

FRANKLINVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL

FOCUS

TEN BROECK
ACADEMY

November/December 2022



GIRLS HOCKEY COMES TO FRANKLINVILLE

Athletic Director Peter Spear

Lilah Cudney, class of 2025, is extremely excited and appreciative that she will have the opportunity to be the first student athlete to represent Franklinville/TBA in the Western NY Girls Varsity Ice Hockey League. Franklinville has merged with Frontier, Lakeshore and Orchard Park (FLOP) to form one Girls Hockey Team. Here is a brief summary of Lilah's hockey accomplishments. Lilah began playing hockey at the age of 4 with Olean Arrows Youth Hockey Association. She played from 2010-2020 on the Olean Arrows. In the 2019-2020 season she was selected as Team Co-Captain. In 2019-2020, the Olean Arrows won the

WNYAHL League Championship. In 2020 Lilah joined Amherst Knights Youth Hockey Organization. In 2022 the Amherst Knights won the 14U NYSAHA State Championship. Currently, Lilah plays for the Amherst Lady Knights 16U Tier 1 team. So far this season, team has traveled to Boston, MA twice and Toronto, Canada for tournaments. In addition to their regular league games, the team will also compete in tournaments in Boston, MA, Detroit, MI, Rochester and Buffalo, NY. Ultimately, Lilah and her teammates hope to return to the USA Hockey National Championship, which will take place in Dallas, TX in March 2023.

(See more FCS Sports Updates starting on page 6)

christmas spirit needs your help!

Christmas Spirit is a non-profit group made up of volunteer members of the Franklinville Central School District Community that provides gifts during the holiday season to families in need that live within our district. If you would like to help, please contact the school offices. We depend upon donations to make this happen. You may send monetary donations to the high school, attn. Jill Haskins, to 31 N. Main St., Franklinville, NY 14737. Please make checks payable to "Christmas Spirit 2022."

Our delivery to families is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, December 13th, with a "snow" date of Thursday, December 15th.

Please help us make this holiday season a happy one for every Franklinville family.

Thank You,

THE 2022 CHRISTMAS SPIRIT COMMITTEE



FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

On the first day of school, I had the opportunity to work with our 9-12 grade students. In each session, the classes did team-building activities about supporting each other and positivity. In the last part of the session, I asked every student to create an individual goal they would like to accomplish. While making their goals, they also had to write down what obstacles might get in the way of reaching them and how they would persevere over them. It was amazing to see the goals that our students have set for themselves and how they



envision they will reach their goals. Reading our student's goals and seeing how hard they work every day; I know our future is in good hands.

*Superintendent
Donald Putnam*

ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

By: Thomas Riddoch, Elementary Principal

The 2022-2023 school year is off to a fantastic start. The students and staff are settling in and quickly getting into their routines. Below are a couple of reminders for families.

FRANKLINVILLE 10,000 BOOK PYRAMID

Our goal for the 2022-2023 school year is to collectively read 10,000 books by June. We will be earning great rewards as we progress towards our final goal. To help us reach our goal, we have broken it in to 2,000 book increments. So far, we are halfway to our first school-wide reward of 2,000 books.

All students in grades PK-5 received a pyramid to record the books read at home and in school. When their pyramid is full, please send into to school, and you will receive another pyramid to keep reading and recording.

Together we can reach our goal of 10,000 books!

HOT BREAKFAST IS BACK!

Students are back eating breakfast in the cafeteria this year. Breakfast is available for all students between 7:20 and 7:50 daily in our cafeteria.

HALLOWEEN PARADE

The Halloween Parade will be on October 31st at 1 p.m. Weather permitting, the parade will be held outside for families to enjoy. We ask that if you plan on picking your child up after the parade, you send a note ahead of time. For the safety and security of our students, we ask that parents and family members refrain from wearing costumes. Students should not wear their costumes to school. They will have time to change after lunch.



AFTER-SCHOOL PLAYGROUND EXPECTATIONS.

For everyone's safety and enjoyment of the school playground, I would like to remind everyone of the following expectations.

