



Sophia Konidis named Valedictorian

The Harpursville Central School District is pleased to announce that Sophia Konidis, daughter of Robert and Jennifer Prentice, is the Class of 2023 valedictorian. Graduating with a weighted average of over 103, she will be receiving an Advanced Designation Regents Diploma with Honors and Mastery in math and science, as well as a Seal of Biliteracy in French.

Konidis has been the class secretary for four years, and held various positions in Student Council, National Honor Society, Yorkers Club, and Biology Club. For athletics, she has participated in both field hockey and softball. Konidis was a First Team All-Star Catcher in 2022 and became a team captain of the softball team in 2023. Konidis was also involved in the New Visions Health Academy, a rigorous career exploration program designed for honors students interested in healthcare. Through this program, she gained over 120 hours of job shadowing experience from a variety of healthcare providers, ranging from oral surgery to diagnostic imaging. This program gave her invaluable experiences with patients as well as provided her with preparation for college.

After graduation, she will attend Syracuse University in the

College of Arts and Sciences, where she will major in biology in the Renée Crown University Honors Program. She is interested in pursuing additional schooling after receiving her undergraduate degree, possibly medical or dental school. She would like to thank her mother, for being her best friend and biggest supporter since the day she was born. She is the epitome of selflessness, kindness, and strength. Any person would be lucky to have her as their mother. Konidis would also like to thank her stepfather for giving her his incredible work ethic, for encouraging her to pursue her dreams, and for stepping up as a father. She thanks her siblings for continuously humbling her.



She encourages everyone to have an open mind and treat others with kindness because you never know what someone is going through. She urges students to pursue opportunities with no fear. The worst that can happen is rejection, and if that occurs, don't be afraid to try again.

Madison Fleming named Salutatorian

The Harpursville Central School District is pleased to announce that Madison Fleming, daughter of Brian and Colleen Fleming, is the salutatorian for the Class of 2023.

Throughout high school, Fleming has been involved in Student Council, National Honor Society, and Yearbook Club. Additionally, she's been class president for the past four years. She took opportunities to be a part of many of our sports teams including, field hockey, soccer, cross country, track and field, and basketball.

After high school, she plans to attend Elmira College in the fall. There she will major in environmental science and fulfill a bachelor's degree.

She would like to thank her family for their constant

support throughout the years and for always encouraging her to do her best, along with her friends for making high school a little fun. And a thank you to the teachers and coaches that have supported her throughout her high school journey at Harpursville.



Fleming's advice for our underclassman is to have fun while you're here, participate in clubs and sports, take opportunities to experience something new, and try your best in everything you do.



Letter from the superintendent

Dear Harpursville Central School Community,

First and foremost, I want to express my sincere appreciation to the board of education for hiring me, and for the warm welcome I have received from the faculty, staff, and community members. I am deeply impressed by the passion and dedication that I have observed within the district, and I am eager to contribute to its continued growth and success. At the events I have attended along with the classrooms I visited, I have witnessed an environment that empowers students and provides them with amazing educational experiences. I consider it a true privilege to have been appointed your new superintendent of schools and to serve the school district.

To provide some background, I have been working at Owego Apalachin since 2010. While at Owego, I was the executive director of administration, executive principal of secondary schools, and high school principal. Prior to that, I was an assistant principal at Maine Endwell High School. Finally, I started my career in education at Union-Endicott where I taught science and math in the middle and high school levels.

Throughout my time in administration, I have always believed in open and transparent communication. I encourage all members of the Harpursville Central Schools community to reach out to me with any questions, concerns, or ideas you may have. My door is always open, and I invite you to stop by my office to introduce yourself, share your thoughts, or simply engage in conversation. It is my hope that we can build strong relationships and work together collaboratively.

Dear Harpursville Central School District Community,

As I end my tenure as the interim superintendent, I wanted to take a moment to express my deepest gratitude and bid you a heartfelt farewell. It has been my honor to serve as the interim superintendent of this incredible school district.

I was welcomed with open arms by this vibrant community. I have been continually inspired by the commitment that each of you - teachers, students, parents, and staff - bring to our district every day. This commitment is what makes Harpursville Central School District a truly special place to learn and grow.

As I move on to my next retirement, I will carry the memories of my time at Harpursville with me. The moments of collaboration, camaraderie, and growth have shaped me both personally and professionally. I have learned so much from each of you and will forever cherish the relationships we have built.

