....	3D Studio
Sara Brown.....	Photography
Jayden Deleon.....	Technology 7
Abigail Afify .....	Technology 8
Aden Hart.....	World of Technology
Dylan Willumson.....	Materials Processing
Aaron Clinton.....	DDP
Aubree Eberly Robinson .....	Global Studies
Tyler Doud.....	Economics
Victoria Whidden .....	CL Sociology
Joshua Powell .....	CL US History & Government
Trenton Franklyn.....	Social Studies 7
Emma VanKuren.....	US History & Government
Jacob Risoli Clark.....	Chemistry
Madison Wolbert .....	Science 8
Madison Nesbit .....	Earth Science
Liam Quick .....	ELA 9
Logan James.....	ELA 9
Payton Villecco .....	CL Approaches to Literature
Colton Sakowsky .....	CL Approaches to Literature
Victoria Whidden .....	Creative Writing
Imani Harris .....	Creative Writing
Aaron Moore .....	English 10
Keith Dunn.....	Algebra I
Kaylee Hines Heier .....	Math 8
Xander Quick.....	Math Honors 7
Jaelin Brown .....	Math 7/8

*Outstanding!*



# Jr. Sr. High School Student of the Month, June 2021

<b>Student Name</b>	<b>Subject</b>
Caden Hurlburt .....	French I
Sophia Konidis.....	French II
Jesse Ladue.....	French III
Victoria Whidden .....	French IV
Adriana Hartman .....	PE 7/8
Hunter Smith.....	PE 9-12
Gracie Bomboy.....	PE 9-12
Summer Rutherford .....	Health 7
Trenton Franklyn.....	ELA 7
Rocco Arduini.....	ELA 12
Sadie Backus.....	Geometry
Sarah Young.....	CL Precalculus
Taylor Rutherford.....	CL Calculus II
Donald Hoover .....	ELA 7
Aydin Marade.....	ELA 11
Zachary Pike .....	ELA 11 Honors
Imani Harris .....	Career & Financial Management
Sara Brown.....	CL Microeconomics
Keira Licata.....	Health
Abigail Lyon.....	CL Microsoft Office
Ephram Rowe.....	Computers 8
Karlee Gross.....	Jr. Chorus
Amber O'Connor.....	Sr. Chorus
Sophia Wright.....	Piano
Jessalyn Powell.....	Music 7
Adriana Hartman .....	7th Life Science
Jonathan Prince .....	8th Life Science
Peter Lyon .....	Living Environment
Lukas McKnight.....	Social Studies 7
Jonathan Prentice .....	Social Studies 8
Llyod Byers.....	French 1A
Ethan Marvin.....	French 1B
Sawyer Lusk.....	Global 9/10
Anickin Sprague.....	Global 10
Wyatt Ellsworth .....	Great Films
Elizabeth Ives .....	ELA 8
Adriana Hartman .....	Math 7
Peter Lyon .....	Foundations of Geometry
Madison Miller .....	Pre-Algebra
Lillian Taylor.....	Algebra I
Jonathan Prince .....	Art 8

