

FRANKLINVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL



May/June 2021

FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPERINTENDENT...

By: Christopher Swiatek, Superintendent

2021-2022 BUDGET NEWS!

With input from the Board of Education, administration and district staff, we feel that we have put together a budget that enhances educational programs for our students, maintains quality staff, all while keeping the economic impact at a minimum. The district has worked diligently over the past several years to provide a sound education to students who enter the hallways at Franklinville Central School. Together we have created an exciting atmosphere for learning!

As we get ready for the upcoming fiscal year, we all have ideas as to what should or should not be included in the new budget. With all the information that has circulated publicly regarding state aid to districts from the state and/or federal governments, it may appear that the district will be receiving a significant increase in funding. However, much of the funding is considered "Grant in Aid" and funds are to be allocated to specific areas over the next four (4) fiscal years. The district, in accordance with the regulations of the State, will be providing additional documentation in the near future with the plan for the specific allocations. A large amount of funding will be allocated to learning loss gaps due to COVID-19. The District will be implementing summer programs in ELA and Math in addition to our normal summer programming.

The General State Aid proposed for Franklinville Central School for the 2021-2022 fiscal year is less than the district received in the 2015-2016 fiscal year. In the past seven years, the change in the total general operating expenses has increased an average of 0.86% per year, yet the district has been able to go to the public with a 0% increase to the total tax levy for 6 of the last 7 years. The Board of Education, along with my office, have worked hard to understand the struggles our families have faced during this pandemic period. The District has and will continue our policy on a fiscally conservative approach. The public hearing on the budget is scheduled for Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 5:30 in the Middle/High School auditorium. On Tuesday, May 18, 2021, the budget vote will take place in the Middle/High School gymnasium foyer. The polls open at 12:00 (noon) and will close at 8:00 pm. The District would appreciate your continued and dedicated support.

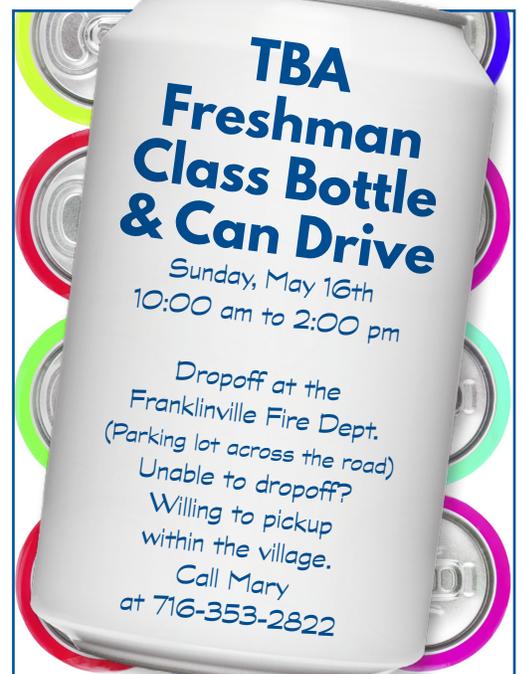
All documents pertaining to the budget are available on the Franklinville Central School website. We encourage you to look at the documents and if anyone has any questions regarding the proposed budget, please feel free to contact Donna Howard, Business Executive or Christopher Swiatek, Superintendent.

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING, BUDGET VOTE AND ELECTION:

By: Francessa Keeling, FCS District Clerk

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that a public hearing of the qualified voters of the Franklinville Central School District, Cattaraugus County, Franklinville, New York, will be held in the Auditorium at Ten Broeck Academy Junior Senior High School building in said District on Tuesday, May 11, 2021 at 5:30 PM prevailing time, for the presentation

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of the budget. The budget will be available for review on May 4, 2021 at the District Clerk's Office located in the Junior Senior High School.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the annual meeting of the qualified voters of the Franklinville Central School District of the Town of Franklinville, Cattaraugus County, New York, will be held at the Ten Broeck Academy Junior Senior High School in said District on Tuesday, May 18, 2021 at 12:00 PM prevailing time, at which said vote and election will be held for eight consecutive hours between the hours of 12:00 PM and 8:00 PM, prevailing time, in the Gymnasium Foyer at Ten Broeck Academy Junior Senior High School, at which time the polls will be opened to vote by voting by ballot or machine upon the following items:

To adopt the annual budget of the School District for the fiscal year 2021-2022 and to authorize **\$19,909,861**, the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the taxable property of the District.

To elect (1) member of the Board for a 5 year term commencing July 1, 2021 and expiring on June 30, 2026 and to succeed William Weigel, whose term expires on June 30, 2021.

To elect (1) member of the Board for a 3 year term commencing May 20, 2021 and expiring on June 30, 2024 and to succeed Diane Soulvie, whose term expires on June 30, 2024.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a copy of the statement of the amount of money which will be required to fund the School District's budget for 2021-2022, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the District during business hours beginning 14 days before the vote, except Saturday, Sunday or holidays Tuesday, May 4, 2021, at the Ten Broeck Academy Junior Senior High School.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of member of the Board of Education shall be filed with the Clerk of said School District at her office in the Junior Senior High School, not later than Monday, April 19, 2021, between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM. Each petition shall be directed to the Clerk of the District and shall be signed by at least (25) voters of the District, must state the name and residence of the candidate and

shall describe the specific vacancy for which the candidate is nominated.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for absentee ballots will be obtainable between the hours of 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM Monday through Friday, except holidays, from the District Clerk. Completed applications must be received by the District clerk at least seven (7) days before the election if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the election, if the ballot is to be delivered personally to the voter. Absentee ballots must be received by the District clerk not later than 5:00 PM, prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 18, 2021.

