

Highlights

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NEWSWORTHY

From the 722 science students who entered the Long Island Science Congress Regional Competition, Sayville Senior Saad Chaudhry was one of twenty-two Long Island science students (8 from Suffolk County) chosen to go into the State-level competition. Saad's project was "The Analysis of Heavy Metal Retention in the American Oyster (*Crossostrea Virginica*)."
Congratulations!

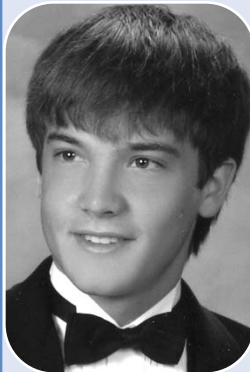
CONGRATULATIONS
to 2008 SMBA Senior Scholarship
Winners (see p.4) & Grant Winners
listed below:

MS Dance: Mary Thayer, Shannon Lynch, Kyle Murray; **MS Keyboard:** Zoe Kalomiris, Gianna Minogue, Dylan Schreiber; **MS Strings:** Susan Mangaluz, Emily Fox; **MS Voice:** Denise Natoli, Natasha Capp, Mollie Drinkwater, Liam Hofmeister; **MS Woodwinds:** Emily Lumley, Sarah Monastero, Katherine Farrell, Jill Mediatore; **MS Literary Arts:** Shannon Wisseman; **MS Theater:** Valerie Murray; **MS Visual Arts:** Brandon Woelfel, Nicole Tuminello

HS Brass: Tessa Mae Buono, Karl Wisseman, Trevor Robson, Paul Larkin; **HS Dance:** Kenny Murray; **HS Percussion:** Drew Hartman; **HS Strings:** Madeline Thayer, Kasey Tucker, Brian Van Duyne; **HS Woodwinds:** Melissa LaPinta; **HS Literary arts:** Kerishma Panigrahi; **HS Theater:** Mark Moskwa, Thomas Mittiga; Deanna Lumley; **HS Visual Arts:** Ashley Tuminello

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STEPHEN TUOZZOLO Class of 2008 Valedictorian



With a GPA of 105.927, Stephen Tuozzolo ranks first in a class of 288 and has been named Valedictorian for the Class of 2008.

A Semifinalist in the 2008 Intel Science Talent Search and a National Merit Scholarship Program Finalist (for which he received a **Certificate of Merit**), Stephen has not only taken full advantage of all the course offerings at Sayville—especially in English, social studies, mathematics, and science—he has excelled in all areas of study. An extremely hardworking and creative individual, Stephen is an AP Scholar with Distinction. (As a junior, he achieved a grade of 5 on his AP Physicsesam.) A model student, unassuming, yet serious about his studies, Stephen's caliber and character have given him a legacy of excellence throughout his High School career, earning him the well-deserved Valedictorian status.

His school club memberships include the National Honor Society, SWEEP, Anchor Club, KeyClub, Tri-M, Democrat Club, Science Olympiad, and Mathletes, and this year Stephen led as Captain of a Long Island Challenge Team to win a competition against West Babylon. In addition, Stephen was invited to present his research paper at the Long Island Junior Science and Humanities Symposium held at Adelphi University.

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MEREDITH GUESBLATT Class of 2008 Salutatorian

With a GPA of 105.327, Meredith Gudesblatt ranks a very close second in a class of 288 and has been named Class of 2008 Salutatorian.

Outstanding academic performance across all disciplines has marked Meredith as one of the finest in an extremely high-achieving senior class. She is an AP Scholar, a member of the National Honor Society, and has received the USAA National English Merit Award. In addition to her academic excellence, Meredith exhibits athletic and musical prowess. She has garnered Academic All-League/All-County, All-League Player, Coaches Excellence Award, and Best Defender Award for soccer. In music, she has achieved both NYSSMA All-County for Orchestra and NYSSMA All-County for Band as 1st Chair Bass Clarinet and is a current member of Tri-M.

