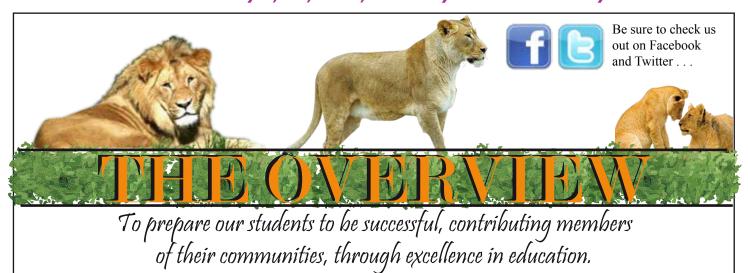
School will be CLOSED May 6, 27, & 30; also May 5 for Elementary School ONLY.



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First Ever Maker Faire a Huge Success!

By Mariah Fiona Kramer, Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Technology

On Saturday, March 19, the Wellsville Central School District held its first Maker Faire at the Elementary School. The event, run by Tony Fountain, Kate Green, Rob Griffiths, and Mariah Kramer, hosted over 60 student maker booths as well as booths from outside vendors. Almost 300 participants registered for the event. Student booths included coding through apps, ping-pong cannon, an infinity light (*shown below*), dry ice bubbles, robotics, mummification, magnetic slime, a tesla coil and crocheting. Several hands-on booths were

set up as well such as making cloud dough and magic sand, water balz, a milk jug igloo, Popsicle stick explosions and throwies. The cardboard city created by children at the end was a huge hit, complete with cardboard airplane.

Many people said they came planning to stay for 30 minutes and ended up staying for over three hours! Participants were able to take what they made with their hands and through their own creativity home with them. Thank you to all the sponsors, volunteers, presenters and participants who made this event a huge success.

Congratulations to the winners of our door prizes and to Eryn M., the winner of the iPad mini.

We look forward to seeing everyone at next year's Maker Faire, which will be held on Saturday, March 11, 2017.





These WHS juniors were recently awarded Scholarships from the University of Rochester; (shown left to right) Madison Ewing, Rachael Ferraloro, Sydney Sisson, and Dakota Dickerson. *See story on page 13*.

Board Vacancies

The Wellsville Central School Board of Education announces one school board vacancy expiring on June 30, 2016. This vacancy is for a three-year term and will expire June 30, 2019. Anyone interested in running for the school board can pick up a petition at the District Office located in the MS/HS complex at 126 West State Street in Wellsville. The petition requires signatures of twenty-five (25) qualified voters of the district, and must be filed with the District Clerk at least thirty (30) days prior to the budget vote on May 17, 2016. The last day petitions can be accepted is April 18, 2016. Please direct any questions you may have to District Clerk Dawn Youmans at 596-2170.

To qualify for membership on the school board, a candidate . . .

- MUST be able to read and write.
- MUST be a qualified voter of the district; that is, a citizen of the United States, at least 18 years of age or older, and not adjudged to be an incompetent.
- MUST be and have been a resident (but need not be a taxpayer) of the district for a continuous and uninterrupted period of at least one year immediately before election.
- MAY NOT have been removed from any school district office within the preceding year.
- MAY NOT reside with another member of the same school board as a member of the same family.
- MAY NOT be a current employee of the school board.
- MAY NOT simultaneously hold another incompatible public office.

Absentee Ballots

Absentee ballots may be applied for at the office of the School District Clerk, Dawn Youmans, at 126 West State St., Wellsville, NY at least seven days before the date of the budget vote (May 17, 2016) if the ballot is to be mailed to the voter, or the day before the budget vote if the ballot is to be issued to the voter in person. Absentee ballots may not be mailed by the District Clerk earlier than 30 days before the vote. An absentee ballot must reach the office of the District Clerk, 126 West State St., Wellsville, NY not later than 5:00 p.m. on the day of the budget vote.



Isabella Steadman is the WHS winner of the prestigious 21st Century Leadership Award from Wells College.

