



# Frankfort-Schuyler CENTRAL SCHOOL

**Mission Statement:** Our purpose is to provide a positive learning environment in which students and staff will have the opportunity to experience success and become lifelong learners.

Budget Newsletter

May 2023



## EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATION



COMMUNITY AND  
COLLABORATION



STUDENT  
ACHIEVEMENT



FISCAL  
RESPONSIBILITY



PEOPLE AND  
CULTURE

CHARACTER: PRIDE, RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY, TRUST AND CITIZENSHIP

## SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

**Dear Frankfort-Schuyler Families and Community,**

What a year our district and school community have had! I continue to be impressed by the accomplishments of our student and staff champions. The collaboration exhibited throughout our school buildings is tremendous and has led us to great achievements.

As we enter another budget season, I must also mention the commitment our Board demonstrates during the budget planning process. Each board member has been actively involved in the development of the budget, asking thoughtful questions and reviewing all aspects of our expenditures, as well as anticipated revenues. As a result of the extensive planning, analysis and future projections, the Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District is committed to providing our families and community with the necessary budget information to make an informed decision on Tuesday, May 16, 2023.

Our proposed budget balances the needs of both the taxpayers of the Frankfort-Schuyler school community and our students through the development of a fiscally responsible budget designed to provide our students with the best diversified educational program. The proposed 2023-2024 school budget includes an increase in spending of 2.7% for the Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District portion and an 8.18% increase when adding in the Herkimer-Fulton-Hamilton-Otsego BOCES Capital Project. The total budget of \$23,235,634 includes a

tax increase of \$245,110. This will result in a 2.98% tax increase for Frankfort-Schuyler homeowners, far below the allowable cap of 6.33%.

This fiscal plan upholds the goals of the Frankfort-Schuyler CSD Strategic Plan and maintains our current elementary class sizes, continues the implementation of our regular instructional program, maintains current transportation services, maintains our student support programs and expands our Pre-K program to two full-day classes. This budget also continues to support our Afterschool Exploratory Enrichment Program, while allowing us to still offer a Summer Enrichment Program. Furthermore, it maintains the current interscholastic athletic and co-curricular programs, and appropriates well-planned reserves to address potential future reductions in Federal and State Aid while still considering the District's fiscal future.

Please take the time to read our newsletter before going to vote on May 16. You may also wish to review our budget presentation, which can be accessed on our website. Your consideration of the 2023-24 school budget is greatly appreciated.

