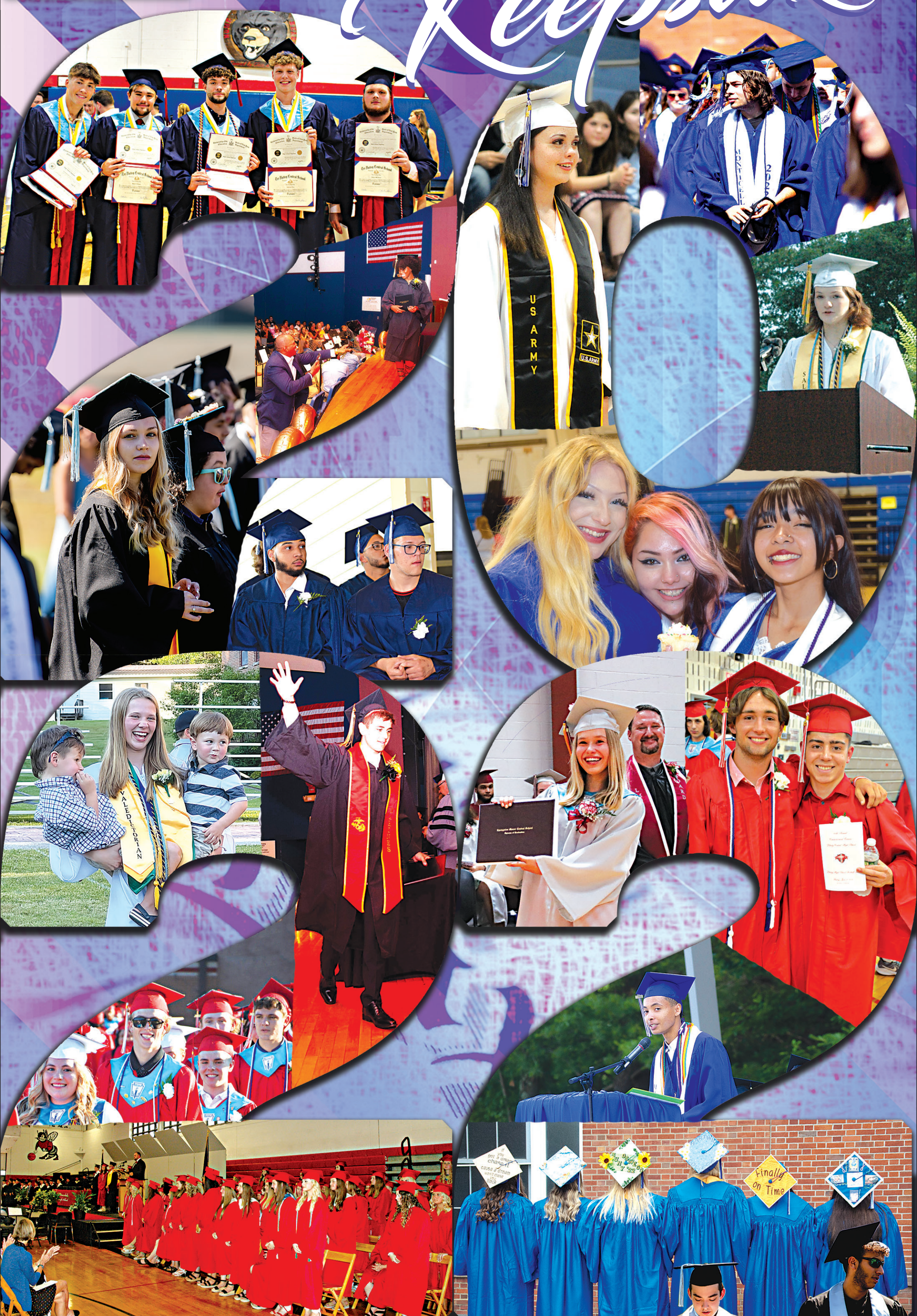


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Barnett, Calvin / AA
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Bizjak, Abigail / AS**
Blinston, Sara / AA*
Bolles, Trevor / AA
Brudermann, Amy / AAS**
Bullock, Liam / AS*
Burnette, Destiny / AA**
Burr, Kerintin / AS**
Cabral, Rhonda / AA**
Carlson, Emma / AS*
Carlson, Erin / AA*
Caruso, Brittany / AS
Cazado, Lexus / AS
Celjic, Asmiralda / AAS*
Cintula, Alexia / AA*
Colombo, Faith / AS+
Concepcion, Taveras
Jefferson / AAS
Creighton, John / AA
Cronin, Kielyann / AA
Cruz, Cassie / AAS+
Daniel, Sayvion / AA
Davis-Stoilov, Amanda / AAS
de Vaal, Helena / AAS*
Delgado, Roberto / AAS
Denlinger, Michael / AAS
DeSouza, Samuel / AAS*
Devlin, Meaghan / AAS*
Deyo, Lauren / AAS
Dimesa, Joseph / AA
Feliciano, Kristen / AAS*
Fletcher, Nancy / AAS
Frausto, Jessie / AS
Fredericks, Dolores / AAS*
Froehlich, Amanda / AAS
Gallo, Johnathan / AAS
Giarratano Rogers, Angel / AS*
Gilbert, Devin / AS
Goetz, Amanda / AAS
Gomez, Jason / AS
Gonzalez, Kwalin / AAS*
Gorr, Ronni / AS**
Graham, Melanie / AA
Grant, Aniello / AAS*
Grant, Nicholas / AAS*
Gref, Anna / AA
Grodin, Ryan / AS**
Gugliotta, Guy / AAS
Guzman I, Hecne / AAS
Hambrick, Khalil / AA*

Hanofee, Cheselyn / AA*
Haynes, Takiyah / AAS**
Hellerer, Jarod / AS+
Hendrickson, Austin / AS
Hernandez, Yasiris / AA**
Hinton, Christina / AAS
Holmes, Alicia / AAS
Hopkins, Samantha / AAS
Jackson, Daivel / AA
Jackson, Danielle / AAS
Janik, Toni / AS
Johnson, Jessica / AAS
Juncaj, Dila / AAS+
Katris, Alexandra / AA*
Kelly, Jada / AAS
Kerstner, Rebecca / AAS*
Koehler, Koryne / AAS*
Kolbe, Christina / AAS*
Kurtz, Kristofer / AA**
La Gala, Jasmine / AAS
LaGrutta, Irene / AAS*
Lainez, Mercedes / AS
Lawrence, Mark / AAS
Licona, Andrea / AAS
Lyons, Brittany / AAS+
Lyons, Declan / AAS
Lyons, Marie / AAS
Maldonado, Karen / AAS
Mascaro, Brian / AS*
Marchese, AnnaBelle / AA
Marquez, Ana / AAS
Martin, Steven / AAS**
Martinez, Ana / AAS*
Martinez Escalante, Diana / AAS
Maxwell, Dalton / AA
Mayers, Jon / AS
McAndrew, Bricin / AAS
Mead, Emily / AAS**
Melchick, Brittany / AA
Minaya, Jordanie / AA
Minckler, Alexa / AS
Mir, Elena / AAS**
Mohammed, Tristan / AAS*
Morano, Adonis / AA
Morgan, Jackson / AAS**
Murrell, Jennifer / AAS
Neails, Cherelle / AS
O'Connor, Damien / AA
O'Rourke, Kathleen / AAS
Ouellette, Alexander / AS**
Park, Evelyn / AAS**
Pazona, Natalie / AAS
Pena, Marilyn / AAS
Pennell, Lukas / AA
Perez, Christian / AOS
Perez Rosa, Joshua / AAS

Perry, Anisa / AS**
Perry, Lenard / AAS
Pitre, Tamica / AAS
Porter, Brianna / AAS**
Potter, Shatisha / AAS
Raynor, Jordan / AS*
Reneau, Jalen / AA/AAS
Retana, Fernando / AAS
Retana, Martha / AA
Reyes, Victoria / AAS
Rivera, Sandy / AAS*
Rook, Oswaldo / AS*
Rosas, Charazel / AAS*
Rose, Ariel / AAS
Savage, Malisia / AAS*
Scanna, Jake / AS/AA
Schneider, Andrew / AS
Schrader, Brittany / AS
Scully, Kerrian / AAS*
Seastrand, Steven / AS
Shehi, Juleda / AAS*
Shelton, Brittany / AAS*
Shorette, Krystal / AAS
Sibiga, Amanda / AA
Sidberry, Keyani / AAS
Snowden, Satanya / AAS*
Soto, Jaclyn / AAS*
Taggart, Kelly / AAS
Tatro, Amber / AS*
Taylor, Monique / AAS*
Taylor, Robert / AA*
Thompson, Jazmell / AAS
Tierney, Matthew / AA*
Tisdale, Shanise / AAS
Twomey, Cara / AA**
Twomey, Erin / AA**
Uchizono, Chihiro / AAS
Vanaken, Stephanie / AAS
VanPelt, Frances / CERT**
Vantuyl, Katherine / AAS
Vilomar, Yorby / AAS
Vollmer, Matthew / AA
Waddell, Lashaya / AA
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Wall, Nicholas / AAS**
WallaceFore, Constance / AAS
Washington-Lesczynski, Colleen / AAS
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White, Catherine / AAS*
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Willis, Troy / AA
Wilson, Selena / AAS*
Wilson, Shaquana / AA

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Alejandro, Miguel / AAS
Alston, Te'Asia / AA
Brathwaite III, James / AA
Chambers, Shanielle / AS**
Davis, Caitlin / AAS
Eggers, Sean / AAS
Espinosa Barragan, Eduardo / AAS
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December 2021

Berger, Ethan / AAS
Birch, Tabitha / AS
Bregard, Kimberly / AA*
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Call, Joseph / AS**
Carmody, Jordan / AA*
Carrion, Lucas / AS*
Connal, Nichole / AA*
De Barros, Seth / AAS
Delaney, Austin / AAS
Ellis, Natasha / AAS
Goetschius, Heather / AA*
Goetz, Amanda / AAS
Gonzalez, Jessica / AS*
Hunt, Brauke / AS*
Martinez, Selena / AA
Murillo, Antonia / AS
Patel, Vedant / AAS*
Poppo, Joseph / AAS
Powell, Payton / AA
Pyle, Tofowa / AAS**
Rivera, Lynka / AAS*
Rodriguez, Angelica / AS*
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Rollman, Douglas / AA**
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Fearless and focused:

Twenty-one Yellowjackets emerge from the nest



Emerging from the school on Friday evening, the Eldred Junior Senior High School Senior Class of 2022 prepare for their walk across the stage.

**STORY AND PHOTOS
BY DEREK KIRK**

“You are a small class, but a dynamic one... I wish you all the best in the future, and I will miss you, and I will miss the Eldred School District.”

Eldred Central School District Superintendent Dr. John



Salutarian AnnMarie Davis addressing her fellow graduates and the crowd prior to walking across the stage.

C. Morgano stirred the nest of the Yellowjacket graduating senior class of 2022 from the Eldred Junior Senior High School with reverent reflection on Friday evening.

Emerging from the Junior Senior High School building, the 21 graduates proceeded to their seats next to the stage. After a resounding rendition

of the National Anthem by student musical group, Eldred Key Elements, the ceremony began.

Welcoming the crowd to join in their special day was Salutarian AnnMarie Davis, who reminded those celebrating to have patience, to chase their dreams, and maintain positivity as they move forward.

“To my classmates and dear friends, never settle for anything less than [what you are] capable of or for what your heart truly desires. I am forever grateful that I got to spend the first chapter of my life surrounded by such amazing people.”

Giving the Commencement Address was Kweku Williams, an Eldred alumni of 2006.

“The creed of knowledge states that all knowledge is equal, therefore each day for the rest of your lives you will learn something new about

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the world and yourself, regardless of your vocation," Williams said. "Hold fast, dear graduates, and know this; you have now committed to the path of knowledge, you are on your own journey, and may it be filled with wonder, jubilation, joy, and surprises."

Valedictorian Kaitlyn Potter gave the Student Address, and spoke on her steadfast friendships, bright memories, Eldred pride, and the importance of choosing to be fearless.

"I want to talk about choices. We all make choices in our lives...like choosing to

do a sport, or extracurricular activity, or to do community service...we choose to be fearless when doing them." Quoting Nelson Mandela, Potter finished her speech by saying "May your choices reflect your hopes, not your fears."

After the speeches were delivered, each student was called to walk across the stage to receive their hard earned diploma, and took the next first few steps as official Eldred Alumni. Leaving the nest alongside their families, friends, and loved ones, the Eldred senior class of 2022 entered into the beginning of the next chapter of their lives.



Valedictorian Kaitlyn Potter celebrating after the ceremony.



The National Anthem being performed by musical group, the Eldred Key Elements.



The graduating senior class of Eldred Junior Senior High School throw their caps in the air in celebration.

ELDRED HIGH SCHOOL

CLASS OF 2022

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

Owen Scott Anderson - Student Council President, PBIS Student President, *Port Jervis Rotary "Service Above Self" Scholarship, *Vanessa Van Gorder Memorial Scholarship, *Norma Schroeder Americanism Award, *Greater Barryville Chamber of Commerce Scholarship, *Can't Hurt Steel Scholarship, Youth Leadership Award - Senator Mike Martucci Peck's Market Achievement Award, Town of Highland Lions Club Scholarship, Lumberland Fire Department- Marv Hocker Community Service Award, ECS Faculty Association Visual Arts Award, ECS Faculty Association Performing Arts Award, Ken Bjorn Award, Central Office and Building

Administration Scholarship, Eldred CSEA Unit Scholarship, Emerson Heasman Eldred Alumni scholarship, Town of Lumberland Lions Club Scholarship

Makenna Corrine Cooper - Interact Club Vice President, Health Care Book Award, Joan Whalan Americanism Award, Syracuse University Award of Recognition, Town of Lumberland Lions Club Scholarship
Sebastian Daniel Corchado - The NYS Excelsior Scholarship
Annmari Lynn Davis - Senior Class Secretary, National Honor Society Secretary, NYS Scholarship for Academic Excellence, Ken Bjorn Award, Greenwich Municipal Employees Federal Credit Union Scholarship, ECS Faculty Association Salutatorian Award

Raymond Bryon Clouse - *Berniece Haas Citizenship Award, *Greater Barryville Chamber of Commerce Scholarship, NYS Scholarship for Academic Excellence

ademic Excellence

Kyle Thomas Daw - Emerson Heasman Eldred Alumni Scholarship, Andrew Parker Scholarship

Dana Marie Donnelly - Senior Class Vice President, Varsity Club Treasurer, PBIS Treasurer, Christine Myers Scholastic Award, Peck's Market Scholarship, Can't Hurt Steel Scholarship, Roy D. Parker Education Scholarship, Jane Heisler Memorial Scholarship, Port Jervis Soap Box Derby Elizabeth Ashley "Boo" Bissland Memorial Scholarship, ECS Faculty Association Stanley Naumovitz Award, Mount Saint Mary Merit Scholarship

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Brendan William Kopf - Peck's Market Achievement Award

Kyleigh Rose Kuhn - Brookside Service Center Award, National Tech Honor Society- President's Academic Excellence Award

Jailyn Rose Labuda - MuAlpha Theta Secretary, Diane VanDeVelde Citizenship Award, Healthcare Book Award, Can't Hurt Steel Scholarship, Sheila Birkett Gift of Life Scholarship, Alan Schway Citizenship Plaque, Lumberland Fire Department- Marv Hocker Community Service Award Ken Bjorn Award, Town of Lumberland Lions Club Scholarship, Mount Saint Mary's Distinguished Scholar Award
Donald Zebulon Meerdink - Presi-

dential Scholarship @SUNY Sullivan
Zoe Elizabeth Nizzico - Interact Club President, MuAlpha Theta Vice President, National Honor Society Treasurer, Scholarships/Awards: Peck's Market Achievement Award
Justin James Pitre - Andrew Parker Scholarship

