

Week of January 29th

DPS Principal Newsletter

HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK

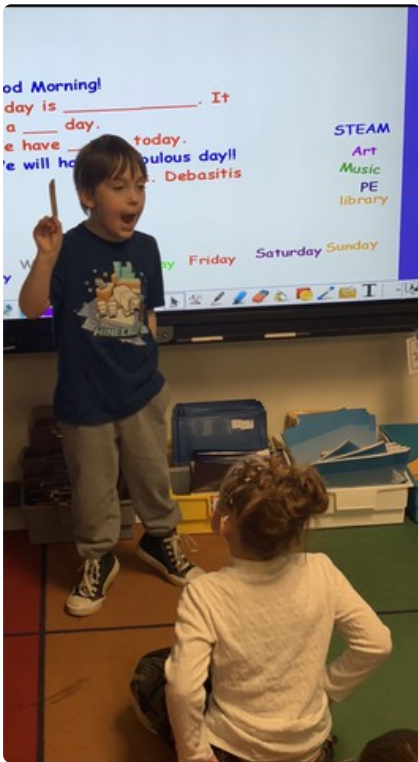
Teacher Learning

On Thursday and Friday, DPS teachers engaged in their own learning with Leah Mermelstein, a literacy consultant and author. Leah did demonstration writing lessons with students on Thursday and met with small groups of teachers. Then today on our Superintendent's Conference Day she did a presentation for all the teachers. At DPS, teachers are very committed to learning and growing to be the very BEST for our students!



!Kindergarten Grade Highlight

Mrs. Debasitis's class has been hard at work practicing leadership skills during morning meeting. They "Begin with the End in Mind". Also, they are mathematicians using different strategies and tools to break apart numbers. After exercising their "math" brains, it's time to take a brain break and exercise their bodies so that they can be successful in the next activity!



Golden Spatula Winners

DRUM ROLL for this week's 1st and 2nd grade Golden Spatula winners. See below!

Congrats to Mrs. Debasitis's class who had the most kindergarten tickets this week

1st Grade



Andrew Bennett



Baylee Craig

2nd Grade



Oliver Ames



Ezekiel Arena



Addalynn Bowes

Primary Particulars

This includes information for next week, including activities, breakfast/lunch menu, upcoming events, and birthdays.

 **Did You Know** 



**American Heart Association
KIDS HEART CHALLENGE**

CELEBRATING A LEGACY OF LIFESAVERS

Nationally Supported by
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Marcum is a proud supporter of the American Heart Association's Kids Heart Challenge.



**FINN
GRADE 3**

SLOW-RISE BALL

BE THE 1ST AT YOUR SCHOOL TO COMPLETE FINN'S MISSION AND EARN FINN'S LIFESAVERS AWARD!

Starting February 5th, join the Mustang team to raise funds (and earn prizes) while helping kids with special hearts. During this mission you will have the opportunity to learn about your heart and why its important to exercise daily. Click here to get started. <http://www2.heart.org/goto/DansvillePrimarySchoolDansvilleNY>

CELEBRATING OUR GENERATIONS OF STUDENTS WHO HAVE MADE A LIFESAVING IMPACT.



LEARN THE LIFESAVING SKILL OF HANDS-ONLY CPR IN FINN'S MISSION.



RAISE FUNDS FOR KIDS WITH SPECIAL HEARTS.



LEARN ABOUT HEART AND BRAIN HEALTH.



DISCOVER STRESS REDUCTION TECHNIQUES AND FEEL GOOD FOR DOING GOOD!

2 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER:

AHA SCHOOLS APP



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HEART.ORG/SCHOOLS



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"Snow Ball" Family Dance

Sponsored by the Dansville PK-12 PTO

**Saturday, Feb. 3rd, 2024
6:00-7:30pm**



EBH Elementary Gym



**Family Photos available by
Megan Driesbach Photography
(\$10 digital copy - sent directly to you!)**

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.

100th Day of School

The 100th Day of School is February 14th. A letter came home in your child's backpack with information. Please remember to return the slip at the bottom if you plan to have your child leave with you or another adult after the event rather than staying at school for regular dismissal.

100th Day Letter

Dansville Primary School Presents

THE SOUP-ER BOWL

Dansville Primary School will be collecting soup and other canned goods for the Food Pantry as part of our 100th Day of School Community Collection.

