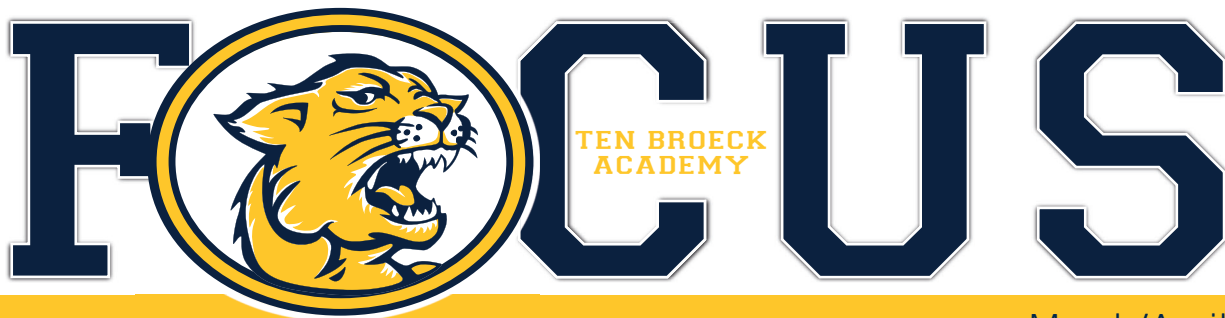


## FRANKLINVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL



March/April 2024

THE BUSY WORLD OF 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADERS...

Sixth graders sure have been busy the first half of the year! They enjoyed special dress up days, such as Halloween and "Bills" days. Some even try to get the teachers going by wearing the opposing team's shirt! One of their favorite activities is making projects. In Social Studies they painted their interpretation of Pangea and also created an Egyptian burial chamber filled with a mummy in a sarcophagus, canopic jars, and artifacts for the afterlife. They have also been busy fund-raising for their future 8th grade trip to Gettysburg. They spent December collecting toiletries and paper goods for the Food Pantry to "Give Back to the Community" and delivered them to Catholic Charities on Main Street. The Class of 2030 looks forward to the second half of the year!



The holiday season brought a wave of warmth and generosity to our 6th-grade class. Throughout December, our students took on a special project, collecting paper goods and toiletries for the local food pantry.

Students gathered essential items, showcasing their commitment to giving back to the community. The week before the holiday break, they delivered the collected goods. Adding a festive touch, our spirited students sang Christmas carols along the way, spreading joy to everyone they encountered.

This heartwarming initiative not only filled our classrooms with the holiday spirit but also emphasized the values of empathy and community engagement. A big thank you to all the students, families, and teachers who supported this project. Your contributions made a real difference in the lives of those in need, and you've truly exemplified the spirit of the season.





## FROM THE DESK OF THE SUPERINTENDENT



Strolling through the hallways with student displays of artwork and projects is consistently invigorating. Our young scholars' innovative thoughts and creativity always impress. This visual testimony to their capabilities significantly influences our planning for the budget in the next couple of months; the Board of Education remains steadfast in its commitment to assessing and strategically allocating our resources thoroughly. We aim to cultivate a rich educational experience that nurtures creativity and equips our graduates leaving Franklinville with the skills and readiness needed for the next pivotal steps in their lives.

With Franklinville Pride,  
*Donald Putnam, Superintendent*

## ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL'S CORNER

By: *Melissa Martin, Elementary Principal*

### THANK YOU!

Our new dismissal plan is going great. Thank you, parents, for your cooperation and flexibility during this time. The new process is more efficient and safer for our students and families.

### FCS SPIRIT AND CUBBY DAYS

The first Friday of the month is Cubby Day. Please wear your Cubby T-shirt or other FCS gear to show our Franklinville Pride! Our upcoming Cubby Days are Friday, March 1st, and Friday, April 12th.



### DRONES

Mrs. Sylor collaborated with Lt. Fox and the Civil Air Patrol to introduce drones to fifth graders. The students learned about the drone mechanisms and got a chance to fly them.



### MASTER TEACHER

We are so excited that Mrs. Sylor has been accepted into the NYS Master Teacher Program. She will join other teachers in a professional learning community to enhance her teaching and share with her colleagues. Congratulations, Mrs. Sylor! We know this opportunity will improve the learning experiences of our students.



**Head Start** Annual Pre - K Information Night is Tuesday, April 9th at 6 p.m. We will meet in the Elementary LGI Room. Bring Birth Certificate, Proof of Income or proof of SNAP, SSI or TANF and Shot Record. Call Aimee at 716-474-1807 or email [astanbro@tbafcs.org](mailto:astanbro@tbafcs.org) with any questions.

# GRADUATION AWARDS 2024

*ALL seniors are encouraged to apply!*

The following awards are available to graduating seniors. Please carefully read the requirements and submit your applications by the due date. ALL awards are subject to change and dependent upon student participation.