A list of persons to whom absentee ballots are issued will be available for inspection to qualified voters of the District in the office of the District Clerk on and after May 12, 2021 between the hours of 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM on weekdays prior the day set for the annual election and on May 18, 2021, the day set for the election, and said list will be posted at the polling place(s) at the election. Any qualified voter present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds for making his/her challenge and the reasons therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that military voters who are not currently registered may apply to register as a qualified voter of the school district. Military voters who are qualified voters of the school district may submit an application for a military ballot. Military voters may designate a preference to receive a military voter registration, military ballot application or military ballot by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail in their request for such registration, ballot application or ballot. Military voter registration application forms must be received in the Office of the District Clerk no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 22, 2021. Military ballot applications must be received in the Office of the District Clerk by mail or in person by also no later than 5:00 p.m. on April 22, 2021. No military ballot will be canvassed unless it is returned by mail or in person and (1) received in the Office of the District Clerk before the close of the polls on election day and showing a cancellation mark of the United States postal service or a foreign country's postal service, or showing

a dated endorsement of receipt by another agency of the United States government; or (2) received by the Office of the District Clerk by no later than 5:00 p.m. on election day and signed and dated by the military voter and one witness thereto, with a date which is associated be not later than the day before the election;

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the qualified voters of the School District shall be entitled to vote at said annual vote and election. A qualified voter is one who is (1) a citizen of the United States of America, (2) eighteen years of age or older, and (3) resident within the School District for a period of thirty (30) days preceding the annual vote and election. The School district may require all persons offering to vote at the budget vote and election to provide one form of proof of residency pursuant to Education Law §2018-c. Such form may include a driver's license, a non-driver identification card, a utility bill, or a voter registration card. Upon offer of proof of residency, the School District may also require all persons offering to vote to provide their signature, printed name and address. Any person who would not be qualified to register or vote under the provisions of Election Law Sections 5-100 and 5-106 will not have the right to register for or vote in an election.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that pursuant to a rule adopted by the Board of Education in accordance with §2035 and 2008 of the Education Law, any referenda or propositions to amend the budget, otherwise to be submitted for voting at said election, must be filed with the Franklinville Central School District Board of Education at the Regular Meeting on or before April 20, 2021 at 5:00 PM prevailing time; must be typed or printed in English, must be directed to the Clerk of the School District and signed by at least (43) qualified voters of the District (representing 5% of the number of voters who voted in the previous annual election); and must state the name and residence of each signer. However, the School board will not entertain any petition to place before the voters any proposition the purpose of which is not within the powers of the voters to determine, or any proposition which fails to include a specific appropriation where the expenditure of monies is required by the proposition.

TBA Top Ten Seniors - Class of 2021



➤ **Mckensie Crooks**, daughter of Randy and Colleen Crooks, is first in her class standing with an average of 106.90, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Honors and Mastery of Science. Mckensie plans to attend either Edinboro University or SUNY Geneseo and major in Accounting.



➤ **Kaylee Brennan**, daughter of Bridget Brennan, is second in her class standing with an average of 104.74, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Mastery of Science. Kaylee plans to attend either Alfred University or Niagara University and major in Communications.



➤ **Katie Rose**, daughter of Thomas and Carol Rose, is third in her class standing with an average of 103.79, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Mastery of Science. Katie plans to attend SUNY Fredonia and major in Social Studies Education.



➤ **Makaelynn Graves**, daughter of Tiffany Graves-Decker, Joseph Morris and Cody Decker, is fourth in her class standing with an average of 101.99, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Mastery of Science. Makaelynn plans to attend Jamestown Community College and major in Biology.



➤ **Logan Frank**, son of Jesse and Jessica Frank, is fifth in his class standing with an average of 101.90, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Mastery of Science. Logan plans to attend Mercyhurst University and major in Business.



➤ **Dalton Hood**, son of Victor and Donna Hood, is sixth in his class standing with an average of 96.64, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Mastery of Math and Science with CTE. Dalton plans on working in the Construction field after graduation.



➤ **Tavi Riling**, son of David and Melissa Riling, is seventh in his class standing with an average of 96.50, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with Mastery of Science. Tavi plans to attend Jamestown Community College and major in Computer Science.



➤ **John Tinelli**, son of John and Jennifer Tinelli, is eighth in his class standing with an average of 93.53, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with CTE. John plans to attend the University of Hartford and major in Architecture.



➤ **Jordyn Harasta**, daughter of Cindi Rhoades, is ninth in her class standing with an average of 93.41, earning an Advanced Regents Diploma with CTE. Jordyn plans to attend the University of Pittsburgh at Bradford and major in Nursing.



➤ **Skyler Lawrence**, son of David and Phyllis Lawrence, is tenth in his class standing with an average of 91.75, earning a Regents Diploma with CTE. Skyler plans on working in the Maintenance field after graduation.

T.B.A. VISION AWARDS ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★ ★

Here at Ten Broeck Academy we are preparing our students today for the world tomorrow. In aligning with our mission, we are pleased to announce that several middle and high school students have been nominated by their teachers to receive Vision Awards. These Vision Awards are given in five different categories; Pride in Themselves, Perseverance, Engagement in Community, Knowledge, and Strength of Character, and recognize students for putting their best selves forward.

PERSEVERANCE



**JAYDYN
LOOMIS**

“Jaydyn worked extremely hard to increase her math average after being quarantined and missing a couple of other days. Jaydyn refused to let this year’s circumstances affect her overall grade point average in math. Nice Job Jaydyn!” ~Mr. Jordan

“Reachele has a strong work ethic, both in and out of school. She is a conscientious student who works hard, even when faced with challenges. She demonstrates an inner strength that she draws on in order to achieve her goals. I’m very proud of this young lady and the efforts she has put forth as a graduating senior.” ~Mrs. Smith



**REACHELE
KAUHL**

KNOWLEDGE



**PEYTON
MEST**

“Peyton has gone above and beyond in the classroom assisting students with TEAMS and other tech issues they may have. She does it without complaint. It has been very helpful to have her knowledge and assistance during this stressful time.” ~Mrs. Brennan

“Nathan demonstrates a deep interest for history and the world around him. He routinely shares stories and details concerning long lost empires and uncovered artifacts. Nathan is eager to make connections and expand on the topics we cover in class. His passion for history is inspiring.” ~Mr. Collier



**NATE
NICHOLS**

ENGAGEMENT IN THEIR COMMUNITY



**KAYLEE
FOX**

“Kaylee and Trinity have both volunteered at the SPCA in Olean. They have given their time to walk the dogs and help with the animals however they are needed. Great job girls!” ~Mrs. Wood



**TRINITY
HERMAN**



**EMILEE
LANGDON**

“Emilee was generous enough to spend several hours filling eggs for a community Easter egg hunt. Her help was greatly appreciated and helped many kids in our community have a wonderful time. Thank you Emilee!” ~Mrs. Kent

