| BOARD MEETING: | Regular |
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| DATE: | Wednesday, October 18, 2017 |
| TIME: | 6:30 p.m. |
| PLACE: | Naples High School Cafeteria |

I. Meeting Called to Order
II. Roll Call
III. Adopt the Agenda of the Regular Meeting of October 18, 2017 (Board Action)
IV. Executive Session
(Board Action)
V. Pledge of Allegiance
VI. Public Comments: The Board of Education invites you, the residents of our school community, to feel comfortable in sharing matters of interest or concern that you might have with us. The Board President will be happy to recognize those of you who wish to speak. We would ask that you come forward and please identify yourself before presenting your thoughts.

Those items brought to the attention of the Board during this time may be taken under consideration for future response or action. (Individual comments will be limited to three minutes.)

As a matter of courtesy, we ask that issues related to specific School District personnel or students be brought to the attention of the Superintendent of Schools privately. Thank you for this consideration.
Board Reponse: The Board of Education is committed to keeping communication open and transparent. The Board of Education President will be working with the Board and the Superintendent to make every effort to respond to public comments directed to the Board of Education at previous meetings, during the next scheduled meeting.
VII. Points of Interest
VIII. Superintendent Recognitions \& Updates

- Points of Pride
- Claims Auditor Report
- School Board Recognition Week (October 23-27, 2017)
- Annual Emergency Go Home Drill
- Parent Survey Discussion
IX. Board Reports
- 2017 NYSSBA Convention
X. Administrative Reports
- Elementary Principal • Director of Pupil Personnel
- Secondary Principal - Student Representative
XI. Minutes
(Board Action)
- Regular Meeting of October 4, 2017
XII. Business / Financial
(Board Action)
- Policy Update
XIII. Personnel
(Board Action)
- Resignation
- Groundskeeper/Automotive Mechanic
- Appointment
- Automotive Mechanic/Bus Driver
- 2017-2018 Extra-Curricular:
- Mentor
XIV. Consent Agenda Items
(Board Action)
- Committee on Special Education Recommendations
- Volunteers
- Substitute School Bus Driver
- Substitutes:
- Cleaners
- Teacher Aide
XV. Adjournment

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of Naples Central School held on Wednesday, October 18, 2017 at $\qquad$ p.m. in the Naples High School Cafeteria.

Members Present: Robert Brautigam Thomas Hawks
Joseph Callaghan Kelley Louthan

Carter Chapman Gail Musnicki
Brent Gerstner Maura Sullivan Jacob Hall Hayden Myers

Members Absent:
Also Present: Matthew Frahm, Mitchell Ball, Kristina A. Saucke, E. Bridget Ashton, Katherine Piedici and Heather Clark.

A quorum being present, the meeting was called to order at $\qquad$ p.m. by Board President Jacob Hall.

## Motion:

$2^{\text {nd }}$ :
Resolved, that the Board of Education approves the agenda of the Regular Meeting of
October 18, 2017 as presented.
Voting Yes:

## Motion Carried <br> Motion Denied

Voting No:

## Motion:

2nd:
Resolved, that the Board of Education approves calling an executive session at $\qquad$ p.m. for the purpose of discussing the employment history of a particular person or persons.

Voting Yes:
Voting No:

Motion Carried
Motion Denied

Time out of Executive Session: $\qquad$ p.m.

Motion:
$2^{\text {nd }}$ :
Resolved, that the Board of Education approves the minutes of the following meeting(s):

- Regular Meeting of October 4, 2017

Voting Yes:
Motion Carried
Voting No:
Motion Denied
Motion:
$2^{\text {nd }}$ :
Resolved, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Naples Central School District Board of Education approves the following Business resolutions as presented:

- Resolved, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of the Policy Committee, with no second reading required as per Policy \#1410, hereby approves the following policies, regulations and forms as presented:
- Policy \#4212: Naples Central School District Organizational Chart

Voting Yes:
Voting No:
Motion Denied

## Motion:

$2^{\text {nd }}$ :
Resolved, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Naples Central School
District Board of Education approves the following personnel item as presented:

- Resolved, that upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Naples Central School District Board of Education accepts the resignation of Adam Fitzgerald, Groundskeeper/Auto Mechanic, effective October 19, contingent upon his appointment as Automotive Mechanic/Bus Driver.
- Resolved, that the Board of Education approves the probationary appointment of Adam Fitzgerald, 5206 Blodgett Road, as Automotive Mechanic/Bus Driver, effective October 19, 2017 at the rate of $\$ 18.35 /$ hour.
- Resolved, that the Board of Education approves the following Extra-Curricular appointments for the 2017-2018 School Year, salary as per negotiated agreement:

Mentor: Christine Arsenault for Julie Fitzpatrick

| Voting Yes: | Motion Carried |
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| Voting No: | Motion Denied |

## Motion:

$2^{\text {nd }}$ :
Resolved, that the Board of Education, upon the recommendation of Superintendent Matthew Frahm, approves the Consent Agenda Items as presented:
a. Resolved, that the Board of Education approves committee recommendations from the following meetings:

- Committee on Special Education actions of 10/04/2017 and 10/10/2017.
b. Resolved, that the Board of Education hereby approves the following Volunteer:

| Name | Position | $\underline{\text { Address }}$ |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Lori Houppert | Volunteer | 1412 Hollyhock Drive, Webster, NY 14580 |
| Merry Jo Polimeni | Volunteer | 3300 East Lake Rd, \#1D, Canandaigua, NY 14424 |

c. Resolved, that the Board of Education hereby approves the following Substitute Appointment effective October 12, 2017, pending a successful background clearance report provided to the school as a result of the fingerprinting process:
$\frac{\text { Name }}{\text { Mark Caruso }} \quad \frac{\text { Position }}{\text { School Bus Driver }} \frac{\text { Address }}{8711 \text { Route 53, Naples, NY } 14512}$
d. Resolved, that the Board of Education hereby approves the following Substitute Appointments, pending a successful background clearance report provided to the school as a result of the fingerprinting process:

| $\underline{\text { Name }}$ | $\underline{\text { Position }}$ |  | Address |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Lori Thompson | Cleaner |  | 5314 Whiting Road, Naples, NY 14512 |
| Randy Corso | Cleaner | 8180 Feather Street, Naples, NY 14512 |  |
| Patricia Habben | Teacher Aide | 5481 Seneca Point Road, Canandaigua, NY 14424 |  |

Voting Yes:
Motion Carried
Voting No:

## Motion Denied

## Motion:

$2^{\text {nd }}$ :
There being no further business, the Regular Meeting of October 18, 2017 is hereby adjourned at
$\qquad$
Voting Yes:
Motion Carried
Voting No:
Motion Denied

## Board of Education Auditor Report - October 2017 Board Meeting

From April 1, 2017 - June 30, 2017 I have approved warrants 0143-0189 for a total amount of $\$ 1,028,706.42$ for the fourth quarter of the 2016-2017 fiscal year. The following errors have occurred and were corrected:

1. (4) Backup paperwork missing information (conference forms, missing signatures)

A total of 4 errors from 640 transactions (0.006\%)


## Board of Education Auditor Report - October 2017 Board Meeting

From July 1, 2017 - September 30, 2017 I have approved warrants 0001-0054 for a total amount of $\$ 3,207,339.02$ for the first quarter of the 2017-2018 fiscal year. The following errors have occurred and were corrected:

1. (5) Backup paperwork missing information (conference forms, missing signatures)
2. (2) Requisitions made day of / after conference

A total of 7 errors from 576 transactions (0.012\%)

Respectfully submitted,


## Naples Central School

## Naples Elementary School Board of Education Updates ~ October 2017

"Increasing STEAM Opportunities and Student Engagement": Mrs. Wordingham is working with teachers in grades 4-6 to offer additional STEAM activities for students not enrolled in chorus (which currently has 82 students signed up!). This is a once a week opportunity for 45 minutes. Our staff has truly embraced "the Arts" in STEAM, and this is another example of making sure all students have enrichment opportunities. Students are allowed to sign up on a google doc for what activity interests them. The teachers plan and run the group activities. Here is an example of what was offered the first week:


October 3, 2017 Sessions

| Math Puzzles <br> Solving Math puzzles This session will be 2 weeks | Marshmallow Challenge Groups will work together to plan, design and create a structure to get a marshmallow to the greatest height. Groups will use spaghetti, tape and string. At the conclusion they will watch a Ted Talk to explain best designs. | KEVA Planks <br> Challenges to build with KEVA planks. These are smooth wood planks you will engineer to solve a challenge by creative stacking. | Dash \& Dot Coding <br> Dot has been kidnapped by the evil creature <br> Starro. Dash has been given the task of rescuing Dot. Can you code Dash to avoid the obstacles that Starro has placed in the way? Will you be able to program Dash before time runs out? <br> This session runs for 3 weeks. (You will not choose for the next 2 weeks.) |
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| Wood Burning Project Incorporating some math and science you will work on a wood burning project. <br> This session will be 2 weeks. | Bucket Tower Challenge <br> Build a tower that will suspend a bucket that will hold weight. <br> Work together to make on site adjustments as you detect weak points in the tower. Can you build the strongest one? | Mystery Bag Challenge <br> The group of students will receive a mystery bag of different materials. The group will then be given a task card where they can only use the materials in the bag to complete the challenge. |  |

Outdoor learning continues at Naples Elementary! Here are a couple more examples of the engaging opportunities our staff are providing to students! ©
P.L.A.N.T. Club (People Learning About Nature Together) currently has 93 students enrolled! Kyle Inda and Chris Kansco have done an amazing job getting this club going! The group is so large that they are meeting every week with smaller groups with a large group meeting once a month. Here is the October schedule (we welcome volunteers to join us anytime!!):


| Grade | Meeting Schedule | Date This Month |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Grade 1 | $1^{\text {st }}$ Tuesday of the Month | October $3^{\text {rd }}$ |
| Grade 2 | $2^{\text {nd }}$ Tuesday of the Month | October $10^{\text {th }}$ |
| Grades 4-6 | $2^{\text {nd }}$ Wednesday of the Month | October $11^{\text {th }}$ |
| Grade 3 | $3^{\text {rd }}$ Tuesday of the Month | October $17^{\text {th }}$ |
| Whole Group | Friday meetings in the Cafeteria | October $20^{\text {th }}$ <br> November $17^{\text {th }}$ <br> January $26^{\text {th }}$ <br> February $16^{\text {th }}$ <br> March $23^{\text {rd }}$ <br> April $27^{\text {th }}$ <br> May $18^{\text {th }}$ |



Here is a sample of an email send by Mr. Almekinder regarding his "Forest Fridays" program:
"This week our focus has been on macroinvertebrates and preparing for our biomonitoring field based learning activity tomorrow. Your child's pre-journal work should be done for tomorrow. We learned how to calculate a biotic index today. It was some challenging math concepts for this point of the year, but they are all math standards that we are expected to have mastered by May. The weather looks like it will be good, but please remind your child to be prepared to be outdoors all day. This activity is a highlight of the year for me.

We will take a bus to parish flats to explore the West River wetland area. We will then bus to Grimes Glen to conduct a stream sampling to compare two different aspects of our watershed. We will hike back to school from there.

## Tomorrow is picture day - our time is 8:15, before we head to PE and our outdoor activities.

Next week we will be very active for us. Tuesday is our Teambuilding Day at East Hill with the faculty of FLCC. This date coincides with FLCC's semester activity day. We are fortunate to have this opportunity. It is a really fun and challenging day of activities. Thanks to Maura Sullivan for making this happen for us. We will bus up to East Hill and then hike back to school. Then on Friday we will continue our investigation of our hydrosphere as we explore the Honeoye Lake inlet by canoe from Mueller Field Station. This is another good teambuilding and learning experience for students."

## Elementary Robotics



Jodie Schwartz and a group of amazing parent volunteers have continued to grow this program. The Jr. Robotics teams are competing for the $5^{\text {th }}$ consecutive year, this year. The group has grown from one team of ten 5 th and $6^{\text {th }}$ graders to a group of 5 teams including $5^{\text {th }}$ through $8^{\text {th }}$ graders.

