

Home of the Cougars July 2019

Culture of Hope

SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

Congratulations to the Class of 2019!



Aliyah Frederick - Valedictorian Kevin Miller - Salutatorian

Michael Andrews, Elijah Bandera, Melissa Bartlett, Wyatt Becker, Lyndsey Collins, Madeline Cross, Darian Eaton, Haylee Eaton, Melanie Gardner, Barbara Guinto, Colby Haley, Kayla Johnson, Kaleb Jones, Archie Linnaberry IV, Breann Moot, Abigail Myers, Coleton Paliotta, Corey Phoenix, Madison Piersall, Hannah Reaves, Lainie Sheldon, Julia Shelley, Samuel Smith, Jasmine Vaillancourt, Nicholas Wagner, Jared Werthman, Andrew Wilson, and Jacob Wilson.

We are proud of our 30 newest alumni! We are all very proud of the Stockbridge Valley School District Class of 2019!

I would like to extend the Board of Education's congratulations to the class of 2019 as well. I am happy and proud to report that 23 of this year's graduates are going to a two-year or four-year college, 6 are entering the workforce, and 1 will join the military. We cannot wait to see what these young adults accomplish next!

I hope all of you have a wonderful summer. Something that I read recently put life with our children into perspective for me. We only have 18 summers with our children before they are off on their own, make the most of every moment.

Sincerely,

Cindy Stocker, Superintendent of Schools *Twitter: @SVCSSuper*

SVCS MISSION/VISION

Mission: We empower students through education.

Vision: We embrace a culture of respect and support that allows every student to recognize their worth, realize their purpose, cultivate their passions and achieve their ultimate potential.

MESSAGE FROM THE 7-12 PRINCIPAL

It was truly an outstanding spring at SVCS. In May, we recognized our Honor Roll students with breakfast. This was followed by a wonderful Junior Prom and Senior Class Trip to Philadelphia in early June. Later in June, we honored our athletes at our Awards Night. Congratulations to Wyatt Becker and Haylee Eaton (photo below) who were named Athletes of the Year. The Senior Awards Night was a great success as the Class of 2019 walked away with over \$10,000 in awards and scholarships. A huge thank you to the community for all their donations and support in making this night such a success.



In addition, our athletes enjoyed a very successful spring sports season. The softball team continued their reign over the CCL and the golf team captured its second consecutive league title. The Varsity Baseball team also enjoyed a birth in sectionals.

Other clubs and activities had great successes. The FFA enjoyed a wonderful showing at the NYS FFA Convention. The Math and Science Club took their annual trip, this time to the Adirondacks. The Clay Target Club and the SVCS News Team also enjoyed great success in their first year.

The 2018-2019 school year is in the books. It was an exceptional year to be a Stockbridge Valley Cougar. I am so honored and proud of all of our students for their hard work this year. I am especially proud of the Class of 2019. To our graduating seniors: Good Luck in all that you do!!!

Lastly, please follow me on Twitter(@SVCS_Kilian) for important updates and reminders about what's happening at Stockbridge Valley.

Please call our office with any questions you have, 315-495-4450.

Jon Kilian, 7-12 Principal Twitter: @SVCS_Kilian



CLASS NIGHT 2019 AWARDS

VALEDICTORIAN AWARD

The Valedictorian of the Class of 2019 receives a plaque and an award from the Stockbridge Valley Educational Foundation and from our generous community donations.

Aliyah Frederick

SALUTATORIAN AWARD

The Salutatorian of the Class of 2019 receives a plaque and an award from the Stockbridge Valley Educational Foundation and from our generous community donations.

Kevin Miller

A.G ZELLER AWARD IN AMERICAN HISTORY

This award is given to seniors that are judged to have had the most interest and aptitude in American history. This award is in memory of Professor A.G. Zeller who was principal of the Stockbridge Valley Central School District from 1924-1949.

Darian Eaton & Julia Shelley

AGRICULTURE AWARDS

These awards are given to graduating seniors who have taken five or more Agriculture Classes.

Kaleb Jones, Corey Phoenix, Sam Smith

AFFILIATED CONSERVATION CLUBS OF MADISON COUNTY AWARD

This award is presented to a student that has shown an interest in expanding their knowledge in the conservation and science fields.

Sam Smith

AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

Presented in recognition of active participation in community service and dedication to their community.

Hannah Reaves

AMERICAN LEGION POST 54 GOOD CITIZENSHIP AWARD

This award is given to a senior boy and girl who have displayed good citizenship in their school and community by performing numerous hours of quality community service.

Kevin Miller & Hannah Reaves

ART AWARD

This award is given to seniors who have done an outstanding job in art at Stockbridge Valley.

Breann Moot & Lainie Sheldon

BRENT SHEA MEMORIAL AWARD

This award is granted to a student who will be pursuing a college degree and who has been active in the agricultural program and a number of extra-curricular activities. This award is funded by the Brent Shea Memorial Fund.

Hannah Reaves

BUSINESS AWARD

This award is for a senior who has done an outstanding job in business while in high school at Stockbridge Valley.