**For the following awards, students must submit**

- a. Letter of Intent
- b. Resume (in guidance file)
- c. Two letters of recommendation
- d. College acceptance letters

**These scholarships are due to the Guidance Office by MARCH 27, 2024**

**1. ROBERT KELSEY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

Interested students who plan to further their education in a medical field. Letter of intent should be addressed to the attention of the Superintendent's Office for committee selection. This is a \$50 award, which is subject to change and is paid at the graduation ceremony.

**2. GERTRUDE AND LEWIS DILLE SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

\$500 awarded to a student who will be continuing their education in a career that will benefit children, such as teaching or social sciences. Student must demonstrate financial need. Preference will be given to students that have participated in the school music program. This award is selected by the school committee.

**3. THE HICKER FAMILY SCHOLAR/ATHLETE AWARD**

established in 2001 by George Hicker, Class of 1964. Scholarship amounts will vary. Letter of intent should be addressed to Mr. Hicker.

**4. ALANSON CROSBY 214 – WOMEN'S RELIEF CORP. AWARD**

Interested students who plan to further their education a medical field. Letter of intent should be addressed to the organization. They will make the selection of the winner. This is a \$100 award, may be two (2) awards, which is subject to change and will be paid to you at the graduation ceremony.

**5. FRANKLINVILLE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION**

Amount varies each year. Letter of intent should be addressed to the Franklinville Teachers Association.

**6. EARL KOTTWITZ SR. /HUEY KOTTWITZ MEMORIAL AWARD**

Letter of intent should be addressed to the Kottwitz Family. They will make the selection of the winner. Your letter must include information about yourself, your hopes and dreams.

**7. WEIGEL FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP AWARD**

Letter of intent should be addressed to the Weigel Family. This award will be given to a student who demonstrates academic achievement, extracurricular and sports involvement, and has been accepted into a place of higher education. One letter of recommendation must be from a coach.

Cattaraugus Region Community Foundation offers several different scholarship opportunities for Franklinville students. Please go to the following website to review the criteria for these scholarships [www.cattfoundation.org](http://www.cattfoundation.org) – **the deadline for these awards is March 15, 2024.** The portal opens February 1st. Here is a sample of some of the scholarships offered to Franklinville students only: There are plenty more listed on the website as well.

**1. WALTER F. AND JULIA A. DZIEKONSKI SCHOLARSHIP**

**2. JOSEPHINE S. PEPPER MEMORIAL AGRICULTURE SCHOLARSHIP**

**3. WILLIAM H. SCHWIER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**4. NANCY ALLEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

**5. JEN DELONG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**

The following awards must be applied for - applications are in the guidance office:

**1. FRANKLINVILLE P.T.O.** – The amount varies. Deadline is April 30, 2024

**2. FRANKLINVILLE VETERANS' OF FOREIGN WAR** – Deadline is April 30, 2024

**3. IOOB SCHOLARSHIP AWARD(S)** – Amount varies – Deadline is April 30, 2024

**4. MAPLE FESTIVAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS** – Deadline is May 17, 2024

The following awards are selected by a committee – students need not apply for them.

**1. AMERICAN LEGION ATHLETIC AND CITIZENSHIP AWARDS**

**2. CATTARAUGUS COUNTY BANK**

**3. GORDON AIMES MEMORIAL AWARD**

**4. LIPPERT GUARDIAN ANGEL FUND**

**5. FRANKLINVILLE VETERANS' OF FOREIGN WARS AUXILIARY AWARD**

**6. JACQUELINE TYNDA MEMORIAL AWARD**

**7. T.B.A. SOCIAL STUDIES DEPARTMENT AWARD**

**8. SHANNON BIELA MEMORIAL AWARD**

**9. WILLIAM GOSS MEMORIAL AWARD**

**10. VIRGINIA WATKINS MEMORIAL AWARDS**

*The above award amounts vary. Benefactors adjust the amounts up or down, depending on the economy and other financial considerations. Interest rates paid by financial institutions may also necessitate an adjustment in the award amount.*





## FROM THE GUIDANCE OFFICE

Concerns about your child's social or emotional wellbeing? Please don't hesitate to reach out to our Elementary School Counselor, Mrs. Jennifer Layton at 716-676-8023 or Elementary Social Worker, Mrs. Jennifer Kersch at 716-676-8007.

### 5TH GRADE NEWS:

We are happy to announce that for the 2nd year, 5th Graders have an exciting opportunity to participate in a 2-day trip to Allegany State Park for an outdoor adventure/ecology camp we call Panther Camp. Flyers will be sent home soon, as well as information about the Little Caesar

Fundraiser, being held in Feb/March. Thank you for supporting this special event. If you have questions or concerns about your child participating in the trip, please contact Mrs. Jennifer Layton, 5th Grade Advisor/School Counselor or 5th Grade Teachers, Mrs. Sisson & Mrs. Daigler.

### A MESSAGE FROM MR. HARRIS School Counselor for grades 6-12

Dear TBA Families:

I hope all is well. I am enjoying meeting with the middle and high school students. We have been catching up and reviewing their scheduling requests for next year.