Steadman Earns Leadership Award from Wells College

Wellsville High School's nominee to receive the 21st Century Leadership Award at Wells College is Isabella Steadman (at left). Recognizing the need for ethical leadership, Wells College presents this award to high school juniors who demonstrate leadership ability in their high school and through community activities and who also exhibit academic excellence. Recipients are nominated by their high school guidance counselor and their school's administration during the spring of their junior year and they are then recognized by the Admissions Committee. The 21st Century Leadership Award program is designed to honor these students and grant them a \$40,000 Scholarship for Leaders (\$10,000 per year) for four years of study at Wells College. The nominee must carry a cumulative average of at least 90% throughout high school.

WCS Calendar of Events

April 2 - State Odyssey of the Mind Competition, Binghamton

April 6 - BOE Meeting, MS Room 212, 6:30 p.m.

April 5–7 - NYS ELA Assessment, Grades 6-8

April 13 - High School Report Cards available on Student/Parent Portal

April 13 - Elementary School Report Cards Mailed

April 13–15 - NYS Math Assessment

April 15 & 16 - Musical "Into the Woods," H.S. Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

April 17 - Musical "Into the Woods," H.S. Auditorium, 2 p.m.

April 19 - PTA Meeting, Elementary School Library, 6 p.m.

April 19 - BOE Meeting, MS Room 212, 6:30 p.m.

May 2-4 - AP Exams

May 3 - Budget Hearing, MS Room 212, 6:00 p.m.

May 3 - BOE Meeting, MS Room 212, 6:30 p.m.

May 5 - NO SCHOOL for Elementary School ONLY;

Middle School and High School will be in session

May 5-7 - Senior Trip

May 6 - NO SCHOOL

May 7 - SAT College Entrance Exam

May 9-13 - AP Exams

May 9 - Middle School Report Cards Mailed

May 17 - Budget Vote, 7 a.m. to 9 p.m., Riverside Lobby

May 17 - Middle School Spring Concert, H.S. Auditorium, 7 p.m.

May 17 - Special BOE Meeting, 9:15 p.m., BOE Conference Room

May 20-21 - Houghton Strings Festival, Houghton, NY

May 24 - PTA Meeting, Elem. School Library, 6 p.m.

May 25 - High School Spring Concert, H.S. Auditorium, 7 p.m.

May 25-26 - NYS Science Performance Test

May 26 - NYSSMA Choral Majors, Prattsburgh CSD

May 27 - NO SCHOOL

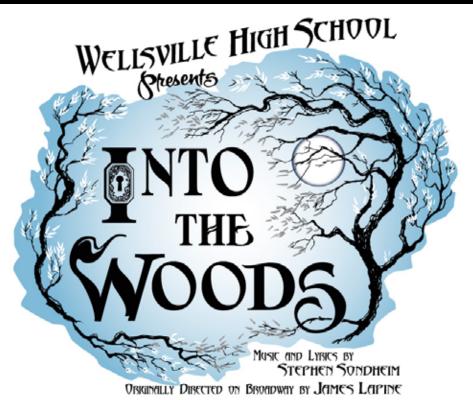
May 28 - Music Fest 2016 at Darien Lake, several WHS/WMS groups to perform

May 30 - NO SCHOOL - Memorial Day





The Overview 3 April 2016



WELLSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL (AUDITORIUM (APRIL 15, 16-7:30_{PM} (APRIL 17-2:00_{PM}

Into the Theatre for Into The Woods

"I wish..."

These two simple words express the theme of this year's Wellsville High School musical, *Into the Woods*. This show, which interweaves several of Grimm's Fairy Tales, begins with the traditional "Once upon a time..." but does not end with "...happily ever after." In fact, the combined creative genius of Stephen Sondheim and James Lapine use the second act of the musical to explore what happens after those immortal words. The show has fast-paced music, wit, and drama which are sure to keep audiences on the edges of their seats.

Wellsville's production is set to go on stage April 15 and 16 at 7:30 p.m. and April 17 at 2 p.m. in the Wellsville High School Auditorium. The cast (shown below) has been rehearsing diligently since January 4 to perfect this production.