STRENGTH OF CHARACTER



**WYATT
LAWRENCE**

“Wyatt adds a unique kindness and style of learning to the class while complimenting others and helping others when his peers are in need of it.” ~Mr. Haskell

“Cheznea demonstrates kindness and empathy to others and that is a fantastic quality to possess.” ~Mr. Palmatier



**CHEZNEA
RIVERA**



**ALIAH
RANGE**

“Aliah has worked very hard this year to become a strong student. She has determination and grit that should be commended.” ~Mrs. Hulin

“Hunter always strives to do the best in science. He always does the extra reviews and is a great role model to his classmates.” ~Mrs. Lathrop



**HUNTER
OSGOOD**



FOCUS ON TEN BROECK ACADEMY

By: Robert Hirsch, Middle/High School Principal



STRONG TO THE FINISH LINE

There are 26.2188 miles in a marathon. Most runners quit in the 20th mile because that's when they are physically tired and mentally drained. That's when they lose their vision for the road ahead, so they give up. That is when they are 76 percent through. If there are 180 school days the 20th mile is on around 137th day of school. We see it, some students stop trying and give up. For some their attendance drops, others misbehave, and some just give up and quietly fade away. The 20th mile is roughly between April 26 and May 7 for us. What a great time for spirit week and a rally! This is when great communities band together and rise up. We have been developing our G.R.I.T. (Great Mindset, Resiliency, Intentness, and staying True to our Vision). We have been strengthening our resilience as we continue to overcome all obstacles together.

YEAR END PREPARATIONS

We are looking forward to the last few months of classes. We are ready to put another historic year into the TBA history books! The MS/HS is buzzing with excitement about to start baseball, softball, track & field, and golf. Our Senior class is making final arrangements for their Senior Trip to Lake George in the Adirondack Mountains. The Lodge they will be staying in has an indoor water park and looks like endless fun. They will also be visiting the historic Fort Ticonderoga, having dinner on a cruise ship with a DJ, and participating in the Aerial Zipline Course at Adirondack River Outfitters. Our 8th graders are planning a trip to Gettysburg in June which is always a wonderful history learning experience. Plans for Prom, Graduation, and our 2nd Annual Senior Class Parade are all in the works. Also, our Academic Banquet Committee, Scholarship Committee, and Testing Schedule Coordinators are hard at work. Students

will have an extended break over Memorial Day weekend. School will be closed Friday, May 28th and Monday, May 31st. We wish everyone a happy and safe Memorial Day.

TESTING ENDURANCE

Most important, we are gearing up for academic success. State testing, Final Exams, and Regents Exams are all scheduled for May and June. We want all of our students to have a strong finish to the year. We have had the privilege of being able to be in-person for the majority of the year. Please stress to your children the importance these last two months of school. They should be well rested and well nourished. We have free breakfast and lunch every day for our students. Our cafeteria provides an amazing variety of choices. Breakfast and lunch will be available to all students during Regents week.

Testing Dates for the MS/HS:

- **May 4-5:** 6th and 7th grade State Math Testing
- **May 6-7:** 8th grade State Math Testing
- **June 11-18:** Final Exams
- **June 17-24:** Regents Exams

Please make sure your children are well rested and have a good breakfast on their testing dates. Encourage them to come in at 7:30 for our free breakfast if they do not eat at home.

MS SUMMER PROGRAM

Our middle school summer program is back this year and will have a new look and a new focus enrichment, on closing educational gaps, and credit recovery, while still having fun. The program will still have outside activities, swimming and other fun activities but will have an increased emphasis on Math, Reading, Science, and Social Studies. While there will still be a focus on fun, the main goal will be to get students back on track for the 2021-2022 school year.

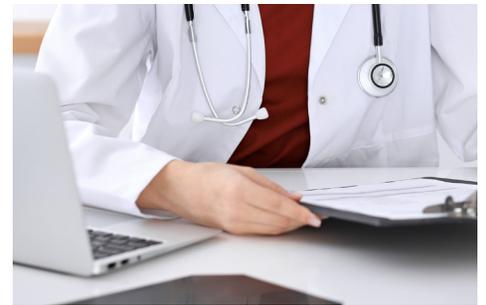
Summer program will be available to current 6th-8th graders and run Monday through Thursday from 9-12:30 including lunch.

PERSEVERANCE PREVAILS

It has been another trying year for schools during this pandemic (wearing masks, keeping to the right of hallways, not being able to fully attend events, etc.),

but because of the amazing support of our parents and community, staff and students, we have been able to maintain sports, VEX competitions, Spirit Weeks, Senior trips and events, etc. for our students along with in-person education so every student at TBA has been afforded an excellent opportunity for academic success.

Thank you all for another great year and our message to parents, students, and staff is that, and has always been, let's keep working to the best of our ability and **FINISH STRONG!** We hope you have a healthy and safe summer.



NURSE'S OFFICE NOTES

IF YOUR CHILD HAS AN INJURY:

If your child is *unable* to participate in physical education or sports for any reason, a Doctor's note is required. The length of restriction should be noted and if no return to activity date is provided, a second doctor's note will be required to allow your child to resume physical activities.

A good rule of thumb is if the injury requires a doctor's visit, a note is required for the Nurse's Office. All notes should be turned into the Nurse, who will give copies to the physical education teachers. **A doctor's note is also needed if a student will require the use of the elevator.** The elevator pass will be issued by the Nurse's Office. The injured student should report to the Nurse's Office upon returning to school, at which time emergency evacuation instructions will be shared with the student and staff will be coordinated to assist the student as needed.

Any student that sustains a concussion must be cleared by their private physician **AND** by the school medical director before returning to play.

SPORTS

SPRING SPORTS UPDATE

By: Mr. Blecha, Athletic Director

The spring sports season has been pushed back to May 3rd due to the Fall 2 season that was installed due to the Covid pandemic. We are currently having signups both in person and online for those athletes who are planning to compete this spring. We are offering: varsity and modified softball, varsity and modified baseball, varsity and modified girls and boys track and field, varsity golf, and varsity and modified wrestling. Parents need to register their children grades 7-12 on the FamilyID.com website or via our school website at tbafcs.org.