During the summers of 2004 through 2006, Meredith had participated in Olympic-style Maccabbi Games for athletes of Jewish heritage. During these athletically enriching and spiritually enlightening experiences, Meredith traveled to

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BOARD OF EDUCATION

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BOARD NOTES

AT THE MAY 8TH BOE MEETING
Student Recognition was given to students (page 5) and Retiring Staff.

AT THE JUNE 12th BOE MEETING
Student Recognition was given to students (pages 6-7). BOE recognition was also given to retiring Board of Education Trustee Allison J. Cruz, District Volunteers, and Tenured staff.



Sayville High School was honored for being one of America's Top Schools in the annual Newsweek list.

DR. ROSEMARY F. JONES,
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS,
REPORTED ON THE FOLLOWING:

1. **America's Top High School Award**
-Recognition of Sayville High School
2. **News from Albany:** Tax Cap Proposal
3. **Bond Update**
High School Wellness Center
Middle School Alterations and
Renovations

Monday, July 7

- a. Annual Reorganization Mtg.:
6 p.m.
- b. Regular Mtg: 6:30 p.m.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- June 28 High School Commencement,
Saturday, 11 am
- July 7 Board of Education
Reorganization Mtg., Admin
Bldg. 6 p.m. and Board of
Education Regular Mtg.,
Admin. Bldg. 6:30 p.m.

*Have a wonderful
summer!*

Continued from cover **TUOZZOLO Class of 2008 Valedictorian**

Beyond academics, Stephen has been a motivated Varsity Cross Country and Track athlete, who also participated in Intermural Soccer. In music, Stephen has played 1st Chair Tenor Saxophone for both Jazz Band and Jazz Ensemble, as well as Alto Saxophone for All-County Band and Tenor Sax for Mid-Island Band and also received both a SMBA Woodwind Award and Grant.

Outside of school, Stephen had spent the summer of 2006 as a volunteer with the Coastal Research and Education Society of Long Island, campaigned for State Senator Candidate Jimmy Dahroug and local town officials in the Fall of 2006, and spent the summer of 2007 in the Brookhaven National Lab High School Research Program where he interned with the

Radiological Assistance Program, conducting original research on oyster fouling and growth in the Great South Bay. Among other awards accrued before his senior year, Stephen's essay placed second in the Brookhaven National Lab 2007 Science and Society Essay Contest.

However, it is his refreshing sense of humor that best defines this self-motivated and goals-oriented student. Happy to help, terrific in every regard, mature, wise, and enthusiastic about learning, Stephen is well respected by his peers and admired by the faculty and staff.

Next fall, Stephen is sure to continue his success story as he pursues Environmental Engineering at Princeton.

Continued from cover **GUDESBLATT Class of 2008 Salutatorian**

Boston, St. Paul, and Vancouver as a member of the Girls Soccer Team. Also in 2006, Meredith spent four weeks in Granada, Spain to complete a challenging college-level course, sponsored by Juniata College, in conversational Spanish. While there, she performed community service at a shelter for the homeless.

This past summer, Meredith visited Ghana, Africa for five weeks with the *Experiment in International Living Program*. The cultural and linguistic encounters provided Meredith with a broad knowledge of the socioeconomic and political problems of the country, but also afforded her insights into its people. Through various community service endeavors, Meredith came away with life-changing purpose.

While she is described by her teachers as lively, determined, intellectually gifted, uplifting, and phenomenal, Meredith receives much praise for her ability to integrate an intense passion for learning with compassion for others. Obviously

drawing from her global experiences, Meredith has offered keen perspectives on social issues that have been known to raise her classmates' consciousness.

Fueled by her genuine interest in humanitarian efforts, Meredith continues to assume leadership positions in both Student Government (secretary for two years) and the National Honor Society as its president. Meredith has been an active Key Club and Anchor Club member and is involved in copious local community service activities.

Most especially, a role model of the highest order, Meredith receives the enormous respect from her peers as well as the Sayville faculty and staff. Regarding Meredith's character, National Honor Society Advisor and Social Studies Teacher Kevin Recker sums it up best with his observation: "I can honestly say that I have never heard anyone speak ill of Meredith, and just as importantly, I have never heard her speak ill of others."

