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HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT ATHLETES MAKE THEIR COLLEGE COMMITMENTS

Eleven Hauppauge High School Senior Student-Athletes recently committed to continue their athletic and academic careers at the collegiate level next year. High School Athletic Director, Dan Butler, said, "We offer our sincere congratulations to these outstanding individuals, their families and coaches and wish them the best of luck in their future endeavors."









Student Athlete College Commitments















HIGH SCHOOL STAFF, STUDENTS AND COMMUNITY MAKE SOME HOLIDAY MAGIC

Shannon Griffin, high school social worker, would like to thank the high school staff, students and community for their support and generosity in creating some "holiday magic" for families in need this year.

Shannon said, "This week, we will provide 42 children in our community with a little "holiday magic." Your overwhelming generosity has allowed us to provide gift cards/financial support to 20 families."

In the past two months, they were able to:

- Collect 45+ gift cards donated from our staff
- Receive 32 gift cards in the amount of \$75 each from Smithtown Children's Foundation
- Raise (through donations and fundraisers) over \$4,500.00

Shannon also said, "This all came as a collective effort of our staff, students and community. Thank you all for your support. Happy Holidays!"

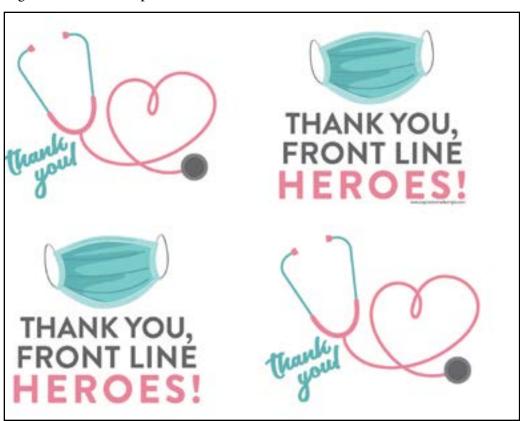


MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS SHOW THANKS FOR DOCTORS, NURSES AND ESSENTIAL WORKERS

Middle School students recently had a great day celebrating "World Kindness Day." Their group of monitors, Susan Annunziata, Darlene Martello, Renne Clavin, Paulette Grandov, Barbara Memoli, Janet Milessen and Lisa Abrahms, were busy creating and cutting out "Thank You" cards for essential workers.

Students expressed their thankfulness by writing out cards during lunch periods. Ms. Annunziata delivered them to St. Catherine's Hospital and St. Charles Nursing Home. A few of the Middle School staff members had family members who work in hospitals on Long Island as well and the will be bringing cards to Mather Hospital and Peconic Hospital. Over 350 cards were delivered to the various hospitals!

Thank you to our students for their thoughtfulness and appreciation of the work of our essential workers and thank you to our school monitors for facilitating this wonderful experience for our students.







BRETTON WOODS TEACHER IS RECIPIENT OF SPECIAL RECOGNITION AWARD

Bretton Woods fifth-grade teacher, Veronica Weeks, has been recognized as the 2020 recipient of the "STANYS (Science Teachers Association of New York State) Excellence in Teaching-Elementary, Anton Banko Award."

Mr. Gagliardi, Principal of Bretton Woods, was notified by Dominick A. Fantacone, STANYS President 2020-2021, that Mrs. Weeks was recognized at the recent 125th Annual Meeting and Awards Ceremony which was held virtually on Saturday, November 7th, 2020.

Due to the COVID pandemic, the in-person conference was cancelled for this year. However, the STANYS Association will recognize Mrs. Weeks during their next face-to-face conference in the fall of 2021, at which time she will receive her physical award.

Congratulations to Veronica Weeks on this wonderful recognition!







HIGH SCHOOL FOREIGN LANGUAGE STUDENTS ENJOY SOME TIME OUTDOORS

With weather permitting, Herr Sidwell and Mme Pavlides were able to take their German 2 and French 2 students on a nature walk around the school grounds.

The students learned how to talk about the environment of the school grounds in both languages. After the walk, they took some time to teach each other a few words in their respective languages!

Here are some nice photos of their time outdoors.







MUSIC STUDENTS ARE CHOSEN TO PARTICIPATE IN "ALL-COUNTY MUSIC ENSEMBLES"

The Fine and Performing Arts Department would like to recognize the following students for being selected to participate in the All-County Music Ensembles. Although the festivals are not able to be held in-person this year, we are still very proud of these students and their teachers for being recognized for their outstanding musicianship here in Suffolk County. Congratulations!