On Wednesday, February 28th, Sophomores will take a tour of the Ellicottville CTE Center to learn more about the programs they offer.

On Tuesday, March 12th, Sophomores will take the ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) CEP – a complete career planning program – in school. **Students take the ASVAB at no cost and no commitment to military service.** The ASVAB CEP also provides an interest assessment and planning tools to help students explore career field entry requirements and various career paths, both military and civilian. Students will meet with a representative to review their scores and complete a career exploration activity on Tuesday, March 19th.

Sophomores, Juniors and Seniors will have the opportunity to attend the Buffalo National Association for College Admission Counseling College Fair on March 20th at the Buffalo Convention Center.

Seniors: Please remember to submit a copy of your resume, two recommendation letters and records release as soon as possible. Seniors also need to complete 12 hours of community service. Scholarships are available and can be found on our website: <https://www.tbafcs.org/Page/2000>. The Cattaraugus Region Community Foundation Scholarship portal is open – the deadline is March 20th. The Franklinville Graduation Awards are available to all Seniors – the deadline is March 27th. Third quarter grades are included in the Senior Final Class Rank.

Students planning on attending college must complete their college and FAFSA applications as soon as possible. Please let me know if you have any questions or need help filling out any applications.

### A MESSAGE FROM MRS. SCHUCKHARDT (LCSW) School Social Worker for grades 6-12

During the winter months it can be challenging to get outside or to get together with the people closest to us. Snowstorms, icy roads, and just general cold make it easier for us to stay inside rather than make plans to leave the house. During this time, we see an overall increase in social media use. While social media such as Instagram, Snapchat, Facebook, and YouTube can have some benefits such as keeping you connected to people and preventing loneliness, overuse can have negative effects as well.

Too much time engaged with social media can negatively impact your mental health significantly. It can make you feel lonely, isolated, and exacerbate overall anxiety and depression. "Since it's a relatively new technology, there's little research to establish the long-term consequences, good or bad, of social media use. However, multiple studies have found a strong link between heavy social media and an increased risk for depression, anxiety, loneliness, self-harm, and even suicidal thoughts." (Robinson and Smith, 2023).

If you're concerned that you or your child are overusing social media there are some signs you can look out for. If you notice that social media is being used to mask or distract from general feelings of anxiety and

**PLEASE NOTE THE REVISED DATES FOR  
THE 2024-25 BUDGET VOTE AND THE  
MAY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING**

**TUESDAY, MAY 7TH –  
BUDGET HEARING**

**TUESDAY, MAY 21ST –  
BUDGET VOTE**

**THURSDAY, MAY 23RD –  
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING**

depression, if you are neglecting face to face relationships, it distracts you from school or work, or after use it leaves you feeling anxious, angry or depressed, social media may be negatively impacting you. Increased use can lead to feelings of comparing yourself to others and increased risk of cyberbullying as well.

Some things you can do to improve your relationship with social media are setting time limits for how long you engage with it and disabling notifications. You should actively set up engagements with friends and family to improve your face-to-face interactions. Taking time to engage in a physical hobby or exercise can improve your overall mental health as well. One of the best things you can do is take time to check in with yourself and express gratitude about the good things you have in your life. And as always, if you are experiencing any of these challenges, you can reach out to the counseling department, and we are more than happy to help connect you with resources and support you.

*Resource: Robinson and Smith, 2023. Social Media and Mental Health - HelpGuide.org*





## Spring Blossoms with Achievements at TBA

Spring has sprung at TBA, and with it comes a breath of fresh air and a wave of exciting news! As the days grow longer and the weather warmer, we're thrilled to share some outstanding accomplishments and plans from our vibrant community.

First and foremost, a round of applause for our 9th Grade Class! These industrious freshmen have clinched the Academic, Attendance, and Class Skill Award. By combining their academic achievements, attendance records, and their impressive scores in the "Minute to Win It" challenge, the 9th grade soared to victory. In recognition of their hard work, the class has earned an exclusive, all-expenses-paid trip to the Olean Recreation Center for a day of ice skating.

Congratulations, Freshmen, and keep up the stellar work! Stay tuned as we'll soon unveil the winner of the second quarter.

In academic news, our entire Junior class faced the challenge of the ELA Regents exam in January. We're delighted to share that a remarkable 91% of the class passed the exam, with an impressive 57% achieving Mastery status (above an 85%). Kudos to our dedicated Juniors for their outstanding performance!

Shifting gears to character development, the months of March and April will be dedicated to exploring the virtues of "Attitude" and "Bravery." TBA believes in nurturing not only academic excellence but also the

development of positive character traits. Both staff and students will embark on a journey to maintain good attitudes and exhibit bravery in various aspects of life. At TBA, we proudly boast the best attitudes and bravest students in the world!

As we embrace the warmth of spring, it's time to welcome the season of sports. Track & Field, Baseball, Softball, and Golf are gearing up, encouraging students to step outside into the sunshine and fresh air. TBA is ready for a season filled with teamwork, dedication, and, most importantly, fun.