With Frankfort-Schuyler Pride,

*Joseph M. Dalmer*

**Superintendent of Schools**

**BUDGET HEARING** | May 2, 2023 @ 6:30 p.m. *High School Library*

**BUDGET & ELECTION VOTE** | May 16, 2023 from 12:00 – 8:00 p.m. *High School Old Gymnasium*

# General Fund Appropriations

		2022-2023	2023-2024
		2022-23	2023-24
		Budget	Budget
<b>I. BOARD OF EDUCATION</b>			
This section includes the expenses of the Board of Education, the salary of the District Clerk, as well as the cost of supplies, materials, postage, and annual vote in the district.			
1010	Board of Education .....	\$13,712	\$14,202
1040	District Clerk .....	\$16,750	\$17,250
1060	District Meetings .....	\$2,500	\$2,500
<b>Total</b>	<b>Board of Education.....</b>	<b>\$32,962</b>	<b>\$33,952</b>
<b>II. CENTRAL ADMINISTRATION</b>			
Salaries, supplies, and materials for the Superintendent and the Superintendent's secretary.			
1240	Superintendent, Superintendent Secretary, Supplies .....	\$198,000	\$208,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>Central Administration .....</b>	<b>\$198,000</b>	<b>\$208,000</b>
<b>III. FINANCE</b>			
Included are salaries, supplies, and materials that relate to the fiscal operations of the school district.			
1310	Business Administration .....	\$292,731	\$325,493
1320	Auditing.....	\$27,000	\$27,000
1325	Treasurer .....	\$950	\$3,100
1330	Tax Collector.....	\$11,500	\$10,500
1345	Purchasing.....	\$4,017	\$4,000
1380	Fiscal Agent Fees .....	\$6,000	\$6,000
<b>Total</b>	<b>Finance.....</b>	<b>\$342,198</b>	<b>\$376,093</b>
<b>IV. STAFF</b>			
1420	Legal .....	\$55,000	\$55,000
1430	Personnel.....	\$56,144	\$57,744
1460	Records Management .....	\$3,159	\$3,937
1480	Public Information.....	\$47,641	\$50,178
<b>Total</b>	<b>Staff .....</b>	<b>\$161,944</b>	<b>\$166,859</b>
<b>V. CENTRAL SERVICES</b>			
Includes all expenses associated with the maintenance of the district's buildings & grounds including custodial and maintenance salaries, utilities, service contracts, cleaning and all other supplies.			
1620	Operations of Plant .....	\$970,544	\$1,026,363
1621	Maintenance .....	\$584,931	\$603,715
1670	Central Printing & Mailing .....	\$85,000	\$91,500
<b>Total</b>	<b>Central Services.....</b>	<b>\$1,640,475</b>	<b>\$1,721,578</b>
<b>VI. SPECIAL ITEMS</b>			
Included are insurance premiums, potential property tax refunds, and BOCES administrative charges.			
1910	Unallocated Insurance.....	\$115,000	\$118,450
1920	School Association Dues.....	\$6,500	\$5,000
1964	Refund of Property Taxes.....	\$5,000	\$3,500
1981	BOCES Administrative Charge .....	\$537,000	\$1,771,440
<b>Total</b>	<b>Special Items .....</b>	<b>\$663,500</b>	<b>\$1,898,390</b>
<b>TOTAL GENERAL SUPPORT</b>		<b>\$3,039,079</b>	<b>\$4,404,872</b>
<b>Instruction</b>			
<b>I. ADMINISTRATION &amp; CURR IMPROVEMENT</b>		<b>2022-2023</b>	<b>2023-2024</b>
		<b>Budget</b>	<b>Budget</b>
Includes salaries, supplies and materials necessary for development/supervision of instructional programs.			
2010	Curriculum Development and Support.....	\$58,935	\$63,370
2020	Supervision-Regular School.....	\$446,509	\$475,114
2060	Research, Planning, Evaluation .....	\$2,500	\$2,500
2070	In-Service Training-Instruction .....	\$14,557	\$14,724
<b>Total</b>	<b>Administration &amp; Curr Improvement.....</b>	<b>\$522,501</b>	<b>\$555,708</b>
<b>II. TEACHING - REGULAR SCHOOL</b>			
This category includes salaries, textbooks, BOCES Services and all supplies for the educational programs.			
2110	Teaching - Regular School.....	\$5,195,199	\$4,767,411
<b>Total</b>	<b>Teaching - Regular School .....</b>	<b>\$5,195,199</b>	<b>\$4,767,411</b>

