

Week of May 22nd

Dansville Primary School

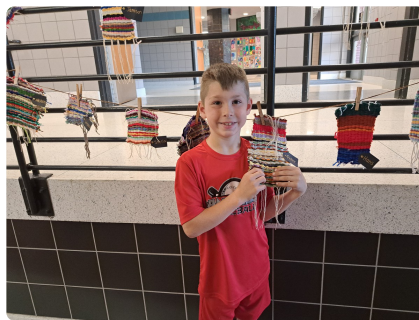
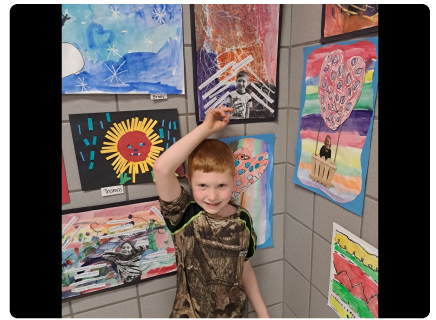
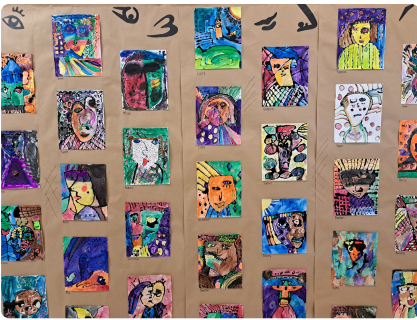
HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

Elephant & Piggy Visit DPS!



Dansville Art Show

WOW - what a wonderful art show! The creativity and talent of DPS students was on full display! Enjoy these pictures that capture the artists in the making! A big thanks to Miss Pullen for inspiring our students and displaying all their work!



🏆 Golden Spatula Winners

We have three new 2nd grade Golden Spatula Winners! Congrats to -



Lucy Eckhardt



Kingston Mitchell



Avery Storrs

2nd Grade Panoramic Picture

Please use the QR code below to order a copy of the 2nd Grade Panoramic Photo that will be taken on Monday, May 22nd.



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Dansville 2nd Grade 8x24 Pano
Go to www.elixschoolpictures.com
and use the 10 digit code above
or scan the QR code to order.
Questions? Call Clix at (585) 338 2521
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Social Media Management Tips

Kids access the internet from a variety of devices at home. It's important at this age level to set boundaries regarding what sites are appropriate and how to explore the internet safely. Here are a few links to support you with this:



5 Tips for Managing Media Devices for Kids Age 3 to 8

Wondering how much screen time is too much for kids age 3 to 8? Check out these five easy tips that can help you support your child's healthy development and make the best choices for your family.

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Parents' Ultimate Guide to TikTok

What is TikTok? How safe is TikTok? How does TikTok work? Is TikTok appropriate for kids? What age is TikTok recommended for? Can kids under 13 use TikTok? How can you make your TikTok account private? How can I use TikTok with my kids? How do you do a duet on TikTok?

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What Should I Teach My Child About Safe Online Behavior

Family Agreement Contract

📅 Upcoming June DPS Events

This year DPS will be having it's first **Flag Day** celebration as a building. This will be a student only event on Wednesday, June 14th in the afternoon. You can help by reminding your student to dress in red, white and blue!

On Thursday, June 15th (with a rain date of June 16th), we will have a **Whole School Morning Meeting** at the Dansville High School stadium from 8:30-9:30am. Families are invited to join us in celebrating a year of leadership and accomplishments! This will also give families an opportunity to experience a morning meeting.

Then students only will participate in **Field Day** events with their class. After the field day fun, we'll have a whole school community lunch together out on the grassy field. Students will be able to get a bagged lunch that day if they don't bring from home. Keep your eyes out for a letter home in the next few weeks with more details about this event and the bagged lunch order form.

🌞 Summer Program

Children who are eligible to attend Summer Program received a letter in their take home folder with information. Please be sure to return the requested information by June 1st, so we can finalize the details and send updates to those attending.

Oh the Places You'll Go!

This year at DPS, we have talked A LOT about how being a great leader can help us achieve great things and take us great places. Where exactly could we go? ANYWHERE! To show our DPS leaders that the possibilities are endless, we are asking for help from our school community. Please ask any friends or relatives to send postcards to our school. We will welcome postcards from any country, state, town, or just from Dansville. Have them create a story that they have seen a mini-mustang being a leader!

What does a great leader look like? Being a leader at DPS means doing the right thing, even when no one is watching, and working to make our community a better place! See trash? Pick it up! Does your family need help at home? Pull up a chair and help wash the dishes! Be proactive, think win-win, share with siblings, **the options are endless!**

Does email work better than a physical postcard? No problem! We can print it and hang it up. We will display all of the postcards in our school along with a QR code, so that students can learn a little bit more about the locations that the postcards come from.

Additionally, you will find your own "mini-mustang" below. Our school has two vacations between now and the end of the year – take them with you to snap a picture of a mini-mustang in a cool place. Whether it be the trampoline park, Disney World, or Babcock Park, we can be leaders anywhere! Bring it back to school and we will showcase it alongside our postcard collection.