Breann Moot

CHARLES STRATTON MEMORIAL AWARD

This award is given to an applicant from the graduating senior class with a grade point average of 85% or above, who plans to attend an institution of higher learning. This student has also participated in sports or other activities to better the community. The applications and funding for this award comes from the Stratton Family.

Barbara Guinto

CHARLOTTE PHILLIPS-STRONG MEMORIAL AWARD

The 3rd Annual Charlotte Phillips Strong award recognizes a graduating senior who has demonstrated the potential for a bright future following a successful high school experience because of their participation in a Career & Tech Ed program at Madison-Oneida BOCES. Charlotte was a 1945 graduate of SVCS.

Lyndsey Collins

CITIZENSHIP AWARD

This award goes to a senior boy and girl who have exemplified good citizenship and hard work. They are kind, courteous and giving to their community and friends. These students also have high aspirations and will be attending college in the fall.

Madeline Cross & Jared Werthman

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION- DARS GOOD CITIZENSHIP AWARD

This award is for demonstrating qualities of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. Each year a student is selected to participate in this essay contest, without knowing the essay topic, but must also qualify in the area of community service.

Darian Eaton

DAVID W. FELTON COMMUNITY FOUNDATION AWARD

This award is given to a senior who has plans to pursue a career in the health care field either academically or professionally.

Madison Piersall

DEB REED MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This award is presented to a senior that exhibits compassion and empathy toward their classmates and the people that they encounter. Through their compassion, empathy and ability to listen they place the needs of others before their own leaving each situation better for all. This award is given in memory of Deb Reed.

Samuel Smith

E.ON CLIMATE AND RENEWABLES SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is given to students who plan on pursuing higher education in related fields of environment, renewable energy, agriculture or engineering. Students must successfully demonstrate effort and desire to explore the area of renewable energy.

Sam Smith & Hannah Reaves

ELLEN MARY CASWELL MEMORIAL AWARD

This award is given in memory of Ellen Caswell and her daughter Kelsey Caswell-Young. Ellen was a graduate of the Stockbridge Valley Class of 2002 and loved Munnsville. During her high school career, many might remember her as a little bit of a rebel and a young girl who would push the envelope when she could. Ellen may have been seen by some as an average student, but to one of her teachers, she was a "diamond in the rough." This teacher always saw her potential and made sure she told her so. This kindness was something that Ellen carried with her when she found her passion in life. She earned her associates degree in Criminal Justice from MVCC, her bachelor's degree in psychology from Columbia College and was in the Nursing program at SUNY Morrisville studying to be an RN. Her mother describes her as a "jack of all trades" and a "super mom" who loved hunting, camping, boating, yard work, but most of all taking care of her two young children. Ellen's hard work and determination to achieve her personal and professional goals was something to be admired.

Jacob Wilson

CLASS NIGHT 2019 AWARDS, continued

ENGLISH AWARD

This award is given to two seniors who have done an outstanding job in English in high school at Stockbridge Valley.

Madeline Cross & Kevin Miller

FFA EMPIRE DEGREE AWARD

This award is given to a senior who has received the Empire Degree, the highest level degree that a member can receive from the New York State FFA Association. The Stockbridge Valley FFA recognizes this student with a certificate and check.

Michael Andrews

HAYLOR, FREYER AND COON, INC, SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded to a student pursuing higher education in a business related career.

Wyatt Becker

MALLORY EDDY MEMORIAL FUND

This award goes to a student that has been a long time resident of the Stockbridge Valley Central School District. This individual is also a positive role model for young children and has not only given to the community but also to the children of Stockbridge Valley.

Barbara Guinto

MARY LOU HOLLINGSWORTH MEMORIAL AWARD

Mary Lou Hollingsworth was a member of our community who sincerely appreciated the interest young people showed in art. This year's award is for two seniors who have demonstrated excellence and dedication in art and plan on furthering their education in art or a related field.

Breann Moot & Lainie Sheldon

MARY MURPHY PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIP

This award is for a senior who has shown an extraordinary commitment to developing the Stockbridge Valley Performing Arts Department during the past four years of high school. It is given in honor of Mary Murphy, SVCS English teacher, who started the drama program in 1998 with the school's first musical, "Bye Bye Birdie." Mrs. Murphy was an inspiration to students wishing to pursue the performing arts both on stage and behind the scenes throughout their high school and college years. Mrs. Murphy's support of those endeavors through her humor, creativity and nurturing spirit are the foundation of Stockbridge Valley's Drama program.

Barbara Guinto

MATHEMATICS AWARD

This award is for a senior who has done an outstanding job in Mathematics in high school.

Kevin Miller

MOHAWK VALLEY COUNSELING ASSOCIATION

The Mohawk Valley Counseling Association awards several scholarships to local high school seniors who are looking to continue their education. Students need to maintain an 85 or higher high school GPA to be eligible for scholarship consideration.

