

PINES, FOREST BROOK AND BRETTON WOODS MATH STUDENTS COMPETE IN FIRST ANNUAL “HAUPPAUGE ELEMENTARY MATH COMPETITION”

On Thursday, May 20th, Pines, Forest Brook and Bretton Woods 4th and 5th grade students competed in the First Annual “Hauppauge Elementary Math Competition.” The students were extremely excited and enthusiastic. All of the students who competed used complex thinking skills to complete challenging questions and they should be extremely proud of themselves! They worked hard, challenged themselves and learned that hard work pays off!

Listed below are the students from each school who competed and those who placed.

Pines Elementary School

Grade 4

Parker Sudama - 1st place	Vincent Sellitto
Sklyar Dill - 2nd place	Brendan Sottile
Ashlyn Matthew - 3rd place	Siddarth Murugesan
Michael Gerber	Brendan Magill
Mia Green	Nicholas Andromanakos
Ali Koster	Maxwell Kwayke
Rebecca Millman	Tyler Levine
Savannah Gardiner	Klye Lewandowski
	Dominick Mroczkowski

Grade 5

Sarah Ruple - 1st Place
Johnny Irwin - 2nd place
Chloe Coughlin - 3rd place tie
Jenna Aversa - 3rd Place tie
Aaron Kyle
Joseph Kaydanov
Devin Massa
Ayra Rhimie
Brayden Brown
Brooke Kniesel
Kyle Wor



Pines Grade 4 Math Students with
Math Teacher, Christine Racioppi



Pines Grade 5 Math Students with
Math Teacher, Christine Racioppi

ELEMENTARY MATH COMPETITION

Forest Brook Elementary School

Grade 4

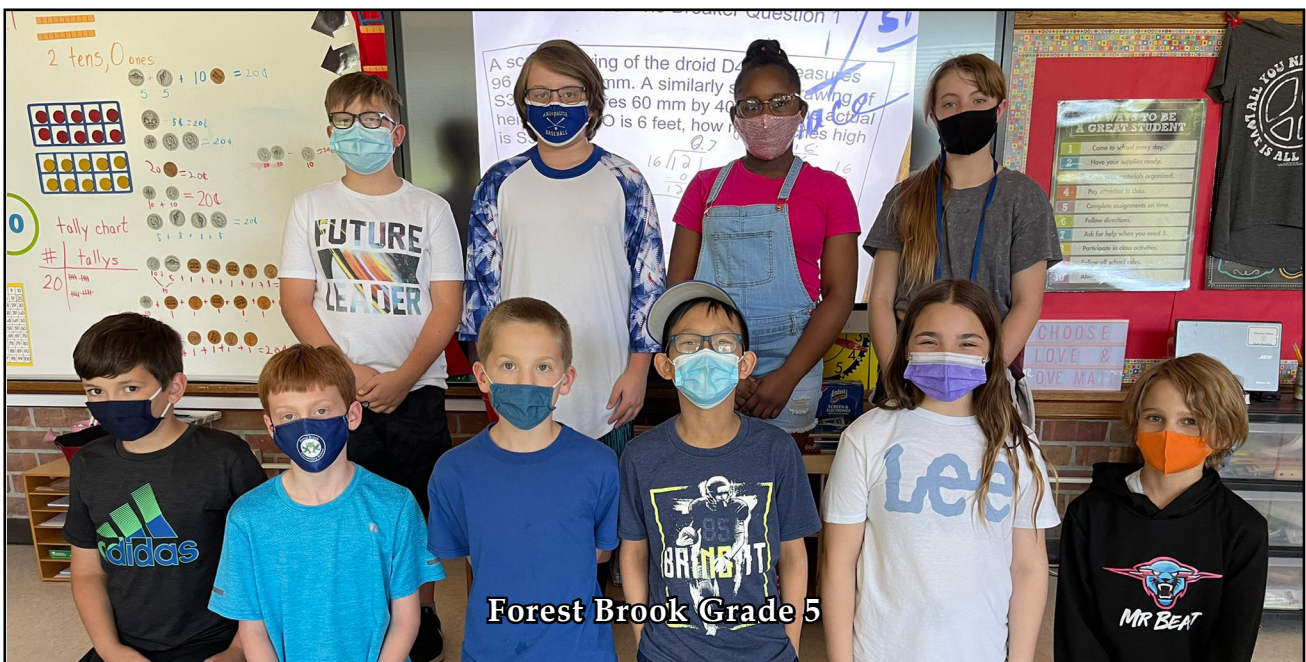
Daniel Paolillo - 1st place
Nicole Dorsey - 2nd place
Evan Feinblum - 3rd place
Michael Messana - 3rd place
Ryan Tjersland,
Jake Collins
Juliet Sawitsky
Eva Stein
Shourya Rathi
Landon Kerley
Brian McCann
Bushra Sadiq