NYSCAME/Suffolk All-County Division IV

Marco Ingrassia Jillian Orellano Rachel Ma Shivani Rao Gracie Greene Ligia Camacho-Lopez Aidan Lobenstein Noah Schwartzapfel Luca Iallonardi Valerie Iacobsen Danielle Liu
Alex Krilovitch
Kathryn Dolce
Kevin Drake
Vincent Gerardi
Elizabeth Combs

SCMEA All-County Division III - High School

Joseph Mathew Gabriella Misciagna Matthew Partridge Emily Winiarz Nicholas Oliveto Chiara Henselder Louis Zara Michael Singh Alexa Ingrassia Sydney Paolillo Ben Capilets Satvik Karanam Jesse Ramos Danielle Stallone Rocco Caminiti Adrianna Faraguna

SCMEA All-County Division I & II - Middle School

John Avlonitis
Sravya Karanam
Katelyn Oliveto
Angelina Almonacy
Chanelle Young
Lexi Sznurkowski
Silas Lobenstein
Lilian Torres
Katie Park
Rowan Ashby

Sophia Cotgreave
Emilia DeLuca
Kai Wilson
Lina Cambardella
Hayley Morello
Mackenna Hogan
Julia Supper
Allison Winiarz
Angelina Clemente
Bella Almonte

Alexa Oliveto
Sri Sagiraju
John Thomas Kogel
Peyton Kulesa
Pranav Vijayababu
Mia Fischetti
Julianna Stallone
Jacob Solomon
Brady Park



HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT IS GIVING BACK DURING THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

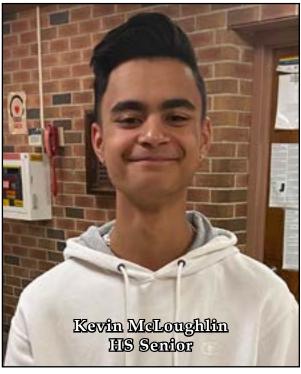
Kevin McLoughlin is a high school senior. He recently heard of a nice way to give back and do something good during the holidays, especially this year with COVID.

This is Kevin's first year collecting "Toys for Tots." He first purchased toys himself to donate, but with his interest in cars, he started collecting from the car shows he attends throughout Long Island. Kevin has even gone so far as to decorate his car to signify he is working to make Christmas happy for those in need by collecting for "Toys for Tots."

Thank you, Kevin, for your work in making Christmas bright for children in need. You are a true example of kindness and compassion towards others.









SUFFOLK TRANSPORTATION MAKES DONATION TO HELP FAMILIES IN OUR COMMUNITY

Suffolk Transportation recently made a donation of twenty-five, one-hundred dollar Target gift cards for families in our community, in lieu of their traditional holiday party.

Terri Massa, Transportation Supervisor for Suffolk Transportation, presented Dr. Carolyn Probst, Assistant to the Superintendent for Educational Services and Student Outcomes, with these much appreciated gift cards. We thank them for their support of the Hauppauge community.





HAUPPAUGE HIGH SCHOOL DECORATES TREES WITH AN "EAGLE" THEME

Hauppauge high school holiday spirit is in full swing, but not without a nod to our Eagle school mascot. Principal, Chris Cook, is proud to share these festive holiday trees at the high school.





HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AND STAFF GET INTO THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT

Hauppauge high school students and staff are getting into the holiday spirit this week! Here are some great photos of the fun!

Thank you to Denise Mallandruccolo for these great photos!







HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS DEBUT THEIR LATEST EPISODE OF "EAGLE WATCH"

High school broadcasting students have debuted another great episode of "Eagle Watch" which you can view by <u>clicking here!</u> These students work hard to bring us the news, and fun, from the high school. They are:

Olivia Accardi Loriann Connolly Sam Babich Madison Traverzo Albert Citro Justin Iavaroni Jake DiVilio Steven Campi Anna Feron Zack DelGiudice Nick Hug Tim Hug Gianna Dickson Alex Ferreri Robbie Vermillio Hayden Thaler Sarah Contreras Jake Ahearn Kevin Zembrzycki



MIDDLE SCHOOL ELVES CREATE SOME FANTASTIC HOLIDAY SPIRIT FOR THE STUDENTS

Our middle school elves were busy recently creating some wonderful holiday spirit for the students! Our elves have names and they are:

Susan Annunziata DarleneMartello Paulette Grandov Barbara Memoli Lisa Abrams Renee Clavin

Thank you for making the holidays bright for our students! Please enjoy their fantastic handiwork below!





Middle School Decorations







ELEMENTARY STUDENTS ENJOY THE HOLIDAY SPIRIT

Our elementary students at Bretton Woods, Forest Brook and the Pines are enjoying the holiday spirit! The Pines even had a visit from the Grinch! Here are some great photos of their holiday fun!







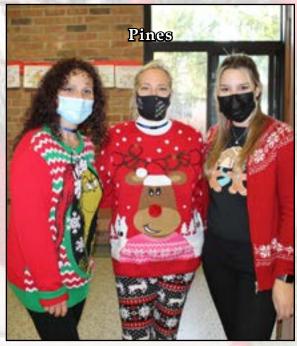


















One more photo from Mrs. Silbert's Class at the Middle School of their Winter Wonderland!





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