# General Fund Appropriations

		2022-23	2023-24
		Budget	Budget
<b>III. SPECIAL APPORTIONMENT PROGRAMS</b>			
Cost of Instruction and Services for Students with Disabilities, Tuition for Occupational Education Programs and all expenses for Teaching Special Schools.			
2250	Programs for Students with Disabilities.....	\$3,101,862	\$3,513,719
2259	English Language Learners .....	\$0	\$118,500
2280	Occupational Education.....	\$627,350	\$602,640
2330	Teaching Special Schools .....	\$50,550	\$57,150
<b>Total</b>	<b>Special Apportionment Programs.....</b>	<b>\$3,779,762</b>	<b>\$4,292,009</b>
<b>IV. INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA</b>			
Includes salaries and supplies for media and library services and all costs of the district technology programs.			
2610	School Library & Audiovisual .....	\$129,849	\$122,355
2630	Computer Assisted Instruction .....	\$402,897	\$409,469
<b>Total</b>	<b>Instructional Media.....</b>	<b>\$532,746</b>	<b>\$531,824</b>
<b>V. PUPIL SERVICES</b>			
Includes attendance, guidance, health, psychological services, extracurricular activities, and sports.			
2805	Attendance .....	\$5,408	\$5,533
2810	Guidance.....	\$290,958	\$270,210
2815	Health Services .....	\$178,200	\$150,200
2816	Diagnostic Screening .....	\$5,000	\$5,000
2850	Co-Curricular Activities .....	\$97,000	\$107,000
2855	Interscholastic Athletics.....	\$221,812	\$243,480
<b>Total</b>	<b>Pupil Services.....</b>	<b>\$798,378</b>	<b>\$781,423</b>
<b>TOTAL INSTRUCTION</b>		<b>\$10,828,586</b>	<b>\$10,928,375</b>
<b>Pupil Transportation</b>			
<b>I. PUPIL TRANSPORTATION</b>			
Includes all costs for transportation to public/private schools and transportation for handicapped students.			
5510	Transportation.....	\$17,000	\$20,000
5540*	Contract Transportation.....	\$1,363,848	\$1,444,237
<b>TOTAL PUPIL TRANSPORTATION</b>		<b>\$1,380,848</b>	<b>\$1,464,237</b>
<b>Undistributed</b>			
		2022-23	2023-24
		Budget	Budget
<b>I. EMPLOYEE BENEFITS</b>			
9010-20	Retirement .....	\$891,375	\$927,358
9030	Social Security.....	\$672,516	\$659,040
9040	Workers' Compensation .....	\$61,770	\$63,345
9045	Life Insurance .....	\$9,877	\$10,220
9050	Unemployment Insurance .....	\$33,500	\$33,139
9055	Disability Insurance .....	\$2,300	\$2,369
9060	Hospital, Medical & Dental Insurance .....	\$3,613,579	\$3,802,629
<b>Total</b>	<b>Employee Benefits .....</b>	<b>\$5,284,917</b>	<b>\$5,498,100</b>
<b>II. DEBT SERVICE</b>			
9721	Serial Bonds-Principal .....	\$595,000	\$615,000
9722	Serial Bonds-Interest .....	\$336,000	\$311,050
9770	Revenue Anticipation Notes-Interest.....		
<b>Total</b>	<b>Debt Service.....</b>	<b>\$931,000</b>	<b>\$926,050</b>
<b>III. INTERFUND TRANSFERS</b>			
9901	Transfers to Special Aid Fund.....	\$14,000	\$14,000
9930	Transfers to Capital Fund .....	\$0	\$0
<b>Total</b>	<b>Interfund Transfers .....</b>	<b>\$14,000</b>	<b>\$14,000</b>
<b>TOTAL UNDISTRIBUTED</b>		<b>\$6,229,917</b>	<b>\$6,438,150</b>
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>		<b>\$21,478,430</b>	<b>\$23,235,634</b>

# Budget News

## Budget to Budget

Year	Budget Amount	Inc Over PY \$	Inc %
2019/2020	19,558,257.00	582,469.00	3.07%
2020/2021	20,191,687.00	633,430.00	3.24%
2021/2022	20,768,066.00	576,379.00	2.85%
2022/2023	21,478,430.00	710,364.00	3.42%
<b>2023/2024</b>	<b>23,235,634.00</b>	<b>1,757,204.00</b>	<b>8.18%</b> With BOCES Capital Project
<b>2023/2024</b>	<b>23,235,634.00</b>	<b>579,764.00</b>	<b>2.70%</b> <i>With</i> OUT BOCES Capital Project
	<b>Five Year Average</b>	<b>851,969.20</b>	<b>4.15%</b> With BOCES Capital Project
	<b>Five Year Average</b>	<b>616,481.20</b>	<b>3.06%</b> <i>With</i> OUT BOCES Capital Project

## Tax Levy to Tax Levy

Year	Tax Levy	\$ Inc	% Inc
2019/2020	7,781,514.00	134,044.00	1.75%
2020/2021	7,934,543.00	153,029.00	1.97%
2021/2022	8,083,712.00	149,169.00	1.88%
2022/2023	8,225,177.00	141,465.00	1.75%
2023/2024	8,470,287.00	245,110.00	2.98%
	<b>Five-Year Average</b>	<b>\$164,563.40</b>	<b>2.07%</b>