- **Adult supervision is required at all times. Unsupervised children will be asked to leave school grounds.**
- Playground equipment/area is designed for children between 2 and 12.
- Public use of the playground is limited to times when school is not in session.
- Proper attire, including shirts and shoes, is required at all times on school grounds.
- Vulgar or foul language is prohibited.
- Animals are prohibited on school grounds.
- School grounds are a drug and alcohol-free zone. This includes the use of e-cigarettes and vapes.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation. Have a great fall. Stay safe, and I look forward to seeing you all soon.



INTRODUCING PRIMARY PROJECT

I would like to introduce an exciting new program at Franklinville Elementary called Primary Project. We have been working hard to bring this opportunity to our school, get the space set up, and diligently participating in training sessions to kick off its implementation.

ABOUT PRIMARY PROJECT

Primary Project is a Tier 2 school-based program for children displaying mild to moderate school adjustment difficulties such as withdrawal, shy behaviors, mild acting out behaviors, and potential learning challenges. The goal of Primary

Project is to enhance social, emotional, behavioral, and learning skills while reducing social, emotional, and school adjustment difficulties in preschool through 2nd grade children. Promoting good mental health during these early years will establish developmental competencies that will positively contribute to children's school readiness and engagement as well as improve positive lifelong development.

STUDENT SELECTION

In order to determine student eligibility, several factors are considered. The Primary Project Team will use a scientifically tested screening measure to gather information from classroom teachers on their student population. The Primary Project Coordinator and/or Supervisor will observe children in both the classroom and other natural settings. Parent referrals are taken into consideration as well. Parental permission will always be obtained in order for a child to participate in the Primary Project Program.

THE PROGRAMMING

Child participants will meet weekly with the Primary Project's Child Associate in the designated program space. This person has been specially trained to use developmentally appropriate child-led play as a means to provide a timely, effective intervention. The Child Associate will work closely with and under the supervision of a Mental Health Professional, our School Counselor, Mrs. Jennifer Layton. The intervention session schedule runs for 12-15 weeks, on average, but the time frame is ultimately determined by the student's need.

REACH OUT

If you have questions about the program and/or would like to refer your child to the Primary Project Program, please reach out to one of the follow Primary Project Team Members.

Program Coordinator -
Mr. Thomas Riddoch
(716) 676-8020 or triddoch@tbafcs.org

Program Supervisor -
Mrs. Layton
(716) 676-8023 or jlayton@tbafcs.org

COACH'S CORNER

Amy Burton
Elementary
Instructional Coach
716-676-8000 ext. 2214



TOP 5 THINGS TO KNOW ABOUT AIS

1. AIS stands for Academic Intervention Services.
2. ALL students are a part of Tier 1 where they ALL receive the same grade level, core instruction. Tiers 2 & 3 are supplemental instruction provided as needed.
3. When determining if a student is in need of extra support, many factors are considered. Teachers gather to study data from the student's academic performance. This data could be from tests, class work/ participation, or a teacher/ parent recommendation.
4. If a student is in need of extra support to show grade level expectations then the student may be put into AIS where they would receive small group instruction, tailored to their specific needs to bridge the gap and bring them back up to grade level without missing core instruction in the classroom.
5. The length of time in AIS depends on the time it takes to bridge that gap. All students' progress is monitored and reviewed every 8 weeks or less. Then it is determined if a student has made enough progress to leave AIS or if a change in their AIS is necessary.

We are focused on the success of all our students and we know that they all can learn and succeed, just not all on the same day.

FROM THE GUIDANCE OFFICE

Happy Fall! It feels so great to be back to almost normal here at school after the last couple of years with the pandemic! Sports and extracurricular activities are in full swing, classes seem more "normal" and you can see the difference in all the students! We hope you all have a wonderful and safe holiday season.

MIDDLE SCHOOL NEWS:

The 6th graders are all transitioning very well to the Middle School, finding their classes and gaining more independence. We are all very proud of them.

The 7th and 8th graders are participating in the "Too Good For Drugs" curriculum brought to us through our partnership with CaRES. This is a program that helps with our Social Emotional Learning (SEL) focusing on positive and healthy choices and life styles. This is just one way we foster healthy habits for a successful life.

All students grades 6 through 8 are getting a lot of SEL through their Advisement class with a variety of curriculum including the Michigan Model of Social Emotional Learning, book study (currently *Middle School, the Worst Years of My Life* by James Patterson), Rachel's Challenge foundations, the Inside Out Character Development (this year's theme is Forged by Fire), Restorative Justice and so much more. For more information on TBAs curriculum in Social Emotional Learning, go to the school website under Pupil Services and look for Curriculum Development.

