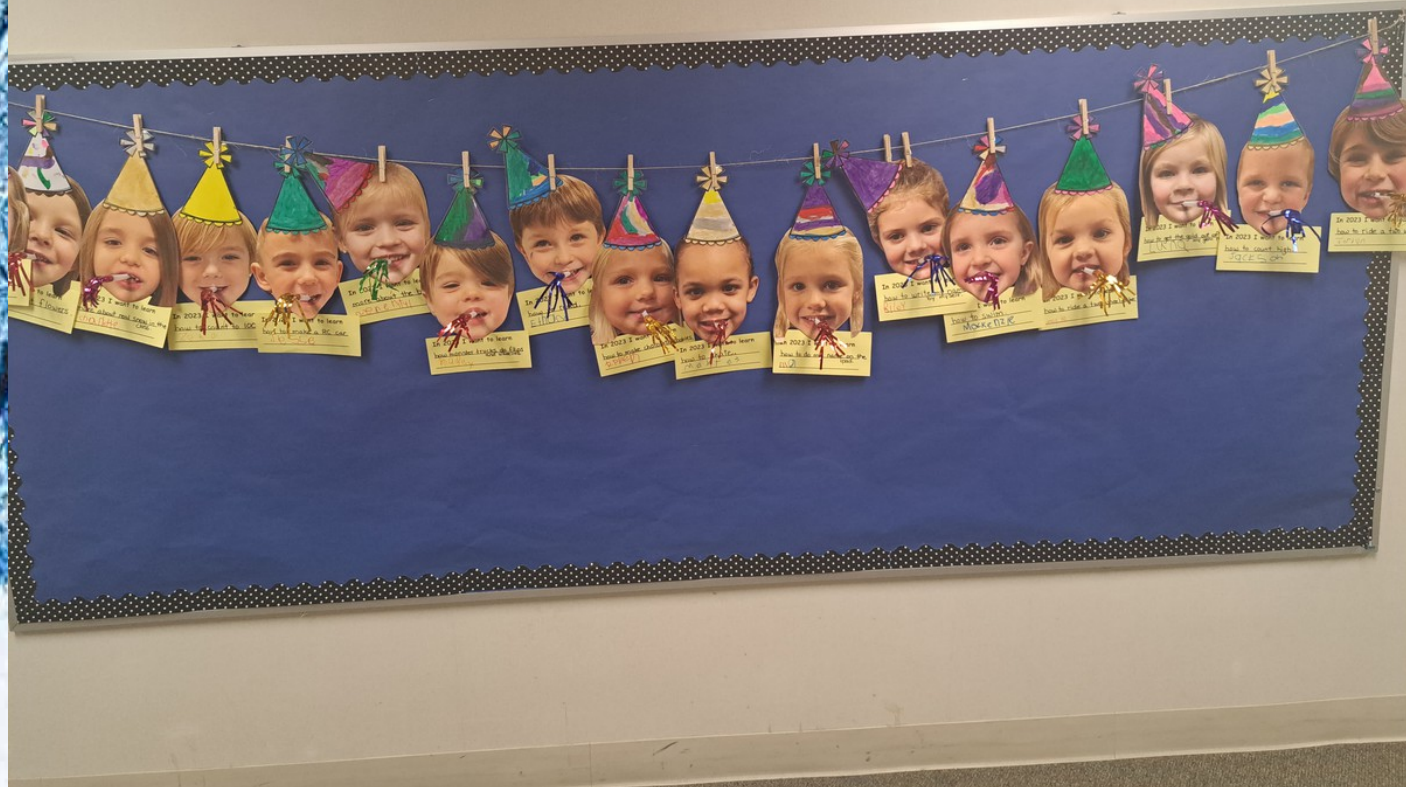


Week of January 9th

Dansville Primary School

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK



★ Happy New Year

This 4 day week went by so quickly! Walking through the hallways and in classrooms, I heard conversations about New Year's Resolutions, kindness, school rules and expectations, and of

course lots of academic review and new learning. I'm excited to see all of the gains DPS students will make over the next 6 months!