The show centers around The Baker and his Wife, played by Bryce Davis and Leah Christman, and their desire to have a

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Music News

On Saturday, February 27, the Wellsville High School a Cappella Vocal Ensemble, commonly known as W.A.V.E. traveled to Guilderland, NY, to compete in the International Championship of High School a Cappella for the third consecutive year. In order to advance in the quarterfinal round of the competition, a group must place in the top three. W.A.V.E. took the runner-up spot and advanced to the semifinals in Wakefield, MA the following weekend. Neil Stanton also received a special award for Outstanding Vocal Percussionist for the entire set. W.A.V.E. performed in the semifinals on Saturday, March 5, 2016. They received valuable feedback and were recognized as National Semifinalists.

W.A.V.E. would like to thank the community and school for their continued support. The group's next goal is to record their second album -- to be released in December. This album will feature 10 tracks -- recorded, edited, mixed, and mastered by *Liquid 5th Productions*, an award-winning recording studio based in North Carolina.

Upcoming Events

On Thursday, May 26, The WHS Chamber Choir will participate in the New York State School Music Association Choral Majors Festival. The audition-based choir was created last year to push the literacy level and challenge of repertoire beyond its previous limits. The choir will perform for two certified evaluators, through whom they will receive valuable feedback and have the opportunity to be recognized with honors. Last year, the WHS Chamber Choir participated in the festival and received a Gold Award for their Level V performance. The group is performing a level VI set this year -- the highest level possible.

On Saturday, May 28, the WHS Chamber Choir, Lion Chorale, W.A.V.E., and the Grades 7/8 Choir will be participating in Music Fest 2016 at Darien Lake. The competition will feature performing ensembles from bordering states. Choirs will each have 30-minute time slots to perform for the judging panel throughout the day. When students are not performing, they may enjoy the park and the live music of the other performing ensembles.

2016 Spring Concert Series:

April 6 - Choirs for the Cure at Bolivar-Richburg High School Auditorium, 7 p.m.

May 17 - Middle School Spring Concert at WHS Auditorium, 7 p.m.

May 25 - High School Spring Concert at WHS Auditorium, 7 p.m.

June 8 - Elementary School Spring Concert at WHS Auditorium, 7 p.m.

June 9 - Encore Performance at David A. Howe Auditorium, 7 p.m.



New Teacher at Middle School

Joshua Brittingham (above) has been hired as a new social studies teacher at the middle school. Mr. Brittingham earned a bachelor's degree at SUNY Geneseo. He then went on to earn his master's degree in education at Roberts Wesleyan College.

He said, "I worked a few different jobs as I completed my college work. I graduated from Roberts Wesleyan College in December and this is my first teaching job."

Joshua resides in Hornell. He likes spending time with family and friends. He also enjoys following different sports, especially professional soccer.

Into the Woods -- From P. 4

child. They are forced to interact with their neighbor The Witch, played by Shannon Migliore. She tells them that they have been cursed. In order to have a child, they must enter the woods and complete 4 tasks which she gives them. Their quest brings them in contact with Cinderella (performed by Sydney Sisson), her Prince (Byron Grover), and her family; Jack -- of Beanstalk fame -and his Mother (Jacob Seeley and Maureen Willard); Little Red Ridinghood (Brittany Childs), her Granny (Isabella Steadman), and the Wolf (Alex Closson); and Rapunzel and her Prince (Caitlyn Whitfield & Dominic Murray). And, of course, there is a Narrator (Jason Greene), who stands on the outside telling the story. Each character ultimately impacts the others.

The production is being directed by Lori Brown, with assistance from music director Cody Hampton and choreographer Heidi Mangels. Mrs. Brown is excited about the work the cast is doing. She said, "We have some wonderful veteran cast members who are doing a terrific job in their own roles, along with helping out some of the players who are new to our stage. Everyone is working very hard to make this an exciting show." Senior Austin Winans, who plays the Prince's Steward, wants audiences to know that they are in for a unique experience. "You get to see a lot of people in life threatening situations, which is not often the case in musical theatre!"