Andrew Joseph Pizzo - Promise Scholarship @ SUNY Sullivan
Kaitlyn Elizabeth Potter - Senior Class President, National Honor Society President, Mu Alpha Theta President, SADD Vice President, Varsity Club Treasurer, Scholarships/Awards: *Annual Post Legion School Award, *Greater Barryville Chamber of Commerce, *Can't Hurt Steel Scholarship, Youth Leadership Award - Senator Mike Martucci, United Way of Sullivan County Hospitality & Tourism Scholarship, NYS Scholarship for Academic Excellence, American Red Cross Scholarship, Town of Highland

Lions Club Scholarship, ECS Faculty Association Greatest Effort Scholarship, ECS Faculty Association Humanities Award, ECS Faculty Association Math & Science Award, Ken Bjorn Award, ECS Faculty Association Valedictorian Award, SC Bar Association's Ira J. Cohen Scholarship, Sullivan County PBA Robert Chemerys Memorial Scholarship, The Brian Ingber Memorial Foundation's Recognition Award, Emerson Heasman Eldred Alumni scholarship, Town of Lumberland Lions Club Scholarship

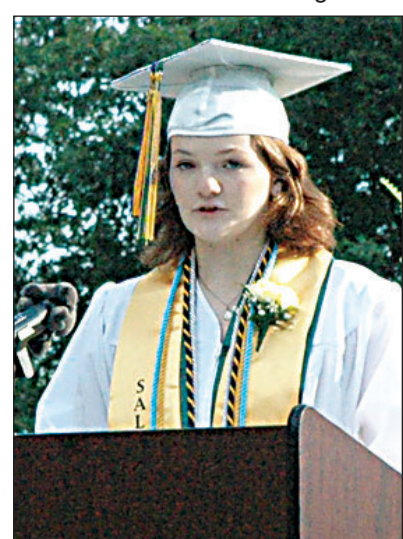
Jada Lynn Reed - Senior Class Treasurer, National Honor Society Vice President, Student Council Vice President

Maddison Autumn Rickle - Early Graduate, but held office in junior class) ECS Faculty Association Financial Award

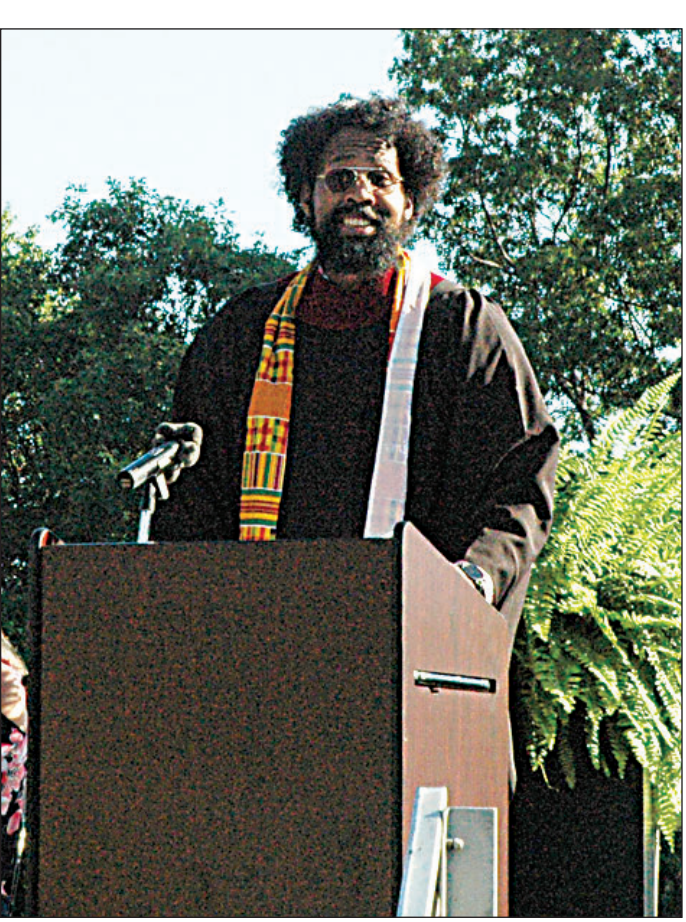
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Salutatorian AnnMarie Davis addressing her fellow graduates and the crowd prior to walking across the stage.



The commencement address was delivered by Eldred alumni of the class of 2006, Kweku Williams.



A number of students were granted awards and scholarships. From left, Owen Anderson, Dana Donnelly, Jailyn Labuda, Kaitlyn Potter, and Lilyan Gonzalez.



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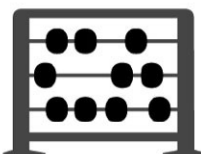
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Eighty-four Comets soar into their next chapter



full of opportunities.”

The Fallsburg High School Salutatorian Jonathan Espinoza will be attending SUNY Sullivan in the fall to major in Biology with the aspiration to enter into the medical field.

“All of my classmates here on the stage, we’re going to do some extraordinary things...as we move on to the next chapter, I would like to look back at some of these memories we created together,” said Espinoza.

The Valedictorian, Nabiha Shah Jahan, quoted Kerry Washington, “Your life is your adventure. And the adventure ahead of you is a journey to fulfill your own purpose and potential.” I chose this quote because I believe that it best describes where we are today in our perspective on the future that stretches before us.”

Jahan added, “As we enter the next chapter of our life, we all need to live the life that makes us truly happy and reach for what may seem to be beyond our grasp. Until we extend ourselves and reach, we’ll never know what we can achieve. We all need to stay true to ourselves and not let anyone determine what our future will be like.”

Below, Fallsburg Valedictorian Nabiha Shah Jahan addresses her peers during Saturday’s Graduation Ceremony.



STORY AND PHOTOS BY PATRICIO ROBAYO

After a two-year hiatus due to the pandemic, the Fallsburg Central School District once again held an in-person ceremony on Saturday Morning inside the Fallsburg High School auditorium for their graduating class of 2022.

Family and friends packed into the auditorium to see their young students enter into a new phase in their lives; however, the past two years have been like no other in history.

“We began our year with masks, quarantines, and trepidation,” said Fallsburg High School Principal Kyle Roddey.

“We end the year with smiles, excitement, and joy. No matter what the future holds, be kind, always. It costs nothing, and it makes the world a better place. Take risks. Don’t always go the easy way. Make time for fun, make time for family and find a career that makes you happy. Graduates, congratulations. We are so so proud of you. Remember, no matter where you are and what you do, you will always be a member of the Fallsburg family,” added Roddey.

Fallsburg Central School District Board of President Debra Barbiani said, “We are all impressed how you persevered and came out the other side stronger and ready to face the challenges. You are graduating with a world with problems, but the world is



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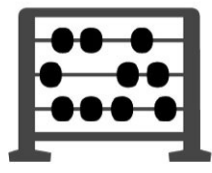


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Fallsburg High School Salutatorian, Jonathan Espinoza.



Superintendent for the Fallsburg Central School District, Dr. Ivan Katz speaks to the Class of 2022.



Fallsburg High School Class President Emily Collura leads her graduating class in the pledge of allegiance.

Fallsburg High School Senior Class President Emily Collura told her fellow graduates, "I challenge you, all of you, to leave the ceremony with a new outlook, or a renewed sense of enthusiasm as you join the workforce or as you go off to college or create your own businesses, or as you even go in the military. Be a leader. Be a leader with kindness, be a leader with commitment, and be the leader that takes the initiative. Together we can blaze a trail to a brighter future."

Before giving out the diplomas, the Superintendent for the Fallsburg Central School District, Dr. Ivan Katz, told the graduating class of 2022, "Many things change for graduates after the celebration of a graduation ceremony has faded away. What those changes will be and what paths these graduates will take may be unknown today. But, they will be apparent in the months and years to come. Our graduates have the loving support and guiding hands of the Fallsburg School community to take with them as they move forward."





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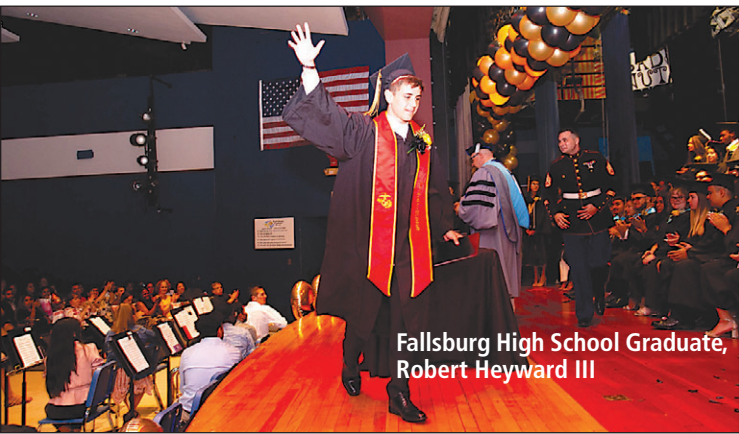
Liberty High School
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Fallsburg High School Graduate, Robert Heyward III



The Fallsburg graduating class of 2022.

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Science - **Samuel Beytin**, Award for Excellence in Science - **Josie Galeas Iraheta**
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Instrumental Music - **Jonathan Espinoza, Ceci Mancía**

Vocal Musicianship - **Emily Collura, Raven-Sky Shokrala**
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Esthyr Mintz-Flanagan Scholarship - **Nabiha Shah Jahan**
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Triple C Award - **Emily Hannold, JonCarlos Reyes**
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Kiwanis Club Scholarship - **Jonathan Espinoza, Josie Galeas Iraheta, Maritza Rivas Joya, Nabiha Shah Jahan, Kyle Tremper**
Fallsburg Alumni Award - **Kaitlyn Cross, Musa Dumbuya, Jonathan Espinoza, Josie Galeas Iraheta, Jennifer Santos**
The Fallsburg Alumni Award in Honor of Jack Leshner - **Kyle Tremper**
Monticello Rotary Service Award -

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The Robynne Anderman Memorial Scholarship - **Kyle Tremper**
Timothy Hill Memorial Scholarship - **Jennifer Santos, Kyle Tremper**
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Fallsburg Lions Annual Achievement Award - **Jonathan Espinoza, Nabiha Shah Jahan, Kyle Tremper**
The Jocelyn Levner-Nissenbaum Memorial Scholarship - **Josie Galeas Iraheta**
The Michael Lorino Perfect Attendance Award - **Emily Hannold**
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Fallsburg Fire Department and Rescue Squad Scholarship - **Dante Baker, Jennifer Santos**
Mel Mednick Memorial Scholarship - **Jonathan Espinoza**
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The Coach Mike Weiner Scholarship - **Jennifer Santos, Kyle Tremper**
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Brian Ingber Memorial Foundation, Inc. Achievement Award - **Jennifer Santos, Kyle Tremper**
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Christian Children Workshop Tyreek Robinson Never Give Up Scholarship - **Isabel Cruz, Musa Dumbuya**
Multicultural High School Scholar's Award - **Josie Galeas Iraheta**
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Monticello Rotary Interact Presidential Award - **Angie Delgado**
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153 Honesdale graduates from the 147th senior class

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY DEREK KIRK

‘Whether [it was] a rocky road or smooth sailing, you are here. You all have that in common. You’ve made it to this day.’

These words of congratulations were passed down from Wayne Highlands School District Superintendent of Schools Gregory Frigoletto shortly before Honesdale High School’s (HHS) 147th Senior Class of 2022 took their final steps to finish out their high school careers and cross the stage to receive their diplomas Saturday morning, June 11.

The Home of the Hornets’ Wayne Highlands Middle School Gymnasium was buzzing with excitement from parents, siblings and



With jubilation, 153 Honesdale High School seniors graduated on Saturday, June 11.



Members from the Honesdale High School Band set the mood with the playing of “Pomp and Circumstance.”

friends eager to watch the soon-to-be high school graduates step out across the stage.

Taking that next step forward together as the Class of 2022 were 153 graduates.

Class Vice-President Chloe Lyle opened the ceremony with the Pledge of Allegiance, followed by the performance of the National Anthem by the Honesdale High School Band with vocalists Eric Berkihiser, Kyle Deron, Maria Kannebecker and Emily Ruggles.

Ceremonial music was put on by members of the Honesdale High School Band

and Choir.

Class President John Rodriguez spoke before the crowd of parents, families and fellow graduates, with a merry recollection of the journey alongside his classmates through grade school, and the call to push forward.

“Now, as we graduate and all embark on our own individual journeys, remember that success is not defined by the opportunities that you are given, rather by what you make of the opportunities that you have. To find success, you must seize the day,” Rodriguez said. “And through all of this, remember gradu-



President of the Class of 2022 John Rodriguez addresses the crowd and fellow graduates.

ates, that you define the course of your own life. So choose happiness. No matter what you do, do not sacrifice your happiness.”

Salutatorian George Legg delivered his Salutatory speech, reminding those around him of the fond memories gained from many field trips, sporting events and other social happenings, including Spirit Week and the Senior Class Trip, all experienced together as the Class of 2022.

“My only request as each of you move forward is to keep up the good work. Remember what you have learned here, and continue to challenge yourselves. Stay active, stay involved. Whether you are leaving the state, or staying right here with us, carry with you the spirit that has made this such a successful class,” Legg said.

Valedictorian Darcy Banicky spoke on the age-old question of growing up and being met with the question “What do you want to be when you grow up?”

“The question is, ‘what do you want to be,’ not ‘what you want to do,’ when you grow up. Your future isn’t just a job, it’s an integral part of who you are. Whatever the future holds for you, embrace it fully and without regret,” Banicky said. “Our futures are so bright, and I believe the World could use a little more

HHS right about now.”

One by one, members of the graduating class of 2022 stepped forward to receive their diplomas and join their fellow graduates as Official Honesdale High School Alumni.

Over 180 academic and athletic awards and scholarships were granted to students in the Class of 2022.

Following the ceremony

was a reception in the high school gymnasium as the flood of graduates, dawned in their red and black gowns with newly-tossed tassels on their caps, greeted loved ones, took photos, and eventually parted ways with their former classmates as the next step in each of their individual journeys began.

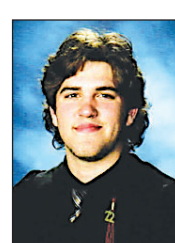
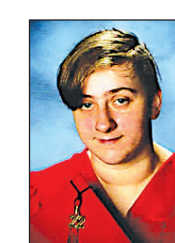
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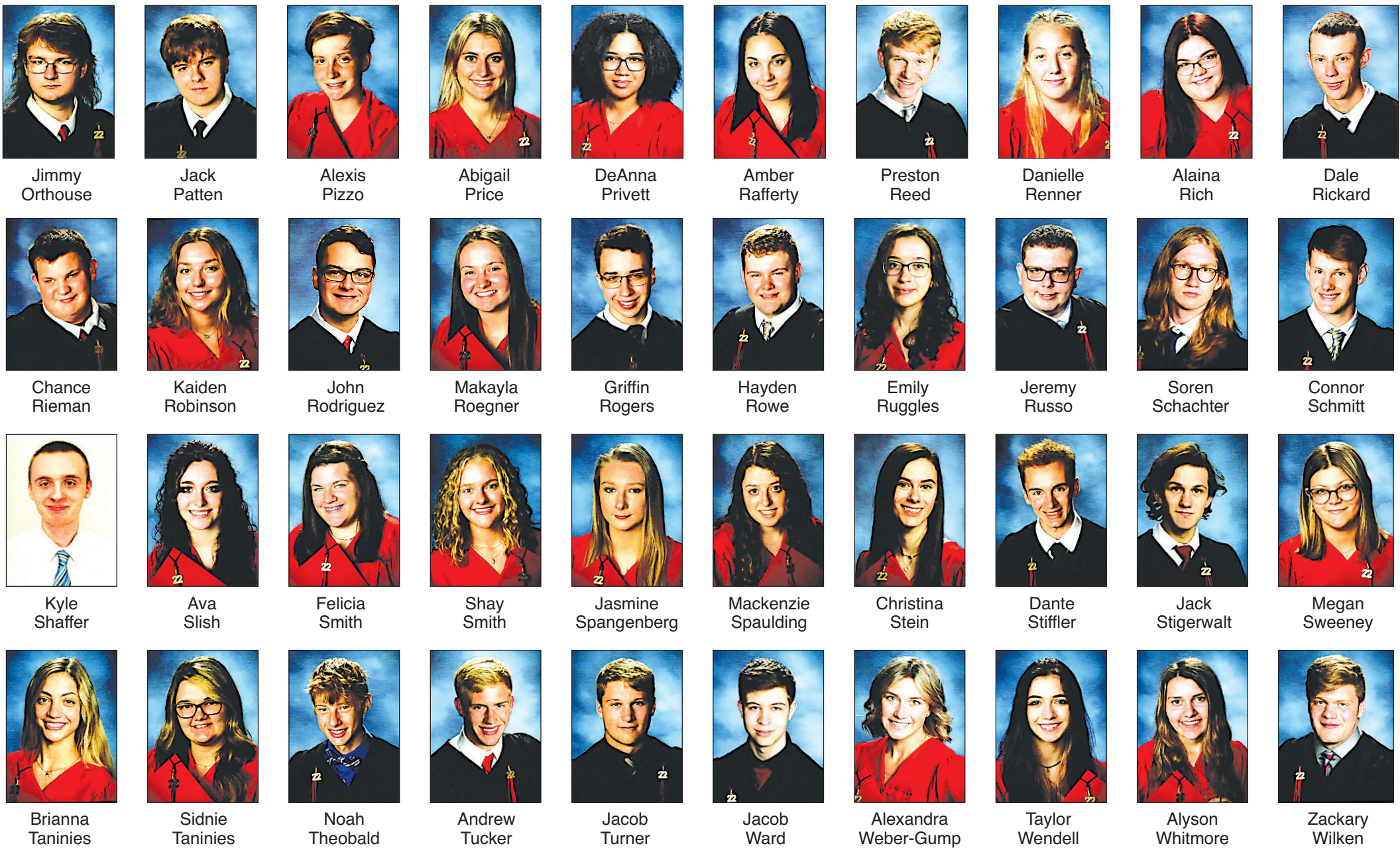
Valedictorian Darcy Banicky spoke on the ever-pursuing question, “What do you want to be when you grow up?” in her speech on Saturday morning, June 11.

