



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.

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September 2024



Welcome to the 2024-25 school year at FSCSD!

Dear Frankfort-Schuyler Families and School Community,

I hope this message finds you enjoying a restful and enjoyable summer break. As the first day of school approaches, the Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District team is looking forward to welcoming our students, staff and community to another exciting year of learning! As we prepare for the upcoming school year, I wanted to take a moment to share some of our plans and expectations with you.

Each new school year provides a renewed opportunity for the District to provide the best possible education for every one of our students. This year, our theme is **"Raising Expectations."** We are committed to setting high standards for academic excellence, personal growth and community involvement for all of our students. We believe that every child has the potential to achieve great things, and it is our duty to provide the support and opportunities they need to realize their full potential. Our entire administration, faculty and staff are focused on raising the quality of everything we do to provide the best education in the world for our students.

A key component of this mission is our partnership with you, our parents and guardians. Your involvement and support are crucial to the success of our students. We encourage you to engage with us, participate in school activities and maintain open lines of communication with teachers, staff and administration. Together, we can create a strong and supportive network that empowers our students to thrive.

Our District priorities are:

- **Success:** We set high expectations and provide supports to help students and staff grow every year.
- **Well-being:** We create safe, welcoming and inclusive places to learn for students and staff.
- **Engagement:** We engage students, families and community partners to improve student outcomes and build trust.
- **Excellence:** We ensure organizational responsibility through the effective use of resources and systems that align with District values and strategic priorities.
- **Equity:** We increase equitable outcomes by addressing barriers to engagement and success.
- **Innovation:** We encourage new ideas that embrace creativity and reimagine teaching and learning.

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In addition to raising expectations, we are also focused on cultivating an environment of positivity. We want our schools to be places where students feel safe, respected and inspired. By fostering a positive school culture, we can encourage our students to become productive and respectful members of society. We will be implementing programs and initiatives designed to promote kindness, inclusivity and mutual respect among students, staff and the community.

Our most important goal is to make sure that every student will graduate prepared to lead a rewarding and responsible life as a contributing member of our community and greater society. We also want to make sure our students are ready to pursue the things that interest them the most after graduation as they consider future possibilities like college, careers and personal interests.

As we embark on this journey together, I invite you to join us in setting high expectations and creating a positive atmosphere for our students. Let's work together to ensure that our children not only succeed academically, but also grow into compassionate, responsible and engaged citizens.

I'm excited for another year of helping our students to learn, grow and succeed. We appreciate your partnership and the opportunity to serve your family and our communities.

All the best to you and your family as we begin the 2024-2025 school year!

Go KNIGHTS!

Dear Frankfort-Schuyler Families,

Our district will be embracing the Positivity Project this school year! We will begin incorporating the positive mindset into our daily routine at Frankfort-Schuyler CSD. Our school community will focus on the **Other People Mindset** first. This means anything that builds relationships is going to make you happy.



The Positivity Project (P2) aims to empower youth to build positive relationships by understanding, appreciating and exemplifying the character strengths in us all. People who have a strong "Other People Mindset" are able to build and maintain strong, positive relationships with others by consistently practicing these five Other People Mindset principles:

1. Cheer other people on when they succeed
2. Recognize the good in other people
3. Remain present when giving people your attention
4. Support others when they struggle
5. Understand that everything you say and do affects other people

While mental health is incredibly complex, we do know that positive relationships can help people become happier, healthier and more resilient. The Positivity Project believes educators have a tremendous opportunity and vital role to play in this endeavor. Our nation's youth spend a large percentage of their time in school. By deliberately and consistently teaching students that relationships are important – and that positive relationships are cultivated through character strengths and the Other People Mindset – educators can roll back these trends and create strong citizens and leaders for our communities and countries.

We hope you continue to partner with us as we add more positivity into our great community! Watch for more P2 information throughout the school year!

**Positively Excited,
The F-S Administrative Team**

The Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District has moved to ParentSquare!

We are excited to let you know that as of July 2024, ParentSquare has replaced SchoolMessenger as the new District-wide communication/robo platform. ParentSquare will allow the Frankfort-Schuyler CSD to unify all parent communication from the District, schools, classrooms and school activity groups under one umbrella.