## Estimated 2023-2024 Revenues

Revenue Category	2022-2023 Budget	Proposed 2023-2024 Budget
Appropriated Fund Balance	\$675,000	\$725,000
Real Property Taxes & STAR	\$8,225,177	\$8,470,287
Payment in Lieu of Taxes	\$300,000	\$436,492
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	\$15,000	\$15,000
Interest Earnings	\$12,000	\$20,000
Tuitions	\$190,000	\$190,000
Miscellaneous & Grant Funding	\$527,151	\$357,094
Transfers & Reserve Usage	\$252,000	\$309,854
Medicaid Reimbursements	\$60,000	\$60,000
Medicare Part D Reimbursement	\$45,000	\$45,000
State Aid General Support	\$11,177,102	\$12,606,907
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$21,478,430</b>	<b>\$23,235,634</b>

## FSCSD Proposed 2023-24 Budget

**Budget Amount: \$23,235,634**

**Budget Increase: \$1,757,204**

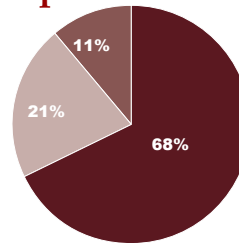
**Budget Increase: 8.18%**

**Tax Levy Increase\*: 2.98%**

*\*Allowable under NYS Tax Cap: 6.33%*

*Requires 60% Majority Approval*

## Expenditures Three-Part Budget



**TOTAL EXPENDITURES**  
**\$23,235,634**

- Program: \$15,852,686
- Capital: \$4,858,422
- Administration: \$2,524,526

### FRANKFORT SCHUYLER / BOCES CAPITAL BREAKDOWN

BOCES CAPITAL Increase in \$ **\$1,177,440.00**

BOCES CAPITAL Increase in % **5.48%**

### EXCLUDING BOCES CAPITAL PROJECT

Frankfort-Schuyler Budget Increase in \$ **\$579,764.00**

Frankfort-Schuyler Budget Increase in % **2.70%**

# High School News

The Class of 2023 students plan to attend the following colleges:



Frankfort  
FREE  
Library

The Frankfort Library continues to provide free, public access to its collections, computers, internet, literacy and craft classes, special events and use of the community room. Numerous local organizations utilize our space and resources. The Library partners with the School District and afterschool programs, and has served as a distribution point for pandemic-related items. Operating costs have escalated and fund opportunities have been severely restricted. The Library is seeking a modest increase to the tax levy to keep pace. Voting on the measure will be done in conjunction with the School Budget Vote. A public hearing to review this requested increase will be held on May 3 at 6 p.m. in the Frankfort Library.

We are happily looking forward to another successful Summer Reading Program. Special events will include an ice cream social, musicians, performers and a visit from the Utica Zoomobile. Check out our monthly calendars and social media for upcoming events and programs for all ages.

Please contact us at 315.894.9611 with any questions you may have.

The Class of 2023 students plan to enlist in the following branches of the U.S. military:



The Class of 2023 students plan to enroll in the following majors:

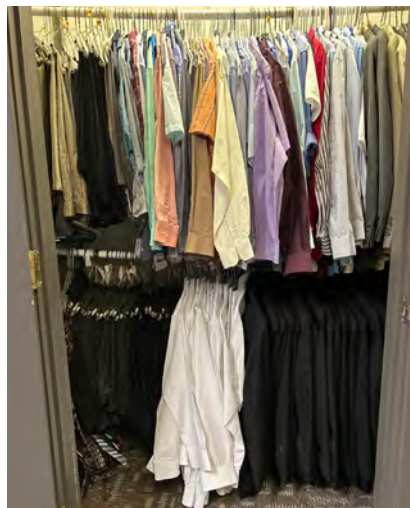
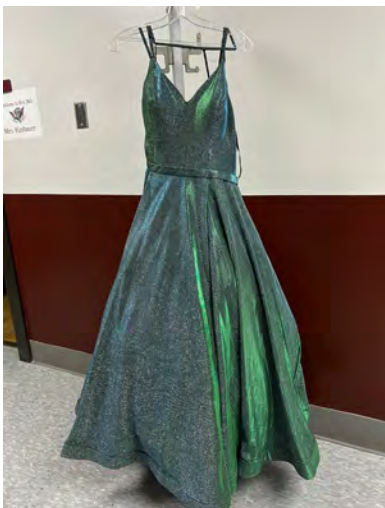
Accounting | Adolescent Education | Animal Science | Biology  
Business Administration | Business Management | Civil Engineering  
Computer Science | Culinary | Dental Assistant | Digital Marketing | Finance  
Fine Arts | Game Design | Health Science | Hotel Technology Management  
Mechanical Engineering | Media Communications | Nursing | Psychology