I have no doubt that under the guidance of your incoming superintendent, this school will continue to thrive and reach new heights. I encourage you to extend the same warmth and support to him as you have shown to me.

Thank you once again for your contributions, your resilience, and your unwavering dedication to our students. It has been an incredible journey, and

In the coming weeks and months, I will be taking the time to meet with staff, students, parents, and community members to better understand the unique strengths and needs of the district. Through these interactions and your help, I look for us to establish a shared vision and set clear goals. To help with my transition into the district, Mr. Buyck will be staying on to share duties and to provide insights that he has gained as interim superintendent. I am grateful for my start date before the end of the school year, and the ability to work directly with Mr. Buyck.

I am confident that by working together, we will achieve great things in Harpursville Central Schools. I am excited about the journey ahead and look forward to getting to know each and every one of you. Your support, dedication, and commitment to the students that I have observed is the foundation to student success. I look forward to working with you to serve the students and the community.

Best wishes to you and your family for a wonderful end of the school year and a restful summer vacation.

Thank you,

Heath Georgia
Superintendent of Schools



Heath Georgia,
Superintendent

I am grateful to have been a part of it. I wish you all the very best in your future endeavors.

With warm regards,

Al Buyck,
Interim Superintendent,
Harpursville Central School District



Allen Buyck,
Interim Superintendent



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 st contact	2 nd contact	3 rd contact	4 th contact	5 th contact
Academics	Teacher	Guidance Counselor	Principal	Assistant Superintendent	Superintendent
Athletics	Coach	Athletic Director	Principal	Assistant Superintendent	Superintendent
Behavior	Teacher	Guidance Counselor	Principal	Superintendent	
BOE Policies	District Clerk	Superintendent	Board of Education		
Budget	Business Admin	Superintendent			
Building Use	Admin Assistant	Principal	Superintendent		
Cafeteria	Director of Food Services	Business Admin	Superintendent		
Classroom Procedures	Teacher	Principal	Assistant Superintendent	Superintendent	
Bus Behavior	Bus Driver	Head Bus Driver	Principal	Superintendent	
Co-Curricular	Advisor	Principal	Assistant Superintendent	Superintendent	
Facilities	Director of Facilities	Business Admin	Superintendent		
Health Office	Nurse	Principal	Superintendent		
Scheduling	Guidance Office	Principal	Assistant Superintendent	Superintendent	
Special Education	Teacher	CSE/CPSE Chairperson	Principal	Assistant Superintendent	Superintendent
Transportation	Head Bus Driver	Business Admin	Superintendent		

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Annual meeting results

- **2023-2024 school budget passed with 106 yes votes and 38 no votes**
- The purchasing of three school buses to continue to update our fleet passed with 111 yes votes and 34 no votes.
- Thank you for your support!
- The Board of Education members elected were: Thomas Fargo and Bernard Scott. Congratulations!
- Many thanks to John Dattoria for having served on our school board once again.
- Melissa Anderson will continue her school board term through June 30, 2023.
- We are grateful for over a decade of Melissa's service!

Thank you vote clerks: Debbie Winsor, Sharon Ticknor, Jill Andrews, Katie Ives and Amy Walker.

We truly enjoy seeing all of the familiar faces from our community on vote day and appreciate those of you that sent your absentee ballots in too! We welcome increased

participation in our school votes moving forward. Every vote matters. Thanks to those of you that took time out of your day to cast your vote!



Pictured (l-r) Superintendent Heath Georgia and Board President Michelle Noyes

Thank you from the HCS community

Many thanks for your generous donations this season!


We would like to thank the Whitney Titus Fund, Visions Federal Credit Union, Custom Fabrications, Parlor City Paper Box, Carroll Motors, ICS and Colesville Rotary! Thanks to those of you that participated in our can and bottle drive, for supporting our robotics team trip to Texas and to all of you that have provided generous support to our fundraisers and our graduation scholarships!

A big thank you to interim superintendent Al Buyck. His enthusiasm, experience, candor and wisdom have been truly appreciated by many this spring here at HCS.

Buyck happened to be in the perfect place at the perfect time late winter this year. We are so grateful he came out of his retirement from the BT BOCES district superintendent job and joined us here at HCS in early February! He brought much needed laughs and his calming presence during our leadership transition. His support of all of us - and our programs - has been comforting. We have appreciated his time, knowledge, experience, patience and presence. He truly made a difference in his short time here! We will miss you, and hope you slide seamlessly back into a relaxing

and healthy retirement, however, you will need to stay out of the sweets!