Primary Particulars

Activities, Breakfast & Lunch Menu, Birthdays, and Upcoming Events

DPS Bus Procedures

How to Change Your Child's Bus

When to Keep Your Child Home from School

What to Do When Your Child is Sick

COVID-19 Guidelines

Regulations for Students, Staff, & Parents

2022-2023 Parent/Student Handbook

Help DPS ...

Please read below about Box Tops for Education and how you can help DPS!!!



Dear Families,

Are you looking for a quick and easy way to support our school?

Box Tops for Education has been around for over 25 years, and it really can make a difference. In fact, the Box Tops program has helped give almost one billion dollars to schools since 1996.

The Box Tops app gives participants the ability to earn for any school across the country with just the touch of a button. Plus, the Box Tops app allows you to search for schools that could use a little extra help, so you can help give students in low-income schools the opportunity to succeed.

HERE'S HOW IT WORKS: Buy participating products and use the Box Tops app to scan your store receipt. The app identifies eligible products and earnings are credited to your designated school online. Even if you're shopping online or doing grocery pickup, you can still submit your digital or email receipt with the Box Tops app and earn. Twice a year, our school gets a check!

See a list of participating products at
BTFE.COM/PRODUCTS

Box Tops earnings really add up, and the more people that participate, the bigger the impact we can make. So let's give our teachers the support they need and give more kids the opportunity to succeed. **Together, we can help make a big difference.**

**DON'T HAVE THE APP YET?
DOWNLOAD IT TODAY!**



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EARN CASH FOR SCHOOLS WITH BOX TOPS

TOGETHER, WE CAN MAKE A BIG DIFFERENCE

For over 25 years, Box Tops for Education has given families an easy way to earn for schools with products they already buy. Today, you can find thousands of participating products throughout the store — and all you need is the Box Tops app.



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**BUY
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PRODUCTS**

Earn for schools with the brands you love.



**SCAN
YOUR
RECEIPT**

Use the Box Tops app to submit your receipt within 14 days of purchase.



**EARN
CASH FOR
SCHOOLS**

Box Tops products are identified and earnings are credited online.



ONLINE SHOPPERS CAN EARN WITH BOX TOPS, TOO!

Whether you order groceries for delivery or pickup, shop through your store's app, or request an email receipt at checkout, you can earn for your school no matter where you shop.

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Did You Know

We Want Your Feedback!

In the School Community Update sent by Dr. Alioto on December 12th, he shared the following:

Communication between school and home is very important. Families need to know about events, opportunities and school practices.

The District uses a variety of communication tools like social media, emails, robo calls, newsletters, virtual and face to face meetings. We know, however, that there is always room for improvement. That is why we are asking you for some basic feedback on our communication techniques and strategies. What should we KEEP doing? What should we STOP doing? What should we START doing?

Please follow this link to our [KEEP/STOP/START parent survey](#) and take a few minutes to respond to these three questions.





Dansville Primary School Registration for the 2023-2024 school year:

**3PK
Pre-K
Kindergarten**

3PK & PK - starting February 1st with lottery on March
6th

(Application must be received by March 3rd to be included in the lottery)

Kindergarten - starting March 1st

Children who will be three (3) years old for 3PK, four (4) years old for PK and five (5) years old by December 1, 2023 **and** reside in the Dansville school district are eligible to enroll.

If your child is **currently enrolled** in one of the above programs, it is **NOT** necessary to re-enroll them.

Registration packets will be mailed out to families the week of January 23rd. If you need a packet please contact Carrie Tubbs @ the Primary School directly at 335-4040 x2003.



“Snow Ball” Family Dance

Sponsored by the Dansville PK-12 PTO

**Saturday, Feb. 4th, 2023
6:00-7:30pm**



EBH Elementary Gym



**Family Photos available by
Monica Sue
(\$10 digital copy - sent directly to you!)**

Please Note: This event is for *3PK through 4th grade students* and their families. Please accompany your child(ren) to the event. Also, for safety reasons, all child(ren) must be supervised by their parents while attending the event.