## F-S Celebrates World Down Syndrome Day

Frankfort-Schuyler recently celebrated World Down Syndrome Day. Students participated in activities like face painting and packaging bags of popcorn for the staff and their peers to enjoy. A cart with donuts for sale to benefit individuals with Down Syndrome also circled the school where teachers and classmates could enjoy a tasty treat.



## DRESS TO IMPRESS



Dress to Impress, a special occasion attire loan program at Frankfort-Schuyler, has been a great success – check out the expansive selection and find a unique outfit for your next special event! Gray and black tuxedos are available in every size as well as over 90 prom dresses and shoe options. Students can see Mrs. Cucci or Mrs. Haslauer to schedule a time to borrow items.

The program is open to all students and offers attire for special occasions ranging from a job interview to prom. The only requirement is that students return borrowed items in the best condition possible so that they may continue to be shared with others.

Donations are currently being accepted for prom dresses, banquet outfits, suits, ties, dress shirts and shoes for all sizes. Donations can be dropped off at the Frankfort-Schuyler High School main office.



# CLASS OF 2023 TOPSCHOLARS

Congratulations to our Class of 2023 valedictorian, salutatorian and the top 10% on their incredible achievements:

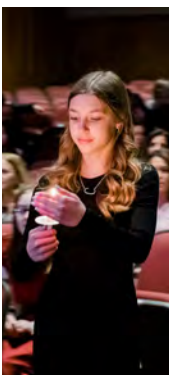
**Valedictorian:** Destany Martinez

**Salutatorian:** Luke Critelli

**Top 10%:** Karina Lyubezhanina, Jack McMurray  
Abigail Ogievich, Angelina Tangorra

## NJHS Induction Ceremony

On March 9, current National Junior Honor Society (NJHS) members joined together with new inductees to celebrate and honor each other as well as the tradition of the NJHS. Students were recognized, recited the membership characteristics and participated in the “passing of the light” to round out the ceremony. Congratulations to all current members of NJHS for their achievements, as well as those newly inducted.



- Redzo Begic
- Parker Belmont
- Caden Bryant
- Jayla Buttacaroli
- Alexandria Cleveland
- Robert Conti
- Ashton Davis
- Viola Davis
- Lia Doyle
- Ella Drennen
- Rocco Gaetano
- Michael Giambrone
- Maryna Harrod
- Brynlee Helmer
- Karmena Jones
- Brayden Kelly
- Trent Marshall
- Audrey McMurray
- Adem Merdanovic
- Jason Monahan, Jr.
- Aidan Nichols
- Jackson Payne
- Allison Putnam
- Olivia Randazzo
- Jozlyn Scholl
- Kyleigh Sears
- Giada Sedge
- Madisyn Sibley
- Bradley Smith
- Izayah Turner
- Jennifer Turner

Frankfort-Schuyler Jr./Sr. High School Presents:

# GREASE®

Frankfort-Schuyler Jr./Sr. High School recently held a musical production of "Grease." Two of the three performances held on March 31 and April 1 in the high school auditorium were sold out! The cast of "Grease" consisted of students in grades 7 through 12. Students, faculty and staff volunteered their talents to help put on a wonderful show.

Heather Tinker and Savannah Lanz co-directed, Toni Palmisano was the choreographer and Michael Bick was the set designer. Costume donations were provided by Glade Cook.

"Grease" was presented through special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc. New York City, New York.