With ParentSquare, you'll be able to:

- Receive all school and classroom communication via email, text or app
- View and download photos
- View the school and classroom calendar

It is our hope that the District's partnership with ParentSquare will enable a stronger dialogue between school and home, and will help empower everyone within the school community to stay connected and informed.

Questions about ParentSquare?

Please contact Kacey Sheppard
at ksheppard@frankfort-schuyler.org

Elementary Principal's Message

Welcome back to a new and thrilling school year at Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary! We hope your summer has been packed with sunshine, laughter and unforgettable adventures.

As we dive into the 2024-2025 school year, we are overjoyed to welcome back our returning families and extend a big, warm hello to those joining us for the first time. Our fantastic team of teachers and staff have been buzzing with excitement, preparing for a year full of fun, learning and growth.

We have some incredible things in store for our students this year! We will be launching ParentSquare and the Positivity Project to keep you informed of all the great things going on. Stay tuned for more information about those two new initiatives! We are dedicated to making learning an enjoyable and enriching experience. Get ready for a year filled with creativity, curiosity and lots of smiles!

Our school community is strongest when we all work together. Don't miss our Open House on September 3 from 6-7 p.m. – it's going to be a blast! You'll get to meet our amazing staff, explore classrooms and find out about all the fun activities we have planned. Please stop by our PTO table that night, too! It's a great chance to get involved and share your ideas. We're always looking for new ways to make our school an even better place to learn and grow.

We are always here for you, ready to listen and chat about ideas or concerns you might have. We look forward to partnering with you all to make this year unforgettable!

**With tons of excitement,
Elementary Admin Team**

CAPITAL PROJECT

update

We are thrilled to share exciting news with you regarding the significant capital project that will greatly enhance our school facilities. Thanks to your continued support, we are installing new turf fields for soccer and football, and new turf infields for softball and baseball. In this phase of the approved capital project we are also making enhancements to areas of our roof on both the elementary and secondary buildings. This project represents our commitment to providing only the best opportunities for all our students.

These new turf fields will not only improve the quality and safety of our athletic facilities, but also create more opportunities for our students to engage in sports and physical activities. Athletics play a crucial role in the overall development of our students, teaching them valuable life skills such as teamwork, discipline and perseverance. With these state-of-the-art fields, we can support our athletes in reaching their full potential and encourage more students to participate in our sports programs.

We are deeply appreciative of the community's support and investment in our schools. This project would not have been possible without your dedication to our students and belief in the importance of providing top-notch facilities. Your partnership reflects our shared commitment to excellence in education and extracurricular activities.

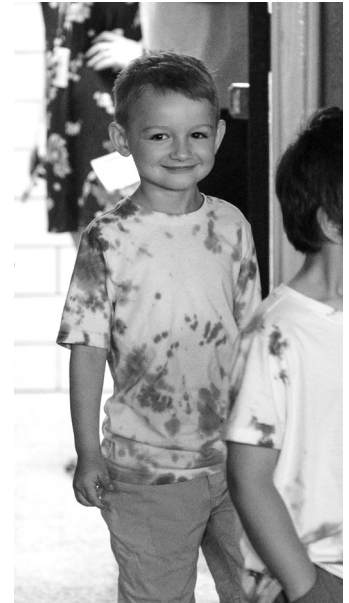
As we move forward with this project, we will keep you informed about the progress and timeline. We look forward to celebrating the completion of the new fields with you and witnessing the positive impact they will have on our students and community. Please keep your eye out for the tentative Grand Opening of the stadium field on September 14. On this date we will come together as a school community and celebrate our future as a school district while honoring the tradition of Frankfort-Schuyler athletics.

Thank you once again for your unwavering support and partnership. Together, we are building a brighter future for our students. **Go KNIGHTS!**

Kindergarten Moving Up Celebration

On June 21, the Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary School held its annual Kindergarten Celebration. Students sang songs for attending family and friends, including "You're A Grand Old Flag," "Count On Me" and "On My Way." A slideshow of photos from the memories students made during the 2023-24 school year was also shown.

Congratulations to each of the kindergarten students on a successful school year, and best of luck in first grade!



