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Talk Sup Week 14 Review and Preview

December 12, 2022

Good morning Sayreville! I hope you had a relaxing and enjoyable weekend. Welcome to another edition of Talk Sup, my weekly newsletter.



Last week, the district proudly identified the 2022-23 Governor's Educator Teachers of the Year (GEOTY) and Governor's Education Services Specialists of the Year (GESPOY) at each school in the



district. Thus, the Sayreville Education Association (SEA), joined building administrators in recognizing and celebrating the below recipients. We congratulate and commend each one, as well as all the incredibly talented educators in our district, who work tirelessly to promote the success of all our students.

SCHOOL	GEOY	GESPOY
Project Before at Cheesquake	Melissa Krzastek	Mary Kukuvka
Project Before at Selover	Karen McNamara	Kathleen McDade
Arleth	Kelly Markowski	Shannon Cicero
Eisenhower	Mary Boverly	Patricia Lazzaro
Truman	Suzanne Blum	Cindy O'Brien
Wilson	Donna Koblos	Michelle Leonard
Samsel Upper Elementary	Amanda Wilkes	Jeanna Duda
Middle School	Laura Knaster	Doreen Consulmagno
High School	Lizbeth Victorero	Kimberly Gibson

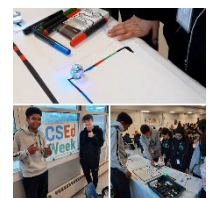


Thanks to our magnificent teachers and instructional staff, our students had a ton of fun learning last week. At Sayreville War Memorial High School (SWMHS), Air Force Junior ROTC cadets proudly presented our nation's colors during the National Anthem at the Prudential Center before the New Jersey Devils game. The seniors and juniors also saw a very important presentation by

Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD). During the assembly, Lori Narleski, Therese Plummer, Isai Fuentes, and Officer Teater and Sergeant Moat from the Sayreville Police Department



shared their knowledge and experiences about the dangers of drunk driving. In addition, students in Ms. Fallon's class tested their medieval siege weapons and castle projects, while students in Computer Science classes are celebrated Computer Science Education Week, which is an annual program dedicated to inspiring K-12 students to take interest in computer science by coding robots. Lastly, other students enjoyed their annual trip to



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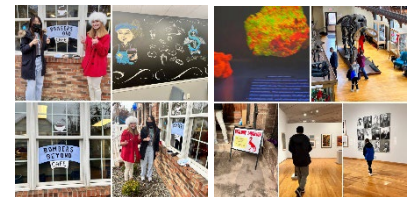
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Boscov's for their holiday shopping, and then had a blast at the Young Chefs Academy where they made Tex-Mex rice and snickerdoodle cookies. They also learned about different cooking utensil and practiced their culinary skills.



At the Sayreville Middle School (SMS), students had a wild time visiting the Scholastic Book Fair Jungle in the Media Center, while some other students enjoyed an afternoon out at Woodbridge Center Mall, shopping at Boscov's and eating at Applebee's. At the Samsel Upper Elementary School, 4th grade students in Ms. Ebbighausen's class used the paired programming approach to learn how to computer code. Students in the Bombers Beyond 18-21-Year Old Program visited the Zimmerli Art Museum and the Rutgers Geology Museum at Rutgers University. In addition, four talented art students from SWMHS helped personalize the soon to open Bombers Beyond Café.



At the Eisenhower School, Academic Skills Instruction teachers Ms. Howard, Ms. Lawlor, and Ms. Murphy hosted a morning of family fun where parents and students participated in literacy and math games reinforcing important skills. The morning provided both parents and teachers with an opportunity to strengthen the home-school connection. Parents were provided with



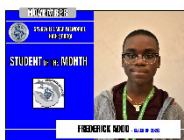
resources that they can utilize at home. In addition, the staff transformed the school into a



winter wonderland. At the Truman School, students and staff had a wonderful time singing and dancing during a Holidays Around the World assembly. Later staff and students were visited by the Macy's Day Parade Santa Claus, who took pictures with students, staff, and their pets. At the Arleth School, students and



parents came out in force to participate in the annual Sayreville Parade of Lights. Finally, at the Project Before at Selover School, students had a blast reviewing colors during the popular *Tools of the Mind* game "I Have, Who Has."



This past week, our students, staff, alumni and community members continued to impress us with their remarkable accomplishments. Along with our extraordinary Governors Educators of the Year mentioned previously, we congratulate and commend SWMHS



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students Frederick Addo (9th grade), Marrisa Mandola (10th grade), Thomas Estrada (11th grade), and Leah Whittaker (12 grade), who were selected by the faculty to be the November Students of the Month. Bomber Nation salutes all our students, staff, and community members for representing Sayreville in such an impeccable manner. They Rock!

In athletics, we congratulate SWMHS Football Team players Caidan Holmes, Connor Walsh, Nick Mojica, Brian Clyne, Xavian Pena for being named to the All Division First Team of the National Silver Division of the Big Central Conference. Frank Paczkowski, Zaimer Wright, Ky'Von Mitchell, and Dariel Jerez were also named to the All-Division Second Team. The SWMHS Girls Bowling Team won their first match of the season last week when they defeated East Brunswick High School. Win or lose, all our amazing student athletes continued to compete fiercely and demonstrate the teamwork and sportsmanship that makes us all proud to be Bombers. Thus, we thank them and their coaches for their hard work, dedication, and the manner in which they represent SWMHS and our community. Please remember that you can see all athletic team schedules and view all the action by watching them on the live streaming links posted on the Athletics page of our website or by clicking [here](#).

As per the [2022-23 School District Calendar](#), and the [December Activities Calendar](#), which you can view by clicking on each, please remember that on **Tuesday, December 20th**, there will be a **Board of Education Business Meeting** in the new Samsel Upper Elementary School Board Meeting Room. Please also note that we will **dismiss students and staff early** on **Friday, December 23rd** so that they can get a head start on the holiday weekend. Furthermore, please remember that our **schools will be closed from Monday, December 26th through Friday December 30th** for the winter holiday recess. Finally, please remember that the **1st Trimester Marking Period Report Cards** for students in **grades K-5** will be viewable in **Oncourse Connect on December 19th**.

If you or someone you know would like to **advertise** with us on our **website** and via **Bomber Blasts**, you should click [here](#) and submit an inquiry with **School Revenue Partners**. Naturally, we will continue to Bomber Blast activity information and community service announcements for our schools and the greater community at no cost. Likewise, if you would like to advertise on our **buses**, click [here](#).

Have a great day and wonderful week!

Dr. Labbe