Aliyah Frederick

MUNNSVILLE FIRE DEPARTMENT PUBLIC SERVICE AWARD

This award is given to a student that will be pursing an education in the Fire Service or Medical Field and has met or exceeded the required 60 hours of community service.

Barbara Guinto

MUSIC AWARD

This award is for a senior who has done an outstanding job in music in high school.

Kevin Miller

NETTIE BARTLETT GRABOW MEMORIAL AWARD

This award is in memory of Nettie Bartlett Grabow. She was from the graduating class of 1934, the first class to graduate from the "New High School", now known as Ferris Industries. Nettie grew up in Pratts Hollow and was one of 13 children. Nettie loved sewing, making quilts, gardening and making homemade jams and jellies.

Kayla Johnson

NICHOLAS W. GORSCH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This award was established by Nick's family and friends to be given to a graduating senior who has worked diligently to earn his/her high school diploma. This award is given to a SVCS graduate who embodies Nick's fun-loving spirit and his kindness toward others.

Darian Eaton

PATRICIA MARCH-WHITFORD AWARD

This award is given in recognition of the student who has excelled in the field of child development.

Kayla Johnson

REPAIRS ANYWHERE FARM & TRUCK REPAIR AWARD

These two awards are given to students who have shown great interest in pursuing further education and a career in either the automotive trade world or in agriculture.

Automotive Award • Archie Linnaberry Agriculture Award • Sam Smith

RONALD REAGAN LEADERSHIP MEDAL

The recipient of this medal possesses the unique combination of altruism and empathy that defined President Reagan's leadership. They inspire the respect of their peers by demonstrating genuine integrity, dependability, and hope for a brighter future.

Sam Smith

RURITAN AGRICULTURAL AWARD

This award is for the senior who achieved the highest class average in agriculture and completed four years of high school agricultural education.

Sam Smith

RURITAN COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD This award is given to three seniors who

exemplify the Ruritan ideals of fellowship, citizenship, good will and community service

Madeline Cross, Barbara Guinto, Kevin Miller

SCIENCE CLUB AWARDS

This award is given to graduating seniors who have been active and contributing members of the Stockbridge Valley Science Club.

Melissa Bartlett, Madeline Cross, Aliyah Frederick, Melanie Gardner, Barbara Guinto, Madison Piersall, Hannah Reaves

SCOTT HIGGINS MEMORIAL PHYSICS AWARD

Scott Higgins was an exceptional young man and was very well liked by the students and staff at Stockbridge Valley. Scott excelled in science and aspired to become a science teacher. He loved to skateboard but still maintained an average of 97 in Regents Physics. This award is given in his memory to the graduating senior with the highest average in Regents Physics.

Kevin Miller

SPANISH AWARD

This award is for two seniors who have done an outstanding job in Spanish in high school.

Madeline Cross & Madison Piersall

CLASS NIGHT 2019 AWARDS, continued

STATE OF NEW YORK ATTORNEY GENERAL TRIPLE "C" AWARD

This award recognizes two seniors for showing character, courage and commitment. Whether excelling in academic pursuits, participating in community service, displaying leadership among their classmates, or overcoming personal challenges; they inspire and provide hope for the future.

Madeline Cross & Kevin Miller

STATE OF NEW YORK ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

These scholarships are presented to the students of each graduating class based on overall academic performance in high school, as well as SAT scores. These scholarships are sent directly to where the students are enrolling for college and are contingent on the state budget funding.

> \$1,500 to Aliyah Frederick \$500 to Madison Piersall \$500 to Kevin Miller

STATE OF NEW YORK COMPTROLLER STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

The New York Comptroller's Achievement Award is presented each year to students who have excelled academically and have also shown leadership potential by volunteering his or her time to serve the school or community. Comptroller DiNapoli sends his sincere congratulations and best wishes to the graduating Class of 2019.

> Kevin Miller, Barbara Guinto, Madeline Cross

STEVEN READY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is in memory of Steven Ready to commemorate his love of music and passion for percussion. This scholarship is awarded to a senior who has shown great appreciation for music.

Andrew Wilson

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY CITIZENSHIP AWARD

This award is presented to two seniors who have demonstrated leadership in their school and community.

Jared Werthman, Madeline Cross

THE STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY BRONZE AWARD

This award is given to the senior ranking 3rd in their class. This senior has shown perseverance and great determination to succeed. The award is funded by former SVCS Principal, Phyllis S. King.

Madeline Cross

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY CLASS OF 1969 (50 YEAR REUNION) AWARD

The Class of 1969 has provided a Class of 2019 senior with an award of \$1,400 in memory of classmates who have passed: *Edward Jacobs, George Pease, Peter Honczar, Edward Kampf, William (Bill) Marshall, Gloria Lints Havener, Heather Snetsinger Eastman* and *Barbara Snetsinger Snell.* The recipient of this award must be enrolled in college for the fall semester and plan on continuing their education. \$500 was awarded at Senior Class Night and another \$900 will be awarded after the student shows proof of completion of the fall semester with a GPA of a C+ or higher and also shows proof of a spring 2020 schedule.