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Student Council Good Citizenship Award - **John Rodriguez**
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The National Anthem was performed by Honesdale High School Band with graduates Eric Berkihsier, Kyle Deron, Maria Kannebecker, and Emily Ruggles providing vocals.

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Salutatorian George Legg spoke before the crowd just prior to receiving his high school diploma.

Wayne County Grown PASA Scholarship - **Allison Billard**

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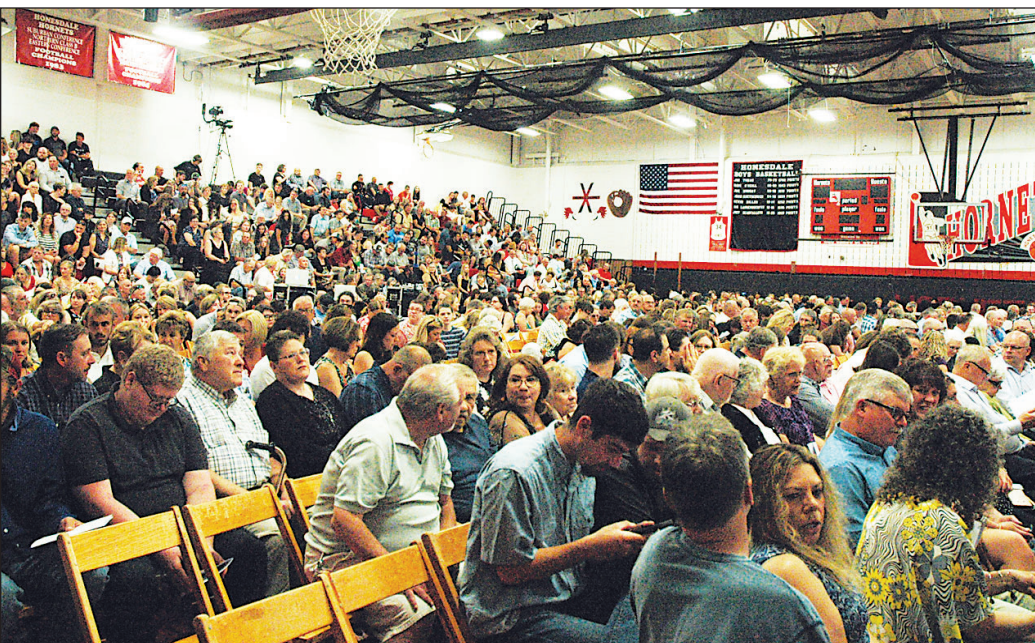
STUDENT COUNCIL ATHLETIC AWARDS
Baseball - **Zachary Branning**
Basketball (Boys) - **Jeb McCormick**
Basketball (Girls) - **Emma Modrovsky**
Cheerleading (Football) - **Emma Glosenger**
Cheerleading (Basketball) - **Hannah Merritt**
Cheerleading (Wrestling) - **Emily Choba**
Cross Country (Boys) - **George Legg**
Cross Country (Girls) - **Tess Meagher**
Field Hockey - **Kathryn Corcoran**
Football - **Bradley Bennett**
Golf - **Sam Hopkins**
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Soccer (Girls) - **Emma Hocker**

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Tennis (Boys) - **Noah Theobald**
Tennis (Girls) - **Jocelyn DeNoie**
Track & Field (Boys) - **William Eisloeffel**
Track & Field (Girls) - **Tess Meagher**
Wrestling - **Andrew Howell**

STUDENT COUNCIL ACADEMIC AWARDS
Agriculture - **Jacob Turner**
Art - **Cora Burt**
Business - **MacKenzie Spaulding**
Drama- HPAC Director's Award of Leadership - **Eric Berkihsier**
Drama- HPAC Technical Director's Award of Leadership - **James Ahern III**
English - **Darcy Banicky**
Family & Consumer Science - **Brianna Dailey**
Foreign Language (Spanish) - **Erin Bass**
Foreign Language (Latin) - **Jocelyn DeNoie**
Mathematics - **Griffin Rogers**
Music (Band) - **John Rodriguez**
Music (Chorus) - **Maria Kannebecker**
National Honor Society - **Zackary Wilken**
Physical Education (Boys) - **Jacob Ward**
Physical Education (Girls) - **Delilah Lohmann**
Science - **George Legg**
Social Studies - **George Legg**
Vincent Griffis Technology Education Award - **Dale Rickard**
Al McGowan Anthony Cimahosky Outstanding Education Award - **Brianna Dailey**



Standing proud, Honesdale High School seniors of 2022 look onward towards the crowd of their supporters before taking the next few steps across the stage and in their lives as both individuals and as the 147th graduating class.



Friends, family, loved ones, and supporters of the graduates packed into the Honesdale Middle School Gymnasium to watch the time-honored ceremony.



Members of the Honesdale High School Choir joined in song performing "Good Riddance" by Green Day, conducted by HHS Choir Instructor Martha Curtis on Saturday morning.



Osei Salah Helper gave a passionate and moving Salutatory Address to his fellow seniors and families gathered inside the gymnasium.

‘We made it’ Manor celebrates 30 Wildcats

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY AUTUMN SCHANIL

Pulling into the parking lot of the Livingston Manor Central School Saturday morning, families and friends could be seen buzzing about, filled with energy and excitement as they hugged and gathered by the doors of the school before walking in to take their seats for the 2022 graduation ceremony.

Industrial fans in the corners of the room kept everyone cool as they grabbed programs and took their seats, while two large screens were stationed up front, rolling through childhood photos of each senior who would be sitting on stage to receive their diploma.

Just as everyone began to settle in their seats, the screens were rolled away, and Principal Shirlee Davis asked everyone to please stand in welcome to the seniors who would be entering through both sides of the gymnasium before coming together in the center to take their seats.

Shortly after, in gowns of red and white, smiling seniors walked down the center aisle as the concert band played “Pomp and Circumstance” while families and friends cheered and applauded, holding their phones in the air to take videos from where they stood.

“Please be seated,” said Davis. “Today, seniors, as you sit on these risers in front of your family and friends, take a moment to reflect on how they have helped guide you throughout your life until this point. Today you will begin a future outside the walls of LMCS. Today is a time to celebrate,” she continued, looking towards the seniors.

Osei Salah Helper followed with the Salutatory Address before joining the concert band to play The Great Locomotive Chase composed by Robert W. Smith and the Senior Chorus singing Bruno Mars Hitmaker (A medley) led by Choral Director Jordana Maraj.

“Everyone has a different course in life, a different pathway to take,” Helper began. “For some of us that means going into an even higher education, the military, straight to the workforce, or any other future that you venture into. This is your time to choose what you want to do for yourself.”

Senior Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo took the podium afterwards for the Valedictory Address, encouraging his fellow seniors to stay open to all possibilities and to put in their best effort as they move forward, and in doing so, they can achieve anything. Fellow seniors smiled as Hidalgo made his way back to his seat before Guest Speaker and LMCS Alum Cathryn Lenkiewicz was asked to come forward.

“Let’s take a second and let’s get excited for your wonderful graduates up here who have succeeded in reaching this day,” Lenkiewicz said, as everyone began to cheer and applaud in their seats.

“I know you are all excited to finally reach this moment,” she said as she looked towards the seniors. “I promise to keep this short. Most graduation speakers talk

about how to be successful, but today I’m going to talk about how to fail. I can’t guarantee your success, but I can almost certainly guarantee that you will fail in some form. It may come in the form of rejection or may be the result of a misjudgment on your part. It may happen tomorrow, next year, or 20 years from now when you thought you were long past the point of making big mistakes. But it’s what you do after you fail, that determines the true path of your life,” Lenkiewicz continued.

As she went on, there were both tears and joyful laughter in the room, before she concluded, “So, graduates, congratulations on this success. Enjoy it, embrace it, and when things don’t always go as well as they’re going today, remember - continue on, find your peace, don’t be afraid to fail if it means a better path will open for you, and most importantly ... call your parents.”

Seniors Kristina Anne Davis, Osei Salah Helper, and Sean Nichols then presented the class gift before Principal Shirlee Davis, Superintendent John Evans, and Board President Elliot Madison gathered to present Diplomas and Awards.

Each senior was called forward - some gave handshakes, some gave hugs - but each stood proudly with diploma in hand and a big smile on their face.

Just as the ceremony was coming to an end, graduate Jacob Wolkoff stood before his fellow seniors to lead them in changing their tassels, to recognize them as new graduates. As family and friends, staff and teachers, began to cheer the graduates threw their caps and tassels in the air - jumping, shouting, giving high-fives, and hugging.

One graduate yelling with hands in the air, “We made it!”



Principal Mrs. Shirlee Davis stepped up to the podium for opening remarks.



After the Salutatory Address, the Concert Band played The Great Locomotive Chase composed by Robert W. Smith.



The Senior Chorus, led by Choral Director Ms. Jordana Maraj, sang The Alma Mater before opening remarks. Seniors then joined the chorus to sing Bruno Mars led by Ms. Jordana Maraj.



Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo was asked to come forward to give the Valedictory Address.

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Hayley Rose LaNye holds her diploma high while family cheers her on.



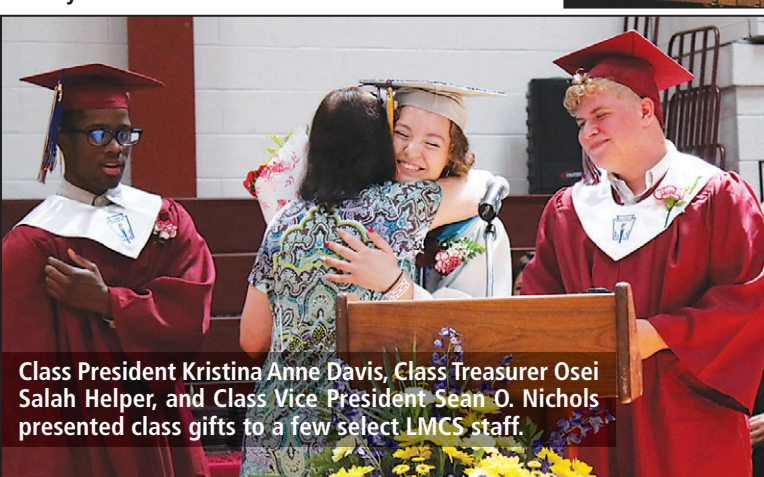
Christian Ramirez steps down from his seat to receive his diploma



The graduation's guest speaker was Cathryn Lenkiewicz, a LMCS Alumni from the class of 1992.



Julia Trotti poses as family ran forward for photos



Class President Kristina Anne Davis, Class Treasurer Osei Salah Helper, and Class Vice President Sean O. Nichols presented class gifts to a few select LMCS staff.



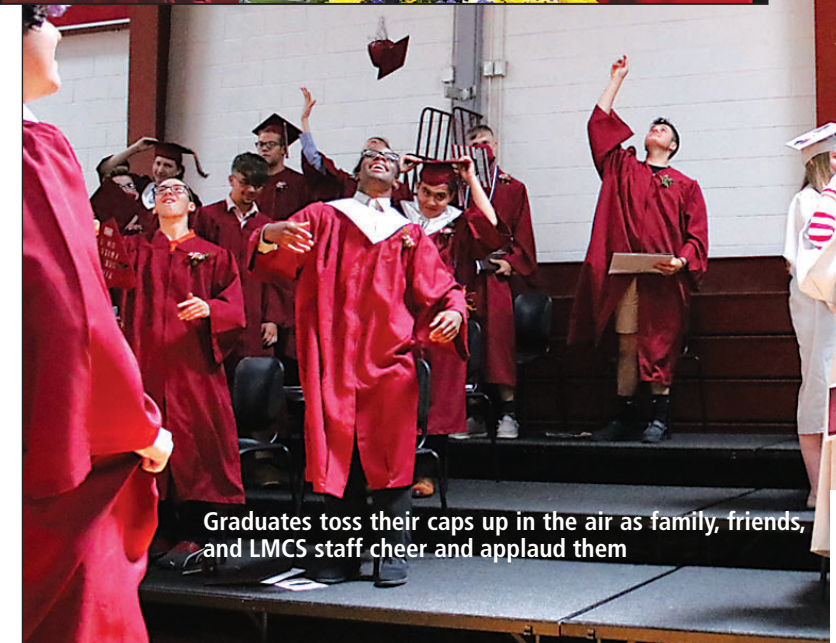
Superintendent John Evans gave a short address, giving a few heartfelt words of wisdom.



Jacob Wolkoff receives his diploma and certificates from Board President Elliot Madison.



Jasper Karpowicz looks out towards family after receiving his diploma and awards



Graduates toss their caps up in the air as family, friends, and LMCS staff cheer and applaud them



Gracie Ivory received the Regents Diploma.