We hope that he will be proud to have been an administrator in our beloved district, if even for a brief moment in time, and we appreciate very much that he has supported Mr. Georgia in his transition. We are thankful for Mr. Buyck as we welcome Mr. Georgia!

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Top Ten



Front Row: Kristine Conrow, Karen Slesinsky, Trena Byers, Gabrielle Riewerts, Sophia Konidis, Madison Fleming, Michelle Noyes, Michael Rullo, Superintendent Heath Georgia **Back Row:** Peter Oberacker, Alana Nannery, Allena Rowe, Oliver Rutherford, Hunter Moffitt, Jayden Yereb, Jordan Wilson, Allen Buyck

On Friday May 12, the Harpursville “Top Ten” students from the Class of 2023 were honored with a luncheon at The Main Street Grill in Afton. Interim Superintendent Allen Buyck and Senator Peter Oberacker presented the students with certificates and keepsake watches as a gift from the district. The students were also joined by DCMO BOCES Superintendent Michael Rullo, Harpursville Superintendent Heath Georgia, High School Principal Kristine Conrow, Guidance Counselor Karen Slesinsky and Board of Education President Michelle Noyes.

Harpursville Top Ten List

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| 10. Jordan Wilson is attending SUNY Broome majoring in liberal arts | 6. Trena Byers is attending SUNY Broome majoring in mechanical engineering | 2. Madison Fleming is attending Elmira College majoring in environmental science |
| 9. Oliver Rutherford is attending the Culinary Institute of America | 5. Alana Nannery is attending SUNY Broome majoring in visual communication arts | 1. Sophia Konidis is attending Syracuse University majoring in biology |
| 8. Jayden Yereb is attending Global Power-Line Academy in Hollidaysburg, PA | 4. Allena Rowe is entering the workforce with a focus on art | |
| 7. Hunter Moffitt is attending SUNY Broome majoring in liberal arts | 3. Gabrielle Riewerts is attending Binghamton University majoring in english | |



Congratulations  *class of* **2023**



Senior breakfast celebrates Hornets of all ages

On Monday, June 12, Moving Up Day at Harpursville Jr. Sr. High kicked off with Interim Superintendent Al Buyck and Principal Kristine Conrow holding a special event in honor of our graduating seniors and the 50th anniversary Class of 1973. Our food services department prepared a delicious breakfast and various office and classroom staff members served the seniors on this celebratory morning. Stories were being told about their awesome class trip the days just prior, senior t-shirts were acquired and friends (plus staff!) were writing in yearbooks too. The reminiscent small town / small school feel was very much present from

cafeteria staff being asked to sign yearbooks to a school board member sitting with her parents celebrating their 50th year anniversary out of school! Harpursville truly is such a special place and we hope the students enjoyed this special treat in their honor, prior to their graduation day. It's not unusual for staff on campus to stop by to celebrate their friend or family member at this event, either. Guests joining the Class of 2023 were Class of 1973 members Tom Fairchild, Ron Clark, Jim and Lori Hawkins and Jack and Carol Martin. Board members Michelle Noyes and Kacie (Hawkins) Huston were also in attendance.

Following the event, the senior students watched a video that had been created when they were in the 6th grade! After they walked the halls of WAO Elementary to say a formal farewell to their former teachers and all of the younger students. Additionally, a special thanks go out to the buildings and grounds and food services departments for all of their hard work in preparation for all of our end of the year celebrations. They are a vital part of the Hornets team and these programs would not be what they are without them.





Senior trip takes students on special tour

The seniors attended their senior trip in the beginning of June and visited Baltimore, Washington, DC, and Hershey Park. The small group enjoyed the Baltimore Aquarium, a baseball game, a dinner cruise, multiple monuments, Arlington National Cemetery, and a full day at Hershey Park. Thank you to the chaperones Mrs. Rusnak and Mr. Blendinger for attending with the students.





Luau wraps up after-school program

The after-school program had a great finish right before the Memorial Day break. The teachers and staff really loved watching the students learn new things and grow throughout the year.

To celebrate the last day, everyone enjoyed a special Luau. Before the party started, Mrs. Haferkamp came to visit. She taught the students about what a Luau is and why it's an important tradition. She also told them about the fun things they could find at the Nineveh Library. A big thank you goes out to Mrs.

Haferkamp for sharing her time and knowledge!