Aliyah Frederick

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY CULINARY CLUB AWARD

This award is for seniors who have excelled in Family Consumer Science courses during high school. It is funded through the Culinary Club.

Kaleb Jones & Archie Linnaberry

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY OUTREACH EDUCATIONAL AWARD

This award is granted to two college bound seniors who are active in the school and the community and who have participated in extra-curricular activities including athletics, class and club organizations during their high school career.

Wyatt Becker & Madeline Cross

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY EDUCATIONAL FOUNDATION AWARD FOR OUTSTANDING ACCOMPLISHMENT

The SVEF wanted to present an award to a student who has shown growth at school or is seen as an inspiration to others.

Archie Linnaberry IV

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY PARENT TEACHER STUDENT ORGANIZATION AWARD

This scholarship will be awarded upon completion of the first semester of college and registration for the second semester. This award is given to a graduating senior who has displayed dedication to their school and community during high school. This student is conscientious in both academic studies and school activities and shows commitment in their community involvement.

Madeline Cross

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY PERSEVERANCE AWARD

This award goes to seniors who have shown perseverance in obtaining their high school diploma.

Corey Phoenix & Nicholas Wagner

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY RETIRED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION AWARD

This award will go to a senior who is of good character, a good role model for others, an active member in the school and community and is hard-working.

Kaleb Jones

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY STAFF BOOK CLUB AWARD

This award is given in memory of David Follett to a graduating senior who likes to read.

Melissa Bartlett

STOCKBRIDGE VALLEY TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is awarded upon successful completion of all course work in the first year of college and registration for the second semester. It will be granted to two students who are conscientious in both academic studies and school activities and are planning a career in teaching.

Aliyah Frederick & Melanie Gardner

SVCS BUSINESS OFFICE LEADERSHIP AWARD

This award was established in the "Spirit of Giving to Others"; it is intended for a graduating senior who exemplifies strong work ethics, demonstrates service to others, volunteerism and a commitment to higher education. This award is funded by Ms. Kelly Johnson and Neil and Beth Lamb.

Kevin Miller

SVCS HIGH SCHOOL OFFICE TRAILBLAZER AWARD

This award is presented to seniors who have never stopped marching to the beat of their own drum. They have always had a positive outlook on situations even when things were difficult. These students captured our attention through their free spirit and outgoing personalities. It has not always been about getting straight A's throughout high school, but about showing their growth and commitment in reaching their personal and academic goals.

Jared Werthman & Breann Moot

CLASS NIGHT 2019 AWARDS, continued

SUPERINTENDENT'S STUDENT RECOGNITION AWARD

This award is given to a senior that is well rounded within the Stockbridge Valley Community and who has contributed to a positive school culture and has continued to be an excellent role model for the underclassman.

Jasmine Vaillancourt

THOMAS BENNETT MEMORIAL AWARD

This award is presented in memory of Thomas B. Bennett, a long-time community baseball coach who exhibited a desire to succeed despite difficult circumstances. This award was initiated for a college bound senior and was designed to honor the "Spirit of Adventure" attitude of Mr. Bennett and the ability to succeed, regardless of the obstacles or barriers one may encounter while being an inspiration to others.

Wyatt Becker

US AIR FORCE SCHOLAR ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

This award goes to a senior boy and girl who have displayed commitment to excel in academics and athletics. The dedication shown to their school, teammates and themselves is a true indication of the quality individual they have become and future leader they will be tomorrow.

Wyatt Becker & Madeline Cross

US AIR FORCE TECHNOLOGY EDUCATION AWARD

This award will go to two seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in Technology Education.

Michael Andrews & Hannah Reaves

US AIR FORCE MATHEMATICS & SCIENCE AWARD

This award will go to two seniors who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in Mathematics and Science.

Kevin Miller & Madison Piersall

VALLEY BREEZE AWARD

This award goes to seniors who dedicated their time and effort to make the yearbook a success.

> Madeline Cross, Kevin Miller, Jasmine Vaillancourt

MADISON-ONEIDA BOCES 2019 CAREER & TECHNICAL AWARDS

Nicholas Wagner

Vocational Technical Preparation II Excellent Attendance Two Year Completer

Michael Andrews Carpentry II Outstanding Growth Two Year Completer

Wyatt Becker *Engineering Science II* National Technical Honor Society Two Year Completer

Andrea Collins Health Related Careers I Excellent Attendance Outstanding Growth Student of the First Quarter

Lyndsey Collins *Graphic Design II* Two Year Completer

Ashley Cousino Health Related Careers I Outstanding Growth Student of the Second Quarter

Branden Eastman

Conservation I Excellence in Achievement Student of the Second Quarter

Seth Keville *Automotive Technology I* Outstanding Leadership

Archie Linnaberry IV Automotive Technology II Two Year Completer

Alicia Mason Health Related Careers I Outstanding Performance in Laboratory Skills

Breann Moot *Graphic Design II* Two Year Completer

Lillian Norrs Early Childhood Education I Early Childhood Success Excellent Attendance Student of the First Quarter