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Patel



Deric
Young

Not Pictured:
Avery
Hund-Gately

Valedictorian - **Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo**
Salutatorian - **Osei Salah Helper**
Adam Lasky Memorial Award -
Nathan S. Bowers
Agudas Achim Society Award for
Highest Regents Average - **Osei
Salah Helper**
American Legion Award for highest
average in Social Studies - **Uriel
Cortes-Hidalgo**
American Red Cross Life Shares High
School Scholarship Program - **Gracie
D. Ivory, Osei Salah Helper,
Sean O. Nichols**
Arlene and Mecky Schwartz Award -
Alyza Brinn Garcia
Art Scholarship Award - **Abigail R.
Strong**
Avery Foundation Scholarship Award
- **Hayley Rose LaNye, Miles H.
Crawford, Osei Salah Helper,
Sean O. Nichols, Uriel Cortes-Hi-
dalgo**
Beaverkill Chapter of the National So-
ciety of the Daughters of the Ameri-
can Revolution - **Uriel
Cortes-Hidalgo**
Board of Education Award for the stu-
dent who ranks 3rd in class stand-
ing - **Kristina Anne Davis**
Board of Education Award for the stu-
dent who ranks 4th in class stand-
ing - **Julia Trotti**
Certificates of Merit and Achievement
- **Abigail R. Strong, Alyza Brinn
Garcia, Anthony Michael Rivera,
Christian Ramirez, Cody Michael
Froehlich, Dakota Wilson, Emily
A. Ball, Esha Patel, Gracie D.
Ivory, Hayley Rose LaNye, Jacob
Wolkoff, Jasper Karpowicz, Jill
Conklin, John T. Schroeder,
Joseph R. Gould, Julia Trotti,
Kevin Michael Bear Jr., Kristina
Anne Davis, Lakota S. DeWitt,
Matthew J. Bowers, Melissa Tri-
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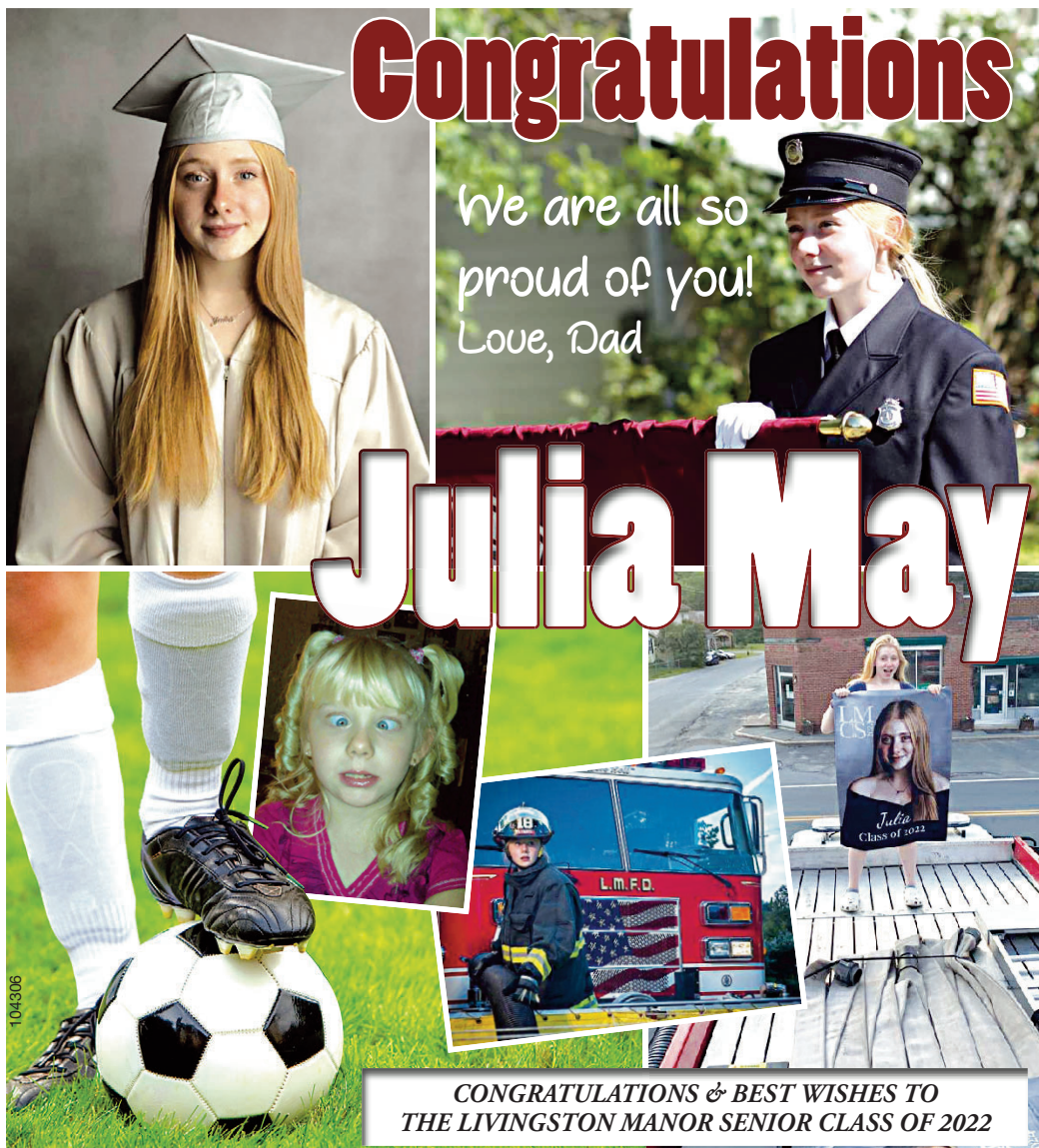
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Craig R. Sturdevant Memorial Award - **Osei Salah Helper**
Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) Good Citizen Award - **Julia Trotti**
David Pollack Award for Class Salutatorian - **Osei Salah Helper**
David Pollack Award for Class Valedictorian - **Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo**
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Grad Program Cover Design Award - **Abigail R. Strong**
Hilda M. Neild Scholarship Fund - **Kristina Anne Davis**
HOPE: "Help Open People's Eyes" Award - **Alyza Brinn Garcia, Julia Trotti, Kristina Anne Davis**
Jamie Bertholf Memorial Scholarship - **Lakota S. DeWitt**
Jamie Lyn Ford Memorial Award - **Julia Trotti**
John DuMont Memorial Scholarship - **Kristina Anne Davis**
John Hundley III & Josh Hundley Memorial Scholarship Fund - **Kevin Michael Bear Jr.**
Justin Cristaldi Memorial Scholarship - **Kristina Anne Davis, Matthew J. Bowers, Nathan S. Bowers, Sean O. Nichols**
Lazare and Charlotte Kaplan Foundation Scholarship - **Alyza Brinn Garcia, Anthony Michael Rivera, Emily A. Ball, Jacob Wolkoff, Julia Trotti, Kristina Anne Davis, Matthew J. Bowers, Miles H. Crawford, Nathan S. Bowers, Osei Salah Helper, Sean O. Nichols, Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo**

Liberty Elks Lodge #1545 Awards for
Citizenship and Service - **Miles H.
Crawford, Peyton Rae Darling**
Livingston Manor Community Center
Service Award - **Gracie D. Ivory**
Livingston Manor Lion's Club Tony
and Kelly Lackey Memorial Award -
Kristina Anne Davis
Livingston Manor Rotary Club Service
Award - **Emily A. Ball, Julia Trotti**
Livingston Manor Teachers' Assoc.
Awards for Higher Education -
**Kristina Anne Davis, Osei Salah
Helper, Sean O. Nichols**
LMCS "Plaque of '39" given by the
50th Anniversary Alumni Association
- **Kristina Anne Davis**
LMCS 50th Anniv. Alumni Award Student
who ranks 1st in class standing
- **Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo**
LMCS 50th Anniv. Alumni Award Student
who ranks 2nd in class standing
- **Osei Salah Helper**
LMCS School-Related Professionals'
Association Graduation Award for
the student who ranks 5th in class
standing - **Emily A. Ball**
Lorna B. Hoag Perseverance Award -
Peyton Rae Darling
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Misner Agency Award for Greatest
Improvement in High School English
- **Anthony Michael Rivera**
National School Choral Award - **Osei
Salah Helper**
NYS Attorney General's Triple "C"
Award - **Peyton Rae Darling,
Zachary Thomas Dertinger**
NYS Comptroller's Achievement
Award - **Alyza Brinn Garcia, Sean
O. Nichols**
NYS Correctional Officers & Police
Benevolent Association - **Matthew
J. Bowers, Nathan S. Bowers**
NYS Education Department Scholarship
for Academic Excellence - **Julia
Trotti, Osei Salah Helper, Uriel
Cortes-Hidalgo**
Peck's Market Graduation Award -
**Dakota Wilson, Gracie D. Ivory,
Julia Trotti, Miles H. Crawford,
Sean O. Nichols**

Peter H. Cahalan Scholarship - **Anthony Michael Rivera**
Rolling V. Academic Improvement Award - **Zachary Thomas Dertinger**
Rose & Kiernan, Inc. Scholarship Fund - **Dakota Wilson**
Siegel Family Music and Arts Endowment Fund (The John Philip Sousa Band Award) - **Dakota Wilson, Osei Salah Helper**
Stephanie Babich-Youmans Scholarship Fund - **Emily A. Ball, Julia Trotti, Kristina Anne Davis**
Sullivan 5 Star Chapter 298 - Order of

Eastern Star - **Kristina Anne Davis**
Sullivan County PBA (Patrolmen's
Benevolent Association) - **Alyza
Brinn Garcia**
Sunna Rasch Memorial Scholarship
for Excellence in the Performing Arts
- **Esha Patel**
SUNY Sullivan Presidential Scholars
Award - **Esha Patel, Kevin Michael
Bear Jr.**
Technology Scholarship Award -
Kevin Michael Bear Jr.
Theodore Gordon Fly Fishers' Science
Award - **Julia Trotti, Uriel Cortes-
Hidalgo**

Trevor Simpson Memorial Award - **Matthew J. Bowers, Nathan S. Bowers**
Van Etten Oil Co. Award for Excellence in Language - **Uriel Cortes-Hidalgo**
VanPut Family Scholarship - **Matthew J. Bowers**
Will Hardware - Industrial Arts Award - **Kristina Anne Davis**
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Hancock celebrates 27 seniors

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY ANTHONY MORGANO

Friends, family, students, faculty and staff of Hancock Central School gathered on the bleachers of the football field on Friday morning to celebrate the Class of 2022 as they prepare to move on to the next chapter of their lives.

In Madison Felter's Salutatory Address, titled "The Final Chapter," she addressed the struggles that the class of 2022 faced in their high school careers, but spoke optimistically about what comes next.

"As one adventure ends, another begins," Felter said. "For some of us, closing this chapter of our lives is scary, but we've got this. Work hard for what you want."

Following the Salutatory Address, seniors in the HCS band joined the group to perform Fun's "We Are Young" before returning to the rest of the seniors for Lindsey Bolster's Valedictory Address.

"Congratulations to the class of 2022, we made it," Bolster began.

"Our normal is going to change, we will make new friends and new memories, but we will never forget where we came from."

Her speech, titled "Where We've Been and Where We're Going" emphasized all of the good things that the class will get to experience after high school, and explained how excited she was to see her classmates grow and change.

"I'm so proud of who we've become and I'm excited to see where everyone's future takes them."

In regards to the drastic changes that the seniors faced during their years in high school, Bolster said, "We've all learned that life can throw curveballs at us and to expect the unexpected. Live in the moment and have a good time."

She concluded her speech by quoting classmate Zachary Middleton, who had passed away unexpectedly earlier this year, by saying "God Bless."

Zachary's parents were presented an honorary diploma during the ceremony and a box full of flowers that each student added on their way to their seats.

At the conclusion of the ceremony, the graduates made their way through the blue and white balloon arch, passing the scoreboard that was lit up with "2022" wherever it would fit, and made their way towards their families and friends for hugs and photos.

Congratulations to the Class of 2022, may you reach all of the goals you set out to achieve.



Nicholas Locke shows off his State Championship medal after receiving his diploma. Both the baseball and softball teams won the State Championship in 2022.



The Class of 2022 gets ready to move their tassels, symbolizing their graduation.



Zachary Middleton's parents received an honorary diploma at graduation.



Payten Gill places a flower on the seat that was saved for Zachary Middleton.

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Lindsey Bolster is the Class of 2022 Valedictorian, and her speech was titled "Where We've Been and Where We're Going."

Brennan Karcher displays his diploma and State Championship medal during graduation.



Danossen Louis receives his diploma from Board of Education President Terry Whitt.

HANCOCK HIGH SCHOOL
CLASS OF 2022
AWARDS AND SCHOLARSHIPS

Valedictorian - **Lindsey Bolster**
Salutatorian - **Madison Felter**
Mr. & Mrs. Patrick O'Brien III Scholarship Award - **Stanley Bialecki Jr.**
Hancock Grange #1591 - **Christian Alderman**
Hancock Fire Department Auxiliary Awards - **Payten Gill, Brennan Karcher**
Rumble on 22 Foundation in Memory of Eric Gotthardt - **Nicholas Locke**
Hancock American Legion Post Music Service Award in Band - **Payten Gill**
George Holderith Instrumental Music Award by Hancock Rotary - **Taylor Gotthardt**
Roy C. Wilkinson Music Award - **Lindsey Bolster**
President's Award for Educational Excellence - **Lindsey Bolster, Jacob Dobromirescu, Madison Felter, Payten Gill, Taylor Gotthardt, Christopher Gross, Donovan Layman, Nicholas Locke, Nathaniel Westbrook**
Duane David DuBois Memorial Art Award - **Shawna Oddo**
John & Jen Podbelski Memorial Scholarship - **Nicholas Locke**
Varsity Sweater Awards - **Wynter Stanton, Regan Worzel, Ronnie Ellis, Anton Leonard**
American Citizenship Awards - 12th grade - **Lindsey Bolster, Donovan Layman**; 11th grade - **Wynter Stanton, Jesse Burrows**; 10th grade - **Kelsie Newman, Davis Herzog**; 9th grade - **Addison Makowski, Kai Yup Lo**
Hancock Teachers' Association Award - **Lindsey Bolster, Jacob Dobromirescu, Madison Felter, Payten Gill, Taylor Gotthardt, Christopher Gross, Donovan Layman, Nicholas Locke, Nathaniel Westbrook**
Student Council Awards - **Madison Felter, Wyatt Jacobs, Donovan Layman, Nicholas Locke, Christopher Gross**
Hancock Teachers' Association in Memory of Mary Homer - **Payten Gill**
The ARC of Delaware County - **Lindsey Bolster**
NYS Comptroller Achievement Award - **Lindsey Bolster**
NYS Office of the Attorney General Triple "C" Award - **Madison Felter, Christopher Gross**
Donald Barclay Memorial Scholarship - **Wyatt Jacobs**
David H Newman Award - **Gabriel D'Elia**
Zachary Middleton Memorial Scholarship - **Nicholas Locke**
Justin's Patriotic Project - **Gabriel D'Elia, Stanley Bialecki Jr., Brennan Karcher**
Hancock Community Education Foundation 2022 Scholar of the Month Awards: 2/16, 10/14, 4/12 - **Lindsey Bolster**; 1/18 - **Jacob Dobromirescu**; 5/16, 11/13 - **Payten Gill**; 3/13 - **Christopher Gross**; 5/18, 12/16, 6/12 - **Brennan Karcher**; 2/12 - **Aiden Kuehn**; 3/15, 12/12, 2/11 - **Madison Felter**; 1/17, 10/10 - **Donovan Layman**

Read Scholarships - **Payten Gill, Christian Alderman**
Gerald B. Leonard Scholarship - **Lindsey Bolster**
Hancock Alumni Association Scholarship - **Lindsey Bolster**
Kenneth L. Parker Memorial Scholarship - **Brennan Karcher**
Dylan Noble Memorial Scholarship - **Payten Gill**
Gerard J. Gilleran Memorial Scholarship - **Christopher Gross**
Nikki Vetrone Memorial Scholarship - **Taylor Gotthardt**
Dean B. Wheeler Memorial Scholarship - **Christopher Gross**
Louise Linkroum Chamberlain Scholarship - **Madison Felter**
Legacy of Honor Patriot Awards - **Dalton Mead, Nathaniel Westbrook**
Kevin Crane Scholarship - **Payten Gill**
Bruce V. Gardner Memorial Scholarship - **Brennan Karcher**
Sidney Federal Credit Union Scholarship - **Madison Felter**
Socorro Marin Awards - **Lindsey Bolster, Christopher Gross**
Community Service Scholarship Hy & Hortense Schmierer - **Madison Felter**
NYS Regents Scholarships for Academic Excellence - **Lindsey Bolster, Madison Felter, Christopher Gross**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Rob Potter Memorial Scholarship, \$300; the Oliver Donald Hewitt Memorial Scholarship, \$1,700 - **Christian Alderman**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Evan Appley Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000, The Donald Hewitt Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Lindsey Bolster**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Tomar Mountain Gun Club Scholarship, \$1,000, The Robert Nichol Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Madison Felter**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Cameron N. Hall US Navy Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Payten Gill**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Team Members of Chenango Brokers Scholarship, \$1,000; the Holly Wheeler Westbrook Scholarship, \$500; the Lisa DaBrescia Memorial Scholarship, \$500 - **Taylor Gotthardt**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Anthony Resti Scholarship, \$500; the Zachary Possemato Scholarship, \$500; the Richard Miller Scholarship for Athletics, \$1,000 - **Christopher Gross**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Mark McGraw Jr. Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000; the Lisa DaBrescia Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Brennan Karcher**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The 1st Donald J. Ellis Jr. Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000; the Mike Robinson Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Nicholas Locke**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Kate Resti Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000; the Christine Grot Fritz Memorial Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Alexis Bennett**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Wendell and Jean

Woodmansee Scholarship, \$1,000; the Robert W. Nichol Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Catherine Bennett**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Robert W. Nichol Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Shannon Dermody**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Kate Resti Memorial Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Sophia Dubois**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Vera Fisher Scholarship for Teaching, \$1,000; the Lt. Cameron N. Hall U.S. Navy Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Brenna Gleim**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Gerald Stones Memorial Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Trinity Gotthardt**
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The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Lt. Cameron N. Hall U.S. Navy Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Roger Newman III**
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The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Robert Nichol Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Megan O'Brien**
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The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Helen and Wellington Lester Award for Math and Science, \$1,000; the Lisa DaBrescia Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Avery Ostrander**
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The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Oliver Donald Hewitt Memorial Scholarship, \$2,000 - **Stevie Grace Wrighter**
The Hancock Community Education Foundation: The Lt. Cameron N. Hall U.S. Navy Scholarship, \$1,000; the George and Margaret Mee Family Scholarship, \$1,000 - **Emily Zukowsky**

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Liberty recognizes 99 graduates

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY JOSEPH ABRAHAM

Speaking to the 99 members of Liberty High School's Class of 2022, Principal Derek Adams shared excerpts from a poem titled "Anyway," by Mother Teresa.