Grade 5

Luke Starace - 1st place
Troy Madison - 2nd place
Christian Casiano - 2nd place
Margaret Egbert - 3rd place
Joseph Le
Zachary Veritzan
Kalealani Holmes
Luke Martinovich
Matthew Michels
Violet Shapiro



Forest Brook Grade 4



Forest Brook Grade 5

ELEMENTARY MATH COMPETITION

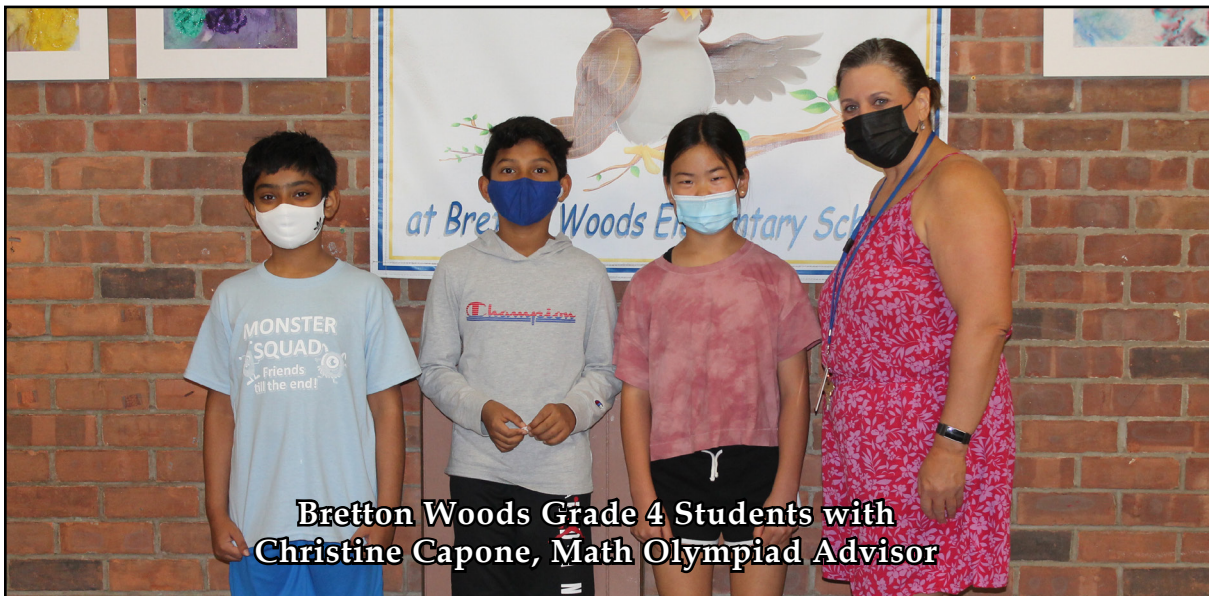
Bretton Woods Elementary School

Grade 4

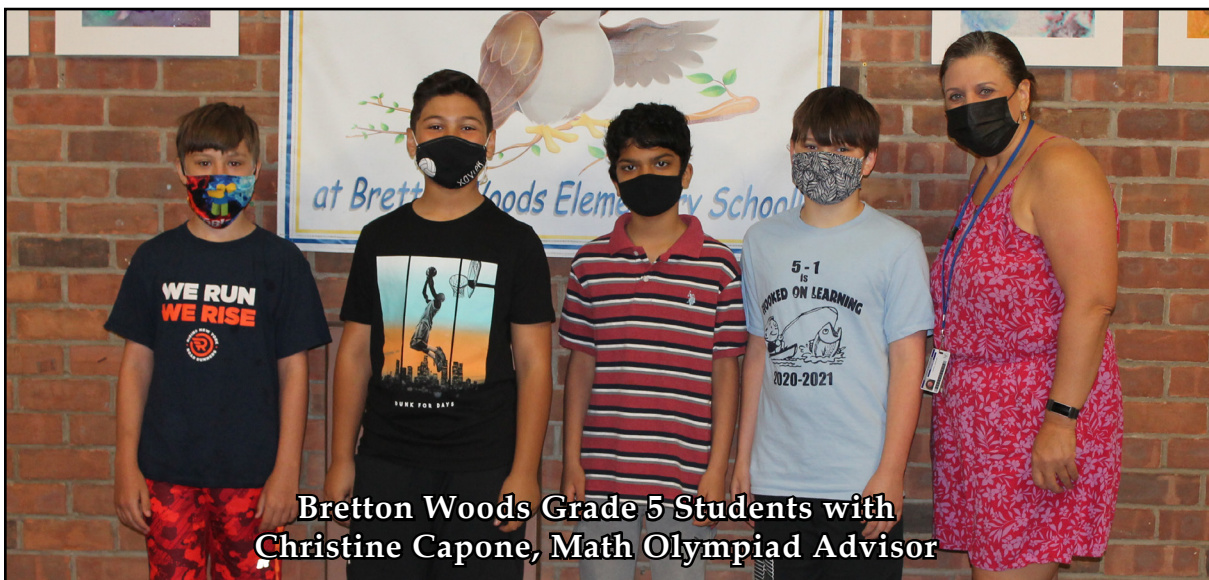
Nicolas Cano - 1st Place
Saujas Swar - 2nd Place
Esther Kim - 3rd Place
Ashwin Ronanki - 4th Place
Mihir Sathish Kumar - 5th Place
Zachary Dapaah
Mason Ferrieri
Vaibhavi Hegde
Reyhan Kurtoglu

Grade 5

Atharv Prabhu - 1st Place
Keegan O'Connell - 2nd Place
Christian Monahan - 3rd Place
Dhanvin Damineni - 4th Place
Xavier Chavez - 5th Place
Sahmuel Babyak
Michael Gallarello
Stephen Gregory
Ethan Lee
Logan Neglia
Lloyd Shin
Steven Tola
Gabrielle Cane
Madison Daley



**Bretton Woods Grade 4 Students with
Christine Capone, Math Olympiad Advisor**



**Bretton Woods Grade 5 Students with
Christine Capone, Math Olympiad Advisor**

LONG ISLAND SCIENCE CONGRESS ANNOUNCES SENIOR DIVISION AWARDS

The Long Island Science Congress announced this week the results of the Senior Division of their recent virtual competition. Students created Google Slides to showcase their research and made a five-minute video explaining what they had done while sharing the slides.