DPS LIBRARY
DECEMBER STATS



**TEACHERS AND
STUDENTS CHECKED OUT**

**1, 683
BOOKS!**

TOP READS:



- MOST BOOKS CHECKED OUT -

HOMEROOM: WILLIAMSON (136!)

**STUDENTS:
ISAIAH G
HARLEY C
NATALIE V
KOLT E
JACKSON B-L**



WANTED VOLUNTEER READERS

FOR THE DPS LIBRARY



GUILTY OF WANTING TO SPEND QUALITY TIME WITH BUDDING
READERS ONE DAY A WEEK IN THE LIBRARY

GRAB A VOLUNTEER APPLICATION FROM
THE MAIN OFFICE IF YOU ARE INTERESTED

GUEST READERS
★ **ALWAYS WELCOME** ★

Arrival

All **4PK-2nd grade students** will enter at the main entrance of school and must be to school by 8:00.

- Students can be dropped off as early as 7:15.
- Breakfast will be served from 7:30-8:10.
- Buses unload students at 7:40.



All 3PK students will enter at the side door at 9:00 for the AM program or 12:30 for the PM program.

Dismissal

Dismissal changes must be made **before 1:00pm**. Parent pick-up will begin at 2:20pm each day at the following doors based on last name. Please make sure we have the name of the person picking up and that person has a **driver's license for identification**.

- A-C at the ELC doorway on the parking lot side
- D-H at the back playground door
- I-Q at the first door on the left in the driveway between the HS & PS
- R-Z at the second door on the left in the driveway between the HS & PS

All 3PK AM and PM students will exit at the side door at 11:30 for the AM program and 3:00 for the PM program. Our 2PK students are dropped off and picked up in the small Primary Bus Loop during

the following times: 8:45-9:00, 11:20-11:35, 12:20-12:30, and 2:50-3:05. Please consider parking in a different location so that you aren't trapped in the loop.

Primary Bus Loop

Our 3PK students are dropped off and picked up in the small Primary Bus Loop during the following times: 8:45-9:00, 11:20-11:35, 12:20-12:30, and 2:50-3:05. Please consider parking in a different location so that you aren't trapped in the loop.

Come Visit Your Child for Lunch!

If you're interested in coming to have lunch with your child, here are a few reminders -



- Sign in at the main office - you must present a driver's license to be scanned in our Raptor safety system
 - Go right to cafeteria and after lunch sign right out at the office
 - Please keep your cell phone away (no talking, texting, taking pictures)
 - Model appropriate language and behavior choices (such as Level 2 inside voice)
 - The cafeteria needs to be a safe eating space for all (such as no sharing food with others and some parts of tables may be restricted from tree nuts/peanuts)
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 **Community News** 