Ms. Rhoades continues to work on the importance of attendance and once again is offering rewards for perfect attendance each quarter so look for news of that soon.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS:

Dear Franklinville Students and Families:
I hope all is well. Please be sure to view the Counseling website (tbafcs.org/Page/2000) for information on scholarships, college visits and applications, financial aid, community service opportunities and much more!

Attention Seniors: Please bring your college acceptance letters, college scholarships and awards to the Counseling Center. If you need help applying to college and/or for financial aid, or if you

are interested in applying for a job and/ or enlisting in the Military and need help with the next steps, please see Mr. Harris.

Attention Juniors and Seniors: To qualify for scholarships, students must submit a resume, records release and recommendation letters to the Counseling Center before the New Year. Juniors and Seniors had a great time attending the College Consortium on September 16th and were able to speak with representatives from several colleges in and around WNY. Juniors and Seniors will also tour Alfred State College on November 10th. We will continue to host and attend college visits throughout the year.



Students at the College Consortium Attention Freshman and Sophomores:

We will meet individually over the next few weeks and months to catch up and review important information including your schedule for next year. On November 2nd, Sophomores will take a tour of the Ellicottville CTE Center to learn more about the Career and Technical Education programs that are available to them beginning their junior year. Mr. Harris will also meet with the Freshman and Sophomores to complete College and Career readiness activities.

Important dates to remember:

- Sophomore tour of Ellicottville CTE Center: November 2nd

- SAT: March 1st in school

- ACT: Register online at act.org

- ASVAB test for Juniors: March 14th

- ASVAB Career Workshop: March 21st

Please let me know if you need help with anything. Happy Holidays!

Sincerely,
Matt Harris
716-676-8025
mharris@tbafcs.org



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ATTENTION SENIORS AND PARENTS:

First, a loud shout out to all the parents and students who have helped with donations, time and support of Class of 2023. We will be starting a Winter Wonderland Fundraiser sale, as we are winding down from the Fall Sports concession stand, Homecoming Football game and Dance.

So, a busy start to our Senior Year. This is just a friendly reminder that the Senior Dues are due, as soon as possible. Seniors have their Senior T-shirts picked out, and as soon as dues are in we can get them to the class. Coming soon is the deadline to register for our Senior Trip, the deadline is November 18th. We will be sending out more information to the parents as we get closer. Any questions or concerns, please get a hold of Mrs. Wardner or Ms. LaBarron as we would be happy to help you out.

GUIDANCE CONTINUED...

RACHEL'S CHALLENGE:

The kids in Rachel's Challenge are already hard at work sponsoring the annual Red Ribbon Week (October 23-31). In both the elementary and the Jr/Sr High School they had themed days with important messages to help kids remember to make positive and healthy choices in their lives.

Currently we are getting ready for our annual Hat & Mitten Tree in both the elementary and the Middle/High School. If you are not familiar with this, during the month of November and beginning of December the students put up a Christmas tree in both schools for students to decorate with new hats and mittens. These items are then donated to Christmas Spirit and Catholic Charities to make sure that every child, teen and adult have warm hats and mittens each season. A flyer should be going home soon about the program but please consider donating new hats or mittens to this wonderful program. Just send in the items for your student to hang on the tree. If you don't have a student in the building and want to contribute to this wonderful cause, feel free to send the items into the school to Meghan Russell at the elementary school or Cindi Rhoades at the middle/ high school.

We plan to continue with most of our annual events and are looking for a few community service project ideas so let us know if you are aware of something the community is in need of! For more information about Rachel's Challenge, feel free to call Ms. Rhoades at 676-8054 or Ms. Russell at 676-8016.