Meredith will continue her studies at Cornell in the fall.

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HONORING CHARACTER at Breakfast of Champions Congratulations to the following Sayville High School students who were named **2008 Spring Breakfast of Champion** recipients. For routinely demonstrating exemplary character and conduct in the school community, these students were selected by the faculty for recognition at a breakfast provided by **21 MAIN**. For details and descriptions go to Highlights Online (sayville.k12.ny.us).



Kelly DeKenipp	Jennifer Gozaloff	Kristie Lankowicz	Michael Murphy	Vincent Russo	Kimberly Snedecor
Ryane Doolin	Meredith Gudesblatt	Emma Levy	Martin Petrella	Craig Sammartano	John Spaun
Caitlin Duffy	Alexander Korpi	Brittany Mayrose	Catherine Rico	Erika Schreiber	Kenneth Stein
Michelle Fountain	Jaclyn Kuri	William McGarvey	Amanda Rizzo	Kevin Sherry	Ashley Tomkalski

GOODBYE

TO RETIRING STAFF

During the May 8th Board of Education Meeting, and later at a special luncheon, Superintendent Dr. Rosemary Jones praised the eight retiring faculty and staff members for their remarkable years of vocation, commitment, and service to both the students and mission of Sayville schools.

Photo: On the behalf of the school district, Dr. Jones (3rd from left) offers well wishes to (l-r) Carol Guinaw, Bonnie Glenn, Lynn Sealy, Will Sprague, Joe LaDolcetta, Cindy MacDonell, and Eileen Gurlipp (missing: Valeria Hester).



BOARD OF EDUCATION TRUSTEE ALLISON J. CRUZ Bids Farewell

After twelve years (four terms) of volunteer service to the Sayville School District, Allison J. Cruz is stepping down and away from her duties, obligations, and commitments as a Sayville Board of Education Trustee. Through her tireless dedication to pursuing excellence in education, student and staff well-being, and fiscal integrity, Sayville School District has maintained its sterling reputation as a place to live and thrive.

Superintendent Dr. Rosemary Jones, Assistant Superintendent Geraldine Sullivan Keck, and BOE President John Verdone each expressed words of sincere gratitude and well wishes as they awarded Mrs. Cruz with a BOE plaque, flowers, and a retirement “beach” bag for her newfound “free” time.



Mrs. Cruz acknowledged the gifts with a broad smile and thanked the Sayville Community for their support.

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NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY *Inducts Sixty-two Students*

Sixty-two High School students were inducted into the National Honor Society during the annual candle-lighting ceremony. Under the direction of Mr. Kevin Recker, the NHS welcomed the inductees, mostly from the Class of 2009, who maintained an average of 89.5 or above.

Danielle Argentina	Chelsea Cook	Karl Hart	Matthew Martinez	Chloe Otto	Samantha Rosa	Adam Triculis
Thomas Barrett	Matthew Cowan	Shelby Hintz	Megha Marwaha	Saika Patel	Matthew Russo	Ashley Tuminello
Ian Besso	Jason Cromwell	Jonathan Hunt	Courtney Mazzarone	Jaime Peterson	Kristin Scheff	Brian Van Duynes
Dillon Boos	Jasmine DePompeo	Megan Jahnke	Matthew Merrill	Ty Peterson	Kristina Schroeter	Joan Weaver
Danielle Brownlee	Lauren Dodaro	Anne Kelly	Thomas Mittiga	Martin Petrella	Jennifer Seeba	Jacklyn Zerilli
Corey Caulfield	Steven Esposito	Tara Kennedy	Alexandra Moncayo	Jeremy Pomerantz	Kaitlyn Siegel	
Dafna Charles	Anthony Esposito	Allison Kovarik	James Muller	Sarah Redding	Garrett Stephens	
	Carly Fullam	Alexander Kraljic	Matthew Muller	Jenna Redka	Elizabeth Stroehlein	
	Kathrin Gallo	Kate Krsnak	Christina Natoli	Matthew Rippert	Dana Thornlow	
	Brianna Hammerle	Melissa LaPinta	Matthew O'Neil	Trevor Robson	Nicole Todaro	