"People are often unreasonable and self-centered. Forgive them anyway," Adams recited. "If you are kind, people may accuse you of ulterior motives. Be kind anyway. If you're honest, people may cheat you. Be honest anyway. If you find happiness, people may be jealous. Be happy anyway. The good you do today may be forgotten tomorrow. Do good anyway.

"Give the world the best you have and it may never be enough," he continued.

"Give your best anyway. For you see in the end it's between you and yourself. It was never between you and them anyway."

Adams reinforced that change may always occur, but that it is always necessary to do so in a positive way.

He concluded with a quote from Benjamin Franklin that goes, "When you're finished changing, you're finished."

Katrina Blais was the Class of 2022's valedictorian, and will be attending SUNY Oneonta with plans of becoming a math teacher. It is a path, she said, chosen in part because of the teachers she had at Liberty. She also thanked her parents and friends for their support.

At last Friday's ceremony on the high school football field, Blais encouraged her

peers to try new things and find long lasting relationships of all kinds.

"I wish each of you success be it in college, the workplace or the military. I hope you discover the path that is right for you and [that it] will take you where you want to go. I wish you all fun and laughter, no matter how stressful it all may get," said Blais. "Don't forget to have fun and enjoy life."

"Finally, I wish you all happiness in everything you do. I can't wait to see what life has in store for each of us here today," Blais continued. "I know that everyone here will go on to impact the lives of people in their future in remarkable and powerful ways. Congratulations class, go show the world we've got this."

Salutatorian Abigail Kelly is



Valedictorian Katrina Blais is attending SUNY Oneonta and plans to become a math teacher. She's pictured here receiving her diploma from LHS Principal Derek Adams.



Melana Quick-Lepke, Ethan Werlau (center) and Quintin Herzog flash a smile as they walk-in to Pomp and Circumstance.

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headed to Binghamton University with plans to major in Environmental Studies. She told fellow Class of 2022 members that if you'd asked her during her freshman year what high school was going to be like, she wouldn't have answered anything representing what it actually turned out to be, citing the challenges of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Kelly also acknowledged the Class of 2022's hard work to overcome those obstacles, as well as the support they received from their teachers.

"Throughout our lives, we will continue to overcome obstacles," said Kelly. "There are many problems in this world that we will need to solve, even though many of these problems were caused by the generation before us. We will need to be the ones to set things right. Remember that you are capable of anything that you put your mind to. Follow your dreams and take risks. If you fail, try again. If we have learned anything from the last four years, we learned that you cannot plan for everything.



Liberty High School Principal Derek Adams leads the faculty as they head towards the football field.



The Class of 2022 makes their way onto the football field and towards the stage as the sun begins to descend.



Rebecca Philips had a Lion King-inspired theme in mind for her mortarboard.

"As young adults, we are at a point in our lives where we are making decisions about our future. It can be daunting," added Kelly. "There are so many things that could go wrong, and so many uncertainties. Our instinct is to run away from this because we are afraid to fail. If you allow yourself to be controlled by this fear, you will never learn how to grow from your mistakes."

Kelly ended her speech by referencing a quote from one of her favorite TV shows, "Doctor Who."

"The doctor once said, 'Lives change worlds. People can save planets or wreck them. That's the choice. Be the best of humanity.'"

Congratulations to the Liberty High School Class of 2022 from the Liberty Faculty Association!



Katrina Blais



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Julia Gorr



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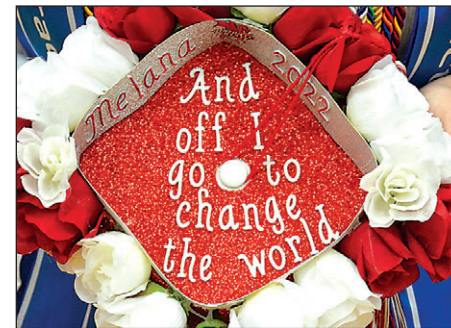
Salutatorian Abigail Kelly, who is attending Binghamton University and plans to major in Environmental Studies, shares wise words with her peers.



Beloved LHS teacher Penny Medina (center), who is retiring, is surrounded by several members of the Class of 2022 whose lives she has touched.



An elated Dianna Marty heads to the football field, where friends and family await.



Melana Quick-Lepke, who will be continuing her studies at SUNY Oneonta, decorated her cap to read, "And off I go to change the world."



At right, Liberty School Board Member Peter Racette smiles proudly as he hands his son Chase his diploma.

Congratulations
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Words cannot describe how proud we are of you Rebecca!

Love,
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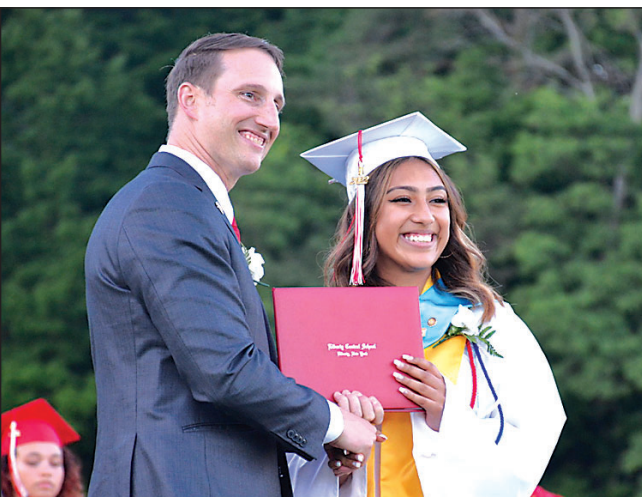
"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future."
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Daylene Marin Garzon had a busy evening, playing a few tunes as a member of the high school band before receiving her diploma.



Gabe Desrochers may have shown off his speed as a member of the track and field team, but in this instance, he slowed down to take in the moment, receiving his diploma from Liberty HS Principal Derek Adams.



Anisha Harripersad happily accepts her diploma from LHS Principal Derek Adams.



Andrew Scamihorn recites the school alma mater. He will now serve his country as a U.S. Marine.



Tim Dirie (left) and Liam Henry, known for their skills on the football field and soccer pitch respectively, eagerly await the start of the ceremony in the Middle School Gym.

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Liberty High School Class of 2022 Awards and Recognition

Worden Family Scholarship - Dylan Parks
Beaverkill Foundation Awards - Wendy Cando, Dixy Dubon Duque, Lesbia Reyes Lazo
Ed Wolff Memorial Scholarship - Matthew Bridge Jr.
Lorraine Carrington Memorial Schol-

arship - Lesbia Reyes Lazo
Robert Travis Memorial Scholarship - Dixy Dubon Duque, Pharaoh Bolden
Lowell Heffley Memorial Scholarship - Melana Quick-Lepke
Liberty Fire Department - Ladies' Auxiliary Scholarship - Dianna Marty
Liberty Fire Department Scholarships - Abigail Kelly, Gabriel Desrochers
Liberty Rotary Scholarships, Liberty Rotary Club Awards - Digsania De La Cruz Coronado, Julia Gorr, Michael Pelton
Community Service Awards Sponsored by BLS Law, Rhulen Loughlin Family & Foster Supply Hospitality - Melana Quick-Lepke
Community Service Awards Sponsored by Colonial Ramsay Funeral Homes - Quintin Herzog
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Community Service Awards Sponsored by Jack Strassman Family for LHS Interact President - Melana Quick-Lepke
Community Service Awards Sponsored by Leadership Sullivan in Memory of Carmela Staropoli - Abigail Kelly
Community Service Awards Sponsored by Pepsi Company Frito Lay Northeast - Alyssa Kavleski

Community Service Awards Sponsored by Rolling V Bus Corporation - Ethan Werlau
Community Service Awards Sponsored by Woodbourne Lawn & Garden, Kaplan Custom Cabinets, New Hope Community - Dylan Parks
LPA Scholarship - Katarina Fonseca
Albert Shanker Memorial Scholarship - Melana Quick-Lepke
The Swan Lake Hose Company No. 1 Scholarship - Katrina Blais
The Swan Lake Hose Company No. 1 Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship - Katrina Blais
Delta Kappa Gamma, Tau Chapter Memorial Grants-in-Aid-Scholarship - Melana Quick-Lepke
Liberty Elks Lodge Citizenship Awards - Victoria Rothberg, Evan Yennie
Kauneonga Lake Fire Department Scholarship - Katrina Blais
Bethel Lion Club Scholarship - Katrina Blais

Daughters of the American Revolution Good Citizens Award - Daylene Marin Garzon
PTA Scholarships - Alyssa Kavleski, Dianna Marty, Melana Quick-Lepke
Visual Arts Award - Julia Almodoval, Abigail Kelly, Dylan Parks, Rebecca Philips, Andrew Scamihorn
National Art Honor Society Scholarships - Digsania De La Cruz, Abigail Kelly, Melana Quick-Lepke
STEAM Fund Music Achievement Awards in Memory of Lee and Marge Siegel - Daylene Marin Garzon, Chase Racette, Juan Romero Jimenez
Music Department Scholarships - Gabriel Desrochers, Michael Pelton
Ron Francisco Memorial Scholarship Sponsored by the Liberty Central School Phys. Ed. Department - Yamileth Romero, Andrew Scami-

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Liberty Indian Booster Club Scholarships - Katrina Blais, Alyssa Kavleski, Abigail Kelly, Elvin Osorio, Rebecca Philips, Chase Racette, Ethan Werlau
Corky Chanov Memorial Scholarship - Jeremy Robbins
Gaetano Fontana Memorial Scholarship - Daylene Marin Garzon
Barbra Sims Memorial Scholarship - Juan Romero Jimenez
Bette Burke Memorial Scholarship - Alyssa Kavleski
Linda Argentati Memorial Scholarship - Pharaoh Bolden, Wendy Cando, Gabriel Desrochers, Timothy Dirie, Quintin Herzog, Abigail Kelly, Brianna Niforos, Yamileth Romero, Carlos Torres, Jr., Angy Wood

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Sullivan West Graduates 81

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY JEANNE SAGER

The Class of 2022 had year and a half of “normal” high school, and then came what Sullivan West Valedictorian Dylan Sager called “a nice two-week break.”

Or it was going to be two weeks.

“Two weeks turned into two years, then we magically woke up to reality and were told to pick up our caps and gowns from Mrs. Grecco,” Sager told the crowd at this year’s graduation ceremonies.

Those ceremonies were held outside the Sullivan West High School on the football field, a tradition that began out of necessity in 2020 to allow for social distancing that has stuck with the school and become a fact of life for the Class of 2022.

“As the saying goes, ‘nothing ever goes as planned in this world,’ and I guess our generation will know that better than anyone,” Sager said.

The class of 81 graduates may have had plenty of plans when they entered the Sullivan West Elementary school in Jeffersonville 13 years ago, but they couldn’t have foreseen a world that would bring iPads into education or Alexa into our living rooms.

The Sullivan West graduates head out into a world that’s seen massive change in recent years, and with that will come pressure to make a difference for the future, Sullivan West Superintendent Dr. Kathleen Bressler told the grads.

“I’m sure you’ve been hearing a lot of talk about the future, unfortunately it might have some depressing and discouraging tones,” she shared. “These are unprecedented, unparalleled, difficult times, what is this world coming to? Then in the next sentence, it’s probably ‘the future’s in your hands now!’”

It can feel like immense pressure for young adults just heading out into the real world, but Bressler assured the class that earned more than \$1.2 million dollars in scholarship money and saw nearly 60 percent graduate with an average of 85 percent or higher that



Priscilla Pubil adjusts her sunglasses.



there’s no need to feel any pressure, at least not now.

“In seeing what you have done here at Sullivan West, what service you have put in, you should not feel pressure,” the district’s new chief administrator said.

It was a sentiment echoed by High School Principal Mark Plescia, who reminded this year’s graduates that they’ve been prepared for what lies ahead – they need only trust themselves and those years of preparation.

As he told the grads, “Even with all this change, you will always be a Bulldog.”

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Annabelle Rutledge, left, and Regan Russell cheer on a fellow grad.



Sofia Seidl was this year’s salutatorian, while Dylan Sager earned the valedictorian title.



Retiring Board member Ken Cohen and daughter Gabby perform a secret handshake.

CONGRATULATIONS JAKE!