<b>Student Name</b>	<b>Subject</b>
Trinity Brewster .....	Ceramics
Sarah Young.....	CL Ceramics
Hunter Smith.....	2D Studio
Gary Petroski .....	3D Studio
Aubree Eberly-Robinson.....	Photography
McKena Giles.....	Real World Science
Justin Fargo .....	Physics
Danielle Grausgruber .....	CL Earth Investigations
Jayden Deleon.....	Technology 7
Devon Rowe .....	Technology 8
Zachary Pike .....	World of Technology
Hunter Smith.....	Materials Processing
Jacob Wolbert.....	DDP
Matthew Sanchez.....	Global Studies 9
Tyler Doud.....	Economics
Shyanne Stilson.....	CL Sociology
Jacob Risoli-Clark.....	CL US History & Government
Hope Kolb .....	Social Studies 7
Mackinze Meisner .....	US History & Government
Ghia Medovich .....	Chemistry
Nathan Riewerts .....	Science 8
Alana Nannery .....	HS Health
Cheyenne Farnham .....	Sr. High PE
Lloyd Byers.....	Jr. High PE
Iyanna Backus .....	Home & Careers 7
Sawyer Lusk .....	Life Skills
Luke Kemmerer .....	Teacher Assistant Program
Brayden Sakowsky .....	Earth Science
Liam Quick .....	Earth Science
Tavish Miner .....	ELA 9
Cody Randall .....	ELA 9
Shyanne Stilson.....	CL Approaches to Literature
Sasha Whitney .....	CL Approaches to Literature
James Craig.....	Creative Writing
Kaitlyn Chapman .....	English 10
Ghia Medovich .....	Algebra II
Brandi Thorne .....	Foundations of Algebra II
Kyler Meisner.....	Foundations of College Math
Jaelin Brown.....	Math 7/8
Lloyd Byers.....	Math 8
Hannah Livermore .....	Algebra I
Xander Quick .....	Honors 7





## Grade 7

Brianna Hopkins  
Emily Kane  
Hope Kolb  
Presley Locke  
Lukas McKnight  
Brayden Osborne  
Charlotte Quick  
Summer Rutherford  
Harlin Showers  
Madison Stevens  
Logan Varner  
Leigha Wolbert

## Grade 8

Lily Barriger  
Kaylee Hines Heier  
Vincent Risoli-Clark  
Hailey Weeks  
Madalyn Willumson

## Grade 9

Gracie Bomboy  
Tristin Daniels  
Kylee Noyes  
Hunter Smith  
Lillian Taylor

## Grade 10

Sadielyn Combs  
Twyla Dodd  
Sawyer Lusk  
Jayden Yereb

## Grade 11

Austin Baker  
McKena Giles  
Ashton Hunt  
Jesse LaDue  
Jordan LaVergne  
Emma Marvin  
Ghia Medovich

## Grade 11

Mackinze Meisner  
Jacob Risoli-Clark  
Brandi Thorne  
Emma VanKuren

## Grade 12

Tyler Backus  
Cross Brown  
Justin Fleming  
Danielle Grausgruber  
Jamie McWherter JR  
Taylor Rutherford  
Paige Smith  
Sasha Whitney  
Dawson Williams

# Principal's List Fourth Quarter 6/25/2021

## Grade 7

Abbygayl Baburchak  
Iyanna Backus  
Cyrick Brown  
Tanner Bush  
Vanessa Card  
Jayden Deleon  
Nicholas Farnham  
Elijah Fellows  
Alisia Granger  
Adriana Hartman  
Skylar Hill  
Donald Hoover  
Gabrielle Pawela  
Jessalyn Powell  
Aiden Quick  
Xander Quick  
Myrakle Ray  
Amber Tyler  
Davin Warren  
Nathaniel Wright

## Grade 8

Abigail Afify  
Jaelin Brown  
Lloyd Byers Jr.

## Grade 8

Marcus Daniels  
Abigail Fargo  
Andrew Fowler  
Elizabeth Ives  
Emma McWherter  
Jonathan Prentice  
Jonathan R Prince  
Devon Rowe  
Ephram Rowe  
Louis Sophie Jr  
Jeanette Steele  
Blaze Zylko

## Grade 9

Trinity Brewster  
Aliyah Campbell  
Aubree Eberly-Robinson  
Addison Lawrence  
Brendan Pike  
Liam Quick  
Brayden Sakowsky  
Matthew Sanchez  
Jacob Wolbert

## Grade 10

Trena Byers  
Madison Fleming  
Sophia E. Konidis  
Keira L. Licata  
Jaylyn Merrill  
Alana Nannery  
Gabrielle L Riewerts  
Allena Rowe  
Hanna F. Whitman

## Grade 11

Ryan Akulis  
Kayleigh Cluck  
Kyle Colsten  
Justin Fargo  
Nico Hadlick  
Connor James  
Makayla Kelly  
Hailey Lancaster  
Makenna Lowe  
Abigail Lyon  
Nelson L. Merrill  
Zachary Pike  
Joshua Powell