2008 SMBA Senior Scholarship Winners *Photos courtesy of Tove Abrams*



Kristie Lankowicz • George Seyfert
Music Award
Benjamin LoPreto • Red Cobb Theater
Award
Brianna Lind • William Colson Art
Award
Adam Rizzo • Voice

Caitlin Duffy • Theater Production
Alyson Rofrano • Visual Arts
(not pictured)
Sarah Bartlett • Theater Performance
Stephen Tuozzolo • Literary
Joseph Hailey • Voice
Erika Schreiber • Visual Arts

Bishnu Panigrahi • Piano
Jacqueline Potts
• Strings
Katelyn Harlin
• John Lee Literary Award

SENIOR AWARDS NIGHT *Recognizing Excellence*



During the traditional Scholastic Awards Program held for the Class of 2008 Seniors, 171 awards from all categories of the arts, business, technology, academics, sciences, and the humanities, as well as memorial awards were given to 91 deserving students. Congratulations to all the recipients for your remarkable dedication and commitment.

(above) By evening's end, both Salutatorian Meredith Gudesblatt and Valedictorian Stephen Tuozzolo (center) were honored along with their classmates as the top 25 students received the Class of 2008 Outstanding Academic Excellence Award:

Brianna Burnside	Cory Faragon	Meredith Gudesblatt	Carol Patel	Craig Santangelo
Alyssa Callahan	Erin Finnen	Meredith Johnson	Rima Pancholi	Erika Schreiber
Saad Chaudhry	Michelle Fountain	Brianna Lind	Bishnu Panigrahi	Kristen Strickland
Michael Cheng	Megan Fuchsius	Andrew Lyons	Kristyn Reisert	Stephen Tuozzolo
John De Bonis	Jennifer Gozaloff	Brittany Mayrose	Brittany Rende	Brittany Winfield

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ART Celebrating Achievements in SAVA's Districtwide Art Festival of Fun

On a new day of the week—Saturday—and at a premium time, the **Annual SAVA** (*Sayville Advocates for the Visual Arts*) **Districtwide Art Festival** exhibited a masterful array of K-12 student and alumni artwork, and recognized the Art Department's contributions in local and state art shows, juried exhibitions, and museums.

In addition to enjoying the artistic growth of the students, viewers engaged in the

celebration of student achievements by enjoying face-painting, balloon sculptures, and participated in raffles for fabulous prizes. During the celebration, student awards (see below) were distributed.

As with every year, the success of the **SAVA** show **would not be possible without** the hard work and dedication of the Art Department faculty and the amazing SAVA volunteers. Congratulations to all!



SAVA SENIOR AWARDS

Senior Fine Artist **Megan Macri & Jen Gozaloff**

Senior 3-D **Sam Carley**

Senior Painting **Heather Rauseo**

Senior Drawing **Brianna Lind**

Senior Fashion **Tara Weber**

Senior Mixed Media **Angela Link**

Senior Jewelry **Grace Cottone**

Senior Media Art **Allison Groening**

SAVA UNDERCLASSMEN AWARDS

Drawing **Rachel Sigismondi**

Painting **Larissa Lampitelli**

3-D **Jasmine DePompeo**

Mixed Media **Tessa Buono**

Fashion **Liz Vita**

Jewelry **Jennifer O'Neil**

Media Art **Kristin Scheff**



STUDIO ART AWARDS

Emily Diehl, Kelsey Truglio, Danielle Perry, Elanur Erdogan, Morgan Kane, Nicole Todaro (includes 8th-Grade Studio in Art class)