Tickets can be purchased in advance in Brand Name Appliance at 99 North Main Street, Wellsville, or in the Wellsville High School Main Office. They will also be sold at the door. The cost is \$7 for general admission and \$6 for students and senior citizens. Anyone who would like to support the production financially by becoming a patron of the show should contact Diane Willard through the WHS Main Office or at dwillard@wlsv.org.



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CHICKEN NUGGETS DINNER ROLL GREEN BEANS CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN PATTY / BUN BROCCOLI CHILLED FRUIT	POPCORN CHICKEN RICE TEXAS BAKED BE ANS CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN NUGGETS DINNER ROLL CORN CHILLED FRUIT	Lunch \$1.50 Breakfast \$.50 1 % or fat free milk is served at all meals	Monday
ME ATBALL SUBS CARROTS ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	NACHOS WITH BEEF & CHEESE BABY CARROTS REFRIED BEANS ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	SOFT SHELL TACO GREEN BEANS REFRIED BEANS ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	RIB B QUE / BUN GREEN BEANS ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	PEANUT BUTTER & JELLY SANDWICH, CHEF SALAD OR YOGURT MEAL WILL BE AVAILABLE EVERYDAY AS AN ALTERNATE TO THE MAIN MENU.	Tuesday
BBQ CHICKEN SANDWICH BAKED BEANS CHILLED FRUIT	TOASTED CHEESE TOMATO SOUP CHILLED FRUIT	SPAGHETTI WMEAT SAUCE TOS SED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT	6 CHICKEN FAJITA WRAP GREEN BEANS REFRIED BEANS CHILLED FRUIT	ELLY SANDWICH, URT MEAL WILL BE Y AS AN ALTERNATE	Wednesday
HAM & CHEESE ON CROISSIANT TOMATO SOUP ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	BBQ CHICKEN GREEN BEANS DINNER ROLL ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN & GRAVY BISCUITS CARROTS ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	HAMBURGER ON A BUN LETTUCE, TOMATO, ONION CARROTS ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT		Thursday
STUFFED CRUST PIZZA TOSSED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN & CHEESE QUESIDILLA CORN CHILLED FRUIT	TALIAN DUNKE RS CORN CHILLED FRUIT	STUFFED CRUST PIZZA TOSSED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT	MOZZARELLA STICKS DINNER ROLL BROCCOLI CHILLED FRUIT	Friday



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Wellsville High School / Middle School

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Bagels, English Muffins, Toast and Cereal or Toast & Yogurt are available as alternates to the main breakfast entree.		Lunch Meal Prices: \$1.75 MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL Breakfa st \$.75 Skim or 1 % milk is served at all meals		1 EGG MCMUFFIN ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE FRESH FRUIT
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BRE AKFAST ON A STICK ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE FRESH FRUIT	BRE AKFAST PIZZA ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE FRESH FRUIT	BRE AKFAST BURRITO ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE FRESH FRUIT	LA CINNAMON BREAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE FRESH FRUIT	EGG MCMUFFIN ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE FRESH FRUIT