Here's to a flourishing spring at TBA, where achievements, academic excellence, and character development continue to blossom!

### Upcoming Events:

#### MARCH

- 1 & 2 – All-County – ALCS
- 7 – Early Dismissal @ 1:20 PM
- 8 – End of 25 weeks
- 11 – Spring Sports begin
- 12 – ASVAB – Juniors
- 15 & 16 – All County – Olean
- 18 – Play Auditions
- 21 – BOE Mtg. – 5:30 PM
- 27 – Music in our Schools Perf. – 6:30 PM

MARCH 29 -APRIL 7 – No School – Spring Break

#### APRIL

- 10 – Prom Dress Exhibit
- 12 – End of 3rd Quarter
- 16 – BOE Mtg.
- 16 & 17 – ELA State Testing – 6-8 grades
- 18 – Stairway to the Stars Concert – 6:30 PM
- 25 – Maple Festival King/Queen Contest
- 27 – Maple Festival - Parade – 11:00 AM
- 28 – Maple Festival

APRIL 30 & MAY 1 – Math State Testing – 6-8

### WEATHER-RELATED AND EMERGENCY SCHOOL CLOSING INFORMATION

WKBW – CHANNEL 7      WPIG – FM 95.7  
WIVB – CHANNEL 4      WBEN – AM 930  
WGRZ – CHANNEL 2      WYRK – FM 106.5

### DOWNLOAD THE PARENTSQUARE MOBILE APP

SEND AND RECEIVE SCHOOL COMMUNICATIONS ON THE GO

PLEASE ENSURE ALL OF YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION, PHONE NUMBERS, EMAIL, EMERGENCY CONTACTS, ETC., ARE UP TO DATE AND ACCURATE WITH THE SCHOOL OFFICES.



*Congratulations,  
Abby M!*

Abby, an FCS 5th grader, recently won first place for her drawing in the Western New York United Against Drug and Alcohol Abuse, Inc. Healthy Choices poster contest. Abby focused on a positive message instead of a "don't message." Her entry was on display at the Erie County Fairgrounds Festival of Lights in the NYS Police Building during the month of December.



THE TBA/FCS HIGH SCHOOL DRAMA CLUB PRESENTS:



WEDNESDAY, MAY 22 & THURSDAY, MAY 23

7:00 PM, TBA AUDITORIUM

TICKETS AVAILABLE AT THE DOOR, \$5 PER PERSON

(CHILDREN UNDER 5 YEARS OLD ARE FREE)

In a hilarious series of time-traveling misadventures, a scientist and their sidekick livestream from great moments in American history accidentally changing the course of history and returning to a comically chaotic present. Even Einstein and Marie Curie are not sure if they can fix the disastrous effects of their mishaps.





# Public Speaking Students Enjoy Holiday Dinner

By Lauren Svec

Juniors and Seniors in public speaking, a dual credit course through Jamestown Community College, enjoyed a holiday dinner where they learned about making small talk and dining etiquette. After their dinner they exchanged "Secret Santa" gifts and made impromptu speeches.

Public Speaking is offered to juniors and seniors. Students learn how to give different genres of speeches, create and present professional presentations, build confidence, and earn 3 college credits.



**Breakfast With The Easter Bunny**

**Saturday, March 23, 2024**  
**8:00 - 11:00 AM**

**FCS High School Cafeteria**

**Adults \$5 - Kids 10 & Under \$3**

**Breakfast Includes;**  
**Unlimited Pancakes, Sausage, & Juice**

**Pictures With The Easter Bunny \$5**  
(Pictures will be mailed or sent home with your child)

**Hosted By:**  
**The Class of 2025**



## Calling All Future FCS District Pre-K Students!

**Universal Pre-K Registration begins March 1st!**

Registration for the 2024-2025 school year will open on March 1st. Registration packets are available in the Elementary office please stop in during school hours between 8:00am and 2:00pm. Packets and information should be submitted by March 28th.

Students must be 4 on or before December 1, 2024 to be eligible for the program. All students must be a resident of Franklinville. To complete registration, proof of residency, immunization records and a birth certificate are required.

Please visit the school website for questions regarding the program. Information is under the Elementary tab for Universal Pre-K.

Head Start will be holding an informational night regarding their program for interested 3-year olds on April 9th. Please look for further information regarding this information night or contact Aimee Stanbro at [astanbro@tbafcs.org](mailto:astanbro@tbafcs.org)

# FCS SPORTS UPDATE

## INDOOR TRACK & FIELD

*Coach Herman*

The Franklinville Panthers Indoor Track and Field team, have done a great job this season. We are down to our last Varsity select meet, which is held this weekend. Then it will be team championships February 10th, and State championship qualifiers. The State meet will be held March 1st at Ocean Breeze Staten Island.

