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### HIGH SCHOOL ORCHESTRA PERFORMS AT BRETTON WOODS

The High School Orchestra performed at Bretton Woods on Monday, November 4th. Bringing together our high school musicians with their young counterparts is always an enjoyable event! Students performed under the direction of High School Band Director, Leah Paese.















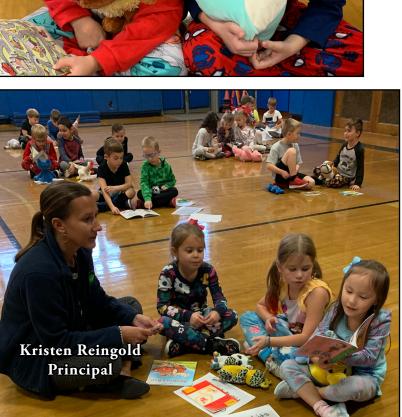




## FOREST BROOK'S FIRST GRADE READERS ENJOY A "READING CELEBRATION"

Forest Brook's first-grade readers enjoyed a wonderful reading celebration on Tuesday, October 29th! The students recently completed their unit on "Building Good Habits as Readers." Armed with their "Reading Toolkits" the students took turns reading to each other in groups. Some of our students even read to the principal, Kristen Reingold, as well as their teachers! As you can see from the photos, they are all doing a great job! Thank you Ms. Govits, Ms. Classey and Ms. Clarkin and Ms. Woolsey!











### FOREST BROOK'S ADVANCED CHORUS PERFORMS AT THE OPENING OF THE NEW STONY BROOK CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

Forest Brook's Advanced Chorus performed at the grand opening of the new Stony Brook Children's Hospital this past weekend under the direction of Ms. Gina Koehler. The chorus performed a Disney Medley which went along beautifully with the hospital's new theme, "Under the Sea!"

Each year, Forest Brook participates in "Pennies for Patients" which directly benefits the children at Stony Brook Hospital. As a result of their participation, the Forest Brook Advanced Chorus was asked to perform.

Thank you to our beautiful chorus and their families for taking the time to be a part of such a wonderful event!











#### Thank you Frank Bayer of Frank Bayer Photography for the wonderful photos!















#### FULL "DISTRICT CURRICULUM COMMITTEE" MEETS

The full "District Curriculum Committee" met on Thursday, November 7th at the Hauppauge District Office. This committee is comprised of two members of the Board of Education, Administrators, members of the Hauppauge Teachers Association and parents. They assembled as a full committee and then broke down into groups after an opening "ice-breaker" exercise.

Dr. Donald B. Murphy is the Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum, Instruction and Technology and heads the committee.

The philosophy of the committee is to act in service to:

- the Superintendent
- the Board of Education
- the Community
- the Students

The goals of the committee are to:

- review new course proposals
- review current programs
- conduct macro-level analysis
- make recommendations
- respond to constituents

Our Hauppauge Curriculum Committee "in action" is a wonderful thing to see!











### MIDDLE SCHOOL ENL STUDENT PARTICIPATES IN A "POSTCARD EXCHANGE"

At Hauppauge Middle School, Miss Femia's 3rd Period ENL Class participated in a Postcard Exchange! Her English as a New Language (ENL) student, Elsayed Elmonshed, was able to write postcards to other ENL students across the United States! They received postcards from 20 different schools in 13 different states. They also received one postcard from Canada!

Elsayed said that his favorite part "was putting postcards on the map." He learned about the different parts of a postcard, and he enjoyed looking at the pictures from the different states.

Miss Femia teamed up with another teacher from Illinois who coordinated this project. She said, "this is such a great way for English Language Learners to practice their reading, writing, listening, and speaking skills. It also helps them to feel connected to other students learning English across the United States."

Elsayed is very proud to show how many friends he made from different states!



### HIGH SCHOOL LIBRARY'S DISCARDED BOOKS GET A NEW LIFE THROUGH "BOOK FAIRIES"

As the High School Library has been updating its collection and changing its look, they have also been donating their discarded books to a wonderful organization called the "Book Fairies." The goal of this organization is to increase literacy across the metropolitan New York area and beyond. More specifically, these donations help to serve underprivileged schools and organizations to build their school and classroom libraries, host free book fairs and more.

Currently, our books are being donated to MS 202 in Brooklyn, NY. We've been told the school is thrilled to be receiving these books. Adult residents of DDI (Developmental Disabilities Institute) have been assisting with the pickups of our donations. It is so wonderful to see that our books continue on to serve new readers!





### HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS VARSITY VOLLEYBALL TEAM WINS SEMI-FINAL GAME AND MOVES TO THE FINALS

The High School Girls Varsity Volleyball Team won their semi-final game on Monday, November 4th, against East Hampton. The girls will now move on to the finals on Monday, November 11th against Kings Park.

Congratulations to this great team! Good luck in the finals! GO EAGLES!!!







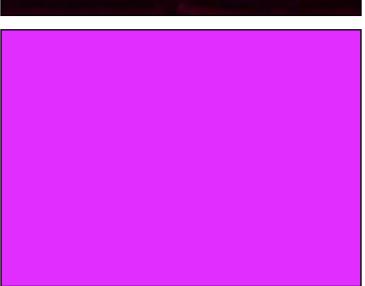


#### HIGH SCHOOL DANCE STUDENTS PERFORM

Students from the high school dance program performed a student choreographed piece, Body Love, at the Stage the Change Conference last week. The student choreographers, Galya Hecht and Jayci Gaudet, submitted their piece about body image and it was chosen out of 35 entries to be performed at the conference.