8TH-GRADE ART AWARDS

Andrew Beechel, Jacqueline Kalomiris, Michelle Langton, Haley Nicolino

PEOPLE'S CHOICE AWARDS

Drawing **Kristyn Reisert & Anthony Piacentini**

Painting **Aly Rofrano & Colleen Roach**

Fashion **Tara Weber & Kate Tobin**

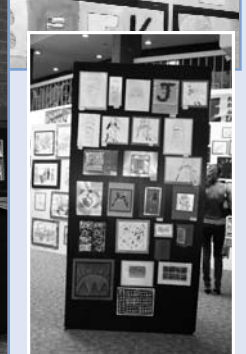
Mixed Media **Katie Duffy & Catherine Boucher**

3-D **Sam Carley & Jasmine DePompeo**

Jewelry **Tara Weber & Larissa Lampitelli**

Media Art **Kevin Sherry & Kristin Scheff**

Fine Arts **Brianna Lind**



BCE Citation Awards MAY 8, 2008 for Cherry

CHERRY AVENUE QUIZ BOWL TEAM

(2nd in County Finals)

Paul B., Marielle B., Matthew O., Daniel L., Brianna D., Brian W., Kyle S., Liam H.

CHERRY AVENUE SCIENCE FAIR

K-Taylor M.; 1-Hannah Rose N.; 2-Daniel P., 3-Gabrielle K., 4-Michael N., 5-Joseph S.



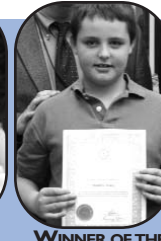
SUFFOLK ZONE AWARD WINNERS Kyle S. & Sarah K. **ISLIP BASKETBALL SHARPSHOOTERS: 4TH GRADERS** Daniel M. (4th Place) & Mikhaila S. (1st Place)



TOWN OF ISLIP STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD
• Gianna F.



CHERRY AVE PILOT CLUB ESSAY WINNER
• Allyssa F.



WINNER OF THE CHERRY AVENUE NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC GEOGRAPHY BEE
• Matthew O.

(below) **CHESSTOURNAMENT 1ST PLACE** at the 11th Eastern Scholastic Elementary Tournament

• Timothy M., Kolbi M., Liam B.



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BOE Citation Awards MAY 8, 2008 cont. & June 12, 2008

Awards were presented by Principals John Stimmel (Cherry Avenue), Dr. Walter Schartner (Middle School), Joseph Buderman (High School), and Athletic Director Charles Delargy, along with BOE President John Verdone, BOE Vice President Norm deVenau, BOE Trustees Allison J. Cruz, Maureen Dolan, Keith Kolar, Raymond J. Nelson, and Deborah Van Essendelft.



(left) **CHERRY WINNERS OF THE LONG ISLAND MENTORING PARTNERSHIP ART CONTEST** Julianna W. & Chelsea C.

(right) **SUNRISE • TOWN OF ISLIP ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR PERFORMING ARTS** Meghan G.



(right, l-r) **PILOT CLUB ESSAY CONTEST WINNERS** Jared B. (SD) & Mackenzie B. (LA)

(left) **SUNRISE DRIVE WINNER OF THE LONG ISLAND MENTORING PARTNERSHIP ART CONTEST** • Richard L.



(left) **SUNRISE DRIVE SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS** (K) Domenico R., (1st) Andrew F., (2nd) Julia H., (3rd) Megan M., (4th & Brookhaven Honorable Mention) Kevin E. (5th) Shreeya P.

(below) • **SUNRISE DRIVE STUDENTS** published in Creative Communication Spring 2008 Poetry Anthology



(below) **LINCOLN AVENUE SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS**

(K) Cole D. & Brianna B., (1st) Kamryn N., (2nd) Katherine G., (3rd) Batsheva A., (4th) Austin C. (5th) Anthony P.