## Grade 11

Elijah N. Rogers  
Caidence Ryder  
Thomas VanVorce  
Benjamin Williams  
Sarah Young

## Grade 12

Majesti R. Brown  
Sara Brown  
Tyler Doud  
Imani S Harris  
Tara Liddle  
Kyler Meisner  
Colton Sakowsky  
Kasey M Shoop  
Payton Villecco  
Courtney Waterman  
Victoria Whidden  
Joshua Wolbert



# CONGRATS 2021 graduates.







## Students have fun exploring interests at career day event

On May 26 and 27, the Harpursville Jr. Sr. High School held a Career Exploration Day.

Students were assigned to career areas based on their interests, which included law enforcement, performing arts, working with drones, culinary arts, business and finance, art industry, medical, athletics, auto tech, trades, and agriculture (which took place at Winsor Acres).

The students were treated to fun activities based on the career itself. Whether they learned how to investigate a crime scene, whip up a batch of jam, or interview some of our celebrity alumni, the students and staff were thoroughly engaged.

We hope this will be the first of many Career Days here in Harpursville.





## New inductees welcomed into National Art Honor Society



Pictured: Art teacher Ann McDonald

The National Art Honor Society is an organization that recognizes and encourages Harpursville's junior and senior high students who have shown an outstanding ability and interest in art. The program supports members in their effort to attain the highest standards in art scholarship, character, and service. It also brings art education to the attention of the school and community. Our members were busy all year making art, being innovative and sharing their creative selves both virtually and when possible, in person. As we closed the 2021 school year, we were able to recognize and celebrate these creative young artists at the 19th National Art Honor Society Induction. On June 21, 2021 we honored three seniors, Autumn Boening, Taylor Rutherford and Victoria Whidden. Taylor and Tori have been members since 7th grade! In 11th grade we had Mackinze Meisner, our treasurer and Ghia Medovich our vice president. 10th grade, Oliver Rutherford, our secretary, Alana Nannery, and Hannah Whitman. President of the NJAHS is Addison Lawrence. She will be moving up to the high school chapter next year. Our 3 7th grade inductees were Bellajoy Brown, Hope Kolb, and Jaime Prince.

Good luck to our seniors, we'll miss you. The rest of our members will continue creating next year.



Pictured: Senior Taylor Rutherford



Pictured (l-r): students Ghia Medovich & Mackinze Meisner





# Congratulations to our youngest Hornets







# Celebrating our graduates-to-be







# Learning to construct products out of wood is a rewarding endeavor

Students in the Materials Processing class recently completed a couple of great projects that simply must be seen.

Each student was challenged to make a custom picture frame of their own chosen design and materials.



Dylan Willumson's frame was made from cherry with pine inlays at the joints. Mikel Hill chose to make his from oak, and Cody Randall's frame holds

a photo of him playing hockey with one of the sticks he used to make the frame. What do you have lying around that you can make a picture frame from?



Adirondack chairs have been the focus of the last several weeks in Materials Processing. Each student had to craft a chair from three pieces of pressure-treated deck lumber (*purchased just before prices got out of control*). There is nothing more satisfying than relaxing in a chair that you have built.



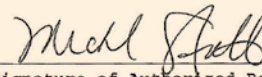
## Summer Food Service Program Media Release

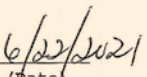
The Harpurville CSD announces its participation in the Summer Food Service Program (SFSP). Meals will be provided to all children 18 years and under without charge. In accordance with Federal civil rights law and U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) civil rights regulations and policies, the USDA, its Agencies, offices, and employees, and institutions participating in or administering USDA programs are prohibited from discriminating based on race, color, national origin, sex, disability, age, or reprisal or retaliation for prior civil rights activity in any program or activity conducted or funded by USDA.