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SALADS PIZZA, CHEESEBURGERS CHICKEN PATTY	GRAB & GO - SUBS, WRAPS, YOGURT PARFAIT & SALADS PIZZA, CHEE SEBURGERS, HAMBURGERS, CHICKEN PATTY ARE OFFERED DAILY AS AN ALTERNATE TO THE		Lunch Meal Prices: \$1.75 MIDDLE / HIGH SCHOOL Breakfast \$.75 Skim or 1 % milk is served at all meals	
SWEET & SOUR CHICKEN RICE CHINESE STYLE VEGETABLES FRESH VEGGIES CHILLED FRUIT	MOME RUN PLATE DINNER ROLL CORN TOSSED SALAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	SOFT SHELL TACO BRE AD & BUTTER (HS) TEXAS BAKED BE ANS TOSSED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT	7 CHIC' PENNE CARROTS BRE AD & BUTTER (HS) TOSSED SALAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN & CHEESE QUESIDILLA DINNER ROLL (HS) GREEN BEANS TOSSED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT
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18 CHICKEN TENDER SUB BAKED BEANS TOSSED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT	19 SLOPPY JOES ON A BUN BABY POTATOES TOSSED SALAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	BUFFALO CHIX FAJITA CORN REFRIED BEANS TOSSED SALAD RICE(HS) CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN & GRAVY BISCUITS CARROTS TOSSED SALAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	ITALIAN DUNKERS BROCCOLI CHILLED FRUIT
POPCORN CHICKEN RICE BAKED BEANS FRESH VEGGIES CHILLED FRUIT	RIB B QUE / BUN GREEN BEANS RICE(HS) TOSSED SALAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	TACO SALAD BRE AD & BUTTER REFRIED BEANS TOSSED SALAD WLSV CHILLED FRUIT	CHICKEN ALFREDO CARROTS BRE AD & BUTTER (HS) TOSSED SALAD ASSORTED FRUIT JUICE CHILLED FRUIT	BIG DADDY PIZZA BROCCOLI TOSSED SALAD CHILLED FRUIT

Winter Athletic Awards

WHS held its annual Winter Athletic Awards on Wednesday, March 9, 2016. The individuals pictured were honored with the following awards . . .

JV Girls Basketball

Most Improved: Claire Gardner MVP Defense: Jaden Hyslip MVP Offense: Kenna Hoffman MVP Offense: Mattie Buckley

Varsity Girls Basketball

MVP Offensive: Rayanna Anderson MVP Defense: Taylor Adams

MIP: Quincy Buckley

Coach's Award: Amy Lorshbaugh Coach's Award: Payton Low



Boys Volleyball

Most Improved: Zachary Sands (absent)

Coach's Award: Bryce Beckwith MVP Offense: Gabe Raptis

MVP Defense: Hunter Payne (absent)







Wrestling

MVP: Ryan Dunham

Coach's Award: Cordell Potter Coach's Award: Cody Hurlburt

Budget Hearing

Tuesday, May 3, 6 p.m. Middle School Room 212 (before BOE meeting)







JV Boys Basketball

Coach's Award: Alec Acampora Most Improved: Colin Cook Offensive MVP: Jimmy McKinley Defensive MVP: Sean Whitehouse

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will be produced monthly as a service to district residents, taxpayers, students, parents, and employees. Staff members and others can submit information on significant events via e-mail to the designated reporter for their building by the following deadline(s):

May 2016

April 15

Varsity Boys Basketball

MVP Offense: Liam Ebert MVP Defense: Cooper Buckley

Heart & Hustle Award: Mike Giopulos Most Improved on Defense: Dylan

Griffiths

Most Improved: Jake Whitehouse



JV Cheerleading

Coach's Award: Brianna Cline Most Improved: Alexa Hill Most Spirited: Emily Watson

Varsity Cheerleading

Coach's Award: Sarah Stevens Coach's Award: Rebecca Stevens Coach's Award: Alayna Grastorf Coach's Award: Hayley Cook

Guidance News

Important Calendar Dates

- April 1 Deadline for Allegany County Area Foundation Dollars for Scholars Scholarship
- **April 8** Registration deadline for the May 7 SAT College Entrance Exam to be given at WHS. Apply online at *www.collegeboard.com* (Remember your High School Code is 335-870).
 - April 11 High School marking period 3 ends
 - April 13 Marking Period 3 report cards available on the parent portal
 - April 22 Senior Data Sheets must be returned to the guidance office to be eligible for local scholarships.
 - April 26 Late registration deadline for the May 7, 2016 SAT College Exam to be given at WHS
- **May 5-7** Class of 2016 senior class trip. All seniors not attending the senior trip must be in school on May 5 (all senior classes will be in session).
 - May 6 NO SCHOOL