DATES TO REMEMBER:

- 11/3/22: **NO SCHOOL** for Superintendent's Day
- 11/4/22: **End of Quarter 1**
- 11/11/22: **No School** for Veteran's Day
- 11/15/22: **Fall Sports Reception** 6:00 PM
- 11/21/22: **Parent Teacher Conferences** 4:15-7:15 PM
- 11/22/22: **NO SCHOOL**, Parent Teacher Conferences 7:30-11:00 AM
- 11/23-27/22: **NO SCHOOL**
- 12/9/22: **High School Musical**
- 12/17/22: **Breakfast with Santa**
- 12/24/22-1/2/23: **NO SCHOOL**
- 6/22/23: **Baccalaureate**
- 6/23/23: **Graduation**

ACT test dates for 2022-23

(register at www.actstudent.org)

SAT test dates for 2022-23

(register at www.collegeboard.com)

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 Layton,
School Counselor PreK-5 676-8023

Cindi A. Rhoades,
School Counselor 6-8 676-8054

Matt Harris,
School Counselor 9-12 676-8025

WELCOME!

It has been an honor to accept the position of Special Education Teacher at Franklinville Central School and Ten Broeck Academy. I take great pride of growing up here and being part of many milestones here in this community. I have had many memories of the great relationships I have had with teachers, coaches, and administration here. Due to the relationships I have had here, I have been able to learn from teachers and coaches that have really helped shape who I am today. I coach swimming, and track and field here at TBA and look forward to another great year. I also look forward to getting to know the students and parents in my new role and making connections between school and home a priority. As well as serving the families and students here in Franklinville. I wish everyone the very best this year, and look forward to getting to know all of you more in this community.

With great panther pride,
Tyvetta Herman



The 6-8th grade students would like to thank the community for their support in our annual MUM fundraiser.

It was a huge success!

Our next fundraiser will be our Christmas Poinsettia's!

Please remember all proceeds go towards their 8th grade trip to Gettysburg, PA and Washington DC.



Franklinville FFA & Agriculture

Mr. Joey Farrand

On August 1st Sean Howard placed 3rd in livestock judging and the team of Sean Howard, Shea Smith and Jacob Dahkle placed 4th. Also, that day Tarryn Herman placed 3rd in dairy judging and the team of Tarryn Herman, Tyyetta Herman and Trinity Herman placed 4th. The agronomy contest saw Sean Howard place 3rd, Tyyetta Herman place 4th and Tarryn Herman place 5th. They were the 1st placed team as well.

On August 2nd Evan Leonard place 2nd and Tyyetta Herman placed 3rd in the wildlife id contests. They placed 1st as a team. In the tree id contest Evan Leonard placed 2nd, Tristen Hennard placed 3rd and Tarryn Herman placed 4th. Franklinville placed 1st and 3rd as a team overall. The Tool id contest saw Evan Leonard place 1st, Tristen Hennard

placed 3rd and Jacoby Neureuther placed 4th. Franklinville took 1st and 2nd place team in the contest.

We will once again be selling fruit starting in October, with delivery in December. Members will also be attending State officer tour event in Perry on October 3, 2022. The members are also looking forward to preparing for this year's competitions.

The Agricultural mechanics class built the soapbox derby cars to start the school year. On September 17th Kayci Landow raced the stock division car in Olean to place 3rd overall in her class. Trinity Herman ran the super stock class and placed 2nd overall. Noah Stephan was part of the pit crew. Looking forward to continue improving the cars and racing in future races.





FOCUS ON TEN BROECK ACADEMY

By: Robert Hirsch, Middle/High School Principal

We are off and running for the 2022-2023 school year! For the second year in a row we kicked off the school year with Mike Masters of Inside Out Schools. Our students and staff are fired up with our "Forged by Fire" theme this year. Mike Masters was in on the first day of school to speak to our students on leadership and leadership qualities. The students were introduced to our character curriculum with Pete Spear and a live demonstration by a real blacksmith. Our first bonding word this year was Faith... Just Believe.

This year we are taking a different approach to our Vision Awards. We are empowering both the students and staff to nominate a person per month to receive the Vision Award for their class. We are staying true to our Vision pillars of Knowledge, Strength of Character, Perseverance, Pride in Themselves, and Engagement in their Community when we make our nominations. We recognize the importance of civic leadership; therefore, we will make these nominations in our social studies classes.

Meet the Teacher night was an amazing success. It was great to see our students back in the building, exploring their

school and meeting their teachers. It was also great to see all the involved parents we have. We understand how busy our families are and appreciate all you do.

