

Harrison High School

Harrison, New York

Class of 2023 Commencement Exercises



Friday, June 23, 2023
5:30 p.m.

Purchase College
Performing Arts Center
State University of New York
Purchase, New York

Harrison Central School District

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Superintendent of Schools	<i>Louis N. Wool, Ed.D.</i>
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Supervisor of Secondary Special Education	<i>Antonia Simao</i>
Director of World Languages and English as a New Language	<i>Jennifer Egan</i>

Harrison High School Leadership

Principal	<i>Kimberly Beukema</i>
Assistant Principal	<i>Laurie Griffio</i>
Assistant Principal	<i>Lawrence Mastrota</i>

High School Counselors

Lauren Ciallella	Renee Katzenberg
Kira DiFalco	Cindy Sue Kuen Leong
Kristy Grammas	Daniel Logue
Shari Heyen	

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

PROCESSIONAL

“Pomp and Circumstance”

Theme by Edward Elgar, arr. by Deterling

*Harrison High School Band
Deanna Loertscher, Band Director*

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Kimberly Beukema, Principal

“THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER”

arr. by James Ray

*Husky Harmonics
Meghan Test, Choral Director*

REMARKS

Welcoming Address

Board of Education Welcome

*Kimberly Beukema, Principal
Dennis Di Lorenzo, BOE Trustee*

MUSICAL INTERLUDE

"Landslide" by Stevie Nicks, arr. by Jack Eiff

*Senior Chorus Members
Meghan Test, Choral Director*

STUDENT ADDRESSES

Senior Class President

Faculty Selected Speaker

Student Selected Speaker

Kyangbat Kapio

Logan Neal

Kiran Iftikhar

PRESENTATION OF THE CLASS OF 2023

Kimberly Beukema, Principal

ACCEPTANCE OF THE CLASS OF 2023

Louis N. Wool, Ed.D., Superintendent

AWARDING OF DIPLOMAS

Reading of the Graduates

Presentation of Diplomas

Laurie Griffo, Lawrence Mastrotta, Assistant Principals

Kimberly Beukema, Principal

TASSEL EXCHANGE

Senior Class Officers

RECESSIONAL

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Graduates

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Diego Abad
 Dayanna Acevedo Martinez
 Sebastian Adams
 Wajeeha Ahmed * ●
 Zakaria Ahmed *
 Giovanna Albanese ●
 Lucy Alcoba ‡ * ●
 Mariella Aletti *
 Alexis Alfaro ●
 Theo Allard
 Gianna Allegretti *
 Jalen Allen-Martin
 Eduardo Almeida ‡ ●
 Brandon Alstodt ‡ *
 Daniela Alvarez
 Mattew Anazco ‡ *
 Talya Appelbaum ‡ * ■
 Seizan Arai
 Anasofia Arango * ●
 Richard Barrero
 Thomas Berg ‡ ●
 Nazae Bimbo
 Ariella Blackman ‡ * ●
 Vivien Boda
 Prabhleen Boparai
 Luke Boraczek ‡ *
 Barbara Borrell Porras ‡ ✦
 Luke Burden *
 Sol Maria Cabanas Quintana ●
 Jake Cabral
 Amara Caltenco
 Christian Calzolano *
 Debra Camardella
 Connor Cannon
 Adriana Capocci
 Alyssa Carrasquillo
 Albieris Castano Mercado ✦
 Ava Cefaloni
 Jane Ceglie
 Emily Chi
 Isabella Chiamarida *
 Jonathan Choi ✦
 Sam Cohen ‡ *
 Christopher Collazo ✦
 Rachel Conti ■
 Melanie Corbett
 Dean Corvino ✦
 Sabina Cosmo * ■ ●
 James Costabile ‡ *
 Anthony Cottini
 James Cox ‡
 Camryn Curow ‡ *
 Casey Curow ‡ *
 Alexandra D'Antona *
 Cassandra Darcy
 Lauren Davidson ‡ * ■ ●
 Fjord Deda ‡ *
 Olivia Dedvukaj
 Teresa DellaMonica
 Mia DeMarco
 Casey DeMarsico
 Nicholas Diaz
 James Duffelmeyer *
 Jack Eiff ‡ * ■
 Jane El Khoury ‡ * ●
 Anthony Engongoro
 Kevin Espinosa Duque
 Zaynab Faisal ‡ * ●
 Ella Farago
 Luis Ferreira ‡
 David Fiery ‡ *
 Josie Fisher * ●
 Olivia Fisher ‡ *
 Emma Fitzgerald * ●
 Darius Flontas
 Aidan Flores ‡ * ■
 Kieran Flores ‡ * ■
 Sarah Flores
 Shayna Forgione ■
 Simona Forgione ✦
 Gavin Foster
 Britney Gallardo Velez ●
 Anthony Gambino
 Sebastian Garcia Escobar ‡
 Jaquelyn Garcia-Hernandez * ●
 Nicole Giandomenico *
 Brandon Gibbons *
 Ami Goble
 Jacob Gold ‡
 Xiomara Grados
 Raffaele Greco
 Michael Griff ‡ *
 Dylan Haines
 Elizabeth Hansen
 Emily Hansen
 Samuel Harfenist *
 David Harrison
 Nicholas Harty ‡ *
 Albion Hasanramaj
 Artion Hasanramaj
 Taylor Herrmann
 Shotaro Hosokawa
 Emily Hotaj * ●
 Vitoria Ianni De Freitas Silva * ■
 Kiran Iftikhar * ●
 Haku Iijima
 Max Johansson ‡
 Brianna Jones
 Andre Joubert ‡ * ●
 Robert Juergens
 Sabrina Kalanz
 Emi Kaneko ●
 Ismail Kapadia ‡
 Kyangchat Kapio ‡ *
 Arianna Kaplan ‡ * ●
 Rachel Kindler ‡ * ■ ●
 Natalie Lanza * ■
 Sydney Leibowitz ‡ *
 Vanessa Loguidice * ■
 Darwin Lopez Lopez
 Amber Losito *
 Irene Lozano Gonzalez ‡ * ●
 Kimberley Lozano Puga
 Madison Lucas *
 Arlynn Maldonado ●
 Mariah Maldonado ‡ * ■
 Aaron Malen
 Kyle Malin ‡
 Ava Mangone *
 Matthew Marchese
 Avery Margolis ‡ *
 Nikolas Marinelli