If you have any questions or an email submission please send it to Brittney Spoor (spoorb@dansvillecsd.org).

Mail can be sent to:
Janelle Rinker
% Dansville Primary School
284 Main Street
Dansville, New York 14437



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

2022-2023 Parent/Student Handbook

📢 *Did You Know* 📢

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 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.

Primary Bus Loop

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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)

Community News



You & Me & A Cup Of Tea May 11th at the Dansville Public Library 10:30am. Tea Parties can help improve a child's imaginative play and coordination skills, as well as honing their communication and social skills. Come have a tea party with us!



Dansville
Family Resource Center

Our services are free of charge & all families are welcome!

May 2023

Mon	Tue	Wed (@ Cohocton)	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Flower Crowns	2 Texture Walk Experience	3 Baby Doll Circle Time 10:30 am 	4 Toy Matching	5 Positive Solutions Dansville Public Library 10:15am-12:15pm	6
8 CENTER CLOSED 	9 Rock Painting 	10 Tea Party with Mrs. Jessie	11 You & Me & a cup of tea Dansville public Library 10:30am 	12 Positive Solutions Dansville Public Library 10:15am-12:15pm	13
15 Spring Cutting Scissor Skill Practice	16 Frozen Sensory	17 Bottle flower Paintings	18 Finger Paint Snails 	19 No Positive Solutions	20
22 Caterpillar Feeding Activity 	23 Oobleck Play	24 Outdoor Sensory Play	25 Name Paintings 	26 Positive Solutions Dansville Public Library 10:15am-12:15pm	27
29 CLOSED MEMORIAL DAY 	30 Baby Doll Circle Time 10:30 am 	31 CLOSED Staff Development 			

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



May is safe sleep month. Unsafe sleep and SIDS are the leading cause of death in infants between one month and one year of age, with most deaths occurring when a baby is between two and four months of age. Infant death due to unsafe sleep practices is preventable. Anyone taking care of your child should follow these tips: 1- Alone, 2- Back, 3- Crib, 4- Smoke Free Home



Find out how
you can be a . . .

Please note: New Dates!
-A 12 Session Group -



Thursdays
April 13th -June 15th

6pm to 8pm via Zoom.

**National
Fatherhood
Initiative®**

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.

Facilitated by Bob Lecher, Mary Hassan, & Tawyna Hughes

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

All services are free & open to everyone

To register:

<https://rb.gy/ric7m>

For Questions:

Tawyna Hughes 607-684-3923 text or call

Email: hughest@proactioninc.org

 **Positive Solutions for Families**

Friday's April 21st– May 26th
10:15am to 12:15pm
Dansville Public Library
200 Main St. Dansville, NY
Limited Childcare Available, Register Today!

Throughout this 7- week parent education program you will learn how to promote your children's social and emotional skills, understand their problem behavior, and use positive approaches to help children learn appropriate behavior. These sessions will give caregivers general information on key strategies that may be used with all children.



WHAT YOU WILL LEARN:

- Making Positive Connections
- Behavior has meaning & the Power of Routines
- Teach Children What To Do
- Responding to Challenging Behavior with Purpose & a Plan

With trained Facilitator Tawyna Hughes & Dansville FRC Director Cassie Gunderson

Register Information:
<https://signup.com/go/qUHxRiS>
Cassie Gunderson
Email gundersonc@proactioninc.org
Or 607-239-2556

Services are offered at no cost and are open to everyone.

PERRY CHALK ART FESTIVAL

17th Annual
in Downtown Perry
Saturday, July 8th, 2023

Raindate: July 15th, 2023

8:30 am to 4:30 pm

2023 Theme: Think Big

LOTS OF AMAZING ARTISTS!

WATCH ARTISTS CREATE PASTEL MASTERPIECES

Cheer on youth competing for chalking prizes, or pick up a stick yourself and design a square for our chalk wall. Check in throughout the festival to see the master artworks grow before your eyes.

MARKET SPACE

Find tasty local produce at the Farmers' Market, and unique gifts at the Public Market.

TOUR DE PERRY

Three courses for bikers to choose from.

MUSIC

Regionally acclaimed musicians perform all day.

FAMILY FUN

Balloon artists, face painting and more - a full day's worth of activities.

ADULT & YOUTH CHALK ARTISTS NEEDED

Showcase your skills in a unique outdoor setting.

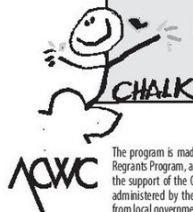
DELICIOUS DINING OPPORTUNITIES

Food trucks, local and regional favorites.

For more information
or a registration form:

WWW.PERRYCHALKFESTIVAL.COM

Contact 585-237-5375 or email:
perrychalkfestival@insitearch.com



The program is made possible in part with funds from the Statewide Community Re-grants Program, a regrant program of the New York State Council on the Arts with the support of the Office of the Governor and the New York State Legislature and administered by the Arts Council for Wyoming County. Additional support comes from local government, businesses and citizens.



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Dansville Primary School

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