I'd like to remind students and parents that we have After-School Study Hall for students who need extra help. Students, please do not wait if you are struggling, and parents, if you think your child is struggling in any subjects contact us. The earlier you ask for help the sooner you will be successful. Everyone needs a bit of extra help now and then and that is what we are all here for, so do not hesitate to ask. We have amazing teachers that are willing to help.

As I write this article, we are about to enter Spirit Week – Homecoming! We can't wait to see and feel the excitement this week brings to our school. We have so many activities planned for the week... home games, dress up days, powder puff football games, pep rally, Harvest Dance for middle school and Homecoming Dance for high school. I look forward to sharing these moments with you in our next FOCUS. What a week Student Council has put together!

We just had auditions for the musical, our sports teams are working hard,

our yearbook committee and school improvement team are busy, and we have some festivities planned for Halloween for our students later this month. So many fun activities planned for the next few months. Keep watching our social media for pictures and updates on our events!

There are so many things to look forward to and get involved in. Looking to November and December - We have an early dismissal 11/2, No students on 11/3 and 11/11, and the first quarter ends on 11/4. We also have Parent/Teacher Conferences coming up on 11/21 & 11/22. No students 11/22 – 25. Events to look forward to in November are the Fall Sports Banquet, a trip to Shea's to see the musical, "Aladdin", winter sports begin, and our band/chorus will be traveling to Hornell for All-State Competition. In December we look forward to Christmas Spirit delivery, holiday concerts, Breakfast with Santa, and our extremely talented cast of characters will perform in the musical. In December we will have an early dismissal on 12/7, and holiday break 12/26-1/2.

There is so much going on here at TBA – Something for everyone we appreciate and encourage your involvement as we continue to work to the best of our ability.

FCS SPORTS UPDATE

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY

Coach Schunke

The boys and girls varsity cross country team combined with Ellicottville are having exciting and successful season this year. We kicked off the season with a fun overnight stay in Syracuse to run the New York State championship course in Vernon-Verona and had dinner at Dinosaur BBQ. Since then the team has been working hard and bringing down their race times. Everyone had great times at senior night. Congratulations to the following seniors: Dominic Breton, Aidan Murray, Jesse Riling and Sarah Weber. Other members of the varsity team are Jackson Hatch, Grant Cornell and Luciana Marchese. We are looking forward to a strong finish to the season.

JUNIOR VARSITY FOOTBALL

Coach Palmatier



Titan JV Off to A Great Start

The Titan JV football team is off to a 4 and 0 start to the season. We have defeated Salamanca, Dunkirk, Barker-Roy-Hart, and Cassadaga Valley-Maple Grove-Falconer. Our remaining games include going on the road to Cleveland Hill, Akron, Pioneer, and hosting CSP.

Our players work hard on and off the field and it is terrific to receive so much support from our communities. We are extremely proud to represent FE Titan football and again, thank you for all of your support.

FCS SPORTS UPDATE

Varsity Football

Coach Blecha

Titans 3-1 at the half way point

The Varsity football team just finished the midway point of the regular season and are currently sitting at 2nd place in the league. This past Friday night, the Titans held on in overtime to defeat visiting Portville 16-8 to stay in good shape for the playoffs. The Titans are currently 3-1 with a non league win over St. Mary's week one 38-13, a 36-16 win over Wilson, and last week's 28-12 loss to visiting Randolph. The Titans have been playing hard each week and looking to improve as we approach the last 4 regular season games and hopefully enter the playoffs. Noah Shenk, Tyler Gibas, Ben Brol, Hayden Trietley, and Beau Bielecki have all shined when the lights came on.

Upcoming games include this Friday night at Frewsburg, then our homecoming and senior night game vs Gowanda- Pine Valley. At this game, we will honor our 6 senior football players: Drew and Issac Goss, Justin Seamon, Hayden Trietley, Ben Brol, and Tyler Gibas. The last two regular season games are away at Clymer-Sherman-Panama and at Cattaraugus Little Valley. If we can continue to play tough football and win our remaining games, the Titans would host a home playoff game leading up to a trip to the Section VI finals. One game at a time. Please come out and support our hard working boys.