Madison Piersall

Allied Health Partnership Excellent Attendance National Technical Honor Society One Year Completer Rotary Recognition

Hannah Reaves Engineering Science II National Technical Honor Society Two Year Completer

Abby Tucker *Health Related Careers I* Academic Achievement Excellent Attendance Student of the Second Quarter

Morgan Tysco *Early Childhood Education I* Outstanding Leadership

Jasmine Vaillaincourt Graphic Design II Excellent Attendance National Technical Honor Society Rotary Recognition Two Year Completer

JUNIOR ACHEIVEMENT AWARDS

THE CLARKSON UNIVERSITY 2019 LEADERSHIP & ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Clarkson University would like to acknowledge two students who demonstrate outstanding leadership qualities, have an academic interest in Engineering, Business Science or Liberal Arts, be a positive contributor to our school and community and also be in the top 15% of the junior class. The winners of these two awards qualify for either a \$60,000 (\$15,000 per year) or a \$48,000 (\$12,000 per year) tuition scholarship.

Clarkson • High School Achievement Award: Makenzi Wilson Clarkson • High School Leadership Award: Brandon Burton

KEUKA COLLEGE GEORGE H. BALL COMMUNITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD FOR JUNIORS

The Ball Community Achievement Award will be rewarded to students based on qualities that embody the values of Keuka College including academic excellence, leadership, service, social responsibility, integrity and an appreciation for diversity. This award will grant students with a \$40,000 scholarship that may be used over four years of study at Keuka College.

Brandon Burton & Makenzi Wilson

THE PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD FOR ACHIEVEMENT

Students receiving this award are honored for distinguished achievement in community service.

Brandon Burton & Michael Wagner

THE PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD FOR MERIT

Students receiving this award have demonstrated outstanding commitment to serving our community and are recognized as top student volunteers.

Alexis Ennis, Kelly Greene, Heather MacKay, Elizabeth Wagner, Makenzi Wilson

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY COMPUTING MEDAL & SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

This award recognizes juniorswho have distinguished themselves academically and are active and involved members of their school and community and demonstrate interest and ability in computing. Selected students are eligible to receive a \$32,000 RIT Computing Medal Scholarship (\$8,000 per year) if they enroll in a Bachelors Degree program and are considered a full-time student at RIT immediately following graduation from high school.

Brandon Burton & Dani Lynn Mills

ROCHESTER INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION & CREATIVITY AWARD PROGRAM

This award recognizes juniors who have distinguished themselves academically and are active and involved members of their school community and demonstrate outstanding achievement in innovation, creativity or entrepreneurship. Selected students are eligible to receive a \$32,000 RIT innovation and Creativity Scholarship (\$8,000 per year) if they enroll in a Bachelors Degree program and are considered a full-time student at RIT immediately following graduation from high school.

Joshua Wagner & Alexis Ennis

SYRACUSE UNIVERSITY PROJECT ADVANCE AWARD

This award is given to students who have registered and completed the Syracuse University Project Advance courses taught at SVCS.

Brandon Burton, Alexis Ennis, Kelly Greene, Heather Mackay, Dani Lynn Mills, Julia Shelley, Elizabeth Wagner, Joshua Wagner, Makenzi Wilson

UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER THE BAUSCH & LOMB HONORARY SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

This award recognizes a student's strong leadership skills in school and around the community, high grades in challenging courses and involvement in extracurricular activities. Students earning this award would be considered for at least a \$10,000 scholarship each year at U of R totaling \$40,000 over four years.

Makenzi Wilson

UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER THE FREDERICK DOUGLAS & SUSAN B. ANTHONY AWARD

This award recognizes a student's commitment to understanding and addressing difficult social issues. The student was recognized for this award based on their leadership and dedication to community action, strong grades and rigorous course schedule were also taken into consideration. Students earning this award would be considered for at least a \$10,000 scholarship each year at U of R totaling \$40,000 over four years.

Alexis Ennis

UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER THE GEORGE EASTMAN YOUNG LEADERS AWARD

This award recognizes a student's strong leadership skills in school and around the community, high grades in challenging courses and extensive involvement in extracurricular activities. Students earning this award would be considered for at least a \$10,000 scholarship each years at U of R totaling \$40,000 over four years.

Elizabeth Wagner

WELLS COLLEGE 21ST CENTURY LEADERSHIP AWARD

This award emphasizes outstanding commitment to academics and leadership. The recipients are exemplary students who have demonstrated qualities of leadership and community service. In honor of these accomplishments, the scholarship committee from Wells College is happy to award the 21st Century Leadership Award valued at \$10,000 a year for four years of study.

Alexis Ennis & Elizabeth Wagner



JUNIOR/SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

SVCS SENIOR CREATES MURAL

As part of her senior "Genius Hour" presentation in Ms. Ford's English class, Lainie Sheldon created a new mural for the gymnasium wall. Each year at graduation, the seniors will sign inside the letters on the mural before they leave the doors of SVCS and on to the next chapter of their lives.