Humane Society Visits K-Kids Club

On May 28, Kim from the Herkimer County Humane Society visited the K-Kids Club at Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary School. She talked to students about what they do at the Humane Society and how they help pets find their forever homes.

The club did their part to help support local animals in need by collecting donations from the school community.

Elementary Spring Concert

On May 8, the Frankfort-Schuyler Elementary School presented its spring concert, which included performances by the fourth and fifth grade bands and the elementary choir.

Thank you to all who attended and supported our elementary musicians!

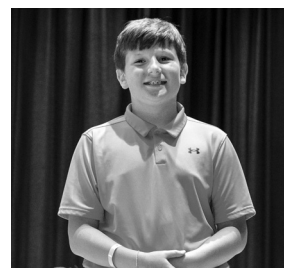
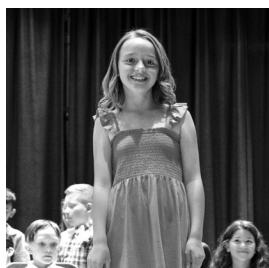


Fifth Grade Moving Up Ceremony

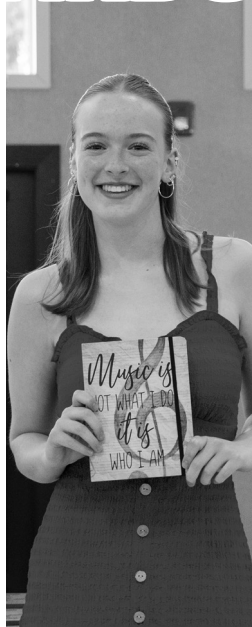
On June 20, Frankfort-Schuyler fifth grade students came together for the annual Fifth Grade Moving Up Ceremony.

Students received their diplomas as well as various other awards and recognitions to celebrate their academic and behavioral achievements.

Best of luck to the fifth grade class as they enter middle school as sixth graders next school year!



MUSIC AWARDS BANQUET



The Frankfort-Schuyler Music Boosters held their 31st Annual Music Awards Banquet on June 6 at Breezes Banquet and Event Center in Utica.

The evening included dinner, dessert, remarks by Mrs. Sandy MacDonald and the presentation of the following awards recognizing the accomplishments of Frankfort-Schuyler student-musicians during the 2023-24 school year.

Elementary Awards

presented by Mr. Hance and Ms. Bunger, for:

**Youth Choir
All-County Chorus
All-County Band**

Junior High Band Awards

presented by Ms. Bunger and Mrs. Donaleski, for:

**Jazz Band
All-County Band (7-9)
Greater Utica Area Youth Concert Band**

Senior High Band Awards

presented by Mrs. Donaleski, for:

**1-Year, 2-Year, 3-Year and 4-Year
All-County Band
Senior High Jazz Band
NYSSMA Solo Competition (Jr./Sr. High)
Greater Utica Area Honors Youth Wind
Ensemble
Junior High Area All-State
Area All-State**

Senior High Chorus Awards

presented by Mrs. Tinker, for:

**1-Year, 2-Year, 3-Year and 4-Year
All-County Chorus
Select Chorus
Show Choir
Area All-State
NYSSMA Solo Festival
Musical**

The Bernard J. and Theresa A. White Memorial Theatre Award

Junior High Chorus Awards

presented by Mrs. Tinker, for:

All-County Chorus

Senior Music Awards

presented by Mrs. Tinker and Mrs. Donaleski

High School Spring Concert

On May 21, Frankfort-Schuyler High School presented its spring concert, which included performances by the high school band and chorus.

Thank you to all who attended and supported our high school musicians!



Middle School Spring Concert

On May 15, the Frankfort-Schuyler Middle School presented its spring concert, which included performances by the sixth and seventh/eighth grade bands, and the sixth and seventh/eighth choruses.

Thank you to all who attended and supported our middle school musicians!



Secondary Principal's Message

Welcome Back F-S Parents/Guardians and Secondary Students!

On behalf of the administration, faculty and staff of the middle school and high school, I would like to extend a warm heartfelt "welcome back" to the 2024-25 school year. This year is going to be an amazing year as we have many wonderful courses, activities and events planned throughout the school year. The first day of classes will begin soon after the Labor Day weekend on Wednesday, September 4, and Open House for parents will be held on Tuesday, September 10. More specific information will follow as we get closer to the start of school.