At the Luau, students got to choose from all sorts of games and activities. They could try coconut bowling, get their faces painted, or make s'mores. They could also play a game of "I Spy" in the sand, enjoy some ice pops, hula hoop, or join in a game of musical leis. Plus, there were tasty slushies to cool down with!

The staff wants to give a huge thank you to the student workers—Jonathan,

Twyla, Emily, Gabby, and Madison. They, along with the rest of the staff, helped make the after-school program really special. It wouldn't have been the same without them.

Everyone involved hopes that the students had as much fun in the after-school program as they did. They can't wait to see how the program will grow and get even better in the next few years. Now, as summer begins, they wish everyone a super fun and relaxing break.





Tiny tassels: Pre-K graduation marks start of educational journey

Harpursville Central School District joyously celebrated the milestone of pre-K graduation. The youngsters, exuding pride and resilience, donned special t-shirts and graduation caps, inspiring the audience of loved ones. Their journey in

education is just beginning, but their evident enthusiasm underscores the potential these future scholars hold. Amidst applause and tears, these small students embrace a promising tomorrow.





Harpursville 6th graders ready for middle school

In a celebration of academic achievement and resilience, WAO Elementary bid farewell to its graduating 6th graders. They're ready to transition into middle school, having received awards for their notable accomplishments.

The students, surrounded by supportive families and faculty, expressed excitement for the next chapter of their educational journey. The district, acknowledging their growth, envisions a future filled with continued success.





Robo Hornets shine at VEX Robotics World Championship

Harpursville Central School's middle school robotics team, the Robo Hornets, made a strong showing at the VEX Robotics World Championship held in Dallas.

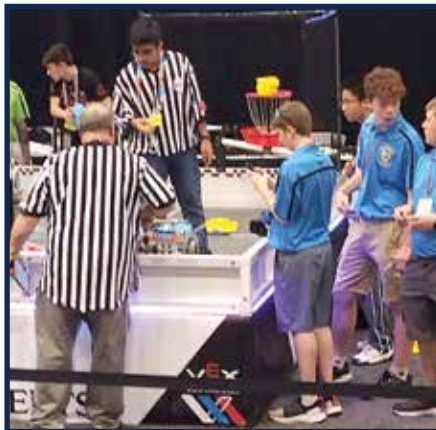
The three-day competition, called Spin Up and sponsored by the Robotics Education & Competition Foundation, started on April 26 and saw the Robo Hornets, compete against 487 teams from around the globe. Teams were broken into six divisions, each containing about 82 teams, and included 18 international groups hailing from countries like Canada, China, Australia, and the United Kingdom.

Representing Harpursville Junior-Senior High School were 13-year-olds Liem Donahue, Alex Afify and Jacob Rueffer. In preparation for the championship, the trio devoted three weeks after their sports practice, often staying until 7 p.m., to programming their robot for the autonomous portions of the competition.

Despite a hiccup on the first day when their robot exceeded the required 18-inch cube size, the Robo Hornets showed adaptability and resourcefulness by modifying their robot on the spot. They borrowed a drill from another team to adjust their robot, ensuring it met the competition rules.

The Robo Hornets displayed a strong performance in the 10 qualifying rounds, forming alliances with different teams from locations as varied as the United Kingdom, Arizona, Canada, and Shanghai. Their record stood at six wins and four losses, securing them the 27th spot out of 82 teams in their division. Despite narrowly missing the cut for the round of 16, the team fought hard and remained resilient.

The championship was won by teams from California and Shanghai, China. While they did not emerge as champions, the Robo Hornets showcased their determination and creativity. They're already buzzing with excitement for the next year's VEX game, Over Under, and have begun researching new robot designs and strategies.





Congratulations to the Class of 2023

The Harpursville Central School District celebrated their 86th Commencement Graduation Ceremony on June 24. The graduates were led into the gym by the Edward P. Maloney Memorial Pipe band followed by members of the Administration, Board of Education and Faculty. Salutatorian Madison Flemming and Valedictorian Sophia Konidis gave heartfelt speeches and advice for their classmates. Allena Rowe, Madison Nesbit, and Alana Nannery performed an original graduation song.

After graduation, there was a reception for the seniors and their families. It was a beautiful day and everyone had a great time. Thank you to everyone who had a part in making this day a huge success. The Harpursville Central School would like to wish our seniors good luck and best wishes. We are proud of you!