JV AND VARSITY FOOTBALL

By: Coach Blecha

Postponed until early this spring, the Varsity and JV football teams have taken to the practice fields. The Fall 2 season has begun as of March 22nd and will run through May 15th for this football year. Once again, we are combined with Ellicottville into what could be a very strong Titans team that will be playing for a shot at another sectional title. Our team is led by returning starters Logan Frank and Matt Peters. Rounding out the varsity and JV rosters are seniors: Everett Leonard, our juniors are Blake Frank and Connor Terwilliger. The rest of the team members are: Ben Brol, Beau Bielecki, Bretton Blecha, Xevide Butman, Hayden Callahan, Sarah Courtney, Jacob Dahlke, Zach Fetterman, Brayden Fitzpatrick, Tyler Gibas, Drew and Isaac Goss, Devin Herman, Levi Jennings, Dakota Miller, Ben Payne, Brysen Riehle, Justin Seamon, Noah Shenk, Noah Stephen, Isaac Towne, Hayden Trietley, and our manager Alex Bridenbaker.

Our season was set to start with a varsity game at Silver Creek/Forestville on 4/3, only

to be cancelled due to SC going on a COVID pause. The game will count as a forfeit win. Akron has agreed to host our team on the 3rd at 2pm. We look forward starting league play by traveling to play on Salamanca's new turf field on the 9th at 7pm. The boys are raring to go and eager to put our hard work into action.

VARSITY CHEERLEADING

By: Coach Lane

This season we have 15 cheerleaders some who have not cheered before. These girls have really stepped up to the challenge of such a short season and are making strides left and right. Girls that have never cheered before are nailing the sidelines and routine. Some have never tumbled before and are gaining the confidence and ability to do so. We are all very happy and excited to be able to cheer this season and can't wait to compete this year at competition. We are excited to see what the fall season holds for us this fall for these young ladies.

GIRLS' JV BASKETBALL

By: Coach Spear

We had an amazing season with a spectacular finish. Our last game was against Silver Creek who had defeated us at home 23-10 earlier in the season. We decided to pull out all the stops and play our hardest against them. We put on a full court, girl to girl press and kept it on the entire game. This took amazing conditioning by our girls and they rose to the occasion. We defeated Silver Creek 35-31, coming from behind to win the game. The team consisted of 8th grader, Libby Price, the rest of the girls were 9th graders, Cara Ossont, Lucy Marchese, Gabby Chesbro, Lilly Haggerty, Olympia Leckey, Tyyetta Herman, Alena Murphy and Makayla Aultman. I am extremely excited for this group of girls and how much they improved over this short season and what the future holds for them.



YACP ART CONTEST

Several of our art students competed in the Young American Creative Patriotic Art contest, sponsored by the Franklinville VFW Post 9487. The contest is open to high school art students to compete for scholarships awarded at the national level. Students first compete at the local level, with the winner advancing to the district, state and national levels, if they keep winning. This year we had entries from Makayla Aultman, Olympia Leckey, Alena Murphy, Cheznea Rivera, and McKenzie Schuyler. McKenzie (pictured), a sophomore in Studio in Art, was our winner with her excellent mixed media drawing of an eagle and soldier.



Congratulations to McKenzie and Good Luck at the District level!

PLEASE NOTE:
School will be closed
Friday, May 28th
and
Monday, May 31st
for Memorial Day



JYG BASKETBALL FROM LEFT TO RIGHT:

Coach Spear, Gabriela Chesebro, Tyyetta Herman, Luciana Marchese, Libby Price, Makayla Aultman, Lilliana Haggerty, Cara Ossont, and Alena Murphy





By: The Counseling Center

ELEMENTARY NEWS:

During the past couple of months, our Elementary Students focused on the character traits of Perseverance and Optimism. In March, we saw great examples of how students overcame challenges without giving up, and throughout April, students did a great job focusing on the positive side of situations.

Mrs. Layton has been visiting classrooms doing lessons and activities focused on Social & Emotional topics, such as Learning about Feelings, Managing Strong Feelings, and Positive Influences/Role Models. Family Resource Sheets were sent home to help students share about what they are learning. Mrs. Layton has been very impressed with the student's interest and engagement in these important topics.

The 5th Graders will be participating in some Q&A time and a building visit with the Guidance Counselor and Principal from Ten Broeck Academy/Franklinville Middle/High School before we close out this school year. More information will be coming home with 5th Grade students about this soon.

Don't miss out on the **Parent Education/Support Series** being provided by Katie Mendell, Community Schools Resource Coordinator. These sessions are hosted remotely each month. May's session is 5/20/21 from 6-7 on Caregiver Self-Care & Stress Management. June's session is 6/24/21 from 6-7, called Anxiety 101. These are great opportunities to get helpful information and support on tough topics. For more information, see the Elementary School Guidance/Counseling Section, reach out to Katie Mendell at kathryn_mendell@caboces.org, call 716-376-8355 or visit the communityschools.caboces.org website.

MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS:

Ms. Rhoades has continued to work on college and career readiness activities with the students. All the 7th-9th grade students

have an account on Guidance Direct and have been given instructions on how to use the account. We have completed a couple of activities to get the students used to using the account. For current 8th graders, as of July 1st they will be considered Freshman and so for any summer activities, just like the current high school students, they should start keeping track on this account. Activities would include sports, extra-curricular activities and community service hours.

All students should now be familiar with their Teams account and how to find their daily work whether they are in school or out. Teachers post assignments daily to the accounts so if a student needs to miss school they know where to find their work and can be caught up and ready to go when they come back to school. Parents can check to see if their children are caught up with work by checking the teams account on the students' laptop. If you are not sure how to do this, please feel free to call Ms. Rhoades and she can walk you through it. Remember we now have an after school study hall on Mondays, Tuesdays & Thursdays from 2:25-3:25 for any student wanting a quiet place to do their homework or anyone needing any help.

As we are now into our last quarter, please remember that for students grades 6-8, in order to move on to the next grade level they must pass Math AND English AND History (Social Studies) or Science. High school students must earn a minimum of 5.5 credits a year (average) in order to move on to the next cohort.

The Career and Technical Education through BOCES has made available virtual tours and career exploration for students. You can reach these tours at <https://caboces.org/cte-career-exploration/> if you want to check these out. Generally every year we take the 8th graders on a tour of the Ellicottville Career & Technical Education Center but with covid-19, they have designed a way for us to tour it virtually. Hopefully next year we will be able to do all our tours of career exploration and college visits, in person!