Kelsey Hughes
Christy Wichert
Jared Bergen
Kelly Feeley
Brendan Gregory

Jacob Hoeg
Meghan Kelly
Nicholas
Kyriakopoulos
Daniel Lumley

Sean McNally
Kimberly Monito
Salvatore Prevosto
Samantha Robinson
Nicholas Savino

Hunter Schenkel
Gabrielle Stallone
Tyler Villez
Kristen Eichele
Lauren McNeill

MacKenzie Russ
Kalle Weik

MIDDLE SCHOOL AWARDS



(below left) **SUNRISE DRIVE SUFFOLK ZONE AWARD WINNERS** Erin K. & Lucas B. (not in photo)



MS STUDENTS WHO PARTICIPATED IN "THE SAYVILLE PROJECT" • Artyom Szeglin, Teena Sukhawal, & Matheo Moreira

Mollie Rose Drinkwater • 1st Place Creative Writing: SC Coalition Against Domestic Violence
Ersa Erdogan &

Kristen McCollom • LI Speech & Hearing Association Poster Contest Winner
Jennifer Lembeck • Grade 6 Math

Olympiad Champion **Susan Mangaluz** • Town of Islip Poster Contest Winner on Waste Reduction
Rebecca Monastero • 2nd Place LI Language

Arts Council Essay Contest
Dylan Schreiber • MS Spelling Bee Champ
Matthew Stephan • MS Geography Bee Champ

Kyle Tieman-Strauss • Town of Islip Achievement Award in Performing Arts



JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY CENTER FOR TALENTED YOUTH AWARDS

• **STATE LEVEL AWARDS**
Kyle Tieman-Strauss & Anna Mizzi (Reading)
Matthew Stephan (Mathematics & Distinction Level in Reading)
Thomas Bonney & Mollie Rose Drinkwater (Mathematics)
Curran Boyce (Mathematics & Reading)
Olivia Coley-Bishop (Reading & Distinction Level in Mathematics)



• **AWARDS OF DISTINCTION**
Matthew Seeba & John Farese Distinction Level (Reading & Mathematics)

Garrett Boyce & Courtney Takats Distinction Level in (Reading)



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SAYVILLE DISTRICT VOLUNTEERS RECEIVED CITATIONS



The following Volunteers were recognized for their service: **District Site-Based Team:** Fran Bavaro, Marian Farese; **Wellness Committee:** Kathy Lawrence; **Parent Members CSE, etc.:** Alicia Allegue, Leslie Butler, Susan Castagna, Birgit Daniels, Dari Creglia, Lorraine Derpich, Jennifer Ferremi, Debbie Gatta, Amy Hutchison, Janet Ibanez, Eileen McElroy, Gus Merced, Kristen Messerschmitt, Evelyn Nadler, Patricia Yonkers; **Coordinating Council of PTA's:** Gerilyn Panzarino, Eileen Tynzar; **MS/SHS PTA:** Paula Troha, Margaret Cipriano; **Cherry Avenue PTA:** Leona Dushnick, Kathy Pelletier; **Lincoln Avenue PTA:** Sherrilyn Ross, Ginny Sullivan, Libbey Stueber; **Sunrise Drive PTA:** Kim Eichele, Patricia Gallagher, Doreen Mattia; **SEPTA:** Patricia Hillery, Patty Sullivan; **SMBA:** Denise Fliedner, Holly Bialer, Kristen Thayer, Liz Cook, Joe Cook, Ken Van Essendelft, Joe Panzarino; **SAVA:** Tara Patin; and **Volunteer Physician:** Dr. Anthony Capellino.

NATIONAL MERIT COMMENDED HS STUDENTS

Samantha R., Karl H.,
Garrett S. & Jeremy P.



ALL 112 DISTRICT MENTORS FOR THE 2007-2008 YEAR WERE HONORED WITH CITATIONS. FOR THE FULL LIST AND BOE PHOTO, GO TO HIGHLIGHTS ONLINE: SAYVILLE.K12.NY.US

LONG ISLAND TEEN CHALLENGE TEAM



Stephen Tuozzolo Bishnu Panigrahi Edward McLaughlin Michael Cheng Meredith Gudesblatt