Free Food Distribution

POP UP PANTRY

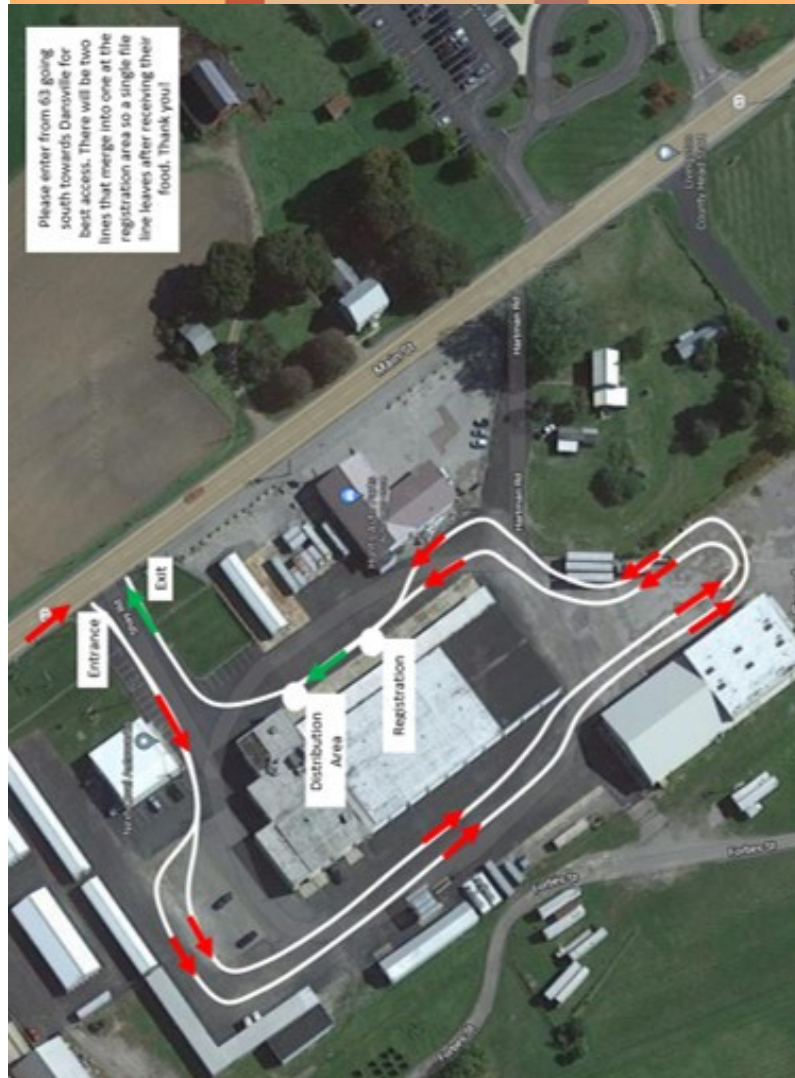
9384 Main Street, Dansville NY 14437
Old Shays/Main Tire Location
4pm-6pm

Drive thru event so trunks must be able to open. Boxes and bags not provided. For additional information, please email Julie Camacho at jcamacho@hornellymca.com.

Jan. 9th
Feb. 13th
Mar. 20th
Apr. 17th
May 15th
Jun. 12th



Please enter from 63 going south towards Dansville for best access. There will be two lines that merge into one at the registration area so a single file line leaves after receiving their food. Thank you!



Kid's Book Club



2nd Wednesday

4:15 - 5:15 PM

October 2022 - March 2023

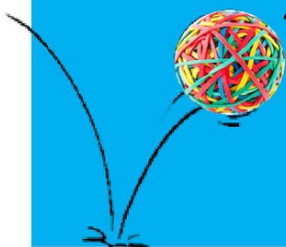
Sign-up at Dansville Libcal



Dansville Public Library

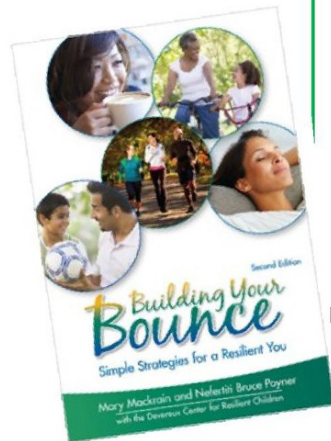
200 Main Street, Dansville NY 14437

585-335-6720



A VIRTUAL RESILIENCE LUNCH & LEARN SERIES:
BUILDING YOUR BOUNCE
A 4-week journey to enhance workforce well-being and resilience.
Thursdays, January 5th –26th 11am to 12pm
Via Zoom

The critical connection between children's resilience and the health and wellness of the adults in those children's lives cannot be underestimated. Because of this important link, it is essential that adults take care of themselves so that they are able to provide high-quality care to the children in their lives. **Building Your Bounce** is designed to meet adults where you are and take you to a place of greater strength and determination.