Prom Queen: Makenzi Wilson Prom King: Zachary Jones Princess: Alicia Mason Prince: Todd Conklin Attendants: Elizabeth Wagner, Branden Eastman, Morgan Tysco, Chad Masker

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MESSAGE FROM THE GUIDANCE COUNSELOR

TO THE CLASS OF 2019

I thas been truly great being able to work with you all this year, not only as the School Counselor but your Senior Class Advisor as well. You all are off to do great things and I cannot wait to hear about all the wonderful things you will all accomplish. Congratulations and best of luck!

TO THE CLASS OF 2020

Welcome to your Senior Year! This is a very exciting and busy year for you all! We will be meeting in the beginning of the school year to discuss applying to colleges, financial aid, scholarships, and other post-graduation plans. The following are somethings that you can start doing this summer to so that you may stay ahead of yourself:

★ Start visiting colleges this summer. It will give you a good idea of what to expect when you get there and if that college would be a good fit for you.

- ★ If you have not taken your SAT's yet, please sign up to take them in October. The sooner, the better if you are planning on going to college. Please see me if you need help to register.
- ★ Work on your brag sheets! We use these sheets to write your letters of recommendations that you will need for your college applications and scholarships.
- Start thinking about where you would like to go for your Senior trip. Keep in mind – trips that involve overnight and/or special transportation arrangements are very expensive and will require fundraising efforts from everyone in the class!

And as always, if you need anything throughout the summer, give me a call or email. I'm in periodically and will help you out as soon as I get in!

Cassandra Gleason • *Guidance Counselor* (315) 495-1908 cgleason@stockbridgevalley.org

SENIOR PLANS - POST GRADUATION

Michael Andrews Seek Employment

Elijah Bandera Morrisville College

Melissa Bartlett Seek Employment

Wyatt Becker University of Tennessee

Lyndsey Collins MVCC

Madeline Cross SUNY Cortland

Darian Eaton SUNY Oswego

Haylee Eaton Hartwick Aliyah Frederick SUNY Geneseo

Melanie Gardner MVCC

Barbara Guinto Elmira College

Colby Haley Morrisville College

Kayla Johnson Seek Employment

Kaleb Jones Marine Corp

Archie Linnaberry Morrisville College

Kevin Miller SUNY Delhi **Breann Moot** MVCC

Jeremy Myers MVCC

Coleton Paliotta Seek Employment

Corey Phoenix MVCC

Madison Piersall Mitchell CC

Hannah Reaves MVCC

Lainie Sheldon MVCC

Julia Shelley Keuka College **Samuel Smith** Finger Lakes CC

Jasmine Vaillancourt MVCC

Jared Werthman Tompkins Cortland CC

Andrew Wilson Morrisville College

Jacob Wilson Seek Employment

GUIDANCE OFFICE NEWS

HONOR ROLL - JUNE 2019

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HIGH HONOR

Mary Beecher Ella Bonvicino Summer Boronow Edward DeMenezes Abigail Fisher Lily Kiehn Kassidy March Siena Marzan Madison Nolley Nicholas Smith Sophia Stevens

HONOR

HONOR

Evan Baker

Ryan Baker

Faith Hartle

Mva Morris

Brienna Tehan

Amanda Brown

Caeleigh Harrington

Nathan Baker Rebekah Carev Paige Webb

10TH GRADE

HIGH HONOR

Rebecca Ax Adriene Byron Camdyn Cross Tanner Dager Markalynn Eaton Thomas Meeker Austin Nolley

HONOR

Sarah Bender Dakota Crowley Hannah Greene Wyatt Reed

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Brandon Burton Alexis Ennis Brittany LaShure Abby Tucker Joshua Wagner Makenzi Wilson

12[™] GRADE

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Heather MacKay

Dani Lynn Mills

Elizabeth Wagner

Lillian Norrs

Michael Andrews Archie Linnaberry Samuel Smith

Rowan Cady Connor Clark Charles Cross Tristan Ellerbruch Ava Genge Benjamin Jantzi Hayla Josephs Myah LaFave Riley LaLonde Abigail Reed Abigail Smith Devin Smith

HIGH HONOR

9TH GRADE

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HIGH HONOR

Grace Bump Shirley Coe Brooke Gillespie Rachel Mennig Autumn Mills Nevaeh Randel Ashley Wilson

Hailev Bernet Jace Douthit Alvssa Enslow **Tyler** Fisher **Jillian** Jacobs

Lisa Powless Alexander Smith

Ethan Smith Jacob Squires

HONOR

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL NEWS

A MESSAGE FROM THE K-6 PRINCIPAL

GREETINGS FROM THE ELEMENTARY OFFICE!

We hope everyone is enjoying his or her summer and able to get out and enjoy the wonderful weather we are having! Our elementary students ended the year on a high note with many amazing activities. Our Kindergarten graduated to first grade with a wonderful Dr. Seuss themed ceremony and sixth graders received numerous awards along with diplomas to graduate to the high school.