State Testing: TBA will participate in the 6-8 ELA & Math Assessments as well as the written Science Assessment this year. The state is still running the following Regents exams: Algebra, Living Environment (Biology), Earth Science, and ELA 11. See below for the dates they are scheduled. Call Ms. Rhoades at 676-8054 if you are unsure which exams your child is required to take.

The Catt. County Youth Court will be doing a presentation here shortly for interested students to be trained to be part of this

group. Currently if students are interested in serving as a juror and checking out the group in person, they should see Ms. Rhoades to set this up.

Boys & Girls grades 6 and up: Do you enjoy camping, being outdoors, doing community service and other amazing activities? Think about joining Boy Scout Troop 601. Stop in to see Ms. Rhoades and she can give you any information you need. The troop meets on Mondays from 6-7:30 so it doesn't generally interfere with sports!

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS:

Seniors: Please remember to complete and turn in your resume, record release, letters of recommendation, proficiencies and community service logs.

SAT and ACT: SAT dates: May 8 and June 5: <http://www.collegeboard.org>
ACT dates: June 12: www.act.org
Any Junior interested in going to College should register for at least one test.

Scholarships: Students are encouraged to apply for scholarships. They can be found on our website: <https://www.tbafcs.org/Page/2000> and in the Counseling Center. Many Senior scholarships are available!

College Visits/Fairs: Students interested in attending SUNY Colleges can register here: <https://www.suny.edu/attend/visitus/campus-visit/> Students interested in attending the National College Fair can register here: <https://virtualcollegefairs.org/events/Juniors> are strongly encouraged to attend.

College Applications and Financial Aid: Attention Seniors: If you are planning on attending college and have not completed your College applications and/or FAFSA, please do so as soon as possible.

Tuition-Free Summer College Courses through JCC and GCC: Students interested can register through the following links:
JCC: <http://www.sunyjcc.edu/earn>
GCC: <http://www.genesee.edu/offices/admissions/apply/>

Career Exploration: 10th grade students participated in a CTE Career Exploration designed by CA BOCES. Students were able to take an interest assessment, explore career clusters, and view a variety of videos pertaining to program options at CA BOCES CTE Centers in Belmont, Ellicottville, and Olean. Our students were able to see other

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students and teachers in the classrooms at each CTE Center, demonstrating skills learned in their classes.

11th grade students will be participating in a Career Exploration in May.

The following students were recently accepted into the CA BOCES New Visions Program for the 2021-2022 school year:

Margaret McAuley (Education program) and Delaney Pfeiffer (Health Professions program) Congratulations!!!

If you need help with anything at all, please give me a call. I am happy to help!

Matt Harris – Counselor
716-676-8025

RACHEL'S CHALLENGE:

Information will be sent home on the annual Seniors vs. Staff Volleyball Game coming soon. This is a huge event that the seniors and staff look forward to each year, and the only fundraiser we have. Rachel's Challenge meets every Friday during homeroom in Ms. Rhoades' office on the 3rd floor but all student's grades 6-12 are welcome.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

(Please remember all activities are subject to change due to COVID-19)

- 5/4 & 5/5/21: 6th & 7th grade Math
- 5/6 & 5/7/21: 8th grade Math
- 6/9/21: 8th Grade Science

- 6/16-6/25/21: Regents exams
- 6/18/21: Middle & High School Academic Reception
- 6/21/21 Elementary Academic Reception
- 6/24/21: Baccalaureate
- 6/25/21: Graduation

ACT test dates for 2020-21:
(register at www.actstudent.org)
• June 12, 2021

SAT test dates for 2020-2021:
(register at www.collegeboard.com)
• May 8, 2021 • June 5, 2021

As always, if you have any comments, questions, and/or concerns, please feel free to contact our office at **676-8013!** This is the number for our main Guidance Office.

Jen Layton676-8023
School Counselor, Grades PreK-5

Cindi A. Rhoades.....676-8054
School Counselor, Grades 6-9

Matt Harris.....676-8025
School Counselor, Grades 10-12

REGENTS EXAMINATION SCHEDULE: JUNE 2021

Students must verify with their schools the exact times that they are to report for their State examinations.

June 17 THURSDAY	June 18 FRIDAY	June 21 MONDAY	June 22 TUESDAY	June 23 WEDNESDAY	June 24 THURSDAY	June 25 FRIDAY
8:00 am		8:00 am	8:00 am	8:00 am	8:00 am	RATING DAY
English Language Arts		Spanish 8	Living Environment	Algebra I	Physical Setting/ Earth Science	
		12:00 pm	Uniform Admission Deadline			
		Spanish III	Morning Examinations: 10:00 a.m.			

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY INDUCTEES

On March 4th, fifteen juniors were inducted into TBA's chapter of the National Honor Society. The National Honor Society officers and members led the ceremony with information about each pillar (Scholarship, Leadership, Character and Service) and lighting the candles. The ceremony took place in the High School Gymnasium with families present. There is a recording of the ceremony available to watch on the school's website, under the Pawse Live Events Page.

Congratulations to the new members of TBA's chapter of the National Honor Society: Nicole Burton, Alexandria Dick, Tarryn Herman, Margaret McAuley, Riley Moffat, Kyara Nugent, Emily Ossont, Mia Pavone, Olivia Payne, Delaney Pfeiffer, Haley Reynolds, Cheznea Rivera, Alan Shortz Jr., Mikayla Tatlow, and Wyatt Tinelli.

Pictured (Front Row): Margaret McAuley, Haley Reynolds, Kyara Nugent, Riley Moffat, Delaney Pfeiffer.

Second Row: Emily Ossont, Tarryn Herman, Olivia Payne, Mikayla Tatlow, Alan Shortz, Jr.

Third Row: Alexandria Dick, Nicole Burton, Cheznea Rivera, Mia Pavone, Wyatt Tinelli.

Fourth Row: McKensie Crooks, Katie Rose, Kaylee Brennan, Tavi Riling, Logan Frank, Makaelynn Graves.



SIXTH GRADERS HAVE THRIVED

By Mrs. Knuth

It has been quite a year for the 6th graders. We began our year with the big move from the elementary to the high school building. Quite a few were nervous the first day, including the teachers, and maybe even some parents, but there was no need to worry. The students quickly adjusted, and not just to the building, but with the new social distance protocols- 6 ft apart and masked up.