Leads for the Frankfort-Schuyler production were Raechel Craig as Miss Lynch, Olivia Teachout as Patty Simcox, Xion Wilson as Eugene Florczyk, Alexandria Service as Jan, Amber Jacobs as Marty, Destany Martinez as Betty Rizzo, Christopher Hobbick as Doody, Benjamin Ruzala as Roger, Daniel Palmisano as Kenickie, Angelina Tangorra as Sandy Olsson and Alex Marmet as Danny Zuko.

The District is so proud of the hard work that each student and the faculty and staff put into the musical and looks forward to their next performance!







## MUSIC DEPARTMENT NEWS

The Frankfort-Schuyler Music Department has been quite busy this year. Students attended events such as the All-County Music I Festival (hosted at Frankfort-Schuyler), Area All-State, RFA Show Choir Festival and All-County II Music Festival. Students also performed in a Kaleidoscope Concert, which was a collaboration with the art department and presented the musical "Grease" on March 31 and April 1.





## Frankfort-Schuyler High School Winter Concert

On December 21, the High School Band and Choir performed a holiday concert for the community. The program consisted of many holiday favorites and concluded with the annual Christmas Sing-a-Long. The Christmas Sing-a-Long was a fantastic celebratory finale performance by the combined band and choir, along with audience participation!

## NYSSMA Area All-State Music Festival

Area All-State is a music festival that students are selected for based on their NYSSMA scores. NYSSMA scores are compiled from over 30 school districts in Herkimer, Oneida and Oswego counties. Over 200 of the finest musicians come together on a Friday and Saturday in November to work with and create incredible music with guest conductors. This year we were very fortunate to have nine students be selected for this prestigious ensemble. Congrats to all!



## MVRC Community Service Award Winner – Angelina Tangorra!

Mohawk Valley Rotary Club members recently presented Angelina Tangorra with the Community Service Award. Angelina won the award by submitting an essay discussing her community service achievements during her high school years.

A special thank you to the Mohawk Valley Rotary Club for offering this scholarship opportunity to our students each year!

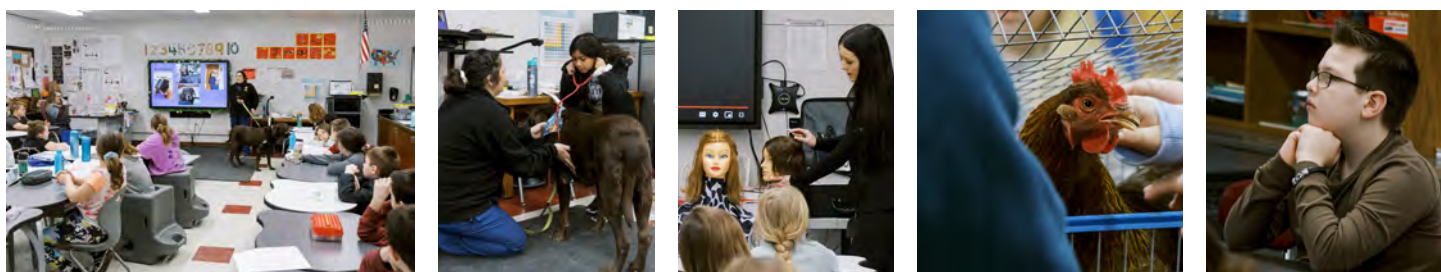
**Congratulations, Angelina!**

## Elementary Career Day

On March 24, Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary School was full of local professionals and eager-to-learn students during their annual Career Day.

Students in grades three through five rotated around their classrooms and were able to spend 15 minutes with each of the experts. Career fields that they had the opportunity to learn about included veterinary science, cosmetology, insurance, nutrition and law enforcement. Students were able to learn from local professionals as well as current students exploring the respective fields.

Kindergarten through second graders spent their morning in the gym, where several different professionals had stations and hands-on activities set up for the children to explore. Stations included firefighters and farmers. Students enjoyed seeing firefighter gear up close, working on arts and crafts and getting to pet a real chicken and learn about animal needs.



## Students Run, Walk and Roll Against Bullying!

On April 5, students from the Elementary school participated in a run, walk and roll against bullying in their physical education classes. Students also read books and participated in other fun activities throughout the day!