There are two athletes that qualified for the sectional championship. These two athletes are Elizabeth Price and Tyetta Herman, Elizabeth qualified in the shotput and the Weight throw. Senior- state competitor, Tyetta Herman made sectionals in the 55-meter, 300 meter, and long jump. Tyetta Herman has also made a state time this season in the 300 meters. Tyetta is the favorite going into the sectional qualifier. We also will be taking a relay team to sectionals. Genevieve Herman, Summer Wilkins, Molly Witter, and Nora Ainsworth, have had the top times in the 400 meters. Izzy Thomson, and Ana Hillman have also had good times in the 400 meter. Time will tell, who will compete at sectionals. Thank you for your continued support for our indoor track and field program. Go Panthers!



## VARSITY BOYS BASKETBALL

*Coach Scott Shenk*

At the time of this article the Varsity Boys Basketball team has an overall record of 11 wins and 4 losses and an undefeated league record of 8-0. With 5 games remaining (4 league) we are aiming for a 4th seed in the Section VI Class C playoffs. Our season highlights have been winning our annual Rick Hughes Memorial Christmas Tournament over Brocton, a one-point win over rival Portville, and an exciting league win over Pine Valley here in Franklinville. However, perhaps our biggest win of the season was against our league rivals Ellicottville. Players on both squads play together under the Titan flag in football and then battle against each other on the court making a unique dynamic. We have struggled against Ellicottville in past years and we started this game shooting 0-15 ending the 1st quarter with an 8-3 deficit. But something was different with the boys this year as they walked off the court at the quarter and during time outs with their heads held high displaying positive body language and mental toughness. They knew shots would start to fall and business would be taken care of. By halftime we had taken a one-point lead while shooting only 8-32. From there the boys took complete control scoring 47 points in the second half on their way to victory. This game exemplified what these boys could accomplish when they accept their roles and play those roles to the best of their abilities, unselfish team ball! We close our league schedule at Ellicottville on February 13th with a game that could decide the league championship and our regular season schedule on February 15th with a home game against Portville. Playoffs begin on February 20th and continue on the 22nd and 24th. Thank you all for your continued support of our sports programs and we look forward to seeing you in the stands. Let's go Panthers.

## JV GIRLS BASKETBALL

*Coach Jennings*

The Girl's JV basketball team has been working hard to improve our record. Our team consists of Sophomores Aliah Range and Trinity Herman; Freshmen Danica Hopkins, Alexis Keller, Sarah Lewis, Taylor Fox, Zoe Enderby; and 8th graders Addison Chamberlain, Eva Green, and Mya Sullivan.

As our season is coming to an end, we currently stand at an overall record of 7 wins, and 9 losses. At the time of this article we have 3 more exciting games left!

Our victories have included Cuba Rushford, Cattaraugus Little Valley, Forestville, Mt. Morris, Olean, and West Valley. We also participated in the Pioneer Waste Management Tournament and beat Holland 28-16 to go to the championship game. Unfortunately, in the championship, we fell short to Pioneer. We had participated last year in this tournament and placed fourth, so it was quite exciting to receive second place this year! It really speaks to how much work these girls have put forth.

I am excited to be a part of this program with these wonderful young ladies. As always, we thank you for the support and encouragement and would love to see you at our games! Find our schedule online at: [www.arbiterlive.com](http://www.arbiterlive.com). Go Lady Panthers!

## BOYS MODIFIED BASKETBALL

*Coach Pete Spear*

Twenty-three boys make up the Modified Boys Basketball program. The season starts on January 3 and ends on February 15, so it is a short season. We play 12 games in the CCAA East division. The Seventh-grade team has the following boys on it: Logan Goss, Quintyn Ruibal, Cole Daigler, Jaxon Blendinger, Kellen Hatch, Jameson Herrick, Sam Gorecki, Zackaree Holmes, Dakota Tidd, Ayce Caswell and Ericson Banas (three 8th graders play on the 7th grade team to balance the numbers). The Eighth-Grade team has the following boys on it: Charlie Gorecki, Braeden Vosburg, Evan Cudney, Jonathan Peterson, Ethan Learn, Landon Jankowiak, Jacob Henning, Coldin Terwilliger, Jaiden Russell, Liem Haynoski, Carson Learn, Jason Torpey. Beside learning basketball skills and team play we also are using the Cross-Training Athletics UNSHAKABLE character curriculum. UNSHAKABLE is an acronym; Unity, No quit, Self-control, Hope, Ability, Knowledge, Attitude, Bravery, Love and Empathy. There are sports stories that go along with each word. The players who exemplify the trait are given a certificate. I am privileged to work with these young men.



# FCS SPORTS UPDATE

## WRESTLING

Coach Smith

The speech delivered by head coach Jake Smith at TBA celebrating the Franklinville Panthers Wrestling Team and honoring the senior class conveyed heartfelt gratitude to the team and highlighted the valuable life lessons learned through wrestling. Coach Smith emphasized the inevitability of life's "last" moments, encouraging the seniors to embrace them with positivity. The six key lessons derived from wrestling experiences were outlined:

**Courage:** Coach Smith commended the wrestlers for displaying courage from their first step into the wrestling circle, encouraging them to carry that courage into facing life's uncertainties.