We all are proud to say that we didn't just survive the year, we **THRIVED!** We were still able to have fun while learning. We managed to take a trip to Cash Park where we could enjoy the outdoor classroom environment. In Social Studies class the kids studied Geography and created globes out of pumpkins. They created pyramids, sarcophagi, and a Sphynx while learning about Ancient Egypt. To finish our Ancient Greece unit the students made PowerPoint presentations, and some were even brave enough to dress the part!

We spent some time expressing ourselves through poetry. Several of the 6th graders even submitted their poems to potentially be showcased in the Young American Poetry Digest. Haiku and water colors seemed to be the favorite.

Overall, it was a fantastic year...maybe unusual, but still memorable.



FIRST LEGO LEAGUE CHAMPIONSHIP

TBA 8th grade students attended the virtual First Lego League Championship event on April 17, 2021. This year due to COVID it had to take place virtually by uploading the Lego matches. This challenge consists of three parts, scoring as many points as possible on the RePlay Lego mission mat, designing an innovation project, and designing a robot appropriate for the missions. This process involves three official matches and a virtual interview with five Lego League judges.

After having a mock match in class, our top four of nine teams were chosen to participate in the competition. The 8th grade students spent the first two quarters of school learning to code their EV3 robot during their Technology 8 class every other day. This prepared them to start programming the missions for this year's Lego League RePlay challenge during the third quarter. Students worked in teams of about six to strategically complete as many missions as possible in 2.5 minutes. This year's coaches, Dawn Wardner and Janelle Goodrich were very proud of the team's ability to work together and learn through trial and error. The team's ability to persevere through their differences to develop the most efficient approach to each mission led them to this year's success.

The students did not win any awards this year, but each team did a great job representing our region. The Franklinville Lego League will continue to grow in the future.

Monke Gang

Shea Smith
Gannon Callahan
Nicholas Hillman
Collin Mooney
Hayden Phillips
William Slavinski

Royal Raccoons

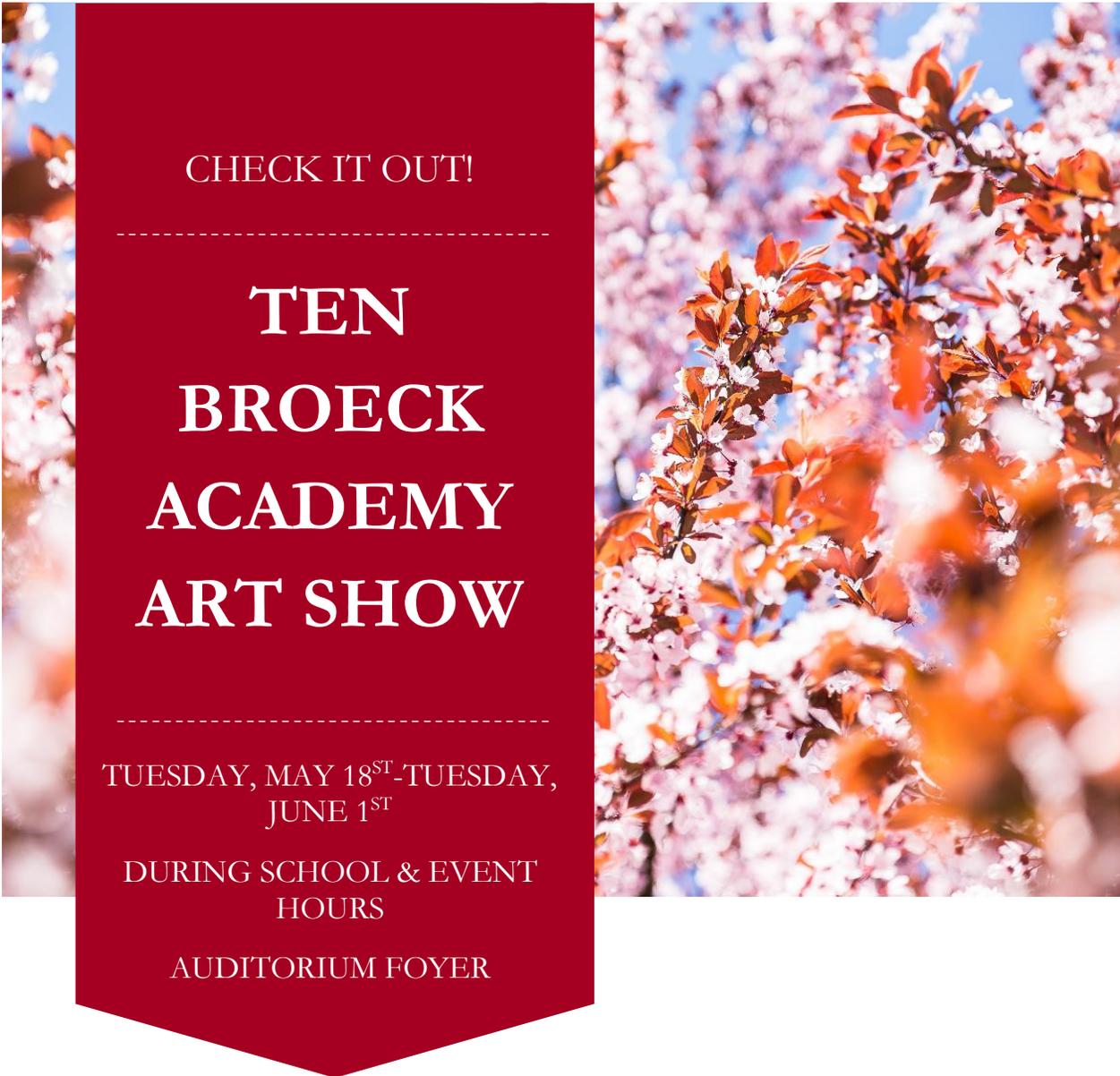
Danielle Carlson
Abbigale Chase
Ana Hillman
Mercedes Ginney
Nadia Bowers
Abby Spencer
Alexis Miller
Ayla Passage
Trinity Garrey

Lego Legends

Blake Green
Bretton Blecha
Calin Terwilliger
Isaac Towne
Braeden Kent
Tyrnan Farrington

Lizard Beats Monkey

Ethan Allen
Audree Green
Julian Moreira-Rivera
Ari Riling
Matthew Spittler
Chelsey Ramsey



CHECK IT OUT!