Congratulations to these students on being chosen and thank you to the Dance students for a wonderful performance!









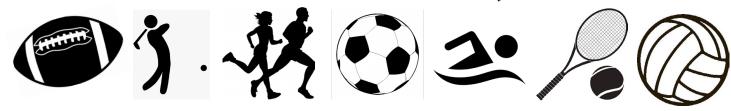
### BRETTON WOODS TEACHERS TAKE ON THE NEW YORK CITY MARATHON

Congratulations to our fifth-grade Bretton Woods teachers, Veronica Weeks and Tara Dungate on their recent run of the New York City Marathon! Their students submitted pictures that were then chosen to be displayed at the Jacob Javits Center for the Marathon Expo. Ms. Weeks and Ms. Dungate said that they were so proud of their students work!



# SPORTS TAKES FRONT AND CENTER WITH PLAYOFF ACCOLADES AND COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP QUALIFIERS, & WINNERS!

By: Dan Butler, Athletic Director



This past week the Boys Soccer and Girls Volleyball Teams both qualified for the County Championships in their respective sports.

The Boys Soccer team broke Amityville's 39 match unbeaten streak when Tim Hug scored on a header off of a Ryan Rush corner kick with under 2 minutes remaining in the first overtime period. The Eagles will take on Sayville on Thursday, November 7 at 3:30 pm at Diamond in the Pines. (Late breaking news... THEY WON!!! - See next page for story!)

The Girls Volleyball team defeated East Hampton in straight sets on Tuesday to advance to the County Championship match versus Kings Park on Monday, November 11 at 2 pm at Newfield High School.

The Boys Volleyball team will travel to East Hampton this Friday in the Semi-finals of the Section XI Boys Volleyball Championships.

After posting a 5-3 record the Varsity Football team will travel to Westhampton this Friday Night to take on the Hurricanes in the first round of the Playoffs.

Last weekend, Junior Andriana Zaphiris competed in the New York State Tennis Championships in Latham, New York after a third place finish at the Section XI Championships.

Members of the Boys and Girls Cross Country teams competed in the Divisional Championships last week at Sunken Meadow State Park with the girls team finishing second and the boys in 4th. The teams will compete in the State Qualifying meet this Friday.

Five members of the Boys Golf Team recently took part in the Suffolk County Golf Championships at Rock Hill last week with Freshman Grant Faber posting the low score for the Eagles.

Members of the Girls Swim team will compete at the County Championship level next week.

Girls Soccer dropped a tough decision to the eventual County Champions last weekend in the County Semi-finals.

GO EAGLES !!!

### THE HIGH SCHOOL BOYS VARSITY SOCCER TEAM WINS THE SUFFOLK COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP

The High School Boys Varsity Soccer Team won the Suffolk County Championship! They beat Sayville HS on Thursday night, 1-0.

Jimmy Walker scored on a breakaway with five seconds left in regulation to lift Hauppauge to a 1-0 win and their second Suffolk County Class A Boys Soccer Championship in the last three years!

The Eagles will take on Jericho in the Long Island Championship on Sunday at noon at Farmingdale State College. Congratulations and thank you for making us all proud! GO EAGLES!!!



### HIGH SCHOOL TEACHER IS RECIPIENT OF "POWER OF ONE AWARD"

Congratulations to Frank Hufnagel who is this year's recipient of the "Power of One Award." Frank is a teacher in our High School's Business Department and the advisor for DECA.

Frank consistently demonstrates his willingness to learn, challenge himself and take on new assignments to aid his students in being college and career ready. Frank Hufnagel is committed to the community he lives and works in. He is the teacher representative on the HS PTSA, the Middle School Football and Lacrosse coach, and he serves on numerous committees.

Frank will receive his award during the Power of One Family Fun Run Award Ceremony on Saturday November 16th.



#### MIDDLE SCHOOL SERVICE CLUB DOES SWEET WORK

Hauppauge Middle School's "Helping Hands Community Service Club" recently collected 45 pounds of candy to send to the troops. Club advisors are Jennifer Saltzman and Maryann Visnius.

The club is open to all students who are interested and have the desire to help others in service to the community. This program provides the experience of planning and carrying out projects that would both better the school and the Hauppauge/Smithtown communities. Some activities are assistance to Care & Share, cleanups and planting around the building, school displays and bulletin boards, helping the elderly and other projects relating to children and senior community members.

Special thanks to Dr. Jared Funt of Funt Orthodontics in Setauket for shipping their candy!







### Save the Date!



#### HAUPPAUGE PUBLIC SCHOOLS BOND VOTE

Wednesday, December 4th, 2019

2019 Capital Bond Projects - \$13.5M

High School - \$6,574,600

- Roof Replacement
- Construction of New STEM Lab

Middle School - \$3,477,000

- Roof Replacement

Elementary Schools - \$ 698,560

- Replacement Playgrounds
- Interior Door Replacements and Hardware

District-Wide - \$2,749,840

- Bathroom Reconstruction

Note: No net tax increase as previous debt service is expiring.

Please stay tuned for presentations and more timely information!

VOTE on Wednesday, December 4th 6:00 am to 10:00 pm at Whiporwil

> 495 Hoffman Lane Hauppauge



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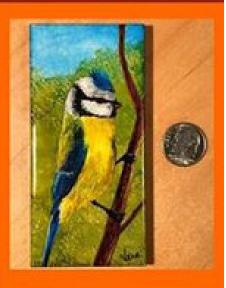
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