Scholarship Deadlines

- April 1 Allegany County Area Foundation Dollars for Scholars
- April 1 Monica M. Moore Memorial Scholarship
- **April 1** Benjamin Teater Memorial Scholarship
- April 4 The County Sons of the American Legion
- April 5 Farm Credit East Scholarship
- April 8 NYS Association of Agricultural Fairs Scholarship
- April 12 WNY Safari Club International Scholarship
- April 15 Allegany County Mental Health Association Scholarships
- April 15 2016 Irving Flaumenbaum Memorial Scholarship Program (CSEA members' children are eligible)
- April 18 Lars E. Lanphere Memorial Scholarship
- April 20 Southwestern Association of Volunteer Firemen Scholarship
- April 22 SENIOR DATA SHEETS DUE
- April 22 2016 Student-View Scholarship Program
- April 22 WLSV CSEA Scholarship
- April 29 CSEA Local #802 Scholarship
- April 29 Beta Sigma Phi Sorority Scholarship
- April 29 William J. & Dorothy H. Cox Foundation Scholarship
- April 30 Olean Kennel Club Award
- May 1 Allegany County Deputy Sheriff's Association Scholarship
- May 1 Steuben Trust Company Scholarship
- May 2 Friends of Allegany Arc Foundation Scholarship
- May 2 Morrison Hayes American Legion Post #702 Scholarship
- May 6 Past National Commander Michael J. Kogutek American Legion Scholarship
- May 13 Allegany County Deputy Sheriff's Association Scholarship
- June 30 2016 Aspiring Nurse Scholarship

For more information on these and any scholarships, please see your counselor or inquire at the Guidance Office. Many local scholarship applications are available in the spring. Seniors, please check your mailboxes for your calendar of important dates and deadlines and the list of scholarships.

Scholarship Program

Each March, the high school begins preparation for our Senior Scholarship Night to be held in June. Most scholarships and awards given to seniors by local families or organizations are announced at this celebration.

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Guidance -- From Page 12

The cost of post-secondary education has risen dramatically over the past few



years. A contribution to WHS Scholarship Funds gives the message to our graduates that we appreciate their hard work and want to help with their education.

Local citizens, community-service groups, organizations, employers, and families are encouraged to continue this outpouring of support for our young people by adding to or establishing a new scholarship fund. This may be done at any time throughout the year. Any amount may be donated to a scholarship simply by sending a check to the "WHS Scholarship Fund" at the District Office, 126 West State Street, Wellsville, NY 14895. Please designate to which fund you would like your check credited. You may also set up a new fund at anytime by simply calling the Guidance Office at 585-596-2160.

Our 27th Annual Senior Scholarship Night will be held on Tuesday, June 7, at 7 p.m. in the WHS Auditorium. All members of the Class of 2016, parents, friends, and the public are cordially invited.

Thank you for honoring Wellsville High School Seniors with your scholarship!

Important Reminders to Seniors & Parents

Seniors, please remember to turn in your senior data sheets to the Guidance Office no later than, Friday, April 22nd. Blank senior data sheets are available in the Guidance Office. These sheets are very important to seniors in order to be considered for any local scholarships. If you have any questions concerning these sheets, please see guidance.

More Important Information for Seniors (Class of 2016):

Sheet carefully and neatly and return it to the Guidance Office by April 22. Neatness counts! We cannot overemphasize this point. Write down all of your activities (but be

scrupulously honest), and write legibly and neatly in <u>black</u> ink. The Senior Data Sheet is how our community's scholarship donors will perceive you. Do not attach pages.

- Boys, when you turn 18, you must register for Selective Service online at www.sss.gov
- Scholarship Night is set for Tuesday, June 7. If you are going to receive an award, your parents or guardians will receive a letter. However, all seniors are encouraged to attend.
- Please inform the Guidance Office of your post high school graduation plans, college acceptances, scholarship opportunities, job offers, etc.
- Check with your chosen college now if you need tuition assistance.
- Please do not count on local scholarships to underwrite a majority of your college costs. These one-time awards may help pay for some books

and perhaps a small portion of tuition. You should already have a financial plan in place.

■ Do your **VERY BEST** these last few months! Your senior year grades are important. A final transcript will be mailed to your college in early July.