## Utica City Football Club Reads to Elementary Students



On February 16, the Utica City Football Club visited Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary to read to students in kindergarten through fifth grade.

This event was a part of the elementary school Read-A-Thon, aiming to get students to “Read across America”.

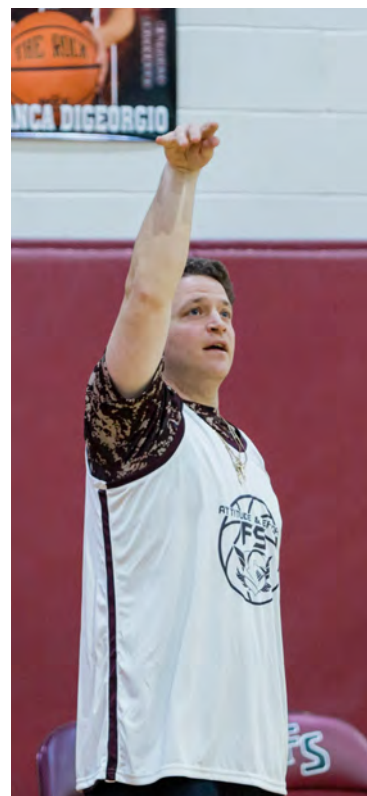
# Kiwanis Basketball Night

On March 10, Frankfort-Schuyler held the 47th annual Frankfort Kiwanis Basketball Game and Fun Night, a fundraiser featuring several different friendly basketball competitions between faculty and students. All proceeds of the event benefit the Frankfort-Ilion Food Pantry.

The event featured a “hot shot” contest for grades 4-6, a three-point contest for grades 7-12, a Kiwanis versus faculty game, junior versus senior game and trophy presentations for all winners.

In the Kiwanis versus faculty game, the faculty took the win, thanks in part to Officer McLean for his “inside” play and Superintendent Palmer for his three-pointers!

Thank you to all of the students who participated in the annual festivities!



## STUDENT ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS

Our school has had the opportunity to offer two amazing programs this past school year. The first is The After School Enrichment program which is open to all students in grades K-5. Students have the opportunity to participate in classes such as kickboxing, yoga, baking, story time and crafts, board games and homework help. Those classes are just a few that are offered each semester. Semesters last about four weeks and we offer 4 semesters during the school year.

We also offer a Summer Enrichment Program for students entering Kindergarten through 6th grade. This is a five-week program during the summer that focuses on age appropriate academic support, character education as well as STEAM, PE, Art and Music. Last summer we had a few presenters like the Mega Bubble Man and The Via Aquarium. We are offering this program again this summer starting July 10.





## Frankfort-Schuyler Honored as Great in Our State

Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District will be honored at the What's Great in Our State event on Tuesday, May 9.

A forum to celebrate children's mental health awareness, the free event features an honoree recognition breakfast highlighting individuals and organizations making a difference in NY, workshops and networking opportunities.

## Frankfort-Schuyler Earns Award of Excellence



Safety Efforts Earn Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District Utica National's School Safety Excellence Award

Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District is one of at least 165 school districts and Board of Cooperative Educational Services (BOCES) in New York State to receive the Utica National Insurance Group's "School Safety Excellence Award" for 2023 at the Titanium with Honors level.

Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District officials accepted a certificate to commemorate the district's safety efforts and a \$500 award for use in furthering those efforts from Utica National representatives.

Utica National's School Safety Excellence Award Program has three levels - titanium, platinum and gold - in which schools can earn a meritorious distinction by meeting specific criteria to enhance overall safety. Through the program, schools with their own transportation, schools with contract transportation and BOCES are evaluated. Categories covered include bullying prevention programs, playground safety and other areas, and are measured using specific, quantifiable surveys.

## ESSA Good Standing For Frankfort-Schuyler

We are excited to announce that Frankfort-Schuyler is currently a school district in good standing according to the accountability measures of the Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA). Prior to the pandemic, Frankfort-Schuyler was listed as a school in need of improvement. This classification was due to the amount of students who did not participate in the state assessments as well as student performance on the assessments.