Thank you to the SVEF for sponsoring the sixth grade awards

We also had an incredible

Spring Social full of games, prizes, baskets, and a silent auction along with our Elementary Picnic and Field Days full of water play and fun! Now we are getting ready for the new school year! The school is very quiet without all of our students here to

liven things up. Luckily we have our students here for our Summer Learning Academy in July who are working on academic skills while having fun with a camping theme. We had Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs come and take us on a "hiking and camping adventure" on our playground, and we look forward to visiting Oxbow Falls Park along with our ending program picnic.

We look forward to seeing you all in September for another awesome school year full of fun and learning!

Sincerely,

Julie Suber • K-6 Principal Twitter: @SVCSSuber

ELEMENTARY SHINING STARS OF THE YEAR

Pre-Kindergarten:	Damon Greene, Chase Shea
Kindergarten:	Lilly Gilbert, Miranda Moot
1 st Grade:	Olivia Divens, Julia Douthit
2 nd Grade:	Avery Ellerbruch, Marshal Moot
3 rd Grade:	Christian Bigness, Jasmine Springer
4 th Grade:	Alyssa Fisher, Aspen Tucci
5 th Grade:	Ameera Panebianco, Lilly Stevens
6 th Grade:	Marlie Brummer, Kaelyn Rahauiser, Anthony Shaw





DISTRICT NEWS

NOTEWORTHY NEWS

The Music Department has been in full swing this spring! Elementary and High School concerts were in May and showed the great progress our music students have made over the year. Highlights were seeing the 5th





graders shine in starring roles in *Walt's World*, a mini musical about Walt Disney as a grandpa! The 4th graders rocked it at their first band concert as well! Many thanks to all the custodians and staff who helped make the concerts run so smoothly!

The Marching Cougar Regiment represented SVCS with five parades this year. The pinnacle of their season was winning First Place in the Darien Lake Parade. Way to go Marching Band!!

People of all ages came out on Sunday, June 2 to race in the Drama Club's 5K Fun Run. Aspen Tucci, Dakota Crowley and Becca Ax took first place in each of their categories. Thank you to all who came out to support the Drama Club. Participants of the race also really "Seized the Day"... when they found out about the fall musical. We are so excited to start working on the musical, *Newsies*, in September!

Be on the look-out for audition sign-ups for the fall musical. Auditions will be the first Saturday after school starts in September! We hope to see you there!

Mrs. Belanger & Mrs. Matteson Music Teachers

Congratulations to the SVCS Music Department on a successful trip to the Darien Lake Music Fest! The Marching Band placed 1st in the Jr. High Division and the Chorus placed 2nd in the Sr. High Division. Both groups represented Stockbridge Valley in a fantastic way by receiving the highest rating in each Division! Way to go Music Department!

Photo left to right: Sarah Matteson, Instrumental Music Teacher and Erin Belanger, K-12 Choral Music Teacher holding awards the students received.

50TH CLASS REUNION

The Stockbridge Valley "**Class of 1969**" celebrated their 50th reunion on June 1 at Ebeneezer's Restaurant in Sherrill. In honor of their classmates who have passed, they raised \$1,400 to present to a graduate of the Class

of 2019. SVCS extends a special THANK YOU for their generosity.

Front row: Gail (Wilson) Strain, Carlene (Meacham) Herboldt, Belle (Cook) Russ, Terry (Palmeter) Watkins, Donna (Ward) Dwyer, Kathy (Stewart) Sergent, Howard Love

Second row: Vicki (Durfee) Andrews, Dorothy (Reed) Curtis, Holly (Broniszewski) Carroll, Debbie (Love) Pugh, Christa (Lagoy) Curtis

Back row: Paul Newcomb, Fred Henriksen, Dale Harrington, Don Warham, John Anderson, Wayne Southworth, Jerome Morris, Duane Sergent, Jim Wells



DISTRICT NEWS

MENNIG ATTENDS ANTI TOBACCO RALLY IN RICHMOND, VA

In May, SVCS high school student, Rachel Mennig traveled to Richmond, VA along with 100 teen leaders from Reality Check of CNY. They spoke out at tobacco's largest shareholder meeting. Reality Check is a teen-led, adult-

run program that seeks to prevent and decrease tobacco use among young people throughout New York State.

Rachel will be starting her sophomore year in September.







Made by Jacob Squires in Mrs. Waldron's wood working class. Elementary students working on crafts.



BEST WISHES TO OUR RETIREES JEANNIE MCLEAN JENNIFER DIDIO KATE FISHER

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REMINDER TO ALL PARENTS/GUARDIANS REGARDING THE UPCOMING 2019-2020 SCHOOL YEAR

If your child will be taking medicine at school, provider and parent permission forms are needed for both prescription and over the counter medications. New medication permission forms are required each school year.

NEW YORK STATE LAW REQUIRES THAT:

Parents or guardians must personally deliver all medication to the to the school health office (unless a self-carry order form is signed by parent and physician). All Controlled Medications must be brought in by an adult.

All medication must remain in properly labeled pharmacy or original over the counter (OTC) containers.

A new prescription/medication form signed by the medical provider is required at the beginning of every school year.