Boys Varsity Swimming

Coach Landow

The Boys Varsity Swim Team is combined with Olean (Head Coach Dan Brown and Coach Ben Wright), Allegany and Franklinville. We have several strong returning swimmers headed by our Seniors, Dominic Breton and Jesse Riling. Sophomore Nicholas Hillman and Freshman Sean Howard are continuing to develop and will be worthy contenders within the league this season. Swimming is an excellent sport to learn techniques, be competitive individually and as a team while obtaining peak performance during the winter months. Anyone wishing to become part of a team of amazing athletes, signups coming soon! We are looking forward to another successful season!!!

Girls Varsity Swimming

Coach Herman



Megan Jackson with Coach Brown

The girls varsity swim team have done well despite some losses against our area schools. Our current record is three wins seven losses. These girls have put up a tough fight and have come close in these bigger schools. Megan Jackson has shined this season, and we still have more meets to have her sparkle! She made states early in the season in the 50 free and 100 free. She will definitely make a statement when it nears the end of the season! No one is close to her, and she dominates the water, whether it's the 100 fly, 100 back, or any event she will be the one to watch for at the end of the season! Our Tyyetta Herman currently has made sectionals in the 50 free. She is doing very well and continues to be on the leader board in this event. She also swims the 100 breast, and 100 free and continues to dominate. Anna Slavinski also does well and wins in the 100 fly. Her stroke looks good and continues to work hard! Anna finishes with top finishes in the 100 back too. K'lonnie Davis is our only diver for Olean. She definitely helps with her hard work and dedication on the board. Seventh Grader Kayci Landow also has done great this season! She is very versatile. This is only the beginning for Kayci and does a great job in the 500 free, 200 IM. Trinity Garrey continues to drop times in her 100 butterfly. Lastly, Libby Price competes in the 500 and does well.

Boys Soccer

Coach Wangelin

The boys have not had a soccer team for several years now, so when Holland Central offered to combine efforts for the fall, we were excited to join them. Expectations about turnout for this first year were modest for both districts, so when 11 boys signed up and committed to playing, everyone was quite pleased. We got 11 of our boys back on the playing field and Holland was able to field a team at all 3 levels.

Playing for the Dutchmen Modified team are Ericson Banas, Ayden Hartel, Liem Haynoski, Jameson Herrick, Ethan Learn, Jonathan Peterson and Dakota Tidd. The team is currently 2-1 with wins over Depew and Tonawanda. Ethan has an assist playing exceptionally well at all spots on the field. Liem and Jonathan each have a ½ shutout in goal. Ayden, Jameson, Ericson, and Dakota have contributed well at defense and midfield.

Playing for the Dutchmen JV squad are Tyrnan Farrington, Nick Hillman, Braeden Kent, and Ari Riling. The JV team has had to schedule some really tough opponents as many schools in their division are not fielding JV teams this year. Their 1-5 record does not reflect the growth and level of play this team has exhibited thus far. All the Franklinville players have acquitted themselves well on the pitch. Braeden has 2 goals at forward, Nick has 3 assists at midfield (and has been up with the Varsity for a game), Tyrnan has shown great versatility playing at both midfield and defense, and Ari has been a starter for most games on the back end. The boys look forward to a strong finish.

Modified Cross Country

Coach Riling

The Modified Cross Country team is off to a great start this season. Returning to our team are James McAuley, Ben Wedvik (ECS) and Derek Ossont. Our newest team members are Joanna France, Brodie Latimer (ECS), Collin Weber (ECS) and Audrey Williams (ECS). We are so proud of the progress the team is making! Great job Modified XC!

Regarding Sportsmanship, It's Time for Wake-up Call in High School Sports

By Dr. Karissa Niehoff on February 23, 2022 [nfhs news](#)

From time to time, everyone needs a wake-up call to get back on course, to regain focus and to “get with the program.” That time is at hand in high school sports as it relates to unsportsmanlike conduct.

In the 103-year history of the NFHS and organized sports in the United States, good sportsmanship has been one of the most important outcomes of these programs. When appropriate behavior occurs, competitive play is more enjoyable for everyone.

And for some individuals recently, the games have not been enjoyable. In the past few months, following are some of the unfortunate incidents that have occurred at the high school level:

- *The mayor of a city was ejected from his daughter's high school basketball game after threatening a referee.*
- *A volleyball official was followed off the court by a coach who was shouting obscenities.*
- *A referee was assaulted and knocked unconscious during a basketball tournament.*
- *A student from the opposing school in the stands shouted racist comments at a high school basketball player on the court.*
- *At another game in another state, inappropriate chants were made against the opposing team's players on the court.*
- *While it was at a lower level, continued poor parent behavior in the stands led a Central New York youth basketball league to end the season early.*

Unfortunately, the list could go on and on. When hearing accounts like these and many others that regularly occur, the primary reason for the current officials' shortage becomes painfully obvious – unacceptable behavior on the part of coaches, parents and other spectators.