**TEN
BROECK
ACADEMY
ART SHOW**

TUESDAY, MAY 18ST-TUESDAY,
JUNE 1ST

DURING SCHOOL & EVENT
HOURS

AUDITORIUM FOYER

Please join us in celebrating the creative works of our high school art students. Drawing, Painting, Design, Digital Photography, Ceramics & Sculpture and more will all be on display.

The show will be open beginning with the Budget Vote on May 18st and will run through Tuesday, June 1st

Works will be on display throughout the Auditorium foyer.

PLEASE NOTE: Class of 2021 Commencement Ceremony is Friday, June 25th at 6:30 pm

Franklinville Central School District Lunch Menu

May 2021

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Lunch Prices	
Elementary School-student	\$2.10
High School-student	\$2.30
Milk	\$0.40
Adult (includes tax)	\$4.20

** Ask us about the convenience of myschoolbucks.com to pre-pay on your account using your credit/debit card and track your child's purchases.



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Available Daily

For additional information contact:
Jeff Colburn, FSD
716-676-8017

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Free & Reduced Meal applications may be obtained from the Elementary School or Ten Broeck Academy throughout the school year. If you are eligible for free or reduced lunch, you are also eligible for breakfast.

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3 Entrée> Chicken Parm Sandwich SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese Rice Carrots Variety Fruit	4 Entrée> Pizza SAND: ES: Turkey w/cheese Green Beans Variety Fruit	5 Entrée> Chicken Nuggets SAND: ES: Bologna/w/cheese Soft Pretzel Baked Beans Variety Fruit	6 Entrée> Spaghetti & Meatballs SAND: ES: Tuna Garlic Breadstick Corn Variety Fruit	7 Entrée> Toasted Cheese SAND: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato Broccoli Variety Fruit
10 Entrée> Breaded Pork Patty/ Bun SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese Green Beans Variety Fruit	11 Entrée> Pizza SAND: ES: Turkey w/cheese Corn Variety Fruit	12 Entrée> Chicken Patty/Bun SAND: ES: Bologna/w/cheese Broccoli Variety Fruit	13 Entrée> Taco in a bag w/lettuce, tomato, cheese SAND: ES: Tuna Baked Beans Variety Fruit	14 HS Entrée> Breakfast Sandwich SAND: French Toast/Sausage Variety Sandwiches
17 Entrée> Hot Dog/Bun SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese French Fries Baked Beans Variety Fruit	18 Entrée> Pizza SAND: ES: Turkey w/cheese Green Beans Variety Fruit	19 Entrée> Chicken Tenders SAND: ES: Bologna/w/cheese Soft Pretzel Carrots Variety Fruit	20 Entrée> Meatball Sub SAND: ES: Tuna Corn Variety Fruit	21 Entrée> Toasted Cheese SAND: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato Broccoli Variety Fruit
24 Entrée> Cheeseburger/Bun SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese French Fries Corn Variety Fruit	25 Entrée> Pizza SAND: ES: Turkey w/cheese Green Beans Variety Fruit	26 Entrée> Chicken Patty/Bun SAND: ES: Bologna/w/cheese Soft Pretzel Carrots Variety Fruit	27 Entrée> Taco in a bag w/lettuce, tomato, cheese SAND: ES: Tuna Baked Beans Variety Fruit	28 Entrée> Memorial Day Weekend SAND: NO SCHOOL
31 Entrée> Memorial Day SAND: NO SCHOOL				

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June 2021

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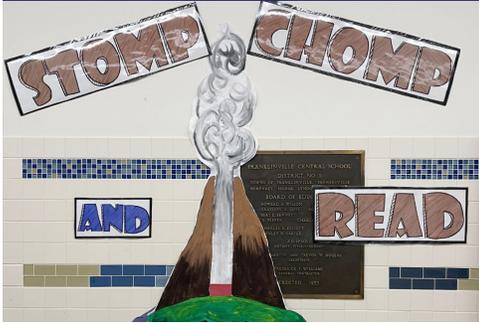
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<p>7 Entrée> SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese</p> <p>Hot Dog/Bun</p> <p>French Fries Green Beans Variety Fruit</p>	<p>8 Entrée> SAND: ES: Turkey w/cheese</p> <p>Pizza</p> <p>Corn Variety Fruit</p>	<p>9 Entrée> SAND: ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Patty/Bun</p> <p>ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Carrots Variety Fruit</p>	<p>10 Entrée> SAND: ES: Tuna</p> <p>Taco in a bag w/lettuce, tomato, cheese ES: Tuna</p> <p>Baked Beans Variety Fruit</p>	<p>11 Entrée> SAND: ES: Variety Sandwiches</p> <p>Breaded Pork Patty/ Bun Variety Sandwiches</p> <p>Broccoli Variety Fruit</p>
<p>14 Entrée> SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Parm Sandwich</p> <p>Rice Carrots Variety Fruit</p>	<p>15 Entrée> SAND: ES: Turkey w/cheese</p> <p>Pizza</p> <p>Corn Variety Fruit</p>	<p>16 Entrée> SAND: ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Tenders</p> <p>ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Carrots Variety Fruit</p>	<p>17 Entrée> SAND: ES: Tuna</p> <p>Meatball Sub</p> <p>ES: Tuna</p> <p>Green Beans Variety Fruit</p>	<p>18 Entrée> SAND: ES: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato</p> <p>Toasted Cheese Variety Sandwiches Tomato</p> <p>Broccoli Variety Fruit</p>
<p>21 Entrée> SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Parm Sandwich</p> <p>Rice Carrots Variety Fruit</p>	<p>22 Entrée> SAND: ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Soft Pretzel Baked Beans Variety Fruit</p> <p>ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Chef's Choice</p>	<p>23 Entrée> SAND: ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Tenders</p> <p>ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Soft Pretzel Baked Beans Variety Fruit</p> <p>Chef's Choice</p>	<p>24 Entrée> SAND: ES: Tuna</p> <p>Meatball Sub</p> <p>ES: Tuna</p> <p>Green Beans Variety Fruit</p> <p>Baccalaureate!</p>	<p>25 Entrée> SAND: ES: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato</p> <p>Toasted Cheese Variety Sandwiches Tomato</p> <p>Broccoli Variety Fruit</p> <p>Graduation</p>
<p>28 Entrée> SAND: ES: Ham w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Parm Sandwich</p> <p>Rice Carrots Variety Fruit</p>	<p>29 Entrée> SAND: ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Soft Pretzel Baked Beans Variety Fruit</p> <p>Chef's Choice</p>	<p>30 Entrée> SAND: ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Chicken Tenders</p> <p>ES: Bologna w/cheese</p> <p>Carrots Variety Fruit</p>	<p>31 Entrée> SAND: ES: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato</p> <p>Toasted Cheese Variety Sandwiches Tomato</p> <p>Broccoli Variety Fruit</p>	<p>4 Entrée> SAND: ES: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato</p> <p>Toasted Cheese ES: Variety Sandwiches Tomato</p> <p>Broccoli Variety Fruit</p>

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ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

By: Thomas Riddoch, Elementary Principal



STOMP, CHOMP, AND READ!