The parent must sign the medication permission form.

We request that you ask your pharmacist to give you a second identically labeled container for any prescription medications your student will take at school. We also request that you bring small containers of any OTC medications that your student will take. This will allow the School Nurse to send these medications on field trips and comply with New York State laws pertaining to medication storage.

Medication forms may be obtained from the School Health Office. Your physician may use their own form if desired.

New York State law also requires a health examination for all students entering the school district for the first time and when entering Pre-K or K, 1^{st} , 3^{rd} , 5^{th} , 7^{th} , 9^{th} , and 11^{th} grade.

Students entering these grades must have a valid physical dated on or after September 6, 2018. Health certificates are required to be submitted within 30 days from the start of the new school year.

IN REGARDS TO VACCINATIONS, NEW YORK STATE LAW REQUIRES THE FOLLOWING:

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2 - doses of MMR, and 2 - doses of Varicella.			10

Appropriate certification of immunizations is required for students to attend school in the fall.

If you have any questions, please call or email me at (315) 495-4500 or mshea@stockbridgevalley.org. Thank you in advance for your attention in this matter.

Sincerely,

Mattie Shea, RN • School Nurse



June 14, 2019

Statement on Legislation Removing Non-Medical Exemption from School Vaccination Requirements

On June 13, 2019, Governor Andrew M. Cuomo signed legislation removing non-medical exemptions from school vaccination requirements for children. The United States is currently experiencing the worst outbreak of measles in more than 25 years, with outbreaks in pockets of New York primarily driving the crisis. As a result of non-medical vaccination exemptions, many communities across New York have unacceptably low rates of vaccination, and those unvaccinated children can often attend school where they may spread the disease to other unvaccinated students, some of whom cannot receive vaccines due to medical conditions. This new law will help protect the public amid this ongoing outbreak.

What did the new law do?

As of June 13, 2019, there is no longer a religious exemption to the requirement that children be vaccinated against measles and other diseases to attend either:

- public, private or parochial school (for students in pre-kindergarten through 12th grade), or
- child day care settings.

For those children who had a religious exemption to vaccination, what are the deadlines for being vaccinated?

Children who are attending child day care or public, private or parochial school, and who had a religious exemption to required immunizations, must now receive the first age appropriate dose in each immunization series by June 28, 2019 to attend or remain in school or child day care. Also, by July 14, 2019 parents and guardians of such children must show that they have made appointments for all required follow-up doses. The deadlines for follow-up doses depend on the vaccine. The New York State Department of Health follows the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices catch-up immunization schedule and expects children to receive required doses consistent with Table 2 at the following link in order to continue to attend school or child day care: https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/schedules/downloads/child/0-18yrs-child-combined-schedule.pdf

What is the deadline for first dose vaccinations if my child is not attending school until September?

Parents and guardians of all children who do not have their required immunizations are encouraged to have them receive the first dose as soon as possible. The deadline for obtaining first dose vaccinations for children attending school in the fall is 14 days from the first day of school. Within 30 days of the first day of school, parents and guardians of such children must show that they have made appointments for all required follow-up doses.

Additional information will be forthcoming.

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NEW YORK STATE FAIR

MONDAY, AUGUST 26

Free Admission to the NYS Fair for those 60 and older. SVCS will be providing a free bus ride to the Fair!

For more information contact the school at (315) 495-4400



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SENIOR ATHLETIC AWARDS

MALE ATHLETES

Samuel K. Smith	Soccer
Darian J. Eaton	Basketball
	Golf
Jacob D. Wilson	Basketball
	Golf
Andrew T. Wilson	Basketball
Jared A. Werthman	Golf
Archie Linnaberry IV	Basketball
Kaleb Jones	Soccer
	Basketball
	Baseball
Wyatt P. Becker	Cross Country
	Basketball
	Baseball

FEMALE ATHLETES	E ATHLETES	ETES	THL	EA	ΛΑΙ	EN	F
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Madeline Cross

Soccer Volleyball Softball

Melissa R. Bartlett	Volleyball
Hannah E. Reaves	Soccer
	Volleyball
	Softball
Melanie Gardner	Softball
Haylee Eaton	Soccer
	Volleyball
	Softball
Madison A. Piersall	Soccer
Barbara V. Guinto	Soccer
	Volleyball
	Softball

ATHLETE OF THE YEAR

Male: Wyatt P. Becker Female: Haylee Eaton

SECTION III SCHOLAR ATHLETES

Wyatt Becker Madeline Cross *see photo below*



SVCS Youth Sports at Memorial Day Parade





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SVCS SUMMER OFFICE HOURS

District/business offices will be open from 7:30 a.m. daily in July and August. You may leave a voicemail and someone will return your call as soon as possible.

The high school and elementary offices will be closed during the weeks of July 29 - August 2 and August 12 - 16, reopening on August 19. District/business offices will be open during those weeks.

The guidance office is open 20 days in summer. If you need transcripts please call to make sure the guidance office is open. If you have questions or concerns, we will do our best to assist you.