**Learning from Loss:** Acknowledging the inevitable nature of losses in both wrestling and life, the speech urged the importance of gaining perspective from setbacks and using them as opportunities for growth.

**Taking Responsibility:** Wrestling's public nature was lauded for forcing individuals to take responsibility for their losses. The speech emphasized the choice to either blame external factors, quit, or take responsibility and work towards improvement.

**Learning to Win with Humility:** The wrestlers were praised for their role in revitalizing the team and reminded of the transient nature of success. The importance of remaining humble and gracious, both in wrestling and life, was emphasized.

**Staying Calm Under Pressure:** Drawing parallels between wrestling situations and real-life challenges, the speech highlighted the wrestlers' ability to stay calm under pressure and encouraged them to carry this skill into future endeavors.

**Shaking Hands:** The significance of shaking hands after every match, regardless of the outcome, was emphasized as a symbol of sportsmanship and an important lesson in fostering understanding and potential friendships.

Coach Smith concluded by urging the wrestlers to savor their last moments on the wrestling mat, expressing gratitude for the experiences and lessons gained over the four years of high school wrestling. The wrestlers were encouraged to give thanks for the sport and to cherish the memories, emotions, and camaraderie associated with it.



## JV BOYS BASKETBALL

Coach Tatlow

The JV Boys Basketball team has battled to a strong record of 12-4 at this point in the season. The team has had several come from behind victories to add excitement this year for the fans. The entire team has shown a strong commitment to playing team basketball. This has been a big contributing factor to the overall success of the team. Strong defensive play has helped to propel us into the lead in many games this season. The team has experienced great support playing in front of strong crowds at home. We appreciate the support and hope that you are able to catch a game before the end of the season. I wish our Sophomores the best of luck as they move up to the Varsity program next season. Damien Cole, Landon Learn, James Goff, Tristen Hennard, and Trevin Lane are our Sophomores this season. We will look to close out the season strong with the remaining regular season games we have. Go PANTHERS!

## BOY VARSITY SWIM

Coach Ladow

The Boys Varsity Swim Team ended their regular season 6-2. There were many improvements on the season and Personal Best Swims for all. Nick Hillman came alive for us in the Butterfly where he ended up 3rd (personal best time) in our CCAA Counties Meet on February 2nd. Sean Howard mainly swam Freestyle posting a 6th place finish at CCAA's in the 50 and 7th in the 100 Freestyles. He was also our anchor, doing freestyle in the Medley and 200 Free Relays. Johnson Li was out Breaststroker for the season and had a PR as well at the CCAA Meet, finishing 3rd. Johnson has also been an intricate part of our "A" relay teams. Patrick Freedman has shown much improvement throughout

the season often seen swimming the 500 Freestyle and Backstroke. At the CCAA Meet, Patrick dropped almost 30 seconds in the 500, breaking the 7-minute mark for the first time. The Boys will be swimming in the Class B Preliminaries on February 8th. Finals will be held on February 10th for those who advance. Congratulations to Nick, Sean and Johnson for being part of the Medley Relay Team that made a Sectional Cut. Sectionals will be held on February 14th at the ECC Burt Flickinger Pool in Buffalo. Best of Luck Boys! Finally, I would like to thanks Evan Breton and Kayci Ladow for Managing this season!! You do so much behind the scenes.



Sectional Medley Team  
(Sean Howard, Nick Hillman, Johnson Li)

# Franklinville Central School District

## Breakfast Menu

# March

## 2024

"Start your day out **RIGHT** with an energy boosting breakfast!"  
We are an "Offer vs Serve" district. Students can build their own breakfast but must consist of 2 portions of meat and/or bread and juice or milk (3 total portions) for a balanced meal.



### Breakfast Prices

Elementary-student	\$1.30
High School-student	\$1.60
Milk	\$0.40
Adult (includes tax)	\$3.00

**\*\*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.**

For additional information contact:  
Lisa Holliday FSD  
716-676-8017

**MENU IS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE**

*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. Not sure... call us!*

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
				1
				Mini Powdered Donut Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk
4	5	6	7	8
Breakfast Stick Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Bagel w/cream cheese Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Sandwich Cheese Omelet Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Pizza Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Muffin Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk
11	12	13	14	15
Waffles/syrup Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Bagel Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Super Donut Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Pizza Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Poptart Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk
18	19	20	21	22
French toast/syrup Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Egg/Cheese/Hashbrown Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Sandwich Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Pizza Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Cinnamon Roll Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk
25	26	27	28	29
Pancakes/Syrup Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	English Muffin/Jelly Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Mini Glazed Choc Donut Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	Breakfast Pizza Fruit Yogurt String Cheese  Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1% milk	<b>SPRING RECESS</b> NO SCHOOL