Something to really look forward to in the fall is that our District will be embracing the Positivity Project this school year. P2, as it is more commonly referred to as, aims to empower youth to build positive relationships through understanding, appreciating and exemplifying the positive character strengths in us all. This is an "Other People Mindset" that will assist all of us in building and maintaining healthy relationships and to be our best self.

At the secondary level, P2 will be incorporated at the beginning of each day through morning announcement reminders and selected activities during classroom SEL time. During SEL, students will consistently practice the following five Other People Mindset principles:

- Cheer other people on when they succeed
- Recognize the good in other people
- Remain present when giving people your attention
- Support others when they struggle
- Understand that everything you say and do affects other people

We are so excited about the up and coming school year. I wish you all a very safe and well-rested remainder of your summer vacation. As always, it gives me great pleasure to be your child's principal and I look forward to another exciting and successful school year!

**Best wishes,
Secondary Admin Team**

Eighth Grade Moving Up Ceremony

On June 12, an Eighth Grade Moving Up Ceremony was held to celebrate the end of a successful school year for the eighth grade students and their upcoming move to the senior high school wing. During the ceremony, more than 80 students were celebrated and received completion certificates.

Congratulations to the eighth grade students and best of luck in high school in the fall!



St. Francis Festival Performances

On May 31, the Frankfort-Schuyler Jr./Sr. High School band and chorus performed at the St. Francis Festival in Frankfort.

Congratulations to the musicians on excellent performances!



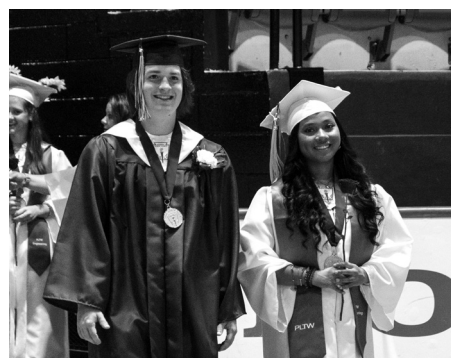
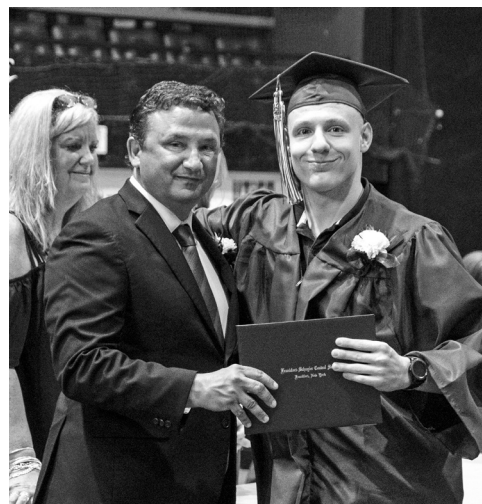
Class of 2024 Commencement

At the annual Frankfort-Schuyler Central School Commencement ceremony held on June 22 at the Adirondack Bank Center, 62 students in the class of 2024 became high school graduates.

Remarks were made during the ceremony by Secondary School Principal Mr. Michael A. Stalteri Sr. and Superintendent of Schools Mr. Joseph Palmer, and the senior chorus students sang the National Anthem and Alma Mater. The salutatory address was given by Alexandra Fanelli and the valedictory address was given by Colin Bick.

Following the valedictory address, awards and scholarships were presented by Mr. Stalteri. The moment students had been waiting for arrived as each member of the class of 2024 walked across the stage to receive their diploma. Family and friends celebrated each graduate as they reached this new milestone in their academic careers.

Congratulations to the class of 2024 and best of luck in your future endeavors!



High School Student Receives Community Service Award

Mohawk Valley Rotary Club members presented Frankfort-Schuyler senior Madison Kelly with the Community Service Award. Madison won the award by submitting an essay discussing her community service achievements during her high school years.

Congratulations, Madison!

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



Seniors Honored at Section III Scholar-Athlete Awards Dinner

Seniors Madison Kelly and Amar Perry earned Section III Scholar-Athlete honors at the Section III Scholar-Athlete Awards Dinner held on the campus of Onondaga Community College on June 10.