News for Juniors

Start doing college research now! Visit prospective colleges! Many scholarships given in the fall and spring of next year are based on your community service hours. Remember to complete your student activities form, update it when needed and return it to the guidance office. Always do your best in your schoolwork! Your final three-year average will determine class rank, which is recorded on your high school transcript and needed for college and scholarship applications during your senior year.

University of Rochester Announces Scholarships at WHS

Since 1933, the University of Rochester has maintained a tradition of helping high schools recognize their most talented students. The University of Rochester currently offers awards to recognize outstanding juniors in high school.

To be considered for these scholarships, students must first apply for admissions to the University. Upon application for admission, winners are automatically considered for the respective scholarship. The scholarship provides each qualified student \$7,500 to \$20,000 per year for four years. Selection for these scholarships is competitive and is based upon the overall strength of the student's application for admission.

The University of Rochester is proud to continue the tradition of the Bausch and Lomb Honorary Science Award, awarded each year to high school juniors who demonstrate exceptional promise in the sciences. Wellsville High School's nominee to receive the Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award is **Madison Ewing**.

Rachael Ferraloro has been nominated by WHS to receive the University of Rochester's Humanities/Social Sciences Award. This award is named in honor of famous Rochester natives Frederick Douglass and Susan B. Anthony. The University is proud to continue the tradition of these pioneers through extensive research and study devoted to social justice and human rights.

Wellsville High School's third nominee is **Sydney Sisson**. Sydney has been nominated for the George Eastman Young Leaders Award. Selection for this award is based upon strong leadership experience at school and in the community and extensive involvement in extracurricular activities.

Wellsville High School's fourth and final nominee is **Dakota Dickerson**. Dakota is our nominee for the University of Rochester's Xerox Award for Innovation and Information Technology. The junior nominated for this award should demonstrate achievement in the pursuit of innovative approaches.

Each year, more than 3,000 high schools around the world participate in this award recognition program. Congratulations to our nominees!

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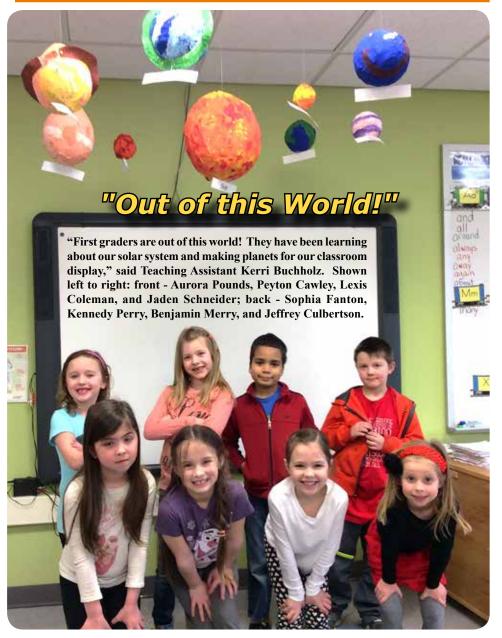
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Tomak is Elmira College Key Award Winner

Senior Emily Tomak (above) is the WHS recipient of the Elmira College Key Award, which is sponsored by the Elmira College Alumni Association, and has been awarded to fine students since 1935. The award of merit is presented to outstanding high school juniors in the top of their class with a minimum cumulative average of 90%. Candidates must also demonstrate school and community leadership. Key Award winners receive an \$80,000 tuition scholarship over a four-year period (\$20,000 per year) upon enrolling at Elmira College. The award is renewable each year with an academic average of 3.0 or higher. Recipients attending Elmira College are also honored in the fall of their freshman year by the Alumni Association and are presented with the prestigious Elmira College Key.



YMCA Swimming at Elementary School

Open Swim -- \$2 - Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, 6-8 p.m. Lap Swim -- \$2 - MWF, 7-8 a.m., 5-6 p.m.; Tuesday & Thursday, 6-7 a.m.

Water Aerobics -- \$4 - Tuesday and Thursday, 7-8 a.m., 5-6 p.m. For more information, please call the YMCA at 593-3246.