While all of these displays of unacceptable behavior must stop, the recent occurrences of students and other spectators using hurtful, demeaning and hateful language at individuals on the opposing team is heartbreaking.

High school sports and other activities exist to lift people up, not demean or tear people down. The goal is to treat everyone equally and treat each other with respect. Any speech or harassment that is insulting, demeaning or hurtful will not be tolerated.

High schools must establish a culture that values the worth of every single person – both players on the school's team and players on the opposing team. There must be a no-tolerance policy regarding behavior that shows disrespect for another individual.

Likewise, the accounts of violent attacks against officials are incomprehensible and must be stopped. As Dana Pappas, NFHS director of officiating services, said, “Do you really think that these individuals who are volunteers are going to take a half-day off of work, get paid less than they're probably making at their real job to go and be unfair in a game? It doesn't make sense. They are there to give back. They are there to be community servants.”

NFHS playing rules are written to encourage sportsmanship. Participation in these programs should promote respect, integrity and sportsmanship. However, for these ideals to occur, everyone involved must do their part.

Because of a concern that unsporting behavior in education-based athletics has increased the past year, the NFHS has made sportsmanship the No. 1 Point of Emphasis in all sports for the 2022-23 season.

And if there was ever a doubt, the recent unfortunate events at the college level should make it crystal clear that the person most responsible for setting the tone at high school athletic contests is the coach(es).



If coaches act in a sportsmanlike manner, their behavior sets the tone for players, spectators and others. If coaches, however, are constantly complaining about the decision of contest officials, spectators are more likely to do the same.

There must be a collaborative, working relationship between contest officials and game administration to promote good sportsmanship and safely conduct the contest. Everyone has their roles to play in creating a positive, sportsmanlike atmosphere at contests.

Officials should focus on the actions of players, coaches and other bench/sideline personnel. A positive, open line of communication between officials and coaches ultimately results in a better contest for everyone involved.

Contest officials, however, should never engage with spectators who are exhibiting unsporting behavior. Once the contest begins, school administration is responsible for dealing with unruly spectators. A proactive approach by school administration includes monitoring the behavior of spectators and intervening as needed.

If spectators are using demeaning or profane language at officials – or at others in the stands – those individuals must be removed from the contest by school administration.

Rather than spectators like the ones described above, more fans are needed at high school sporting events. Fans support the officials, the players and the coaches, unlike the fanatics who tear down and do harm to the participants, the school and the community.

Good sports win with humility, lose with grace and do both with dignity. It takes the efforts of everyone every day to ensure that sportsmanship remains one of the top priorities in education-based activity programs.

Franklinville Central School District

November

2022

Lunch Menu

We are an "Offer vs. Serve" district. There are 5 components to every School Lunch. Milk, Protein, Fruit, Vegetable, & Grain. All Lunches include: 3-5 components including Fruit or Vegetables
Meals with only 3 components, without a fruit or vegetable must be priced as ala carte items