HIGH SCHOOL SCIENCE RESEARCH PROGRAM AWARDS



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| STEPHEN TUOZZOLLO
Intel Semifinalist Long Island Junior Science & Humanities Symposium Finalist for Environmental Science | Science
BISHNU PANIGRAHI Long Island Science Congress High Honors Regional Award For Ecology & American Museum of Natural History Young Naturalist – Finalist | KERISHMA PANIGRAHI & LEO MASSENKEIL
Brookhaven National Lab Research Award for Environmental Science | MADELINE THAYER
Brookhaven National Lab Research Award for Biology |
| SAAD CHAUDHRY
Long Island Science Congress Finalist for Chemistry | CONRAD VOLLE
Long Island Science Congress Honorable Mention for Behavioral Science | KERISHMA PANIGRAHI, LEO MASSENKEIL, & BRIANNA LIND
South Shore Estuary Reserve Research Stewardship and Action Award | AMANDA RIZZO, MEGAN WHITEHURST, & RACHEL SIGISMONDI
Brookhaven National Lab Research Award for Chemistry |
| BRIANNA LIND & AMANDA KIERNAN
Long Island Science Congress Achievement Award for Behavioral | | | |

COMMON GROUNDS AFTER SCHOOL COFFEE HOUSE



For their outstanding citizenship & dedication to the Common Grounds Coffee House, Lauren Fiore, Katelyn Harlin, Kevin Kwiatkowski, and Ashley Tomkalski were recognized by Pupil Personnel Director Stephanie Lamanno and Advisor Susan Censoplano.

VARSITY BOYS GOLF TEAM SUFFOLK COUNTY TEAM CHAMPIONS & LONG ISLAND TEAM CHAMPIONS

Michael Cheng and Sean Fullam (in photo) were among the team members who received citations. Other members were Michael Carr, Travis Duryee, Michael Furci, Cory Muscara, Kevin Sherry, and Kyle Stucklen



HIGH SCHOOL ART AWARDS



SAMANTHA CARLEY L.I.U.C.W. Island's Best Young Artists' Award for 2008
Post Advanced Visions Jurors Award

MICHELLE CONNOR, WILLIAM RUMI, & KRISTEN SCHEFF Long TARA WEBER Congressional Art Show – Honorable Mention

BAY AREA FRIENDS OF THE FINE ARTS (BAFFA)

- Eric Abrahall (Drawing Award)
- Jasmine DePompeo (Sculpture Award)
- Jessica Farruggio (Drawing Award)
- Colleen Roach (Painting Award)
- Kaitlyn Nowicki (Drawing Award)

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2008 Athletic Excellence Awards

Congratulations to the following Sayville Athletes who were presented with Inspirational, Most Valuable Player, and Athletic Special Awards for their excellence in sports. These students have demonstrated the highest individual accomplishments throughout their High School careers and have earned recognition from their coaches, their teammates, and the Athletic Department.



ATHLETIC SPECIAL AWARDS

THE SAYVILLE COACHES:
Alexandra Dranoff

THE WILLIAM COSTANZO MEMORIAL: Evan Martel

THE OUTSTANDING SCHOLAR-ATHLETE: Michael Cheng

WARREN COLLINS MEMORIAL: Hanah Lee

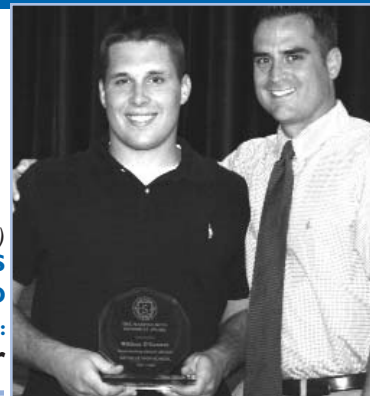
THE HARVEY CASE MEMORIAL: Erin Finnen

(photo left)

THE BUCK MACKENZIE AWARD FOR SERVICE, SPORTSMANSHIP AND ATHLETICS:
Lauren Paciorek

(photo right)

THE MARINUS BUYS MEMORIAL AWARD FOR MOST OUTSTANDING ATHLETE:
William O'Connor



GOLD-KEY AWARD RECIPIENTS

(photo right)