We will explore the four areas of Resilience

- Relationships
- Internal Beliefs
 - Initiative
- Self-Control

Facilitated by: Tawyna R. Hughes

To register: <https://tinyurl.com/6v5jbe5h>

For Questions please call/ text Tawyna at 607-684-3923 or hughest@proactioninc.org

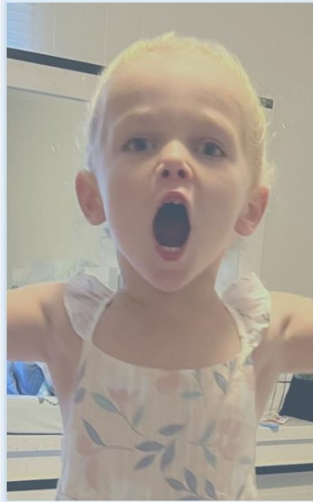
Don't FLIP OUT, use FLIP IT!
*Join us for 3 sessions on Mondays 5:00pm to 7pm
January 30 & February 6, 13*

Bath Area Family Resource Center
VEW Elementary School 216 Maple Heights Bath, NY


FLIP IT® is a strategy that offers a simple, kind, strength-based, commonsense and effective four step process to address children's day to day challenging behavior.

Facilitated by Certified FLIP IT trainers Kerry Stermole & Tawyna Hughes.

In addition to classroom session one on one, in person coaching is available by request.



WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

The **4 Steps** 

to building supportive relationships that encourage emotional awareness and emotional control in children

FLIP IT™

<https://signup.com/go/yMAsgmx>

FLIP IT!
Transforming Challenging Behavior

For questions or more information contact
Kerry Stermole 607-622-1068 or
stermolek@proactioninc.org



 January 2023					
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
2 CLOSED: HOLIDAY RECESS	3 DROP IN & PLAY	4 @ COHOCTON	5 SNOWFLAKE STICKS	6 WE ARE CLOSED ON FRIDAYS	7
9 CENTER CLOSED Professional Development	10 SNOW SENSORY PLAY	11 BIRD FEEDERS @ COHOCTON	12 DROP IN & PLAY	13	14
16 	17 DROP IN & PLAY	18 SNOWFLAKE SUN CATCHERS @ COHOCTON	19 STORY TIME	20 	21 
23 SNOWBALL PAINTING	24 DROP IN & PLAY	25 @ COHOCTON	26 MAKING PLAYDOH	27 	28
30 STORY TIME	31 PAINTING SNOW				

HOURS
DAYS & LOCATIONS

Address:
Dansville Elementary
School
280 Main Street
Dansville, NY 14437

Mondays:
9:00a.m.-1:30p.m.
Tuesdays:
9:00a.m.-1:30p.m.
Wednesdays:
@ Cohocton
9:30a.m.-2:30p.m.
Thursdays:
9:00a.m.-1:30p.m.
Fridays:
Closed

Coordinator:
Cassandra Gunderson
Phone:
607-329-2556
Email:
gundersonc@proactioninc.org
Website:
www.proactioninc.org/
events
Facebook:
Dansville Family
Resource Center



The Emotional Bank Account

A game two can play and both win!

Tuesday, February 7th 2023 5:30pm to 7:30pm.

*Hornell Family Resource Center
25 Pearl St. Hornell, NY*

An Emotional Bank Account is an "account" between two people based on their relationships, like a normal bank account, you make deposits into the account and take withdrawals from it. The balance of the account goes up and down depending on experiences within the relationship.



Join us for a game night created to learn more about the concept and to help us understand some of the ideas behind an Emotional Bank Account.

Register before February 3rd
<https://signup.com/go/RktHzpW>

Meet others, have a light meal, and learn to make "deposits" with your partner.

Questions? (607) 324-1304 ext. 1741
Email: tierneyt@proactioninc.org
Child Care is Available Upon Request

Find out how
you can be a . . .

-A 12 Session Group -

 **24:7 DAD®** **Thursdays**
March 23rd - June 15th
Get the fathering skills you need! 6pm to 8pm via Zoom.

**National
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24/7 Dad® is a nationally recognized program designed for any dad who wants to improve his knowledge and skills to help him raise healthy children.

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Have you been a dad today?



The CHARACTERISTICS OF A 24/7 DAD

- Knows His Strengths & Weaknesses
- Cares for Himself
- Knows How to Father
- Knows How to Parent
- Builds Healthy Relationships with Family & Community

To register:
<https://bit.ly/3B54U7o>

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Email: hughest@proactioninc.org



Melissa Goho

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