At the conclusion of each school year, Section III Athletics honors its member schools and their top senior athletes who excelled both in the classroom and on the playing field. The Section III Scholar-Athlete Awards Dinner celebrates the accomplishments of the section's top scholar-athletes and recognizes the achievement of each student. The best male and female scholar-athletes from each of the schools within Section III are honored at this event with plaques and certificates. The Section III Scholar-Athlete Award is the highest academic honor bestowed by the organization.

Madison earned a cumulative grade point average of 92.5 throughout her high school career and earned eight varsity letters while participating in soccer, basketball, softball and track and field. Madison was the recipient of the Frankfort-Schuyler Girls Soccer Team Award, Girls Basketball Team Award, Lt. Joseph Ferraro Memorial Award and the Yvonne Gigliotti Female Athlete Memorial Award, which were presented at the Frankfort-Schuyler Varsity Letter Banquet on June 5. Madison plans to attend SUNY Oswego in the fall, where she will study dentistry and continue her soccer career.

Amar earned a cumulative grade point average of 88 during his high school career and earned seven varsity letters while participating in football, basketball, baseball and track and field. Amar was the recipient of the Frank "Marely" Bellino Memorial Award, Corey Scialdo Memorial Award and the Andrew Barberio "Big A" Memorial Award, which were presented at the Frankfort-Schuyler Varsity Letter Banquet. Amar plans to attend SUNY Cortland in the fall, where he will study electrical engineering.

Congratulations to Madison and Amar, and best of luck in your future endeavors!



CNY Sports Names Frankfort-Schuyler Small School Boys Program of the Year

CNY Sports, a social media page dedicated to showing off the talent of Class C and Class D athletes, has named Frankfort-Schuyler the Small School Boys Program of the Year!

CNY Sports wrote, "The Maroon Knights won the 8-man football title, earned the top seed in soccer, finished with 14 wins in basketball and made a quarterfinal appearance!"

Congratulations to all of our Frankfort-Schuyler student-athletes, and thank you to CNY Sports for highlighting their hard work and accomplishments!



Grand March and Jr./Sr. Prom

Frankfort-Schuyler Jr./Sr. High School held its annual prom on May 11 at Rustic Ties in Dolgeville. Prior to the event, students showcased their formalwear (and personalities!) during a Grand March in the high school auditorium.



2024 Honors Banquet

Several graduating seniors from the Frankfort-Schuyler class of 2024 were honored for their academic achievements during the Senior Honors Banquet held on May 23 at Francesca's Banquet Hall in Ilion.

The dinner, attended by graduating seniors and their families, recognized the valedictorian, salutatorian, students in the top ten percent of their class, honors graduates and National Honor Society members. Each student who was recognized received a plaque and graduation tassel from Superintendent Palmer while Principal Stalteri shared their high school achievements and plans for after graduation. Remarks were also shared by Superintendent Palmer as he wished the seniors well in their future endeavors.

Class of 2024 Honors Graduates and Top 10%

***Colin Bick**
VALEDICTORIAN

***Alexandra Fanelli**
SALUTATORIAN

***Jenna Fazzolari**

***Angela Lyubezhanina**

***Collin MacDonald**

***Somali Mathlin**

***Molly Reid**

Madisyn Aulisi

Jasmyne Baker

Brandon Cook

Hannah DeRocco

Jenna Fazzolari

Robert Hnelosub

Ajla Ikeljic

Madison Kelly

Gianna Liberatore

Abigail LoGalbo

Jennetta Merdanovic

Isabella Nitti

Amar Perry

Molly Reid

Samantha Ward

** Top 10%*

Class of 2024 National Honor Society Members

Madisyn Aulisi

Jasmyne Baker

Colin Bick

Brandon Cook

Hannah DeRocco

Alexandra Fanelli

Jenna Fazzolari

Ajla Ikeljic

Madison Kelly

Angela Lyubezhanina

Collin MacDonald

Somali Mathlin

Isabella Nitti

Molly Reid



Annual Mental Health Awareness Month Wellness Walk

On May 31, the Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District concluded Mental Health Awareness Month with its annual Wellness Walk, and every student was given a pair of sunglasses to represent the theme of "Bright Days Ahead!" Throughout the month, students engaged in various activities and presentations and learned self-care tips.