# Franklinville Central School District

## Lunch Menu

March  
2024

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<p><b>4</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Corn Dog</b> SAND: Egg Salad</p>	<p><b>5</b> H.S. Entrée&gt; <b>Big Daddy Pizza</b> SAND: <b>Tuna</b></p>	<p><b>6</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Chicken Patty / Bun</b> SAND: <b>Bologna w/cheese</b></p>	<p><b>7</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Goulash &amp; Meatballs</b> Elem: <b>Meatball Sub</b> SAND: <b>Turkey &amp; Cheese</b></p>	<p><b>8</b> H.S. Entrée&gt; <b>Chicken Tender Wrap</b> ES: <b>Fish Nuggets</b> SAND: <b>Ham &amp; Cheese</b></p>
<p><b>11</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Mac and Cheese/Roll</b> SAND: <b>Egg Salad</b></p>	<p><b>12</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Pizza Boats</b> SAND: <b>Tuna</b></p>	<p><b>13</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Chicken Nuggets</b> SAND: <b>Bologna w/cheese</b></p>	<p><b>14</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Pizza Quesadillas</b> SAND: <b>Turkey &amp; Cheese</b></p>	<p><b>15</b> HS Entrée&gt; <b>Fish Sandwich</b> ES: <b>Pizza Dipper</b> SAND: <b>Ham &amp; Cheese</b></p>
<p><b>18</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Cheeseburgers/Bun</b> SAND: <b>Egg Salad</b></p>	<p><b>19</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Stuffed Crust Pizza</b> SAND: <b>Tuna</b></p>	<p><b>20</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Chicken Tenders</b> SAND: <b>Bologna w/cheese</b></p>	<p><b>21</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Taco in a Bag</b> SAND: <b>w/lettuce, tomato, cheese</b> <b>Turkey &amp; Cheese</b> <b>Doritos</b></p>	<p><b>22</b> H.S. Entrée&gt; <b>Chicken Club</b> ES: <b>Fish Nuggets</b> SAND: <b>Ham &amp; Cheese</b></p>
<p><b>25</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Hot Dog/Bun</b> SAND: <b>Egg Salad</b></p>	<p><b>26</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Chicken Fajitas</b> SAND: <b>lettuce, tomato, cheese</b> <b>Tuna</b></p>	<p><b>27</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Baked Chicken Dinner</b> SAND: <b>Bologna w/cheese</b></p>	<p><b>28</b> Entrée&gt; <b>Personal Pizza</b> SAND: <b>Turkey &amp; Cheese</b></p>	<p><b>29</b> E.S. Entrée&gt; <b>Mashed Potatoes</b> ES: <b>Broccoli</b> SAND: <b>Variety Fruit</b></p>
<p><b>French Fries</b> <b>Broccoli</b> <b>Variety Fruit</b></p>	<p><b>Green Beans</b> <b>Variety Fruit</b></p>	<p><b>Mashed Potatoes/Gravy</b> <b>Carrots</b> <b>Variety Fruit</b></p>	<p><b>Corn</b> <b>Variety Fruit</b></p>	<p><b>SPRING RECESS</b> <b>NO SCHOOL</b></p>

# Franklinville Central School District

## April 2024

### Breakfast Menu

**"Start your day out RIGHT with an energy boosting breakfast!"**  
We are an "Offer vs Serve" district. Students can build their own breakfast but must consist of 2 portions of meat and/or bread and juice or milk (3 total portions for a balanced meal).



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8 Pop Tart Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	9 Apple Cinnamon Muffin Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	10 Cinnamon Swirl Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	11 Breakfast Pizza Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	12 Chocolate Chip Loaf Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk
15 Glazed Donut Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	16 Bagel & Cream Cheese Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	17 Breakfast Sandwich Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	18 Breakfast Pizza Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk	19 Egg/Cheese Hashbrown Fruit Yogurt String Cheese Assorted Cold Cereal Apple or Orange Juice Fruit Fat Free & 1 % milk
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29 Entrée> Cheeseburger/Bun SAND: Egg Salad French Fries Baked Beans Variety Fruit	30 Entrée> Personal Pizza SAND: Tuna Green Beans Variety Fruit			

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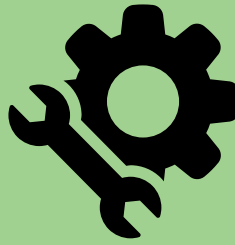
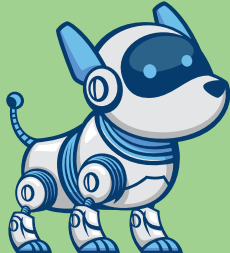
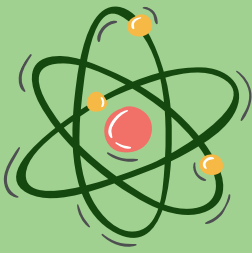
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ALL GRADES ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND



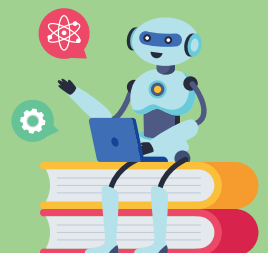
# THE STEAM FAIR

TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 2024  
FCS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