Each year, schools are re-evaluated on their progress. We were recently informed that we are in good standing in all areas of measure for the 2021-2022 school year. After the coordinated efforts of teachers, administrators, students and parents, we have increased both our participation and our performance measures!

We will continue to work hard in all areas measured under the ESSA. Our teachers have been utilizing data from last year's state assessments and Regents Exams to improve their instruction for this year. We have also been measuring our own progress in the areas of attendance, discipline and course success. Thank you for encouraging your children to participate in all aspects of their education. By doing so, we are ensuring success for all Frankfort-Schuyler students.



# KALEIDOSCOPE CONCERT



On March 8, four music ensembles district-wide participated in the annual Kaleidoscope Concert. The elementary youth choir, middle school jazz band, high school jazz band and select/show choirs all came together to put on an amazing show for Music in Our Schools Month!



# Board of Education Candidates

**Dominick Bellino** is a lifelong resident of Frankfort, and has served on the Frankfort-Schuyler Board of Education for 31 years. He has been married to his wife Gina for 45 years and has two daughters, Dominica and Angel, who both graduated from Frankfort-Schuyler Central School. Dominick retired from Lockheed Martin after a 44-year career and is currently a part-time consultant for Lockheed.

**Jack Bono** is a 1983 Frankfort-Schuyler graduate. He received an associate degree in business administration from Herkimer County Community College in 1985 and a bachelor's degree in business economics from the State University College at Oneonta in 1987. Jack has been working in his family's business in Schuyler for the past 35 years.

Volunteering in the community is important to Jack. He has been involved in coaching various sports, such as AYSO soccer, CYO basketball and little league baseball. He has served on the Herkimer-Fulton-Hamilton-Otsego BOCES Cooperative Board. Jack is also a member of the Frankfort Kiwanis. He has been a member of the Frankfort-Schuyler Board of Education since 2008.

Jack lives in town with his wife Kelly and son Jack.

**Jason Wasielewski** is a Frankfort-Schuyler graduate from the Class of 2009. After graduating from FSCS, he went on to college to continue his education and joined the NY Army National Guard as a combat medic in 2010. Jason deployed to Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom and upon returning to the country, he moved to North Carolina to finish his education and to work for the North Carolina Army National Guard as a healthcare specialist.

Jason holds a bachelor's degree in healthcare management and is currently a senior healthcare recruiter for New York-Presbyterian. Jason and his wife share three children together. Two of his children are current students at Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary, and his youngest daughter will attend FSCS when she is of school age. Since relocating back to Frankfort in 2017, Jason has been involved with various youth sports programs in the community and has coached football at various levels from high school down to flag. Jason is proud to be a member of the community and loves to watch Frankfort-Schuyler sports. As a coach, Jason has always encouraged the philosophy that academics is a priority, which leads to a well-rounded student set up for success. Jason believes that the success of our educators plays an enormous role in our children's lives. He refers to Frankfort fans as the "Maroon Faithful," and is looking forward to the opportunity to serve the "Maroon Faithful" as a member of the School Board.



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## EXAMINATION SCHEDULE: JUNE 2023

<u>JUNE 1</u> <u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 14</u> <u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 15</u> <u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 16</u> <u>FRIDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 20</u> <u>TUESDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 21</u> <u>WEDNESDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 22</u> <u>THURSDAY</u>	<u>JUNE 23</u> <u>FRIDAY</u>	
8:15 AM	8:15 AM	8:15 AM	8:15 AM	8:15 AM	8:15 AM	8:15 AM		
US HISTORY & GOVERNMENT	ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS	GLOBAL HISTORY & GEOGRAPHY II	PHYSICAL SETTING / EARTH SCIENCE	GEOMETRY	ALGEBRA II	PHYSICAL SETTING / PHYSICS	Graduation Rehearsal	
	12:15 PM	12:15 PM	12:15 PM	12:15 PM	12:15 PM	12:15 PM		
	LIVING ENVIRONMENT	ALGEBRA I	PHYSICAL SETTING / CHEMISTRY					



PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO VOTE ON TUESDAY, MAY 16, 2023,  
FROM 12:00 - 8:00 P.M. AT THE HIGH SCHOOL OLD GYMNASIUM.