All students participated in a grade-level challenge in May to help raise money to support the Jaime Hawkins George Foundation. Mrs.



Tangorra's Life Skills class raised the most money and presented the check to the Hawkins Family. The Jaime Hawkins George Foundation is a 501c3 non-profit organization whose mission is to provide financial assistance to individuals and families who have tragically lost a loved one to suicide. The foundation strives to alleviate the burden of financial hardships during this difficult time, offering support and resources to help them navigate their immediate financial needs.

Frankfort-Schuyler is incredibly proud of its students and their commitment to the importance of mental health!



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This new system will be available for all students and families the week before school begins. All fund balances and PIN numbers will be transferred from the old system prior to the first day of school.

Frankfort-Schuyler Seniors Recognized for Completing Herkimer BOCES CTE Programs

The Herkimer-Fulton-Hamilton-Otsego BOCES recognized more than 200 students who completed Career and Technical Education programs during a graduation-style ceremony on June 13 at Herkimer College.

The 2024 Career and Technical Education Completion Ceremony celebrated students who went through any of the 14 two-year Herkimer BOCES CTE programs – including students in the Valley Pathways in Technology Early College High School (VPTECH). Students were also recognized during the ceremony for various awards they won.

Herkimer BOCES District Superintendent D.J. Shepardson gave the introductions, Herkimer College Provost Michael Oriolo was the guest speaker, Herkimer BOCES Cosmetology program 2016

The Child Nutrition Programs are operated in each building by the Oneida-Herkimer-Madison BOCES School Food Service team. We are pleased to announce that in the 2024-2025 school year, we will be continuing to operate under the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) – meaning all meals are FREE to all students!

OHM BOCES strives to provide students with tasty, nutritious, fresh foods that appeal to students and the school community. We have continually exceeded federal and state guidelines for all required nutrients and increased our offerings of fresh fruit and vegetables. Farm to School items and programming are improving our students' connections to fresh food and resources. The menu balances student preference, commodity foods and locally sourced foods that are fresh, fun and encourage students to explore new flavors and new preparations.

Each student has their own meal account with an assigned pin number. Please be sure to help your children learn their numbers, especially if they are new participants. You can also use this account to make payments for a la carte items; checks made out to OHM BOCES Food Service, or online prepayments (ezschoolpay.com) are preferable, though cash in a labeled envelope is also an option.

Because we are operating under CEP this year, families do not need to fill out Free/Reduced meal applications. However, it is helpful to your school if you complete the income collection form available at ezmealapp.com. PDFs and hard copies are also available. Eligible families may qualify for benefits such as waived test fees. This information is processed by Oneida-Herkimer-Madison BOCES and is kept completely confidential. Completion of these forms helps to drive additional funding for our district, as well as could help families qualify for additional benefits. This form is available at ezmealapp.com

While complete meals are FREE, single items like milk will still be charged to student accounts. Milk this year will be \$0.75. Other a la carte items such as frozen yogurt, baked chips and whole grain cookies will be available for purchase most days in the school cafeterias. Prices on those items range from \$0.75-\$2.00. There is no charging of a la carte items, meaning students must have a positive account balance, or cash in hand in order to purchase.

Please sign up for an ezschoolpay.com account! This is an excellent way to monitor your children's meals and a la carte purchases. These accounts are free to set up and use; you can even set up email reminders for when a balance gets low! If you choose to use them for prepayment, a small fee is incurred with each transaction.

Please don't hesitate to contact us!

Kate Dorr
School Food Service Director/Registered Dietitian
kdorr@oneida-boces.org
315-223-6068

graduate Emily Ward Case was the keynote speaker and Herkimer BOCES Principal of Technical Education Sheri Perry gave the closing comments. Perry, Herkimer BOCES Board of Education President Holly Pullis and Herkimer BOCES Director of School Services and Outreach Zane Mahar presented awards and certificates.