The following students in Ms. Joscelyn Handley-Pendelton's Science Research class received awards:

Jalaj Mehta

Honors with Monetary Award

"Enhancing the Flame Retardancy of Low Concentrations of
Biodegradable Poly (vinyl alcohol) Hydrogels"

Honors with monetary award

Aaryan Chandra

Meritorious Award

"Collecting, Modeling, and Analyzing the data for
NEO Asteroid 481394 (2006 SF6)"

Keertana Madhira & Alexeus Ruland

Achievement Award

"Evaluation of Institutional Pathways for Receiving Help for
Mental Health Assistance"

Laura Lima

Honorable Mention

"A Field Study of Water Quality on Long Island in Relation to
Proximity of Industrial/Utility Zones"

Varsha Saravanan

Honorable Mention

"Baseline Framework for Assessing Community Resilience in the
Mill River Watershed, Nassau County, NY"

Congratulations to our Science Research students on their achievements. Despite all of the challenges this year, it was a successful year for them.



Long Island Science Congress, Inc.

ALEXANDER VASILAKOPOULOS IS RECIPIENT OF “AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF TEACHERS OF FRENCH” SCHOLARSHIP

Congratulations to High School Senior and Salutatorian, Alexander Vasilakopoulos on being announced as the recipient of the “American Association Teachers of French - K. Lyons Memorial Scholarship.” Alex will be presented with his award on Senior Awards Night.

On being selected to receive this scholarship, Alex said, “It is such an honor to be a recipient of this award. Learning about the French language and all of the culture associated with it has not only gifted me with a more global perspective, but it has changed me as a person. For this, I am forever grateful. More so, I am thankful for the French teachers who have proudly shown me their passion for both the language and the culture and passed it on to me. I want to give a special thank you to Madame Rigaud. Teaching the actual course material is hard to begin with, yet Madame was able to do this expertly in addition to exciting her students about French culture and continuing to offer us support and guidance. I have been fortunate to have her for the last four years and we even traveled to France together last February. Madame, il y a tant à vous remercier: votre aide, votre gentillesse, et le plus important, tout ce que vous m’avez donné. Vous avez changé ma vie pour le mieux. I would also like to thank all of the French teachers out there for their continued effort and dedication to teaching this language and passing on their passion for it. I am so excited to continue studying French next year in college and I am certain that it will remain an integral part of my life. Merci à tous!”



**High School Senior, Alex Vasilakopoulos and
his French Teacher, Madame Rigaud,
on top of the Roman Arena in Nîmes, France
in February, 2020**

PINES FIFTH-GRADERS BATTLE IT OUT IN "BATTLE OF THE CLASSES"

For the first time ever, Pines 5th-graders took on each other in an epic "Battle of the Classes!" It was a huge success!

The following classes participated with their team names:

"Area 5-1" - Ms. Zamek and Ms. Dorman - Neon Green Shirts

"Fierce 5-2" - Ms. Lewkovich - White Shirts and Red Hats

"Storm Force 5-3" - Ms. Gumbus - White Shirts with Lightning Bolt

"The Greatest Class 5-4" - Ms. Bullaro - Gold Shirts

The classes battled it out in several categories:

Best Class Banner
Best Class T-Shirt
Best Class Song
Best Class Dance

The entire Pines staff and students were able to participate virtually by voting for their favorites in each category (like American Idol!). They viewed a Google Slideshow of the pre-recorded performances and voted on a Google Form since they were unable to watch the live event in person. After these 4 events/performances, the 5th graders competed in field events led by physical education teachers, Ms. Barbieri and Ms. Kunzig. The Pines PTA created a scoreboard and decorated the fields with themed tents. They also provided pizza and Mr. Softee. Other teachers who assisted with this huge event were Danielle Brady, Tracey DeRose, Daniela Espinal, and Kerry Dwyer. The day ended with an obstacle course.