Key: ‡ International Baccalaureate Diploma Candidate
 ✦ International Thespian Society
 * National Honor Society

■ National Honor Society for Dance Arts
 ● Seal of Bilinguality

Harrison High School Class of 2023

Dan Maron ‡ * ●	Guillermo Riudavets Parra ‡	Claudio Vera-Sannemann
Olek Maron ‡	Ethan Rivera	Isabella Verzillo
Francisco Martinez	Jonathan Rodriguez	Bianca Vukel * ■
Alessandra Mastrogiacommo * ●	Adriano Romero	Madeline Wiederkehr
Elena McCann ●	Hannah Rose ‡ *	Dalana Williams
Jaela McCrae	Lauren Ross	Isabella Winstanley
Rachel McGovern ‡ * ■	Christian Rossi	Bryan Wolfe ‡ * ●
Emma McPherson	Sebastian Rueda Lobato	Bunjiro Yamada ‡ * ●
Dimitrios Meimeteas ‡ * ●	Nicole Salazar	Ryan Young
Jazmine Mejia	Andrea Sanchez ‡ ■ ●	Charles Zenhausen
Raul Mendoza	Corrie Sandomenico *	
Deborah Meneses ‡	Gabriela Sanguina	
Francesca Miele ‡ *	Cassandra Sanscartier ‡ * ■	
Nina Montes	Darwin Santamaria	
Madison Muir	Bianca Santizo	
Salvatore Muto Jr. ‡	SkyeBella Schiavone	
Shweta Nadagouda ‡ *	Lauren Schnapp ‡ * ●	
Alyssa Naioti	Alexander Schwartz ‡ *	
Momoka Nakamura	Rebecca Segovia	
Logan Neal *	Kotaro Sei	
Angelea Nicaj	Savannah Serfilippi ‡ *	
Nicholas Nikolla	Zoya Shariff ‡ ●	
Alondra Nolasco Rojas	Alexsandra Shoshi	
Jacob Oestreicher ‡	Michael Sica	
Aki Orita ●	Ella Sickles	
Anthony Orozco	Hayanna Silva ‡ * ■	
Brien Pallone	Alexander Smith-McCann	
Ava Palombo * ■	Connor Smyth	
Mia Paparatti * ●	Neyferson Solis Usme ●	
Kaylee Park	Landsey Solis-Morataya ‡	
Anthony Pasqua *	Marianna Sposato *	
Zachary Pearson ‡ ●	Sela Straus	
Jessica Pein ‡ *	Jared Summer ‡ *	
Marie Pepushaj *	Dylan Sweet	
Jennifer Perez	Peter Thomas	
Julius Peters	Adrian Tiburcio	
Mateo Ponce Ocampo	Annika Torelli ‡ *	
Kayla Porto *	Katrina Torelli ‡ *	
Ethan Powell	Sophia Torres-Gomez	
Sofia Puccio	Daniel Trinidad	
Nicholas Reed	Abby Trotta *	
Cassandra Rendlesham *	Lauren Ugarte	
Peter Rinello	Elias Urunaga	
Marcus Rios Bertoldo Filho	Gia Vecchione ◆	

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Class of 2023 Colleges of Matriculation