The following students completed Herkimer BOCES CTE programs this school year:

Jonathon Ming (*Advanced Manufacturing*)

Caleb Bridge (*Automotive Technology*)

Vincent Faubert (*Automotive Technology*)

Joseph Scholl (*Building Construction*)

Santino Tubia (*Building Construction*)

Brynn Gerhardt (*Cosmetology*)

Landon Davidson (*Criminal Justice*)

Emily Kenyon (*Criminal Justice*)

Julianna Harris (*Culinary and Hospitality*)

Brandon Magana (*Culinary and Hospitality*)

Jenetta Merdanovic (*Culinary and Hospitality*)

Samantha Ward (*Culinary and Hospitality*)

Dennis Waugh (*Culinary and Hospitality*)

Giovanni Maldonado (*Health Science Careers*)

Coleson Payne (*Network Administration*)

Angelina Randazzo (*Welding and Metal Fabrication*)

James White (*Welding and Metal Fabrication*)

Varsity Letter Banquet

The Frankfort-Schuyler Central School District and the Knights Athletic Council held their annual Varsity Letter Banquet on June 5 at Valentino's Banquet Hall in New Hartford.

The evening included dinner, dessert, remarks by coaches and administrators, recognition of varsity letter recipients and the presentation of the following awards recognizing the accomplishments of student-athletes during the 2023-24 sports seasons.

Section III

Scholar-Athletes

Madison Kelly

Amar Perry

Team Awards

Girls Soccer

Madison Kelly and Ajla Ikeljic

Boys Soccer

Daniel Shmat and Roman Harrod

Cheerleading

Madisyn Aulisi

Football

Martino Rocco

Volleyball

Jasmyne Baker

Girls Indoor Track

Ava Werczynski

Boys Indoor Track

Michael Ferguson

Wrestling

Gene Edwards

Girls Basketball

Madison Kelly

Boys Basketball

Lionell Coulthurst

Girls Track & Field

Gianna Liberatore

Boys Track & Field

Lionell Coulthurst

Softball

Victoria Cleveland

Baseball

Thomas Eck

Distinguished Awards

Sport Specific

Elise Grasso Memorial Award (Cheer)

Madisyn Aulisi and Briann Mullenax

Jesse Ferdula Memorial Award (Football)

Dennis Waugh

Corey Scialdo Memorial Award (Football)

Amar Perry

Frank "Marley" Bellino Memorial Award (Football)

Amar Perry

Robert Ruddy Memorial Award (Football)

Dennis Waugh

Andrew Barberio "Big A" Memorial Award (Football)

Amar Perry

Thomas Bracken Memorial Award Boys (Basketball)

Angelo DeSarro

Marc Ganci Memorial Award (Wrestling)

Santino Tubia

Stacey Weston Memorial Award (Softball)

Hannah DeRocco

Dominick & MaryAnne Mazzola Memorial Award (Baseball)

James White

Joseph Rocco Memorial Award (Baseball)

Angelo DeSarro

Distinguished Awards

General

FS "Good Kid" Award

Molly Reid and Collin MacDonald

FS "Unsung Spirit" Award

Hannah DeRocco and Braydon Matos

FS "Service Appreciation" Award

Isabella Nitti and Roman Kulev

Paul Grates Memorial Award

Molly Reid and Robert Hnelosub

Knights Athletic Council Award

Isabella Nitti and Roman Harrod

Michael Jacopelle Memorial Award

Xion Wilson

Lt. Joseph Ferraro Memorial Award

Madison Kelly

Dr. Joseph and Florence Ryan Grates Memorial Award

Roman Harrod

Yvonne Gigliotti Memorial Female Athlete Award

Madison Kelly

Joseph Ferraro Memorial Male Athlete Award

Angelo DeSarro



Transportation News

The following routes have been established for the 2024-2025 school year. Start times for the routes are also listed.

If you have any questions please feel free to call Karen Wasielewski, Transportation Coordinator, Frankfort-Schuyler School District at 895-7781 or Dispatch at the, Birnie Bus Terminal in Utica at 315-797-4933.

ROUTE 101 – TURKEY

Elementary, 6:45 a.m.

State Route 5, Paratore, Country Meadows, Carder, Dutchtown, Millers Grove, Upson, Minots Corners

ROUTE 103 – POODLE

High School, 6:40 a.m.