Stephen Hayes	Erin Finnen
Christopher Norris	Jacqueline Kaste
Jessica Jarzabkowski	Emily Jung
Brittany Llobell	Michael Cheng
Alexandra Dranoff	William O'Connor



ATHLETIC MVP AWARD

WINNERS

The Most Valuable Boys Cross-Country Award • Colin Culhane
The Most Valuable Girls Cross-Country Award • Jacqueline Kaste
The Carl Varone Track Award • Tyler Fliedner
The Paul Kelley Track Award • Colin Culhane
The Ron Smith Award • Jacqueline Kaste
The Most Valuable Field Hockey Award • Erin Finnen
The Demi Bineares Scholarship Award • Brianna Lind
The Most Valuable Girls Soccer Award • Domenica Hodak
The Huron Smith Memorial Soccer Award-Girls • Hanah Lee
Coach Schroeder Memorial Scholarship • Kristie Lankowicz
The Huron Smith Memorial Soccer Award-Boys • William Slevin
The Most Valuable Boys Soccer Award • Craig Santangelo
The Most Valuable Cheerleading Award • Alison Sturchio
The Most Valuable Baseball Award • Glen Hudson
The Golden Bat Baseball Award • Jonathan Poli

The Most Valuable Softball Award • Jillian Iorio
The Golden Bat Softball Award • Annemarie Smith
The Barney Pazourek Annual Football Award • William O'Connor
The A.C. Edwards Award • Ryan Romard
The Gerry Corrado Memorial Award • William McGarvey
The Most Valuable Female Golf Award • Julie MacDonell
The William Zeller Memorial Golf Award • Michael Furci & Kyle Stucklen
The Most Valuable Boys Golf Award • Kyle Stucklen
The May Hazen Girls Basketball Award • Jasmine DePompeo
The Major Merrill Wish Basketball Award • Vincent Russo
The Bud VanWyen Memorial Basketball Award • Glen Hudson
There's Glory in the Hoop Award • Ian Stanton
The Most Valuable Girls Volleyball Award • Kelsey Febos
The Most Inspirational Volleyball Award • Nicole Spalma
The Most Valuable Boys Volleyball Award • Kyle Verspoor

The Most Valuable Girls Swimming Award • Michelle Fountain
The Most Valuable Boys Swimming Award • Michael Murphy
The Otto Kubelle Memorial Girls Tennis Award • Judith Lite
The Otto Kubelle Memorial Boys Tennis Award • Michael Cheng
The Evelyn Stoll Girls Track Award • Sarah Pellegrini & Rebecca Neugebauer
The Atalanta Girls Track Award • Alexandra Dranoff
The Gold Baton Award • Elizabeth Demeusy
The George Rhodes Memorial Wrestling Award • Shawn Mazzarone
The Jules Molson Memorial Award • Evan Martel
The Most Valuable Bowler Award • Kevin Sherry
The Most Valuable Girls Lacrosse Award • Heather Bonamico
The Most Valuable Boys Lacrosse Award • Timothy Clemente
The Boys Lacrosse Gladiator Award • William O'Connor

AWARD DONORS

The Sayville Teachers Association • The Ron Smith Award; Mrs. Martin • The Demi Bineares Scholarship Award; The Sayville Fire Department • The

Barney Pazourek Football Award; Mrs. May Hazen • The May Hazen Girls Basketball Award; Mr. Merrill Wish • The Major Merrill Wish Basketball Award; The VanWyen Family • The Bud VanWyen Memorial Basketball Award; The Landrio Family • The Most Valuable Girls Swimming Award; Mrs. Kubelle & Family • The Otto Kubelle Memorial Girls & Boys Tennis

Awards; Mr. & Mrs. Daley • The Evelyn Stoll Girls Track Award; The Walsh Family • The Atalanta Girls Track Award; Ms. Rhodes Teague • The George Rhodes Memorial Wrestling Award; Mr. Gary Smith • The Huron Smith Memorial Soccer Awards; The Sayville Football Booster Club • The A.C. Edwards Award & The Gerry Corrado Memorial Awards