American University	Northeastern University	University of New Hampshire
Belmont University	Northwestern University	University of Pennsylvania
Boston University	Nova Southeastern University	University of Rochester
Brandeis University	Pace University	University of South Carolina
Brown University	Pennsylvania State University	University of Vermont
Bucknell University	Quinnipiac University	University of Virginia
Case Western Reserve University	Rochester Institute of Technology	University of Wisconsin-Madison
Claremont McKenna College	Sacred Heart University	Vanderbilt University
Clemson University	San Diego State University	Villanova University
Colgate University	School of Visual Arts	Virginia Tech
College of Charleston	Scripps College	Wayne State University
College of Mount Saint Vincent	Springfield College	William & Mary
College of the Holy Cross	<u>State University of New York (SUNY)</u>	Williams College
Cooper Union for the Advancement of Science and Art	Binghamton University	
Cornell University	Buffalo State College	
Culinary Institute of America	College at New Paltz	
CUNY Bernard M Baruch College	College at Oneonta	
CUNY John Jay College of Criminal Justice	College at Oswego	
Dartmouth College	College of Technology at Delhi	
DeSales University	Fashion Institute of Technology	
Dickinson College	Purchase College	
Duke University	Rockland Community College	
Elon University	Stony Brook University	
Eindhoven University of Technology – Netherlands	University at Albany	
Fairfield University	University at Buffalo	
Fordham University	Westchester Community College	
Franciscan University of Steubenville	St. Thomas Aquinas College	
Georgetown University	Suffolk University	
Goucher College	Syracuse University	
Hartwick College	TAI School of the Arts - Madrid	
Hofstra University	The Juilliard School	
Indiana University	The Ohio State University	
Iona University	The University of Alabama	
Ithaca College	The University of Tampa	
James Madison University	The University of Tennessee	
Lafayette College	The University of Texas at Austin	
Lasell University	Thomas Jefferson University	
Lehigh University	Trinity University	
Manhattan College	Tulane University of Louisiana	
Manhattanville College	United States Marine Corps	
Marist College	University of Colorado Boulder	
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	University of Connecticut	
McGill University	University of Delaware	
Monmouth University	University of Georgia	
New York University	University of Hartford	
	University of Maryland	
	University of Massachusetts Amherst	
	University of Michigan	

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Awards

and

Scholarships

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

All Saints Church Peter Sutyak Memorial Scholarship	<i>Ariella Blackman</i>
American Association of University Women Westchester Branch:	
Outstanding Female Senior	<i>Jessica Pein</i>
Excellence in Writing for a Female Senior.....	<i>Mia Paparatti</i>
Athlete of the Year	<i>Nicholas Reed, Katrina Torelli</i>
The Barbara Mastrangelo Scholarship.....	<i>Anthony Engongoro, Kayla Porto</i>
The Christopher S. Seguinot Memorial Scholarship	<i>Mia Paparatti</i>
The Enza Dattero Scholarship	<i>Camryn Curov</i>
Footlight Dedication Award	<i>Ariella Blackman, Dean Corvino, Jack Eiff, Jane El Khoury, David Fiery, Aidan Flores, Kieran Flores, Simona Forgione, Alondra Nolasco Rojas, Bianca Vukel</i>
Harrison Administrators' Association Scholarship.....	<i>Lucy Alcoba, Mia Paparatti, Annika Torelli</i>
Harrison Association of Teachers Citizenship Award	<i>Sabina Cosmo, Casey Curov, Connor Smyth, Katrina Torelli</i>
Harrison Association of Teachers Pizzarello Scholarship	<i>Albieris Castano Mercado, Alexandra D'Antona, Gia Vecchione</i>
Harrison Association of Teachers Scholarship.....	<i>Lucy Alcoba, Camryn Curov, David Fiery, Annika Torelli</i>
Harrison Police Association Scholarship.....	<i>Dean Corvino, Camryn Curov, Casey Curov, Madison Lucas</i>
The Healthcare Scholarship	<i>Vanessa Loguidice</i>
Joseph Lemm Memorial Scholarship	<i>Kevin Espinosa Duque, Bianca Vukel</i>
Julette O'Rorke-Albanese Scholarship	<i>Ariella Blackman</i>
Louis M. Klein and Miriam B. Klein Scholarship	<i>Sabina Cosmo</i>
Lower Hudson Council of School Personnel Administrators	
Outstanding Educator Essay Contest Nominee	<i>Lucy Alcoba</i>
Lower Hudson Council of School Superintendents	
Opportunity Scholarship Nominee	<i>Albieris Castano Mercado</i>
Lower Hudson Council of School Superintendents Student Scholars.....	<i>Jack Eiff, Rachel Kindler</i>
Marie V. Shofi Scholarship.....	<i>Kayla Porto</i>
National Merit Scholarship – Commended Students	<i>Jonathan Choi, Jack Eiff, Nicholas Harty, Dimitrios Meimeteas</i>
National Merit Scholarship Winner	<i>Ariella Blackman</i>

AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

New York State Comptroller's Student Achievement Award	<i>Lucy Alcoba, Mariella Aletti, Sol Maria Cabanas Quintana, Jonathan Choi, Sabina Cosmo, Ella Farago, David Fiery, Josie Fisher, Emma Fitzgerald, Shayna Forgione, Simona Forgione, Nicole Giandomenico, Ami Goble, Nicholas Harty, Haku Iijima, Jessica Pein, Cassandra Sanscartier, Lauren Schnapp, Neyferson Solis Usme</i>
New York State Scholarship for Academic Excellence	<i>Lucy Alcoba, Talya Appelbaum, Ariella Blackman, Lauren Davidson, Jack Eiff, Nicholas Harty, Irene Lozano Gonzalez</i>
New York State Senate Citizenship Award	<i>Alexandra D'Antona, Kyangchat Kapio</i>
New York State Triple "C" Award.....	<i>Prabheen Boparai, Albieris Castano Mercado</i>
The Dr. Nina F. Weinberg Memorial Scholarship.....	<i>Cassandra Rendlesham</i>
Parsons PTA Roswell R. Marshall Award	<i>Camryn Curon, Natalie Lanza</i>
The Presidential Scholars Program Nominees	<i>Mariella Aletti, Neyferson Solis Usme</i>
The Dr. Rosemary Graziano Brooke Scholarship	<i>Cassandra Rendlesham</i>
Scholar Athlete of the Year.....	<i>Kyangchat Kapio, Alexander Schwartz</i>
Tri-State Consortium Kathleen Reilly Scholarship Nominee	<i>Lauren Ross</i>



AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Summa Cum Laude

(Cumulative Weighted GPA 98.00+)

Lucy Alcoba, Mariella Aletti, Talya Appelbaum, Ariella Blackman, Lauren Davidson, Fjord Deda, Jack Eiff, Jane El Khoury, Olivia Fisher, Emma Fitzgerald, Aidan Flores, Kieran Flores, Gavin Foster, Michael Griff, Nicholas Harty, Albion Hasanramaj, Emi Kaneko, Kyangchat Kapio, Rachel Kindler, Sydney Leibowitz, Irene Lozano Gonzalez, Avery Margolis, Dimitrios Meimeteas, Logan Neal, Jessica Pein, Kayla Porto, Cassandra Rendlesham, Hannah Rose, Alexander Schwartz, Savannah Serfilippi, Marianna Sposato, Annika Torelli, Katrina Torelli

Magna Cum Laude

(Cumulative Weighted GPA 95.00 – 97.99)

Wajeeba Ahmed, Giovanna Albanese, Eduardo Almeida, Mattew Anazco, Anasofia Arango, Luke Boraczek, Ava Cefaloni, James Costabile, Camryn Curow, Zaynab Faisal, David Fiery, Jaquelyn Garcia-Hernandez, Nicole Giandomenico, Brandon Gibbons, Samuel Harfenist, Shotaro Hosokawa, Haku Iijima, Max Johansson, Andre Joubert, Arianna Kaplan, Vanessa Lognidice, Mariab Maldonado, Kyle Malin, Dan Maron, Alessandra Mastrogiacomo, Deborah Meneses, Shweta Nadagouda, Angelea Nicaj, Mia Papatatti, Marie Pepushaj, Cassandra Sanscartier, Lauren Schnapp, Michael Sica, Hayanna Silva, Bryan Wolfe, Bunjiro Yamada

Cum Laude

(Cumulative Weighted GPA 93.00 – 94.99)

Brandon Alstodt, Thomas Berg, Luke Burden, Jake Cabral, Isabella Chiamaramida, Jonathan Choi, Sam Cohen, Casey Curow, Alexandra D'Antona, Luis Ferreira, Josie Fisher, Ami Goble, Vitoria Ianni De Freitas Silva, Kiran Iftikhar, Ismail Kapadia, Amber Losito, Ava Mangone, Elena McCann, Rachel McGovern, Francesca Miele, Salvatore Muto, Jr., Adriano Romero, Lauren Ross, Corrie Sandomenico, Zoya Shariff, Jared Summer, Bianca Vukel

CLASS OF 2023

Senior Class Officers

*Kyangchat Kapio - President
Josie Fisher - Vice President
Savannah Serfilippi - Secretary
Sydney Leibowitz - Treasurer
Talya Appelbaum - Public Relations
Kiran Iftikhar - Class Representative
Lauren Schnapp - Class Representative*

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leading our students.

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Harrison High School clerical, custodial, and security staff
for their tireless efforts.

Harrison Police Department.

Parents and families for their guidance, love, and support.



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