6:00 - 7:30 PM



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3<sup>RD</sup> - 5<sup>TH</sup> GRADE CLASSES





Notice of Annual Meeting, Budget Vote, and Election  
FRANKLINVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
FRANKLINVILLE, CATTARAUGUS COUNTY, NEW YORK

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 7, 2024, at 5:30 PM prevailing time, for the presentation of the budget. The budget will be available for review on May 7, 2024, at the District Clerk's Office 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 21, 2024, 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 that time, the polls will be opened to vote by voting by ballot or machine upon the following items:

To adopt the School District's annual budget for the fiscal year 2024-2025 and to authorize the appropriate, the requisite portion thereof to be raised by taxation on the District's taxable property.

To elect one (1) member of the Board for a five-year term commencing July 1, 2024, expiring on June 30, 2029, and to succeed Scott Hillman, 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 2024-2025, exclusive of public monies, may be obtained by any resident of the District during business hours beginning fourteen (14) days before the vote, except Saturday, Sunday or holidays Tuesday, May 7, 2024, at the Ten Broeck Academy Junior-Senior High School.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that petitions nominating candidates for the office of the 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 22, 2024, 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 twenty-five (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. The District Clerk must receive absentee ballots no later than 5:00 PM, prevailing time, on Tuesday, May 21, 2024. 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 14, 2024, between the hours of 9:00 AM and 3:00 PM on weekdays before the day set for the annual election and on May 21, 2024, the day set for the election, and said list will be posted at the polling place at the election. Any qualified voter present in the polling place may object to the voting of the ballot upon appropriate grounds for making their challenge, and the reasons are therefore known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Military voters who are qualified school district voters may apply for a military ballot. Eligible military voters may designate their preference for receiving their application: by mail, facsimile transmission or electronic mail. If no designation is indicated, the military ballot application will be transmitted by mail. A list of all persons to whom military voter ballots shall have been issued will be available for inspection in the Office of the School District Clerk on each of the five (5) days prior to the day of the election (except Saturday and Sunday), and such list shall also be posted at the voting place during the election, and any qualified voter may challenge the acceptance of the military voter's ballot of any person on such list, by making his challenge and the reasons therefor known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls.

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that applications for an early mail ballot may be applied for at the Office of the School District Clerk. Applications for early mail ballots may be accepted beginning April 22, 2024 through May 15, 2024, to receive the ballot by regular mail and no later than May 20, 2024 to have the ballot delivered in person. A list of all persons to

whom early mail ballots shall have been issued will be available for inspection in the Office of the School District Clerk on each of the five (5) days prior to the day of the election (except Saturday and Sunday), and such list shall also be posted at the voting place during the election, and any qualified voter may challenge the acceptance of the early mail voter's ballot of any person on such list, by making his challenge and the reasons therefor known to the Inspector of Election before the close of the polls;

AND FURTHER NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the qualified voters of the School District are entitled to vote at said annual vote and election. A qualified voter is (1) a citizen of the United States of America, (2) eighteen years (18) of age or older, and (3) a resident within the School District for 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 under 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 under Education by §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 16, 2024, 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 twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the District; 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 proposition requires the expenditure of monies.

Tara Bowers

Franklinville CSD

District Clerk

# FRANKLINVILLE HIGH SCHOOL/ FRANKLINVILLE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

31 North Main Street / 32 North Main Street  
Franklinville, NY 14737

## ADMINISTRATION:

Donald Putnam, Superintendent  
W. Scott Rudnicki, Director of Pupil Personnel Services and Instruction  
Donna Howard, Business Executive  
Robert Hirsch, Middle/High Principal  
Melissa Martin, Elementary Principal

## BOARD OF EDUCATION:

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William Weigel, Vice-President  
Malachi Blundon, PhD  
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## Craft Club Comes to TBA

We have started a craft club in the Middle School/High School to introduce students to the wonderful world of creating memories and life long craft skills. In December, we focused on quick gift and decorating projects focused on Winter and Christmas. The students learned how to make paper ornaments, fabric trees to gift or hang as decorations, decorated photo frames and homemade sugar scrubs.

In the months of January through May, we will be focusing deeper into a specific craft a month so we can practice the skills needed to continue these crafts as long as they choose. January was a month of Crochet. Each student was given a crochet hook and a ball of yarn. They learned slip knots, chain, single crochet, half double crochet and double crochet if they were



able to attend each club meeting. One student made hats for her entire family and another has inspired her mom to re-learn the art of crochet.

In February, we explored counted cross stitch with each student getting a hoop, cloth, floss, needles and patterns for their own cross stitch creations. They are doing a wonderful job of learning, asking and

helping each other as they create new and beautiful things.

We are planning on learning weaving and wire weaving in March, card making in April and latch hook in May. Middle school and high school students are welcome to join us for a single month or more, just let Mrs. Huntington know ahead of time to be sure we have enough supplies for everyone.

## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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