The winners of "Battle of the Classes" are:

First Place - "Area 5-1" - Ms. Zamek and Ms. Dorman's Class

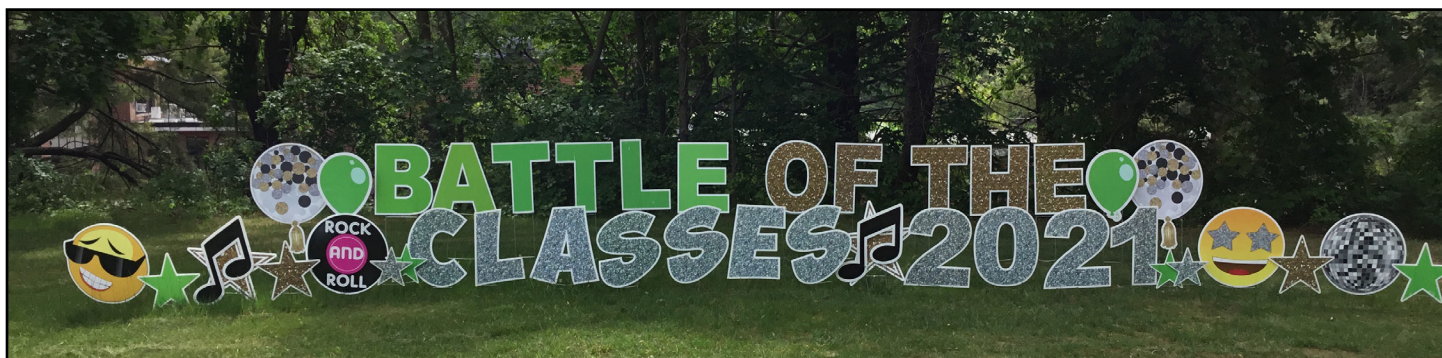
Second Place - "The Greatest Class" - Ms. Bullaro

Third Place - "Fierce 5-2" - Ms. Lewkovich

Fourth Place - "Storm Force" - Ms. Gumbus

Ms. Zamek said, "Usually we have Spirit Night every year when parents and students are invited back to school at night to watch the kids compete in races/games in the gym. Due to covid, we came up with this idea so kids could still have something special to end their final year at the Pines. An outdoor event was safer! No parents attended, but the entire event was recorded and shared with parents to enjoy."

Thank you to the Pines staff and PTA for providing a wonderful event for their students! Here are some great photos of the fun!



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"BATTLE OF THE CLASSES"

"STORM FORCE"



"THE GREATEST CLASS"



"AREA 5-1"



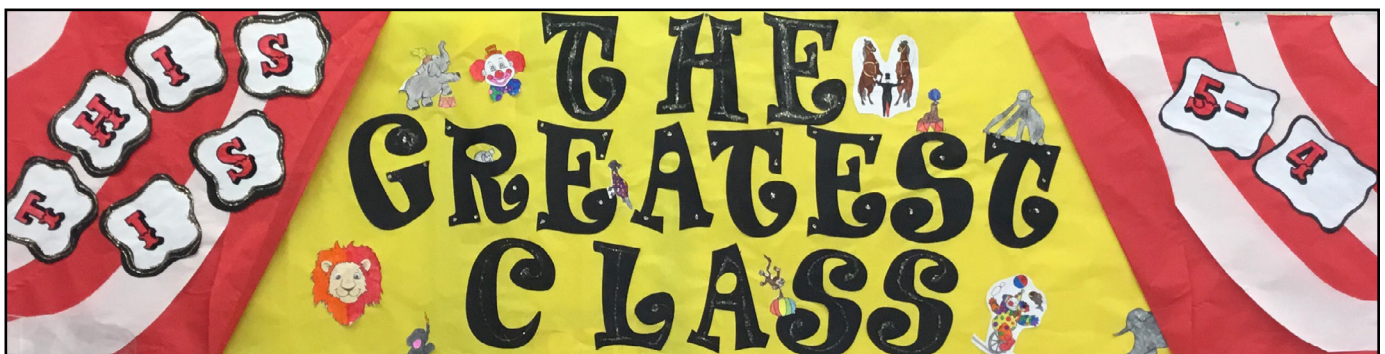
"BATTLE OF THE CLASSES"

"FIERCE 5-2"