Franklinville Elementary students have enjoyed a reading incentive called STOMP, CHOMP, and READ. Over the last 6 weeks, they were building their independent reading stamina while enjoying a fun dinosaur theme. Each student received a reading log to keep track of their progress and received little incentives along the way. The schoolwide progress was tracked with a giant volcano. The students watched in the foyer as the volcano got closer and closer to erupting. On Friday, April 16th we had a schoolwide prehistoric day. As a culminating event, all of the students who participated got the opportunity to see the volcano explode and watch Mr. Riddoch get covered in lava "slime."



PRE-K REGISTRATION

Applications are available now for Pre-K. To be eligible children must be 4 years old by December 1st and residents of the Franklinville School District. Please have birth certificates, immunization records, and proof of residency. Please have completed applications turned in by June 1st. For more information call 716-676-8020 or stop by the Elementary School Office between the hours of 8:00 am-3:30 pm, Monday-Friday.

DROP-OFF/PICK-UP REMINDERS MORNING DROP-OFF

Cars should pull forward the full length of the sidewalk at the South Entrance.

Students will not be allowed in the building before 8:25. If you arrive before that time, please remain with your child until 8:25.

After the cars in front of you have unloaded, please pull forward in a single file line. Do not drive around stopped cars or get out of the line once you are in it.

AFTERNOON PICK-UP

Enter through Riggs Street and proceed to the South entrance. Have your tag displayed on the mirror. Do not hang additional items next to your tag as it disrupts the signal. If you do not have your tag you will be asked to pull forward or park while we retrieve your child.

Load all children on the passenger side. Staff are not allowed to leave the sidewalk or load children in the vehicle.

The key piece for all of this is to remain patient during the drop-off and pick-up process. Thank you in advance for helping us maintain a safe arrival and dismissal for our children.



NEW 2021 SUMMER PROGRAM

The summer program is back this year and will have a new look and a new focus on closing educational gaps while still having fun. The program will still include playground time, swimming, and STEM activities but will have an increased emphasis on Math and Reading. The students will continue AIS services as well to help combat the "summer slide" where students can lose up to 20% of the growth they made during the year. The pandemic has left our children with even larger gaps in their education. While there will still be a focus on fun, the main goal will be to get students back on track for the 2021-2022 school year.

The summer program will be available to current PK-5th graders and run Monday through Thursday from 9-12:30 including lunch. Unfortunately, as we will be required to still operate in Covid protocols the program will have a limited number of participants and initially be by invitation only.

FOLLOW US ON TWITTER

@tbafcs and @Franklinville2 and Instagram: Franklinville_Elementary

Please use the hashtag #proudTBApanther when highlighting the awesome things happening in our community.

STUDENTS RISE TO THE KIDS HEART CHALLENGE



The Elementary School participated in the Kids Heart Challenge in February. Students were able to sign up online and use an app to collect donations or could collect donations on a paper form. All donations went to support the American Heart Association. Throughout the fundraising month the students learned facts about heart health and also could learn more about a whole healthy body through the app in game form. The school had a goal of raising \$3000 and the students would get to silly string Mrs. Korzeniewski who is the school coordinator. When that goal was reached quickly, a second goal was set to raise \$5000 to get to silly string Mr. Riddoch. The total amount raised surpassed all the goals and was a school record for amount raised in one year of \$6830.46. The top earner was 1st grader Tucker Perkins raising \$708.51. 47 students signed up to participate in the Kids Heart Challenge. Students who raised over \$150 were able to silly string Mrs. Korzeniewski and students who raised over \$200 were able to silly string Mr. Riddoch. This was broadcasted to all the classes over TEAMS to watch live. Thank you to everyone who donated and participated in the Kids Heart Challenge this year! There are many resources on www.heart.org on heart health to check out!



"PAST" TEACHINGS

By Mrs. Daigler, Mrs. Enser, Miss Moore

The second grade students completed a unit project to culminate their learning on the essential questions "What can different cultures teach us?" and "How does understanding the past shape the future?". A large part of these units focused on explaining tall tales in America's past. Each student did research on a tall tale character and created a "Bottle Buddy" and writing piece to demonstrate their knowledge.



Franklinville District and Head Start Pre-K 2021-2022 School Year



When? Applications are available now – call or stop by the Elementary School Office between the hours of 8:00am-3:30pm, Monday-Friday
Completed applications are due by June 1st.

Who? **District Pre-K Program:**
Children who will be 4 years old by December 1, 2021

Head Start Program:
Children turning 3 by September 1, 2021 and 4 year olds

What? The following is needed to register your child:
Birth Certificate, Immunization Records and Proof of Residency

How? Applications can be mailed or picked up at the Elementary School Main Office

Looking for more information? Please contact the following individuals:
Franklinville Pre-K Program: Shanna Dunlap@ sdunlap@tbafcs.org
Head Start Program for 3 and 4 year olds: Aimee Stanbro 716-474-1807 or astanbro@tbafcs.org



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Thomas Riddoch, Elementary Principal
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May 18, 2021 – 4:30 to 6:30 pm
Krolick's Chicken BBQ
Evening of the Budget Vote... Let Krolick's Do The Cooking!
Elementary Parking Lot
\$12.00 per dinner
(includes potato salad, macaroni salad, and dinner roll)
Reserve your dinner today!
Purchase tickets from a Class of 2023 TBA student.
Checks may be written to the Class of 2023.