Please consider sending in a donation with your favorite primary school leaders by Monday, February 12th.

Check back after our 100th day celebration to see how many cans DPS was able to donate back to our community!



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When to Keep Your Child Home From School

What to Do When Your Child is Sick

COVID-19 Guidelines

Regulations for Students, Staff, & Parents

📖 Parent/Student Handbook

Below is a link to the 2023-2024 DPS Parent/Student Handbook. This will serve as an excellent resource to you throughout the school year.

DPS Parent/Student Handbook

Incident Form

In addition to contacting the child's teacher, please complete this form to report an incident or act of bullying and/or harassment.

Arrival and Dismissal

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 2:15pm 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.

Cafeteria

Below are the breakfast and lunch menus -

January Breakfast Menu

February Breakfast Menu

January Lunch Menu

February Lunch Menu

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YOUTH BASEBALL & SOFTBALL

REGISTER ONLINE AT:

WWW.GLOWACADEMYNY.COM

**CLICK BASEBALL OR SOFTBALL FROM THE
PULL DOWN MENU, THEN REGISTRATION**

SOFTBALL \$45
8U, 10U, 12U

BASEBALL \$45
ROOKIE - 8U, MINOR - 10U, MAJOR - 12U

BABE RUTH BASEBALL \$100
JH 7TH/8TH, HS 9TH-12TH

TBALL \$30
BOYS & GIRLS IN K OR 1ST

BUDDY BALL (5YR - 19 YR)
**AN ADAPTIVE BASEBALL PROGRAM FOR
PLAYERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

EARLY REGISTRATION WILL BE OPEN UNTIL 2/19/24
A LATE REGISTRATION FEE OF \$10 WILL BE CHARGED AFTER 2/19/24
NO REGISTRATIONS WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER 3/1/24

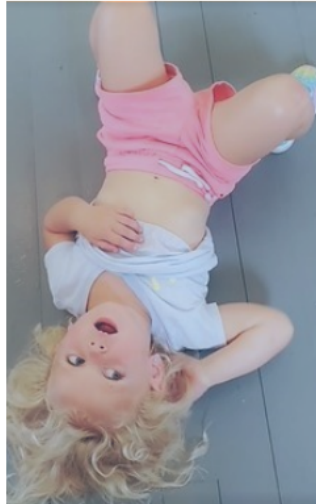
Questions? Want to coach?
Email: dansvilleyouthbaseball@gmail.com

Don't FLIP OUT, use FLIP IT!


Join us on Zoom for 4 sessions
Wednesdays January 10th, 17th, 24th, 31st
9am to 10:30 am

We are moving our most popular series to ZOOM!

Are you interested in finding a way to stay calm, be consistent, and support children when they are challenging you? 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 Tawyna Hughes, Certified FLIP IT trainer with one on one, in person coaching available.



WHAT YOU WILL LEARN

The **4 Steps** 
to building supportive relationships
that encourage emotional awareness and
emotional control in children

FLIP IT™

Register: <https://tinyurl.com/yctyvcta>



For questions or more information contact:
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Find out how
you can be a . . .



-A Hybrid 6 Session Course -
Thursdays
Feb. 1st-March 7th, 2024
6pm to 8pm

300 Civic Center Plaza
Corning, NY 14830
Above the Southeast Corning Library

**National
Fatherhood
Initiative®**

24/7 Dad® is a nationally recognized program designed for fathers who want to advance their knowledge and skills to help raise healthy children. This evidenced based program is free and welcome to everyone, whether this is your first time or you have previously taken other fatherhood & parenting workshops.

Facilitated by Mary Hassan, & Tawyna Hughes

Have you been a dad
today?



If I had to rate this program in one word: 'priceless.' It's absolutely priceless. I would say that every father, potential father and anyone thinking about being a father should be a part of this program. —Howard Tayari, 24:7 Dad® attendee

- Feb. 1st **Fathering & the 24/7 Dad**
- Feb. 8th **Dealing with Anger & Knowing Myself**
- Feb. 15th **Families Ties**
- Feb. 22nd **Power, Control, & Discipline**
- Feb. 29th **Improving Communication**
- Mar. 7th **Family Ties & Family Fun**

Register:

<https://tinyurl.com/3vyd8wv3>

For Questions:

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