The Hauppauge Howler



What do you love about HMS?

"Math!" -Adrianna Caracappa

"Lockers!" - Kevin Luna "Students" - Emma Hartnett

"Teachers!" - Ava Fellin

"School Spirit"
- Mrs. Visnius

"The students and the adults I work with!" - Mrs. Mimnaugh

Meet our Assistant Principals

This year at Hauppauge we are happy to welcome two new assistant principals:
Mr. Trentowski and Mrs.
Pagliari.

I sat down with Mrs. Pagliari to get to know her a little better. In this article, you will learn about her!

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Q: Do you enjoy being an assistant principal/what do you enjoy about your job?

A: I enjoy interacting with students.

Q: What was your dream job when you were a kid, and what made you want to become an assistant principal?

to get to know her a little better. A: My dream job was to become a medical doctor; I have a degree in the biomedical field.

Q: What do you like least about being an assistant principal?

A: I miss being in the classroom and interacting with the students.

Q: When you were in middle school. what clubs were you in and what were your favorite?

A: I was in cheerleading, ran track, math club, and dance.

Q: What college did you go to and what was your major?

A: I went to Stony Brook University and my major was biochemistry.

Q: If any kid wanted to be an assistant principal or do anything education-related, what would you tell them?

A: Being fair and consistent is the most important thing.

Q: What's your all-time favorite sport?

A: Soccer

Q What's a fun fact about you?

A: I like to travel; I travel many of my weekends.

Q: What was the last school you worked at and what was it like?

A: The last school was at Hauppauge High School. It was a little more about college and figuring out your steps for life.

Written by Harmony Hyatt

MEET OUR ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL

MR. TRENTOWSKI

Written by
Dakota EleazerDaniels



This year we have two new assistant principals, and I sat down with Mr. Trentowski to interview him. In today's article you will learn about who he is and some fun facts.

Mr. Trentowski

Do you enjoy being assistant principal?

Mr. Trentowski enjoys being assistant principal very much and I quote-"Loves working with students for a living."

What was your dream job, and what persuaded you to become an assistant principal?

When Mr. Trentowski was younger his dream job was to be a professional baseball player, but what persuaded him to be an assistant principal was his Mother- who was a school nurse and his Father- who was a health teacher.

What is the hardest part about being an assistant principal?

While interviewing Mr. Trentowski we learned that what he likes least about being assistant principal is disciplining students and bus duty. "The other thing I least like about my job is bus duty when it gets really cold outside!"

When you were in middle school, what clubs were you in, and which ones were you favorite?

When Mr. Trentowski was younger in middle school some of his favorite clubs were art club and cross country and track- he loves sports.

Which college did you go to and what was your major?

Mr. Trentowski not only attend one college, but two. The first college he went to was Cortland- which is upstate New York and the other college he attended was Hofstra University- while attended these colleges, he got a degree in teaching. Even though Mr. Trentowski is an assistant principal he's a very cool and interesting person, for starters he loves video games and playing Nintendo Switch and if that's not cool... WELL THEN I DON'T KNOW WHAT IS!

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Issue One

HMS CLUBS BY AMEERA HASSAN & CHARLOTTE GROSSMAN

Are you thinking about joining a club?
We interviewed two club advisors
about the club they are doing. So
have a look at the Newspaper Club
and the Best Buddies Club. See if you
want to join!





BEST BUDDIES CLUB BY CHARLOTTE GROSSMAN

The Best Buddies club is a great way to make new friends! Would you be interested in this? Well, join the Best Buddies club! It is a fun and interactive club to get to know someone better who might be different than you. If you are interested in joining this club, we meet once a month in the auditorium after school. If you have any questions, you can ask Ms. Lynch or Mr. Clark for guidance. We would love to see you there!

BEST BUDDIES CLUB INTERVIEW

Interview With Mr. Clark & Ms. Lynch

Q. Who runs this club?

A. Mr. Clark, Dr. Arius, Ms. Lynch, and Ms. Levy

Q. What is your club about?

A. It helps develop a friendship with students who might have friendship troubles, but all students are welcome to join.

Q. Why should the students join your club?

A. It's a good environment to build friendships and it's a party every meeting!

Q. When does your club meet?

A. Almost every other Friday from 3 to 4.

Q. Where does the club meet?

A. It starts in the auditorium and then when the musical starts, we meet in M11.

Q. How did your club start?

A. It started many years ago for people with disabilities. It helps to include everyone in our school community. There are Best Buddies Clubs in many schools and colleges.



NEWSPAPER CLUB BY AMEERA HASSAN

The Newspaper Club is about showing off your creative and artistic skills to the kids in Hauppauge Middle School. You write about all the things we do in HMS. We do so many fun things! Newspaper Club is a great way to improve your writing skills and see your name in print. You can interview students and teachers about different activities in school. And there's still time to join! Come to our next meeting. We'd love to see you there!

NEWSPAPER CLUB INTERVIEW



Interview With Mrs. Sidden-Manganiello

Q: Who ultimately runs the club?

A: The students are the ones who run this club. They make the decisions.

Q: What is your club about?

A: Publishing the paper to show our community all of the things we do here at Hauppauge Middle School.

Q: Why should students join this club?

A: It's a great way to learn more about our school and show off our writing skills.

Q: When does your club meet?

A: Tuesdays, 7:20 AM in B14

Q: How did your club start?

A: The High School already had a digital paper, so we thought the middle school students would like to give it a shot too!

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THE 6TH GRADE

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HALLOWEEN DANCE



CREATIVE COSTUMES
AT THE HALLOWEEN
DANCE



ROCKING THE OLIVIA RODRIGO!!



AND OUR ONE AND ONLY SLICE OF PIZZA!!



AND OUR SPECIAL AND SPOOKY GRIM REAPER!



EVERYONE IS HAVING SO MUCH FUN AT THE HALLOWEEN DANCE!

During the middle of November, a Thanksgiving Food Drive was held at Hauppauge Middle School. The donations collected for the food drive were donated to Care and Share.

These donations will provide people with meals for Thanksgiving. The advisory with the most donations collected will win a bagel breakfast. On November 16th of 2023 the donations were handed in during advisory. Who will win? We will find out soon enough! Thank You to all those who donated to the food drive. They will greatly appreciate your donations!





Teddy the Lucky Dog Presents: The New Soccer Team in Town

by Matthew Barrera



SUMMER READING CELEBRATION

On, October 13th, Hauppauge Middle School hosted its very first Summer Reading Celebration in honor of those students who selected to read a book and complete a short assignment over the summer. The celebration was held during advisory and the students enjoyed snacks while raffles were drawn. Prizes included a variety of books, and a gift basket with a reading light, socks, a variety of Hauppauge locker stickers, and a Hauppauge water bottle. Congratulations to all of those students who participated in the event!







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