Mucky Run, Daley, Dutch Hill, Center, Zolad

Elementary, 7:30 a.m.

Southside, Main, Harter, Lock

ROUTE 106 – FOX

High School, 6:45 a.m.

Brockway, Hampton, Hi Sy View, Ripley, Ferguson

Elementary, 7:30 a.m.

Litchfield, Pleasant, E. Canal, Piper, Maple, LiBritz

ROUTE 107 – GIRAFFE

High School / Elementary, 6:45 a.m.

State Route 171, Brice, State Route 5, Higby, Grandview, Cinko Drive, Spruce, Hill View Terrace, Manor Drive, Litchfield Road, Button Lane, Reese-Road

ROUTE 108 – OWL

Elementary, 7:00 a.m.

Ferguson, Banek, School Lane, Willow, Towne, Arcadi, Ravena, Broad Broad, Taft, Eldred, Empire

ROUTE 109 – ZEBRA

Elementary, 7:00 a.m.

Center, Zolad, Dutch Hill, Daley, Mucky Run

ROUTE 110 – LION

High School, 6:50 a.m.

Pathways

Elementary, 8:10 a.m.

Elmwood Circle, Bush, Minots Corners, Johnson, Dutchtown, Baum, McKennan, Watkins, Church, Oak Hill, Maple, Doty, some Extensions

ROUTE 111– MONKEY

High School, 6:45 a.m.

Wilson, Albany, Kerber, Haddad, Birchwood, Christensen, Welsh Bush, (Between Ferguson and Center) Sheila Place, Sunrise Court, Sunset Court, Hardiman Pl.

Elementary, 7:25 a.m.

Palmer Street (Corner Stops - Main through Fifth), Ingersoll, Erie, East Ave

ROUTE 112 – MOUSE

Elementary, 6:45 a.m.

Center, Higby, Widrick, Furnace, Bouck,, Gates, Brown, Brockway (Between Haddad & Higby), Jones

ROUTE 113 – CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

6:45 a.m.

Various locations throughout Village, Town and Schuyler

ROUTE 114/115 – AM/PM CAREER TECH BOCES RUN

Gros Boulevard

ROUTE 116 – TIGER

Elementary, 7:00 a.m.

Albany, Haddad, Kerber, Wilson, Ripley, Birchwood, Christensen, Floral Court, Floral Drive, Rolling Hills, Sunflower Circle, Sumise Court, Wild Flower Circle, Wildwood Ridge, Welshbush, Hardiman

ROUTE 117 – HORSE

High School, 7:05 a.m.

State Route 5, Elmwood Road, Millers Grove Road, Bono's Trailer Park, Bono Blvd.

ROUTE 118 – DUCK

High School, 6:35 a.m.

State Route 5, Paratore Road, Country Meadows, Carder Lane, Bush, Caldwell, Millers Grove, Church, Minots Corners, Baum, Dutchtown, Johnson, McKennan, Watkins, Railroad, Bee, Sheldon, Orchard

Elementary, 7:25 a.m.

Sixth, Frankfort Street- Comer Stops - (Fifth through North Frankfort and Orchard), Tisdale, Orchard, Bee, Sheldon, Railroad

ROUTE 123 – FROG

High School, 6:55 a.m. / Elementary, 7:35 a.m.

McGowan Rd., Terrace Hill Estates, Clemons, Joslin Hill, Reese Rd., Acme, First through Fifth Ave. Ext., Kernan, Comstock

ROUTE 125 – ELEPHANT

High School, 6:55 a.m.

Floral Drive, Floral Court, Rolling Hills, Wildflower Circle, Sunflower Circle Wildwood Ridge, Bleecker, Fergusson, School Lane, Willow, Banek, Towne, Arcadia, Ravena, Broad, Taft, Eldred, Empire, Broad, Southside Rd., W. Main Street

ROUTE 126 – BEAR

High School, 6:45 a.m.

Center, Widrick, Furnace, Bouck, McIntyre, Higby, Wilson, Gates, Brown, Zolad

ROUTE 131 –TURTLE

Special Education – Elementary - Time TBA

Special Education students being transported

ROUTE 132 – BUNNY

Special Education - Time TBA

Special Education students being transported





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