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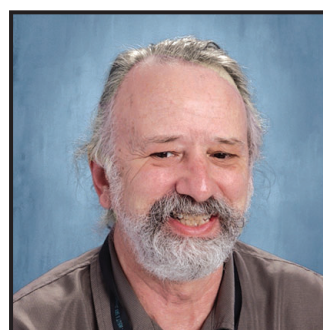
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SULLIVAN WEST 2022 AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

Four \$500 Jeffersonville Lions Club Scholarships presented to seniors based on citizenship - **Gabrielle Cohen, Samantha Everett, Jake Nystrom, and Antony Waite**
A \$200 award presented by Dick's Auto Sales of Kohlertown to a senior who has shown proficiency in mechanical skills and pursuing further education in a related field -**James McElroy**
Fifteen \$200 Achievement Awards from Peck's Market to students who have demonstrated a high level of participation in school activities, try hard, do the best they are able, and show a positive attitude toward faculty and peers - **Amy Barlow, Mason Berlingeri, Grace Boyd, Taylor Brustman, Anthony Clarke, Riley Ernst, Gavin Hauschild, Riley Johnston, Nikolas Karadontes, Ella LaBagh, Kaitlyn McBride, James McElroy, Thomas Moss, Taylor Wall, and Mack Zadubara**
A \$500 award in memory of Frederick W.V. Schadt, Jr., presented by the Jeff Bank Board of Directors, to a student furthering his/her education in the field of law or criminal justice - **Sofia Seidl**
A \$2,000 Graduation Award in memory of Gertrude Kohler, longtime high school English teacher at Jeffersonville-Youngsville Central School - **Samantha Everett**
Eighteen awards from the Charles P. and Pauline M. Kautz, Charles Thorswelle Foundation, and Sawyer Foundation - **Mason Berlingeri, Grace Boyd, Taylor Brustman, Oscar DeChalus, Riley Johnston, Abigail Keller, Reannon Matulewich, James McElroy, Kailyn Minckler, Tyler O'Sullivan, Paige Parucki, Annabelle Rutledge, Olivia Sargeant, Sofia Seidl, Tarrell Spencer, Antony Waite, Taylor Wall, and Mack Zadubara**
Thirteen scholarships totaling \$8,000 from the Western Sullivan United Teachers and School Related Professionals - **Taylor Brustman, Gabrielle Cohen, Samantha Everett, Tariq Gambari, Gavin Hauschild, Ryan Joyce-Turner, Reece Maopolski, Tyler O'Sullivan, Paige Parucki, Regan Russell, Annabelle Rutledge, Dylan Sager, and Sofia Seidl**
A \$3,000 Billy Moran Academic/Athletic Scholarship - **Dylan Sager**
A \$100 Societas Tertiae Palmae Award given by Laura Mosher – DV Class of 1980 - **Karl Swanson**
Two \$200 James Brown Memorial Scholarships given by Ronald Bauer to Sullivan West Central School football players - **Christopher Campanelli and Gavin Hauschild**
Six \$500 awards from the Kiwanis Club of Callicoon - **Taylor Brustman, Riley Johnston, James McElroy, Tyler O'Sullivan, Sofia Seidl, and Kathryn Widmann**
A \$100 award in memory of Anna M. Todd to a student furthering his/her education in a health-related field presented by the Youngsville Fire Department Auxiliary - **Samantha Everett**
A \$100 award in memory of Winifred Boxberger sponsored by the Youngsville Fire Department Auxiliary to a student furthering their education and who has proven to be dependable, reliable, and conscientious in carrying out responsibilities to school and community - **Riley Ernst**
Two \$100 awards presented by the Jeffersonville Chamber of Commerce to seniors who have been involved in community service and have either taken business courses during high school or plan to major in business in college - **Gavin Hauschild**

and Taylor Wall
A \$250 Charles and Ruth Anderson Memorial Scholarship - **Sidney Solomon**
A \$275 award presented by the Callicoon Lodge #521, F & AM to a college-bound senior who demonstrates academic potential and good citizenship skills - **Reece Maopolski**
Dexter Nursing Scholarship - **Riley Ernst**
A \$1,000 Alan Gerry Beaverkill Foundation Scholarship awarded to a graduating senior who is pursuing postsecondary education, who demonstrates promise to do college-level work, and shows strong leadership skills - **Regan Russell**
Two \$500 Alan Gerry Beaverkill Foundation Scholarships awarded to graduating seniors who are pursuing postsecondary education, who demonstrate promise to do college-level work, and show strong leadership skills - **Reece Maopolski and Karl Swanson**
The Hancock Grange Award - **Kailyn Minckler**
Hazel and Francis Valley Scholarship Fund - **Riley Ernst**
A \$1,000 Henry A. Umnik Trade Scholarship – Narrowsburg Class of 1963 - **James McElroy**
A \$275 Merel Scheidell Scholarship - **Karl Swanson**
Lawrence & Imogene Freidenstine Memorial Scholarship - **Tyler O'Sullivan**
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A \$500 St. Tammany Chapter #492 – Order of the Eastern Star Scholarship - **Reece Maopolski**
The Zeltman-Dorrer Memorial Scholarship Award - **Taylor Brustman**
The Lynne Kraack Memorial Award - **Annabelle Rutledge**
Two \$100 awards presented by The Liberty Elks Lodge to seniors who have demonstrated good citizenship - **Sofia Seidl and Karl Swanson**
William Kohler Memorial Scholarship, given by Protection Hose Company #1, Inc., of Jeffersonville to two seniors continuing their education in a vocational or technical area - **Gavin Hauschild and Ryan Joyce-Turner**
A \$500 Bradley and Barbara Harder Memorial Engineering Scholarship -

Tyler O'Sullivan
A \$500 Bradley and Barbara Harder Memorial Health Care Scholarship - **Abigail Keller**
Three John Philip Sousa Band Awards presented to seniors showing outstanding achievement in band - **Samantha Everett, Reece Maopolski, and Sofia Seidl**
A Louis Armstrong Jazz Award - **Annabelle Rutledge**
Two National School Choral Awards - **Kaitlyn McBride and Paige Parucki**
Two High School Vocal Awards - **Lyrice Hemion and Charles Simon**
Four \$2,250 Katherine & Albert Luchs and Casper & Sadie Eggler Memorial Scholarships - **Gabrielle Cohen, Samantha Everett, Dylan Sager, and Connor Watson**
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Memorial Scholarships - **Gavin Hauschild, Ryan Joyce-Turner, and Jake Nystrom**
A \$100 Callicoon Volunteer Fire Department Award - **Tariq Gambari**
A \$300 Callicoon Self Storage Award - **Dylan Sager**
Three \$100 Sullivan West High School PTSO "Kindness Awards" - **Jake Nystrom, Dylan Sager, and Mack Zadubara**
A \$250 H. Russell Kenyon VFW Post #5808 Award - **Jake Nystrom**
A \$500 Kathleen & Elizabeth Ference Memorial Award to a deserving student going into a helping field - **Emily Umbaugh**
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Two \$100 Allan Milk Memorial - VFW Auxiliary #7276 Awards - **Oscar DeChalus and Kailyn Minckler**
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Three awards from the Triquart Scholarship Foundation, Inc. - **Taylor Brustman, Kailyn Minckler, and Tyler O'Sullivan**
Two \$100 Beaverkill Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution Awards to two seniors with the highest average in American History - **Dylan Sager and Karl Swanson**
Two \$500 Charles and Dorothy Mae



PLEASE SEE **SULLIVAN WEST**, 28G

Congratulations

James McElroy







Taylor Brustman

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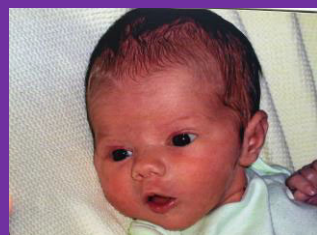
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A \$250 JEMS - Jeffersonville Enhances More of Sullivan Award - **Jake Nystrom**
A \$100 award given in memory of Herbert and Nellie Persbacker to a senior in the Music Department, donated by the Sullivan County Democrat - **Kaitlyn McBride**
A \$150 award given in memory of Fred Stabbert, Sr., to an outstanding journalism senior, donated by the Sullivan County Democrat - **Sidney Solomon**
A \$1,500 annual scholarship for Academic Excellence presented by the New York State Board of Regents - **Dylan Sager**
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ships for Academic Excellence presented by the New York State Board of Regents - **Sofia Seidl and Karl Swanson**
Two \$500 Hankins-Fremont Fire Department - **Trevor Armbrust Memorial Scholarships - Tyler O'Sullivan and Paige Parucki**
Two \$500 Rebekah Peters Memorial Scholarships - **Gabrielle Cohen and Abigail Keller**
Two \$2,000 Wayne County Community Foundation - **Jerry "Jake" Hopkins Memorial Scholarships - Jake Nystrom and James McElroy**
A \$1,000 award in memory of John and Lori Gempler, given by the Finn and Bodenstein Families, presented to a deserving student going into agriculture, science, or medical-related field - **Jake Nystrom**



Mack Zadubara gives Jake Nystrom a "friendly" squeeze.



Annabelle Rose Rutledge

Class of 2022!



You have been a joy in our family's lives since the day you came into this world. We have all so enjoyed watching you grow into the amazing, smart, thoughtful, and beautiful young woman you have become. Your tenacious drive and desire to do your best always will serve you well as you move through the next chapters of your life. Always know how extremely proud of you we all are and how very much you are loved. Shoot for the stars kid! Your family will always be here to lift you up when needed and celebrate you and your accomplishments!

Congratulations Annabelle! We cannot wait to see you soar!
Love, Mom, Dad, Matt & Grandmo



Two \$1,125 Terry Davis, Sr., Memorial Scholarships to students going to college or trade school for law enforcement, construction, or heavy equipment - **Christopher Campanelli and Daniel Shami**
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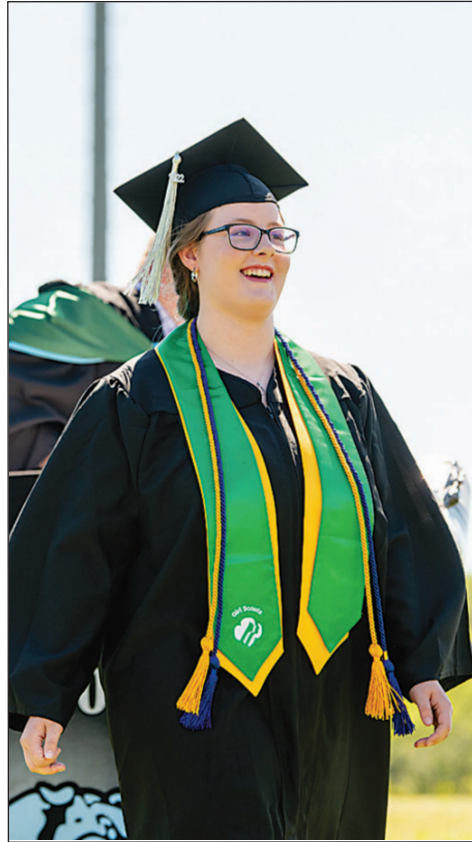
Class Vice President Gavin Hauschild completes a complicated handshake with Class Advisor Dorothy Grecco.



Karl Swanson, left, Dylan Sager, Tariq Gambari, and Chris Campanelli decorated their mortarboards to match one another.



Riley Johnston, far right, gets a hug from classmate Lyric Hemion.



Kailyn Minckler smiles as her name is announced.



Tarrell Spencer leads his classmates in a chant.



Joe Joyce-Turner gets a hug from mom (and school board president) Rose.

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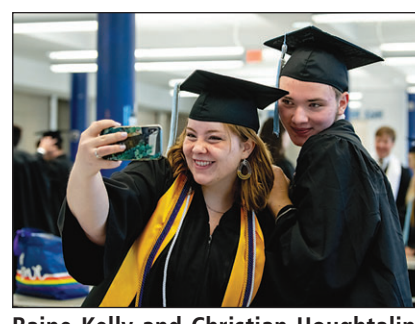
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Camille Licursi chats with classmates.



Tyler O'Sullivan gets help with his mortarboard from classmate Taylor Wall.



Raine Kelly and Christian Houghtaling take a selfie together.



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Reece Maopolski pays tribute to actor Steve Buscemi with his mortarboard.



Taylor Brustman, left, and Grace Boyd, are both members of the National Honor Society.



Ezra Hyde, left, and Gabriel Wasner



Joe Velilla is a member of the National Technical Honor Society.



Members of the class of 2022 throw their caps high in the air.



Logan Biggs accepts his diploma from School Board President Rose Joyce-Turner.



Julia Nelson



Amanda Dirig peers out from the line of graduates.



Class Advisor Dorothy Grecco and Mack Zadabura exchange a laugh.

Tri-Valley turns tassels

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY MATT SHORTALL

Through challenging times Tri-Valley students celebrated their first graduation back inside the auditorium since 2019.

Graduate Theresa Conway welcomed those in attendance.

"While our journey was not easy or ordinary, it has made us stronger and better able to face the challenges that we will confront in our futures," Conway said.

Alexander Cossack introduced outgoing superintendent Dr. William Silver to impart some words of wisdom to graduating seniors.

"Try to be the best at what you do. The money will take care of itself," Dr. Silver said.

While introducing salutatorian Benjamin Smith, teacher April Kackos talked about his enormous drive to excel, as well as his empathetic behavior towards others.

"He is one of the most giving people I have ever met," Kackos said. "He truly thinks about himself last. He spends countless hours helping others in big ways."

Smith asked his fellow graduates to reflect back on the school and community



in which they were raised and supported.

"Chances are, these are the memories you will carry with you throughout your life," Smith said. "These are the memories, good or bad, that you learn from ... No

Class salutatorian Benjamin Smith reminded graduates to be present in the moment and always remember where they come from.

matter what you think of now, know that your time at Tri-Valley has made you grow beyond what you were when you started."

During their class presentation, Caleb Edwards and Samantha Morgan announced their plans to paint a bear mural over the student section of the bleachers in the gymnasium.

"When you are cheering

The Tri-Valley Central School District class of 2022 took the stage amid much applause and cheering.

for your fellow Bears on the court, remember the Class of 2022 will be cheering right there with you all," Morgan said.

During the choral presentation, graduates sang

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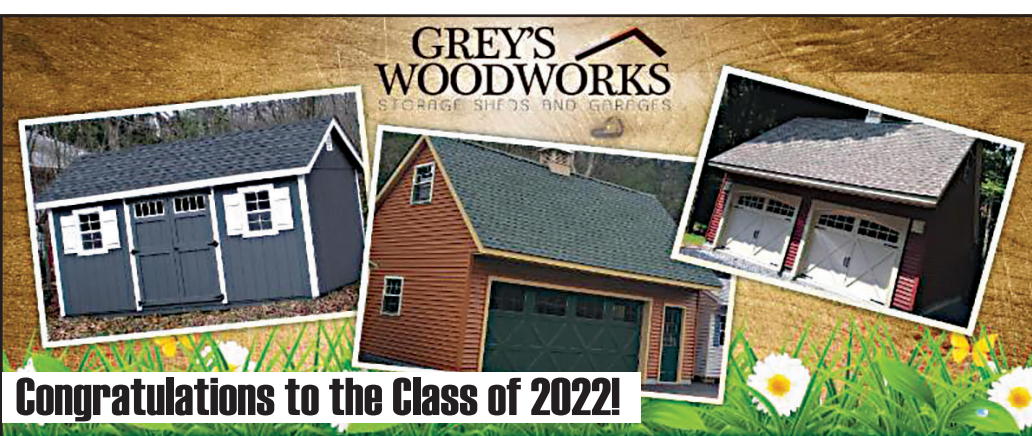
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TRI-VALLEY: Graduates

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“Seasons of Love” from the famed Broadway musical “Rent.”

Introducing class valedictorian Robert Denman, graduating senior Vanya Khodakovski spoke about the friendship that was formed at Tri-Valley.

“The Class of 2022, Tri-Valley teachers, administrators and parents are all so very proud of you,” Khodakovski “We cannot wait to see what the future holds,”

Denman asked his fellow graduates to think about how their growth in life has been due in part to the people in their lives.

Denman referenced the Greek myth of Icarus who flew too close to the sun.

“It’s not merely just a cautionary tale and Icarus is not just a disobedient, impulsive child,” Denman

said. “To be Icarus is to dream. To fly without care and dare to ascend to new heights is true freedom, despite the apparent risks,” Denman said. “Our heroes and favorite myths inspire us to break through barriers and dare the impossible ... take the reins of your own fate. Fly as high as possible because even though you may start to burn, you will shine like a star.”

In their messages to graduates, Secondary School Principal David Pulley and Board of Education President Keri-Ann Poley urged students to continue to grow from their experiences.

“As good and as wonderful as you are today, I can promise you that the best is yet to come,” said Pulley. “Because of each and every one of you I am optimistic for the future.”



The Graduation Chorus skillfully performed “Seasons of Love” from the Broadway musical “Rent.”