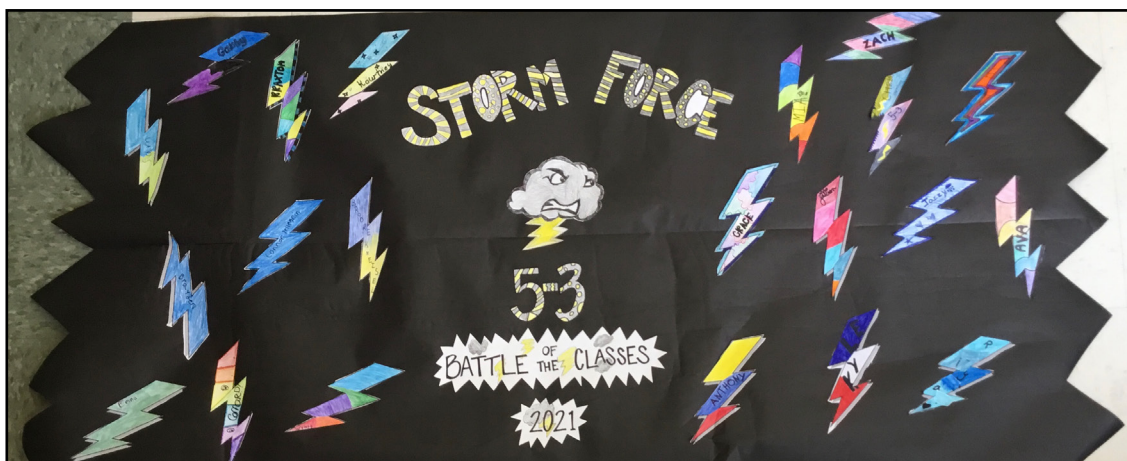
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NEW "EAGLE WATCH"

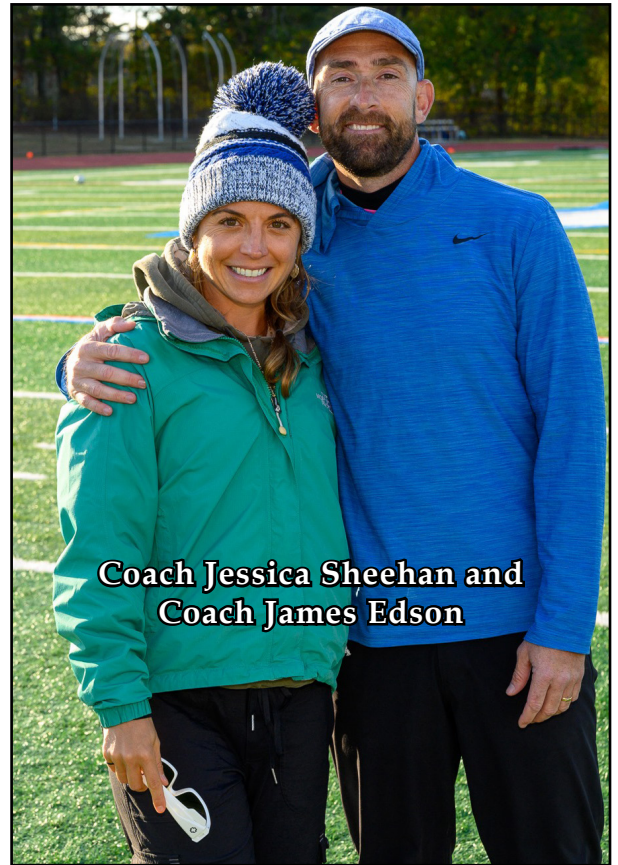
[Click here](#) to view the newest "Eagle Watch!"