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Begin Date	End Date	Meals Available	Service Times
07/12/21	09/02/21	Breakfast	7:45 am-12:00 pm
		Lunch	10:00 am-12:00 pm



## Congratulations to our newest National Honor Society members

The National Honor Society and the National Junior Honor Society held a hybrid induction ceremony on June 17. The officers of both organizations ran the ceremony with Principal Kristine Conrow and Superintendent Michael Rullo offering the opening and closing remarks. Special thanks to Abigail Lyon, president-elect, for coordinating the ceremony

### National Honor Society 2021 Inductees:

Trena Byers	Sophia Konidis
SadieLyn Combs	Sawyer Lusk
Madison Fleming	Gabrielle Riewerts
Nico Hadlick	Morgan Rutherford
Alexandra Hosmer	Kasey Shoop
Amber Kachmar	Jayden Yereb

### National Junior Honor Society 2021 Inductees:

Abbygaye Baburchak	Charlotte Quick
Adriana Hartman	Xander Quick
Gabrielle Pawela	Myrakle Ray
Jessalyn Powell	Molly Stack
Jonathan Prince	Amber Tyler
Aiden Quick	

The members and advisor are looking forward to working with these outstanding students. We wish the best to our seniors who have served the school and community so well!

and to Addison Lawrence, treasurer, for organizing the ceremony space.

The organizations are very excited to be extending membership to the following students based on their character, scholarship, leadership and service:



NJS officers (from left to right): Vice President Joshua Wolbert, President Colton Sakowsky, Treasurer Paige Smith, Secretary Taylor Rutherford



NJHS officers (from left to right): Secretary Brendan Pike, President Liam Quick, Vice President Brayden Sakowsky, Treasurer Addison Lawrence



NJHS President Liam Quick inducts his brother, Aiden Quick.



Superintendent Michael Rullo offers closing remarks to the ceremony.



## Fun, games, camaraderie highlight 'Moving Up Day' activities

On June 21, the 7th and 8th grade students celebrated Moving Up Day by going to Nathaniel Cole Park.

Students participated in a wide range of activities, including fishing, boating, kayaking, swimming, walking the nature trail, playing beach volleyball and spending time just hanging out and talking with friends.

Students also spent time at the concession stand enjoying ice cream, snow cones and popcorn. The concession stand was run by Harpurville alum Sara Williams. The students had grilled hotdogs for lunch, with one student even bringing his own T-bone steak.

It was no surprise when two additional Harpurville alumni showed up once we started grilling; lifeguards Matt Lyon and Alec Peterson stopped by to say hello and to make sure the food was safe for consumption.

Once we returned to school, student council provided ice cream to end a perfect day. The trip was a great way to end a crazy school year and kick off summer vacation!



**Pictured (l-r):** Hope Kolb, Summer Rutherford, Charlotte Quick, Kayleigh Sophie





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**The Harpursville Central School District Board of Education calendar for the 2021-2022 school year is as follows:**

<b>July 7</b> Reorganization meeting & regular board session	<b>January 12</b>
	<b>February 9</b>
	<b>March 9</b>
<b>August 25</b>	<b>April 18</b>
<b>September 22</b>	<b>May 4</b>
<b>October 13</b>	<b>May 17</b>
<b>November 17</b>	<b>June 15</b>
<b>December 15</b>	

All meetings are at 6 p.m. Wednesdays in the Jr. Sr. library, room 101, unless otherwise noted. If you require special accommodations due to a physical disability, please contact District Clerk Tabaitha Rhodes at 607-693-8112.

Meeting dates are subject to change.

**THANKYOU!**

Congratulations to our retirees and many thanks for all that you have done to serve the families of the Harpursville Central School District!

Kurt Ehrensbeck	Dan Northrop
Terese Moriarity	Laurie Moore
Donna Murray	Bernie Scott
Michele Marinaro	

Congratulations to the following for acquiring tenure in the Harpursville Central School District this year!

Paul Peterson	Judith Salton
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**Thank You for your School Board service, Mr. Dattoria!**

Check out the "Community" tab on the district website ([www.hcs.stier.org](http://www.hcs.stier.org)) for information about local program contact information for summer meals, volunteer opportunities and fun this summer.