TRI VALLEY 2022 AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

SENIOR CLASS ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Valedictorian - **Robert Denman**

Salutatorian - **Benjamin Smith**

Madeline Adams Memorial Scholarship - **Aiyana Brown, Alexandra Cossack, Nathaniel Viningre**

Madeline Adams Memorial Teaching Scholarship - **Patrick Kelly**

Louis Armstrong Jazz Award - **Caleb Edwards**

Pamela Bright Scholarship - **Aiyana Brown**

2021 Clarkson University Achievement Award - **Robert Denman**

2021 Clarkson University Leadership Award - **Benjamin Smith**

Claryville Fire Department Scholarship - **Jasmine Drissate**

Daughters of the American Revolution History Award (Beaverkill Chapter) - **Robert Denman**

Elks BPOE Lodge #1545 - **Theresa Conway, Benjamin Smith**

Elks BPOE Lodge #1971 - **Reese Shelmandine**

2021 Elmira College Key Award - **Samantha Morgan, Benjamin Smith**

Engineering/Chemistry Scholarship - **Andrew Cox, Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski, Samantha Morgan, Brandon Schultz, Benjamin Smith**

FFA Alumni Scholarship - **Gail McAndrew**

FFA Susan Beresick Memorial English Award - **Brian Kelly**

FFA James Gorman Leadership Award - **Gail McAndrew**

Frost Valley YMCA Scholarship - **Caleb Edwards, Jenay Wilson**

Grahamsville Fire Department & Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship - **Caleb Edwards**

Iatauro Award (12 Consecutive Seasons) - **David Allison, Caleb Edwards, Brandon Kaplan, Brian Kelly, Ethan Mentnech, Brandon Schultz**

Alan Moss Memorial Theater Scholarship - **Benjamin Smith**

NAFME All-National Honors Mixed Chorus - **David Allison**

National Choral Award - **David Allison, Robert Denman, Caleb Edwards, Brandon Kaplan, Samantha Morgan**

National Technical Honor Society - **Emily Babcock, Jaryd Barnum-Budd, Linda Jones, Nathaniel Viningre**

Neversink Fire Department Scholarship - **Andrew Cox**

Neversink Ladies Auxiliary Scholarship - **Ethan Mentnech**

Neversink Charles Nielsen EMS Scholarship - **Alexandra Cossack**

NYS Academic Excellence Scholarship - **David Allison, Robert Denman, Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski**

NYS Attorney General Triple "C" Award - **Caleb Edwards, Brandon Schultz**

NYS Comptroller's Achievement Award - **Benjamin Smith**

NYSSOPBA - **Ethan Mentnech**

NYSSMA All State Chorus - **David Allison, Robert Denman, Brandon Kaplan, Samantha Morgan**

2020 Hugh O'Brian Youth Seminar Participant - **Benjamin Smith**

OCIAA Scholar Athlete - **David Allison, Theresa Conway**

Outstanding Senior in Music - **David Allison, Caleb Edwards**

Outstanding Theater Senior - **Julia Moore**

Outstanding Theater Thespian - **Benjamin Smith**

President's American Citizenship Award - **Alexandra Allison, Caleb Edwards, Samantha Morgan, Brandon Schultz, Benjamin Smith**

President's Award for Educational Achievement - **Alexandra Allison, David Allison, Aiyana Brown, Theresa Conway, Alexandra Cossack, Caleb Edwards, Linda Jones, Brandon Kaplan, Brian Kelly, Patrick Kelly, Gail McAndrew, Julia Moore, Samantha Morgan, Connor Rafferty, Brandon Schultz, Benjamin Smith, Keara Stroop, Nathaniel Viningre, Jenay Wilson, Shane Williams**

President's Award for Educational Excellence - **Andrew Cox, Robert Denman, Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski, Brianna Torrens**

Principal's Honor Roll/High Honor Roll (all 16 quarters) - **David Allison, Theresa Conway, Alexandra Cossack, Robert Denman, Caleb Edwards, Brian Kelly, Patrick Kelly, Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski, Samantha Morgan, Benjamin Smith**

2021 Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Medal for Science & Math - **Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski**

2021 Rochester Institute of Technology Computing Award - **Theresa Conway, Benjamin Smith**

2021 Rochester Institute of Technology Innovation & Creativity Award - **Robert Denman, Samantha Morgan**

Mike J. Schulte Scholarship - **Brandon Kaplan, Ethan Mentnech, Julia Moore, Brandon Schultz**

Ruth Scully Memorial Scholarship - **Theresa Conway**

John Phillip Sousa Band Award - **Caleb Edwards**

Class valedictorian Robert Denman urged his fellow graduates to soar to new heights.



Juan Henao raises his hands in triumph as he takes the stage during Tri-Valley's graduation ceremony.

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Nathaniel Viningre

Standing Ovation Award - **Brandon Kaplan, Benjamin Smith**
Frances Tavormina Memorial Scholarship - **Jenay Wilsen**
Theater Director Award - **Samantha Morgan**
Theater Producer Award - **Patrick Kelly**
Time and the Valleys Museum Scholarship - **Patrick Kelly**
Tri-Valley Athletic Perseverance Award - **Andrew Cox, Darlene Miller**
Tri-Valley Essential Support Staff Association (TESSA) Award - **Ethan Mentnech**
Tri-Valley Leadership Athlete Award - **David Allison, Theresa Conway**
Tri-Valley Outstanding Senior Athlete Award - **Caleb Edwards, Samantha Morgan**
Tri-Valley Sportsmanship Athlete Award - **Alexandra Allison, Brandon Kaplan**

Award - **Alexandra Allison, Brandon Kaplan**
Tri-Valley Teachers' Association (TVTA) Scholarship - **Alexandra Allison, Theresa Conway, Patrick Kelly**
Tri-Valley Volunteerism Award - **Alexandra Allison, Theresa Conway, Linda Jones, Brandon Kaplan, Brian Kelly, Patrick Kelly, Julia Moore, Samantha Morgan, Connor Rafferty, Mackenzie Roach, Brandon Schultz, Benjamin Smith, Nathaniel Viningre, Jenay Wilsen**
2021 University of Rochester Bausch & Lomb Award - **Robert Denman**
2021 University of Rochester Frederick Douglass & Susan B. Anthony Scholarship - **Patrick Kelly**
2021 University of Rochester George Eastman Kodak Young Leaders Award - **Benjamin Smith**
2021 University of Rochester Xerox Award for Technology - **David Allison**
U.S. Army Reserve National Scholar Athlete - **Brian Kelly, Samantha Morgan**
U.S. Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Award - **Theresa Conway, Andrew Cox**
U.S. Marine Corps Award for Scholastic Excellence - **Brian Kelly**
U.S. Marine Corps "Semper Fidelis" Music Award - **Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski**
2021 Wells College 21st Century Leadership Award - **Samantha Morgan, Benjamin Smith**
2021 Wilkes University Colonel Emerging Leaders Award - **Robert Denman, Brian Kelly, Benjamin Smith, Keara Stroop**
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Darlene Miller

Scholarship - **Aiyana Brown**
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President's Academic Excellence Award - **Emily Babcock, Jaryd**

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President's Academic Achievement Award - **Alexzandria Stanton**
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Keara Stroop is applauded as she walks to receive her diploma.



From left, Patrick Kelly, Julia Moore, Caleb Edwards and Theresa Conway get used to being high school graduates.



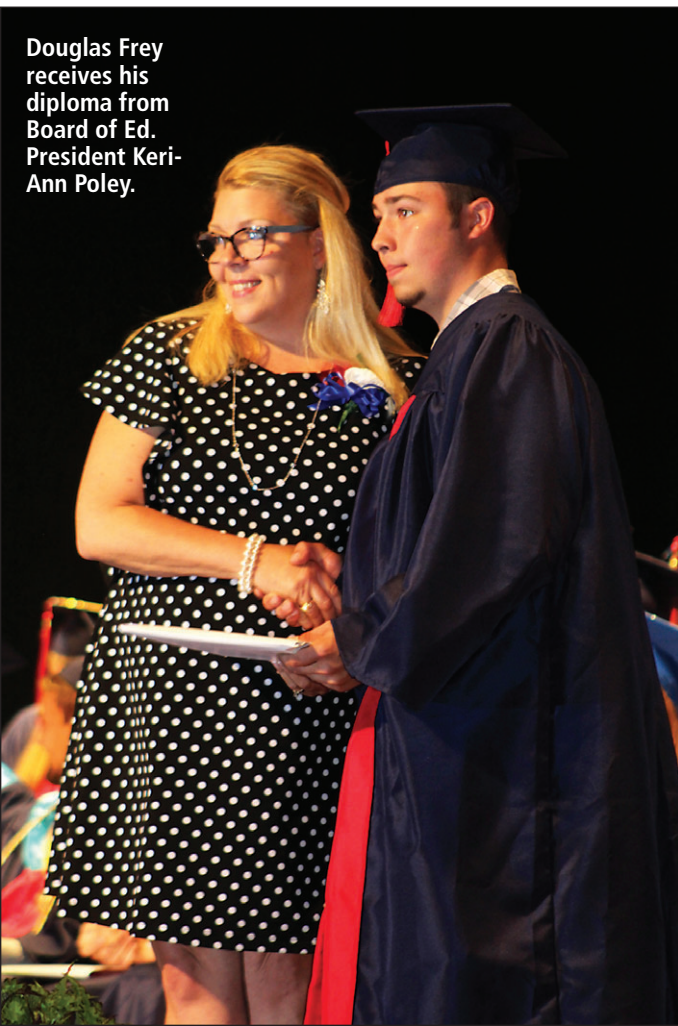
Alivia Kessler receives her diploma from Board of Education President Keri-Ann Poley.



Jessie Eherts makes her way down the stage to receive her high school diploma.



New graduates hold up their diplomas. Pictured, from left, are Ivan (Vanya) Khodakovski, David Allison, Brian Kelly, Andrew Cox and Ethan Mentnech.



Douglas Frey receives his diploma from Board of Ed. President Keri-Ann Poley.



The Graduation band skillfully performed "Overture On a Shaker Tune" as well as "Pomp and Circumstance" and finally "Covington Square."

177 Monticello Panthers move on

STORY AND PHOTOS
BY PATRICIO ROBAYO

The Monticello Central School District held their graduation outdoors at the high school this past Sunday. While the sun blazed down, the Monticello High School Principal Stephen Wilder said, “They say that

generation termed COVID kids. Although it sounds cliché to write another speech about how COVID impacted us, it would be shallow to leave COVID out and pretend it did not impact our high school years and steer us forward. “In fact, I think that my fellow graduates joining me today and any philosophers



Monticello Senior Graduate of 2022 Aden J. Stanton soon after receiving his diploma.

we see the world not as it is, but as we are. If that's the case, then both love and action are the tools that we need to become the best version of ourselves. While being the change that we wish to see in the world. Choose hope. By loving yourself enough to be your best self and achieve your greatness and loving others enough to lift them up and encourage them to be the best version of themselves and achieve their individual greatness. Class of 2022, we love and believe in you. Make it a great life and be your best self.” The Superintendent of the Monticello Central School District Dr. Matthew Evans also spoke to the graduates of the class of 2022. “Our educators, staff, parents and community have done their best to give you this springboard, this key to the next level. We hope and trust that you take full advantage of it,” said Evans.

He added, “Please know that people long before you and people long after you have had or will have similar experiences. If you take nothing else from your experience in this district, I hope that when you are confronted with these challenges, you decide on what is best for you and your fellow humans. It is when we put people above quarterly earnings, balance sheets, and oppressive laws and ideologies, that true progress occurs.” Senior Class Speaker, Collen Barbato, who will be attending SUNY Albany in the fall and will be majoring in biology to become a primary care physician assistant, told their peers: “The time has finally come. We are officially graduating from high school. I can remember the number of times I've waited counting to graduation and now that the time is here, it seems so surreal. I know we're all tired of hearing about COVID. But I think we should take this time to commend ourselves for overcoming such a unique challenge. Although COVID was a setback, we were able to have an astonishing comeback.” Furthermore, Senior Class Speaker Jacob Kaplan said, “What is different about the class of 2022 graduates? Joining me today are part of a



Monticello Senior Graduate of 2022 Diamond U. Virgil was happy to receive her diploma.

out there would probably agree that life is a series of moments in time and the biggest moment in our high school careers aside from today was March 16, 2020,” Kaplan continued. “[That was] the day our school shut our doors as a result of the COVID pandemic and transitioning to remote learning.”

In addition, Senior Class

Speaker Nathaniel Kenny, “We need to be aware that every moment we live is at some point going to become the past. There goes one right now...That does not of

course mean do not cherish the present, please do. But there's something else there. Know that all those memories, even if we can't get them back, had been lived.

All those happy moments, all the bad ones will live as much as one can live and live by you.”

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William Weiss was the Class of 2022's Valedictorian

Best of Luck to the 2022 Graduates!



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The Monticello Teachers' Association would like to send out congratulations to the three recipients of the Annual Monticello Teachers' Association College Scholarships. Cavan Leaney-Levenson, Liza Mitchell & Pedro Rodriguez have shown great character, attentiveness to academics, and tenacity through their high school careers and we wish them continued success as they enter college and pursue careers. The MTA is extremely proud of the class of 2022 and wishes you a lifetime of success and fulfillment.

Keep reaching for your dreams, while embracing the infinite possibilities which lie before you, and remember that no challenge is too great to overcome. We are proud of the scholarship recipients and proud of the entire class of 2022. Congratulations and all the best to our Monticello Panthers!

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Monticello Senior Graduate of 2022 Naomi L. Jennings received her diploma.



Efraim G. Rivera shook hands with Superintendent of the Monticello Central School District Dr. Matthew Evans before receiving his diploma.



Monticello Senior Graduate of 2022 Jessica L. Moore was all smiles crossing the stage



Senior Class Speaker and awardee, Collen Barbato said, "The time has finally come."



Monticello graduating class of 2022 makes their way to the stage.



Sullivan BOCES celebrates senior class of 2022

STORY AND PHOTOS BY DEREK KIRK

Programs from the Rubin Pollock Education Center at Sullivan BOCES oversaw the graduation of 21 seniors from the Class of 2022 at the Clubhouse at the Villa Roma Resort earlier this month.

Feelings of excitement and accomplishment filled the air as parents, family, and the graduates awaited the ceremony, and the celebration ensuing the crossing of the stage and the turning of the tassels.

Master of Ceremonies Nikki Revier, a special education teacher, opened graduation



After walking across the stage, BOCES graduates flip their tassels to the other side, signifying the completion of their high school careers.

with an invitation to Zora Ivory to recite the Pledge of Allegiance, fol-

lowed by a welcome from Sullivan BOCES Board of Education President Linda Berkowicz.

Keynote Speaker District Attorney Megan Galligan wished the graduates congratulations as they prepared

to cross the stage.

"Each of you made a decision to pursue your education in high school, and prepare yourself for the future in a way that's different from many of your peers," Galligan said. "You made

the intelligent choice taking skills that are necessary, important, and valuable to our community in a time where many people your age do not."

Executive Principal Adam Riehl gave the commencement address.

"The road to achievement, the road to success, the road to greatness, are always under construction. Do not let yourselves be easily discouraged," Riehl said. "One important message I hope you received during your time here at Sullivan BOCES, is that you hold the keys to the future." Graduating senior

Jahshime Diaz spoke before the crowd and his fellow graduates.

"This environment [Sullivan BOCES] gave me the chance and the time to grow as a person," Diaz said. "My experience will not speak for everyone here, but I do hope it speaks to some. As we move forward with the next piece of our lives, I do hope [the best for] everyone."

After each graduate had walked across the stage and were recognized for their awards, families and friends congregated for celebrations and photos on the balcony of the Clubhouse.

Not Pictured:
Clayton Doolittle III



Destiny Staten



Deric Young

Graduating senior Jahshime Diaz of Monticello gave a speech during commencement highlighting the positive experiences he had at Sullivan BOCES.



The students were also recognized during the ceremony for receiving the following awards and scholarships.

President's Academic Achievement Award - Iliana Marrero, FCS; Nicole Heins, LCS; Elijah Corbin, MCS; Zora Ivory, MCS.

President's Academic Excellence Award - Jahshime Diaz, MCS; Jesse Hogencamp, MCS; Daniel Ronelli, III, MCS; Andrew "Jake" Hund, RCS; Gabriel Bell, SWCS

American Citizenship Award - Avery Hund-Gately, LMCS; Jahshime Diaz, MCS; and Daniel Ronelli, III, MCS
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The Theresa Panny Memorial Award - Iliana Marrero, FCS, Andrew "Jake" Hund, RCS
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Antonia Keesler Citizenship Award - Gabriel Bell, SWCS

The Career & Technical Education Award - Nicole Heins, LCS; Deric Young, LMCS

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Sullivan BOCES Career & Tech Center graduates 183

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Theresa Panny Memorial Award
Jesse Hogencamp, Monticello



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The Sullivan BOCES Board Award recipients for 2022 are Jaryd Barnum-Budd of Tri-Valley, Kylie Caudy of Monticello, Jacob Kaplan of Monticello, and Renee Robinson of Monticello, posing at the recognition ceremony with board members Cathy Russo, Carol Park and Simmie Williams III.

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Roscoe celebrates Class of 2022

STORY AND PHOTOS
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Friends, family, teachers and school administrators gathered at the Roscoe Central School District on Friday, June 24 to celebrate the Class of 2022.

The classic graduation procession was played as graduating seniors filed into the Coach Fred Ahart Gymnasium.

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Alaniz Ruiz Gongora followed by the Star Spangled Banner performed by the Roscoe Central School Band.