VARSITY BOYS SOCCER COACH RECORDS 100TH WIN

Coach Jessica Sheehan recorded her 100th win on April 13th with a 3-1 victory over Islip. Over her 8 years coaching varsity soccer, Coach Sheehan has amassed a record of 100-22-17. In her tenure here at Hauppauge, she has led the team to 3 Suffolk County Championship game appearances, 2 Suffolk County titles, and 6 overall league titles. We are proud to have her on our sideline and appreciate everything she does. She is much more than a coach to the boys who pass through our program.

The entire boy's soccer program congratulates Coach Sheehan on this tremendous accomplishment.



**Coach Jessica Sheehan and
Coach James Edson**



**Coach Jessica Sheehan and Coach James Edson with the
Varsity Boys Soccer Team**

BRETTON WOODS STUDENTS ENJOY THEIR "FIELD DAY"

This is the time of the year that students most look forward to - the end of school is in sight and the warm summer days are approaching! A favorite event for our students is our annual Field Day. While they weren't able to accommodate spectators this year due to COVID-19 regulations, the BW students certainly had a "ball" (pun intended) with all the events their fabulous physical education teachers had in store!

This year's field days were held during PE classes beginning May 17th and ran for about a week with each class participating 3 times throughout the 6-day cycle. Each time the kids came to PE, there was a different set of events. Students participated in some traditional events as well as some new events, such as the tire roll, potato sack races, and relay races with batons, yarn balls, frisbees and soccer balls, all of which aligned with this year's safety procedures and protocols. Remote students were able to perform the events at home, submit their scores and compete with their class. The PE teachers created a Google Classroom dedicated to all things Field Day and posted daily updates and tons of photos for the adoring BW fans!

Bretton Woods Physical Education teachers, Lauren Hanlon and Jennifer Casale, were the masterminds behind this whole week-long event. Here are some great photos of all of the fun!



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BRETTON WOODS FIELD DAY



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SALUTE TO SENIORS



AIDAN VIVINETTO



LIBERAL ARTS

Aidan Vivinetto
will attend
Suffolk Community College
where he will study
Liberal Arts.

During high school,
Aidan enjoyed being
a percussionist in the
Band, Marching Band,
and Jazz Band,
and enjoyed
Music and Production
classes.

Aidan was a
member of the
Stage Crew
and competed in
NYSSMA.
Congratulations, Aidan!

Julia Morales
will attend the
University at Buffalo
where she will study
Speech Pathology.
During high school,
Julia enjoyed participating in
Varsity Club,
the Class of 2021 Club,
Dance and
Varsity Cheerleading
for four years.
Julia and the Cheerleading Team
were named
New York State Champions,
2X Suffolk County Champions,
2nd in the nation in 2018,
and 3rd in the nation in 2020.
Julia was also inducted into the
National Honor Society
for the Dance Arts.
Congratulations, Julia!



JULIA MORALES



SPEECH PATHOLOGY

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**ALEXIS
SCIARRONE**



**BUSINESS
PRE-LAW**

Alexis Sciarrone will attend the University of Massachusetts-Amherst where she will study Business on a Pre-Law track. During high school, Alexis enjoyed being the Junior and Senior Captain of the Varsity Kickline Team. Alexis was inducted into the National Honor Society and the National English Honor Society. Congratulations, Alexis!



Jack Hartman will attend SUNY Albany where he will study Actuarial Science. During high school, Jack enjoyed playing JV and Varsity Baseball. Congratulations, Jack!

**JACK
HARTMAN**



**ACTUARIAL
SCIENCE**

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**HOLLY
McGULLAM**



GEOLOGY

Holly McGullam will attend the University of Delaware where she will study Geology on a Trustee's Scholarship. During high school, Holly enjoyed playing Varsity Soccer, running Varsity Track, and being a member of the Spanish Club. Holly is an IB Diploma candidate who was inducted into the National Honor Society. Congratulations, Holly!

Kieran Thomas will attend Susquehanna University where he will study International Business and will play Division III Lacrosse. During high school, Kieran enjoyed playing four years of Varsity Lacrosse. Congratulations, Kieran!



**KIERAN
THOMAS**



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