



TUSKER TRACKS



A weekly, *trunkated* note from Dr. B

The Bronstein Brief

Happy Friday, Somers! I hope you all had a wonderful and restful (extended) Winter Recess.

I would like to once again thank our custodial and maintenance team and the Town of Somers for their incredible work clearing all four schools and roads during and after the Blizzard of 2026, and for preparing our buildings and grounds to welcome students and staff back safely.

Yesterday, I had the chance to help SHS students, faculty and staff “clap out” our three varsity wrestlers headed to States this weekend in Albany. Best of luck to Ethan Steuber, TJ Mauro and Ryan Ball - Somers is rooting for you!

‘Tails’ of Triumph

This week, despite the weather, two seniors from Somers Science Research traveled to Albany to present at the annual SUNY Albany Science Research Invitational. Students from across New York State shared their work with panels of judges in their respective categories - and Somers went 2 for 2!

Anya Khurana earned 2nd place for her research, “Enzymatic Tagging of Immune Cells Post CD27/CD70 Interaction Using LIPSTIC.” Makaila Eagleton captured 1st place for her research, “Investigating the Stability of Prebiotic Uracil Under the Conditions of Impact-Generated Terrestrial Hydrothermal Systems.”

This prestigious event provided an outstanding opportunity to showcase months of dedication and innovation, and the judges clearly recognized the exceptional quality of their work.

Congratulations to Anya and Makaila and our Science Research advisors, Dr. Bill Maelia and Michael DeSousa on these incredible achievements - we are Somers proud!

Tusker Pride

Before the break, the French Club and Fashion Club hosted an afternoon of community service to make Steph’s Care Kits, collaborating with The Stephanie Crispinelli Humanitarian Fund and the American Red Cross.

Stephanie Crispinelli was a graduate of Somers High School who passed away at the age of 20 during the January 2010 earthquake in Haiti. Stephanie was in Haiti with a group from Lynn University doing volunteer work with Food For The Poor when the tragedy took place.

Stephanie was active in the school community and was inspired to do for others. To honor her legacy of service, the Somers community gathers each year to make Steph’s Care Kits to give to the American Red Cross for displaced children who find themselves in situations where they lose or need to evacuate from their homes.

Thank you to Ms. Timone and Mrs. Brooks for helping to organize this community-wide event that brings family, friends, students and faculty together each year to honor and remember Stephanie.

The Week Ahead

3/2-3/3 - SHS Peer Leader Retreat

3/3 - Board of Education Meeting (SMS)

3/3 - PTSA Hang Up & Drive (SHS)

3/7 - Intermediate All County Chorus Concert (White Plains HS)