While delivering an opening address, Senior Class President Jack Madera thanked all the teachers, staff and family members who supported them through a pandemic.

"Some of us are entering

the workforce, some of us are going on to college and some are entering the military," Madera said, explaining how the time has come for each of them to chart their own path and take charge of their futures.

"I know that each and every one of you are capable of achieving your goal ..." Madera said.

Following Madera, Salutatorian Annabelle Creamer

delivered a speech highlighting the importance of social justice and urging her fellow graduates to become the best that they can be, despite the pressures they may face from society and those around them.

"Dear members of the board of education, school administration, faculty and staff, family and friends, We made it! We are here. Today we graduate and begin our journey to become happy and successful adults," Creamer said. "Despite living in a gender binary world, young people have learned to break down gender roles and to be open to people

outside the binary. This lesson was learned even though many things are unnecessarily gendered in our society."

In her message to graduates, Principal Janice Phillips said what an honor it was to be there to congratulate each and every graduate.

Quoting from her favorite baseball player, Babe Ruth, Principal Phillips told graduates not to let the fear of striking out keep them from playing the game.

"May you continue to measure your success by what you do to support others, rather than by the material possessions that you accumulate throughout your

lives," Principal Phillips said.

A presentation of the many prizes and awards earned by graduates was led by Assistant Principal Robin Francisco and Superintendent John Evans.

Valedictorian Rebecca Stickle urged her fellow graduates to pursue what they are passionate about and to find meaning in their work.

"With three of our four high school years affected by COVID, we have already faced many obstacles in our lives ...," She said, explaining how recent challenges have only made them stronger.

Roscoe Central School Class of 2022 Awards & Recognition

AILEEN BUTTON MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to the Valedictorian and Salutatorian - **Rebecca Stickle, Annabelle Creamer**
ARTHUR V. MAUS MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to a senior who is either enrolled in the BOCES Vocational School or Industrial Arts Program at RCS - **Andrew Hund**
BEAVERKILL CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION—Awarded to the senior with the highest average in American History - **Annabelle Creamer**
BEAVERKILL CHAPTER OF THE NATIONAL SOCIETY OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION—Awarded to the senior showing exceptional patriotism - **Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**
BILLY MCMICHAEL MEMORIAL AWARD—Presented to a student who has attended a career and technical education program for auto mechanics/auto body or construction and plans to pursue further training in one of these fields - **Brodie Kipp**
BLUE & WHITE ATHLETIC CLUB

AWARD—Awarded to seniors who have volunteered service in the athletic program - **Benjamin Ackerly, Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**
BRIAN INGBER MEMORIAL FOUNDATION AWARD --Awarded to seniors in Sullivan County that are committed to community service and volunteerism - **Jack Madera**
CAROL YOUNG HERRMANN ART SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to a graduate accepted and will be attending an institution of higher learning pursuing a degree in visual, theater or musical arts - **Molly Rampe**
CATHERINE & ALEX PORTZ MEMORIAL MUSIC AWARD—Awarded to a member of the senior class for dedication in the music program - **Rebecca Stickle**
"COACH" FRED AHART CHARACTER AWARD -- This award is given to a graduating senior who displays outstanding character - These qualities include leadership, selflessness, dedication, and generosity - **Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**
COOKS FALLS-HORTON FIRE COMPANY LADIES AUXILIARY SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to the students who reside in the Cooks Falls-Horton Fire District - **Gianna Ballard, Noah France, Daniel Irwin, Brodie Kipp**
COOKS FALLS-HORTON FIRE COMPANY SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to the students of the Cooks Falls-Horton Fire District furthering their education - **Gianna Ballard, Noah France, Daniel Irwin, Brodie Kipp**
DAI DUTCHER MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to two deserving members of the senior class who have been most respectful, courteous, and cooperative within the school setting - **Molly Rampe, Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**

DAVID B. ROBINSON MEMORIAL PRIZE—Awarded to a RCS BOCES student who demonstrates superior enthusiasm, interest, and talent in auto body or a vocational field. **Brodie Kipp**
DEE BRZYTTWA MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to the student who has demonstrated honesty and integrity and overall good sportsmanship during his/her high school career - **Paul Coman, Jr., Eric Tomah**
DEREK & JUSTIN HAAS MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to a senior who has actively participated in school activities and is furthering his or her education - **Ashley Nieves**
DEREK & JUSTIN HAAS MEMORIAL SPORTS AWARD—Recognizes a senior who participated in sports and is continuing his/her education - **Paul Coman, Jr.**
DR. LEWIS G. DENMAN MEMORIAL—Awarded to a senior who plans to continue his/her education in the field of health care - **Gianna Ballard, Ashley Nieves**
DR. ROBERT R. ECKERT SCHOLARSHIP AWARD—Awarded to deserving students who reside in the Town of Colchester and will be continuing their education after high school - **Gianna Ballard, Noah France**
ED WEITMANN BEAVERKILL VALLEY FIRE DEPARTMENT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP - Awarded to a graduating senior pursuing a college education related to a trade, engineering, first responder, or medicine/nursing. **Gianna Ballard**
ELEANOR MARKS MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to a graduate who is planning a career in nursing or a science related field - **Ashley Nieves**
EVELYN TICE BUTTON MEMORIAL

AWARD—Awarded to the highest ranking female senior who will be attending college in the fall - **Rebecca Stickle**
EXCELLENCE IN ENGLISH AWARD—Awarded to the senior who shows excellence in English and Language Arts, will major in some form of the study of the English language in a post-secondary setting or the student with the highest average in English 12 - **Paul Coman, Jr.**
JAMES & ELEANOR CAIN SCHOLARSHIP - Awarded to students who exemplify community service - **Taylor Frankenberg, Ashley Nieves, Molly Rampe**
JIM AND BETTY TEMPEL SCHOLARSHIP—Award recipient must be attending a four-year college and meet qualifications of service within the school and community - **Ashley Nieves**
JOHN JAY HORTON "HIGH POINT" MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP -- Awarded to students who share John's qualities of humor, gentleness and kindness - **Annabelle Creamer, Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**
JULIE & DON ALLEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND—Awarded to the female graduate with the highest GPA planning to attend college and major in a business related field or to two seniors who show exemplary community service - **Rebecca Stickle**
KIWANIS CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS—Awarded to graduating seniors pursuing a post-secondary education who have demonstrated school/community service activities and experiences that have contributed to them becoming a good citizen - **Noah France, Jack Madera**
KURT T. ROWAN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to graduating seniors who have played two varsity sports, one of which is basketball; who exhibited leadership on and off the playing field; who by their attitude helped to elevate his/her teammates' play; who maintained an overall academic average for four years of 80% or above; and who will be continuing their education - **Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**
LAZARE AND CHARLOTTE KAPLAN FOUNDATION GRANT -- This grant is awarded to seniors to assist with post-secondary education funding - **Gianna Ballard, Paul Coman, Jr., Annabelle Creamer, Noah France, Taylor Frankenberg, Jack Madera, Ashley Nieves, Molly Rampe, Rebecca Stickle**
LEGACY OF HONOR PATRIOT AWARD- This award is given to a graduating senior who is entering the military - **Ila David Colon**
LIBERTY ELKS LODGE CITIZENSHIP AND SERVICE AWARD—Awarded to a graduate for excellent citizenship and unselfish service to school and community - **Paul Coman, Jr., Annabelle Creamer**
LYNN ROSEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP -- Awarded to a graduating senior who plans to pursue a degree in education - **Taylor Frankenberg**
MARY DAY WOMEN OF SCIENCE SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to a female graduate who is furthering her education in a science related field - **Annabelle Creamer, Ashley Nieves**
MICHAEL & ROSE FAILLA MEMORIAL AWARD—Awarded to a senior who has been a positive role model for younger students - **Olivia Cruz**
MYSTIC ENTERTAINMENT AWARD—Awarded to the senior who has participated in athletics and performed

Valedictorian Rebecca Stickle, at right, will be attending Misericordia University to study business management.



Senior Class President Jack Madera, left, delivered opening comments at Friday's graduation ceremony. Madera will attend SUNY Sullivan to study criminal justice.



Ila David Colon will be serving in the United States Army with the rank of E3/Armor crewman.

in plays, shows or concerts at RCS - **Rebecca Stickle**
NEBRASKY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP - Awarded to students from the Hudson Valley who are pursuing vocational/technical training - **Paul Coman, Jr.**
NEW YORK STATE ASSEMBLY CERTIFICATE OF MERIT - Awarded to each senior in recognition of his/her achievement by Aileen Gunther, Member of Assembly.
NEW YORK STATE COMPTROLLER'S STUDENT ACHIEVEMENT AWARD -- Awarded to students who show academic promise and potential for leadership through involvement in activities that improve the school and/or community - **Paul Coman, Jr.**
NEW YORK STATE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S TRIPLE "C" AWARD - This award recognizes the "commitment, character, and courage" of a hard working student - **Ashley Nieves**
NYS EDUCATION DEPARTMENT ACADEMIC AWARD—Awarded to the senior earning the highest grades on Regents Exams that will be attending college in New York State - **Annabelle Creamer, Rebecca Stickle**
NOACK FAMILY GRADUATION AWARD -- Awarded to all graduates. **PAUL G. DeVANTIER MEMORIAL AWARD-** Awarded to a senior intending to pursue a career in engineering or entering the military - **Ila David Colon, Noah France**
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AWARD—Awarded to four students demonstrating positive respect toward fellow students, faculty, community, the environment, and dedicated to quality school involvement - **Paul Coman, Jr., Taylor Frankenberg, Ashley Nieves, Molly Rampe**
PRINCIPAL'S AWARD—Awarded to the senior who best defines the word integrity and explains how it plays a part in their lives and how it will help define their future - **Olivia Cruz**
RCS ARTS IN EDUCATION AWARD—Awarded to seniors participating in the "Chair Auction" sponsored by the Roscoe Central School Art Department - **Daniel Irwin, Jack Madera, Eric Tomah**
RCS DRAMA CLUB GRADUATION AWARD -- Awarded to a graduating senior having shown dedication and extensive involvement in the RCS Drama Club program - **Rebecca Stickle**
ROSCOE CENTRAL SCHOOL PTA BOOK GRANT AWARD- This award is given to a college bound senior who has written an essay explaining why he/she is deserving of the award and how the PTA has helped support him/her throughout the years at RCS - **Benjamin Ackerly, Jack Madera**
ROSCOE FREE LIBRARY AWARD -- Awarded to an avid reader planning to attend college, trade school or the military - **Annabelle Creamer**
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AMBULANCE CORP. AWARD— Awarded to a senior who is active in volunteer activities in the community - **Annabelle Creamer, Eric Tomah**

ROSCOE-ROCKLAND FIRE COMPANY AUXILIARY PRIZE — Awarded to two seniors (one boy and one girl) who have shown community service, volunteerism and pride in their community - **Paul Coman, Jr., Taylor Frankenberg**

ROSCOE-ROCKLAND FIRE COMPANY COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD— Awarded to seniors who are active in the fire company or who have done a great deal of community service - **Taylor Frankenberg, Molly Rampe**

ROSCOE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP — Awarded to students who are planning to pursue a teaching career and have been accepted into a teaching program - If no students fit this criteria, the scholarship is awarded to the Valedictorian and Salutatorian of the class - **Taylor Frankenberg**

ROSE & KIERNAN, INC. SCHOLARSHIP FUND—Awarded to students who may choose to pursue a career in the field of healthcare, wellness, education or business - **Olivia Cruz**

SENATOR MIKE MARTUCCI CERTIFICATE OF MERIT — Awarded to students for their outstanding accomplishments.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AWARD IN MEMORY OF ALAN B. SULLIVAN— Awarded to the senior with the highest average entering the military - **Ila David Colon**

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AWARD IN HONOR OF BEVERLEE MORGAN — Presented to a senior(s) who demonstrates an altruistic manner in the community and in the school. He or she must also be academically inclined and exhibit exemplary qualities of school spirit. This award is chosen by the Student Government members - **Paul Coman, Jr.**

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AWARD IN HONOR OF DEBBIE HOLLAND AND MARIE SULLIVAN-SMITH — Presented to a senior(s) who has devoted an extraordinary amount of service to RCS and the Student Government - **Benjamin Ackerly**

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AWARD IN MEMORY OF DEREK HAAS—Presented to a senior(s) who demonstrate a caring and friendly disposition toward peers and who

strive to raise morale and promote school pride. This award is chosen by the Student Government members - **Benjamin Ackerly**

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AWARD IN HONOR OF MINDY SCHULTE — Presented to a senior(s) who shows compassion and friendship to others, loves to laugh, is encouraging and uplifting, is a good listener, is respectful, and strives to be the best he or she can be. This award is chosen by the Student Government members - **Ashley Nieves**

STUDENT GOVERNMENT AWARD IN HONOR OF OUR FRIENDS: TIMOTHY JOHNSTON AND KURT ROWAN — Presented to a senior(s) who exemplify such qualities as leadership, character, a dedication to school and class, and who participates actively in extra-curricular activities. These recipients must also maintain a respectable class standing. This award is chosen by the Student Government members - **Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**

SULLIVAN COUNTY PROBATION OFFICER'S ASSOCIATION RECOGNITION AWARD — Recognition of the academic achievements of a senior who will be furthering their education in a criminal justice related field - **Jack Madera**

SULLIVAN 5 STAR CHAPTER #298, ORDER EASTERN STAR — Awarded to the senior who demonstrates citizenship, morality, responsibility, unselfishness, and service to school and community - **Jack Madera**

SUNY SULLIVAN PRESIDENTIAL SCHOLARSHIP — A full-tuition scholarship awarded to students who have demonstrated academic achievement during high school and will be attending SUNY Sullivan - **Noah France, Jack Madera, Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**

SUPERINTENDENT'S AWARD—

Awarded to a senior who is recognized for service, good citizenship and is held in positive academic standing - **Alaniz Ruiz Gongora**

THEODORE GORDON FLY FISHING SCIENCE AWARD—Awarded to a senior who is continuing his/her education in environmental studies in a 2 or 4 year school or who has the highest average in science - **Gianna Ballard, Ashley Nieves**

THOMAS WALLACE BUTTON MATHEMATICS AWARD — This award is for the senior who is deemed by the math department to have distinguished themselves by their performance in math during their high school career - **Rebecca Stickle**

TONY BRZYTTWA MEMORIAL ACADEMIC AWARD—Awarded to a senior who has shown the most improvement academically over the last four years - **Benjamin Ackerly**

TONY BRZYTTWA MEMORIAL HUNTING AWARD—Awarded to a senior who has shown the most interest in hunting - **Benjamin Ackerly, Daniel Irwin**

TONY BRZYTTWA AND DEE BRZYTTWA MEDICAL RESEARCH AWARD—Presented to a senior who is pursuing a medical profession - **Gianna Ballard, Ashley Nieves**

TONY BRZYTTWA MEMORIAL SPORTS AWARD—Awarded to a senior who has shown the most improvement athletically over the last four years - **Alaniz Ruiz Gongora, Eric Tomah**

UNITED CHURCH OF ROSCOE GRADUATION AWARD—Awarded to two graduating seniors in honor of their community service donated to the Roscoe Shepard's Food Pantry - **Benjamin Ackerly, Jack Madera**

VERLYNN R. HILL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to a senior who is a member of the National Honor Society and is pursuing higher education - **Paul Coman, Jr.**

WOMEN'S CLUB OF THE HORTON METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH SCHOLARSHIP— Awarded to a member of the senior class who expects to continue his/her education - **Olivia Cruz, Matthew Hogan**

Alaniz Ruiz Gongora (front) will attend SUNY Sullivan to study criminal justice. **Taylor Frankenberg** will also be attending SUNY Sullivan to study early childhood education.

Molly Rampe will be attending SUNY Sullivan to major in graphic design.

Annabelle Creamer highlighted the importance of social justice in her Salutatorian address. She will be attending the University at Albany to study psychology.

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Graduating senior Gianna Ballard receives awards from Superintendent John Evans.



Olivia Cruz was all smiles when she received her high school diploma from Board of Ed. President Gary Dahlman



Benjamin Ackerly is congratulated by Superintendent John Evans.



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