Seniors celebrate Moving Up Day

Moving Up Day was a busy day for seniors to end their high school career. They started in the gym with their annual breakfast, donning their new senior shirts and sharing breakfast with their peers, alumni, and members of the school community. Then they put on their gowns and walked through the elementary school with lots of cheers and presents. They played on the playground one last time then headed over to decorate their caps. A first in Harpursville history. Some seniors played on a slip and slide while others participated in other activities put on by the school. The day ended with the moving up day assembly. Best of luck to the Class of 2023!





Parade

The seniors class, led by Interim Superintendent Allen Buyck and incoming Superintendent Heath Georgia, celebrated by driving their cars through town in front of their families and friends. The Broome County Sheriff Dept., Harpursville Fire Department, and Harpursville School buses led the parade. Seniors and their families decorated their cars, trucks, side-by-sides, and even a motorcycle for the parade. Families and friends lined the streets to cheer and celebrate as the seniors drove by. Everyone involved had a great time.



Sweet Victory: students showcase skills in cupcake wars

Harpursville Central School District students traded textbooks for cookbooks in the thrilling 'Cupcake Wars' competition. Tasked with baking and decorating cupcakes, the students demonstrated creativity and culinary talent beyond their years. Judges praised the competitors for their innovative designs and delightful flavors, making the decision a challenging one. Despite the fierce competition, the real victory lay in the students' teamwork, determination, and the unforgettable experience of bringing their edible masterpieces to life.





WAO has talent

On Tuesday, June 13, WAO hosted their annual talent show for grades PreK-6th. Every seat in the auditorium was packed with students, parents and staff. Thirty-eight acts including more than 50 performers made an exciting show. Congratulations to everyone involved.



Harpursville engages top U.S. assembly speaker for in-depth drug education program

Harpursville schools recently hosted the nation's most sought-after school assembly speaker, Michael DeLeon of Steered Straight, to enlighten students about the dangers of modern drug trends like vaping, dabs, THC oil, and fentanyl.

Throughout the day, DeLeon held six separate training sessions and assemblies, each carefully tailored to suit its audience. Students from 5th to 12th grades were riveted by his compelling story, significantly impacted by the powerful message he conveyed.

DeLeon also facilitated a teacher training session and conducted a more specialized training for the School

Resource Officer (SRO), counselors, administrative team, and social workers. In addition to the invaluable learning experience, various informative pieces of literature were distributed freely to attendees.

The same day, Reality Check, a local adolescent drug prevention group, hosted a drug trivia game during student lunch breaks and handed out prizes and educational materials.

In the evening, a community night was organized for parents and local residents. About 70 individuals attended the event, during which DeLeon spoke again, reinforcing his critical message. Eight different community partners, including

mental health and drug addiction support groups and crisis centers, were present for support. These partners created a fair-style setup before and after dinner, providing resources and information.

Visions Federal Credit Union generously supplied pizza and drinks for the gathering, which created an ideal environment to kickstart crucial conversations between the community and students about drug use and prevention. This comprehensive day of education served as a firm step toward awareness and prevention in Harpursville.



VAPING ME CRAZY!
PRESENTED BY STEERED STRAIGHT, THE #1 DRUG PREVENTION ASSEMBLY IN SCHOOLS

Speaker Michael DeLeon
 Presentation for Parents, Students, Community Members, Advisors

Thursday June 1st
Schedule:
 Dinner 5:30 pm
 Presentation 6:00 pm
Please RSVP by May 21st

We are in the worst mental health crisis America has ever seen. In a culture that grew up with pills marketed as the solution for every human ailment, the threat to our youth is greater than ever. Your awareness of the current drug trends is vital to your child's well being!

This presentation will include:

- The dangers of current drug trends (vaping, e-cigs, marijuana, fentanyl, alcohol)
- The effects of drugs on bullying, mental health, & suicide
- Marketing tactics aimed at youth
- Receive free literature

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Community Partners will be present to support during dinner and after the presentation



Harpursville students discover Boston

At the beginning of May, 29 students in the Harpursville Yearbook, Student Council, and Yorkers Clubs traveled to Boston for a two day trip full of historic sites, yummy food, and a whole lot of fun! We experienced the amazing Boston Tea Party Museum where students were able to enjoy a reenactment of an historic town meeting led by Samuel Adams in which students were able to participate. A few students were even able to throw boxes of tea into the harbor! We ate dinner on a classic harbor cruise, went on a

duck tour, visited Quincy Market, the New England Aquarium, and walked to 11 historical sites around Boston. Thank you to everyone who made this trip possible including all of the parents who so graciously donated a boatload of snacks and drinks, the Harpursville Central School District and the Board of Education who supported us as we planned this trip, and of course to Mr. Lyon for being a fantastic chaperone! Mrs. Hendrickson and Ms. Fye would like to give a shout out to all of the kids who went to Boston with us. You are all AMAZING!