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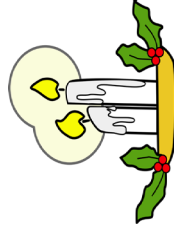
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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
1 Entrée> Homemade C+P Pizza SAND: Turkey w/cheese 8 Entrée> Meatball Sub SAND: Turkey w/cheese 14 Entrée> Cheese Burger/Bun SAND: Ham w/cheese 21 Entrée> Pizza Boats SAND: Ham w/cheese 28 Entrée> Corn Dog SAND: Ham w/cheese	1 Entrée> Homemade C+P Pizza SAND: Turkey w/cheese 8 Entrée> Meatball Sub SAND: Turkey w/cheese 15 Entrée> Personal Pizza SAND: Turkey w/cheese 22 Entrée> NO SCHOOL! Parent/Teacher Conferences SAND: Ham w/cheese 29 Entrée> Pizza Boat SAND: Turkey w/cheese	2 Entrée> Chicken Nuggets SAND: Bologna w/cheese 9 Entrée> Chicken Tenders SAND: Bologna w/cheese 16 Entrée> Chicken Patty/Bun SAND: Bologna w/cheese 23 Entrée> NO SCHOOL! THANKSGIVING VACATION! SAND: Chicken Nuggets Bologna w/cheese 30 Entrée> Soft Pretzel Baked Beans Variety Fruit	3 Entrée> NO SCHOOL! SUPERINTENDENT'S DAY SAND: Tuna 10 Entrée> Stuffed Crust Pizza SAND: Tuna 17 Entrée> Thanksgiving dinner Oven Roasted Turkey SAND: Tuna Stuffing Mashed Potatoes/Gravy Special Holiday Dessert NO SCHOOL! 	4 Entrée> Ham & cheese Croissant SAND: Variety Sandwiches 11 Entrée> NO SCHOOL! VETERAN'S DAY! 18 Entrée> Toasted Cheese SAND: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato 25 Entrée> NO SCHOOL! THANKSGIVING VACATION!

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Franklinville Central School District Lunch Menu

December
2022



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We are an "Offer vs. Serve" district. There are 5 components to every School Lunch. Milk, Protein, Fruit, Vegetable, & Grain. All Lunches include: 3-5 components including Fruit or Vegetables. Meals with only 3 components, without a fruit or vegetable must be priced as ala carte items.



Lunch Prices

Elementary School-student	\$2.20
High School-student	\$2.40
Milk	\$0.40
Adult (includes tax)	\$4.40

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




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 5 Entrée> Mac and Cheese/Roll SAND: Ham w/cheese	 6 Entrée> Homemade C+P Pizza SAND: Turkey w/cheese	7 Entrée> Chicken Tenders SAND: Bologna w/cheese	1 Entrée> Ham & cheese Croissant SAND: Tuna	2 Entrée> Toasted Cheese SAND: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato
12 Entrée> Corn Dog SAND: Ham w/cheese	13 Entrée> Stuffed Crust Pizza SAND: Turkey w/cheese	14 Entrée> Chicken Patty/Bun SAND: Bologna w/cheese	15 Entrée> Christmas Dinner Baked Chicken Tuna Mashed Potatoes Special Holiday Dessert	16 Entrée> Early Dismissal Toasted Cheese SAND: Variety Sandwiches SOUP: Tomato
19 Entrée> Cheeseburger/Bun SAND: Ham w/cheese	20 H.S. Entrée> Chicken Tender Sub Fish Nuggets/Roll SAND: Turkey w/cheese	21 Entrée> Chicken Nuggets SAND: Bologna w/cheese	22 Entrée> Taco in a bag w/lettuce, tomato, cheese Tuna	23 Entrée> Stuffed Crust Pizza SAND: Variety Sandwiches
26 French Fries Carrots Variety Fruit	27 MERRY CHRISTMAS!! NO SCHOOL Christmas Vac.	28 NO SCHOOL Christmas Vac.	29 NO SCHOOL Christmas Vac.	30 NO SCHOOL Christmas Vac.

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Time for a Story

Want to spend time with your youngster, build his/her reading skills, and help him/her learn to love books? You can do all three when you read aloud to your child.

Reading regularly

Try to read to your child every day. You might aim for 10-15 minutes of bedtime reading for a peaceful end to the day. Bring along a book, and read to him/her during a sibling's sports practice. Or curl up together with a book when you get home from work.



Take turns choosing books

Your youngster may want to hear old favorites again and again. Use your turn for new titles and variety (nonfiction, poetry).

Let him/her participate

Ask your child to turn the pages while you read. Also, your child may finish sentences that rhyme or fill in words they may know. Go slowly so your child has time to understand the story and look at the illustrations. Children will enjoy read aloud time more if they play an active role.

Be playful

You can use different voices for different characters (a high, squeaky voice for a mouse or a deep, booming voice for a horse) or substitute your youngster's name for the main character's name, and use family member's names for other characters. Note: You don't have to be an expert reader—your child will love it when you read aloud because it's you!

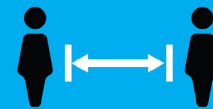
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FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 25TH
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For Everyone's Protection



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6 Feet Minimum



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