Honor Roll Third Quarter 4/6/2023

Grade 7 Iyanna Brown Elizabeth Conway Cole Hine Todd Ingraham Reina Kark Kaitlyn Murphy Joseph Risoli-Clark Carter Sherwood Owen Vandermark Lexie Welch	Grade 8 Alexander Afify Ian Colsten Julianna Hulbert Glenn Miller Lilyanna Snowball	Grade 9 Elijah Fellows Emily Gillette Charlotte Quick Rylan Steinbrecher	Grade 11 Bradley Bennett Ryan Kane Hannah Livermore Casey Lusk Nicholas Rooker	Grade 12 Hunter Moffitt Copper Smith Anickin Sprague Jaynesa Stokes Ashton Villecco
	Grade 9 Iyanna Backus Eric Biriki Kaylee Biriki Lilyana Carpenter	Grade 10 Maxamus Allen Lilly Bagg Jaelin Brown Karlee Gross Patiphat Wiang-In	Grade 12 Twyla Dodd Joseph Florance Amber Kachmar Aden Mika	

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	Grade 9 Kate Crum Elijah Fellows	Grade 10 Lilly Bagg Jaelin Brown Gaidyn Dahlgren Karlee Gross	Grade 11 Cecilia Boyer Keith Dunn Casey Lusk Makai Wilkinson	

Students conduct water analysis of stream

During the month of May, Mr. Strantz’s Real World Science class completed a water quality analysis of the Belden Brook just before it joins with the Susquehanna River.

Students collected aquatic invertebrates and studied them to determine if they were sensitive or tolerant to pollution.

The inventory of critters showed that the stream is not polluted from a biological standpoint.

Students followed up by completing a chemical analysis of the stream water including Ph, Dissolved Oxygen, Nitrate, and Phosphate levels. We explored how humans as well as nature can change

these levels and the effects they can have on the water quality. All tests indicate a largely pollution free stream.

This type of field work is a great way for students to begin to understand how human impacts affect our local environment while learning some real-world science in the process.



Pictured (l-r): Taylor Hood and Gary Petroski collect critters



Pictured (l-r): Kaiden Franklyn and Dylan Willumson collect critters while Ashton Villecco and Anickin Sprague move upstream

Principal's List Third Quarter 4/6/2023



Grade 7 Easton Bagg Braedyn Barton Natalie Dibble Maxim DiRosa Corrine Hine Kalen Kulas Harmony Mosher Zoe Naporano Peyton Paff Gabrielle Piester Hunter Prentice Isabella Prince Kaelynn Oakley Nolan Shofkom Hannah Walker	Grade 8 Camryn Boyce Devin DeVaul Eva DiRosa Liem Donahue Jayden Lane Katherine Smith Grade 9 Abbygayl Baburchak Kate Crum Jayden Deleon Adriana Hartman Brianna Hopkins Emily Kane Gabrielle Pawela	Grade 9 Jessalyn Powell Aiden Quick Xander Quick Kaydence Sandau Amber Tyler Leigha Wolbert Grade 10 Abigail Afify Lily Barriger Lloyd Byers Jasper Heier Emma McWherter London Miller Jonathan Prince	Grade 10 Isabella Ross Ephram Rowe Grade 11 Gracie Bomboy Aliyah Campbell Melissa Cantone-Gnyp Emily Higgins Logan James Brendan Pike Liam Quick Brayden Sakowsky Matthew Sanchez Ashley VanHouten Jacob Wolbert	Grade 12 Trena Byers Madison Fleming Sophia Konidis Riley Lindsay Sawyer Lusk Alana Nannery Gabrielle Riewerts Allena Rowe Oliver Rutherford Alayna Thomas-Atkinson Dylan Willumson Jayden Yereb
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**'WAO students
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Hinman's 82nd
birthday!**





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Dorney Park & Wildwater Kingdom



HCS music department spends a fun-filled day at Dorney Park to celebrate the end of the school year.

Riley Lindsay places 5th in NYS

Senior Lindsay Riley was a two times Sectional Champion in Division 2 for Section 4. She represented us well this year at the state meet and took 5th overall in Division 2. Congratulations!