The 2017-2018 Jr. Robotics teams began meeting during the first week of school. The group has been expanded to include $7^{\text {th }}$ and $8^{\text {th }}$ graders this year to give older students an opportunity to build on their past experience. FIRST LEGO League allows students in grades 4-8 to complete.

Five teams of students have been registered to compete in the Rochester Regional Qualifying Tournaments in December. One team consists of $7^{\text {th }}$ and $8^{\text {th }}$ grade students with prior experience. Two teams consist of $5^{\text {th }}$ and $6^{\text {th }}$ grade girls and two teams consist of $5^{\text {th }}$ and $6^{\text {th }}$ grade boys. There are a total of 27 students in grades 5-8 participating and 10 parent coaches.

Teams meet twice each week (Monday and Wednesday evenings from 6:00-7:30) in the STEAM Lab and surrounding classrooms. Teams spend their time building and programming EV3 robots
and creating a project presentation. As a part of the preparation for the presentation, teams have met with several local professionals to gather information for their research, and there are plans to visit the Canandaigua treatment plant in the coming weeks.

The 2017-2018 FIRST LEGO League challenge theme is HydroDynamics. More information is available at www.firstinspires.org. Team members would love an opportunity to share their projects and robots when they've finished preparing for competition!

Due to a $\$ 2,500$ contribution from Bristol Harbour Management this summer, the group was able to purchase enough EV3 robot kits to support five teams. We raised $\$ 2,300$ selling water and parking spaces at the Grape Festival this year. Those funds, along with a $\$ 25$ membership fee requested from each student (scholarships available upon request) pay for the team and tournament registration fees along with the LEGO kits needed to prepare for competition.

During the spring, there is an opportunity for $4^{\text {th }}$ graders to spend two days each week after school for 4-6 weeks working in small groups learning to program the EV3 robots in preparation for their FLL team experience as $5^{\text {th }}$ graders. In the past, there has been a program for $3^{\text {rd }}$ graders to build with LEGOs and simple machines as well as do project research and present it in a community expo. This will be offered during the spring of 2018 depending on student interest and parent support.


Up Open House was a great success! Our family attendance was up to an all time high of $91 \%!!$ Students where thrilled to show off their classrooms and favorite activities. We held our first flu shot clinic in the gymnasium, and offered a pizza dinner and ice cream social.


Elementary Picture Day: Friday 10/13/17

* Board of Education Meeting: Wednesday, 10/18/17
* UPK-3 Roller Skating Party: Tuesday, 10/24/17 from 3:30-5:00pm in the Elementary Gym
* Half Day of School on Friday, 10/27/17 for a District Staff Conference Day

4 Red Ribbon Week: Monday, 10/23/17 - Friday, 10/27/17
4 Halloween Parade: Tuesday, 10/31/17 at 1:30pm in the Elementary Gym
4 Emergency Go Home Drill: Wednesday 11/1/17 (details will be mailed to parents and posted on the website next week)
4 Parent Teacher Conferences: Thursday, 11/2/17 (afternoon and evening)

+ Parent Teacher Conferences: Friday, 11/3/17 (afternoon)
4 EdCamp! Saturday, 11/4/17 7:30am-12:00pm at Canandaigua Middle School
+ Veterans Day Rally in the Valley: Thursday, 11/9/17 1:00pm in the Elementary Gym
* Veterans Day Holiday - School Closed: Friday, 11/10/17
* Thanksgiving Holiday Break - School Closed: Wednesday, 11/22/17 through Friday, 11/24/17




## CELEBRATIONS

- Heartiest of congratulations to Naples' Teachers of the Year, Jaime Weller and Aaron O'Rourke, who were recognized by Senator Rich Funke at a lovely reception on Wednesday, 9/27. We could not be more PROUD of
 Jaime and Aaron! It is important to note, that while the evening was a tribute to individual teachers from across the 55th District of NYS, it was also a celebration of TEACHING and PUBLIC EDUCATION, which includes all of our teaching staff!
- Kudos to our 2017-18 writers for the Neapolitan Record: Tiffany Brugge and Jessie Schwartz. Tiffany and Jessie will alternate feature stories in the Neapolitan Record every other month.
- A shout out to all of the students who were nominated and will be collaborating with the World of Inquiry School this year:

1. Liam Almekinder
2. Ava Sheedy
3. Rachael Kugler
4. Aren Jensen
5. Griffin Frazer
6. Kharyl Judith
7. Egypt Lee
8. Rosemary Byington
9. Owen Kennedy
10. Abe Simmons
11. Claire Radak
12. Maeya Yeatman

- Welcome to Heather Clark, our recently appointed HS AP and District Data Coordinator! Heather is joining us from the Midlakes Central School District where she has worked as a Special Education Teacher, Elementary School Dean of Students, and Behavior Specialist. Heather's 1st day in Naples will be October 16!
- Congratulations to Aly Powers! The Board of Education approved the resolution for her tenure appointment in September. Please join me in congratulating her on this professional milestone!
- Kudos to Michelle Walpole and Anneke Radin-Snaith for presenting information on PBL at the 2017 NYSSBA Convention in Lake Placid on 10/12-14, 2017.
- A shout out to our Fall Athletes for their spirit and dedication to the Green Machine!

Finger Lakes Standings as of 10/11/17:

1. Fall 2017 Girls Varsity East Finger Lakes Tennis: 10-5-0
2. Fall 2017 Boys Varsity West Finger Lakes Soccer: 14-0-1
3. Fall 2017 Girls Varsity West Finger Lakes Soccer: 12-3-0
4. Fall 2017 Boys JV West Finger Lakes: 8-4-2
5. Fall 2017 Girls JV West Finger Lakes Soccer: 10-1-0
6. Fall 2017 Girls Mod./JV Combined Tennis: 3-4-0
7. Fall 2017 Boys Modified West Finger Lakes Soccer: 7-1-0
8. Fall 2017 Girls Modified West Finger Lakes Soccer: 0-7-0
9. Fall 2017 Boys Varsity West Finger Lakes Golf: 0-12-0

- Congratulations to all of the elected Class Officers for the 2017-18 school year!

Class of 2018 (12th Grade)

1. President: Alicia Quarterman
2. Vice President: Fennel Makepeace
3. Secretary: Maeya Yateman
4. Treasurers: Hayden Myers \& Ethan DeTurk

## Class of 2019 (11th Grade)

1. President: Elizabeth Maczynski
2. Vice President: Nick Green
3. Secretary: Skye Chaapel
4. Treasurers: Dylan Rohr

Class of 2020 (10th Grade)

1. President: Kharyl Judith
2. Vice President: Aren Jensen
3. Secretary: Gianna Vest
4. Treasurers: Jessica Schwartz

Class of 2021 (9th Grade)

1. President: Liam Almekinder
2. Vice President: Jake Schwartz
3. Secretary: Jadon Inda
4. Treasurers: Meaghan Gerstner

Class of 2022 (8th Grade)

1. President: Stella Frazer
2. Vice President: Katie Mark
3. Secretary: Rhiannon Mansfield
4. Treasurers: Jacob Pogel

Class of 2023 (7th Grade)

1. President: Adam Bay
2. Vice President: Cade Rathbun
3. Secretary: Evan Waldeis
4. Treasurers: Drew Reigelsperger

## CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING STUDENTS ON THEIR SELECTION TO THE:

NYSSMA Zone 15 Area All-State Junior High Concert Band:

- Kate Mark-Clarinet, Grace Uhlen, Jesse Gordon, and Anna Quarterman-Trumpet, Jake Schwartz-Horn in F, and Liam Almekinder, Baritone Saxophone!

- This festival will take place the week end of November 34, 2017 @ Hornell High School.
NYSSMA Zone 15 Area All-State Senior High Concert Band:
- Felicity Hutchinson-Trumpet, and Ethan DeTurk-Bass Clarinet
- This festival will take place the week end of November 17-18, 2017 @ Elmira High School.
Area All State Senior Mixed Chorus:
- Paytan Mann
- Spencer Hunter
- Emma Lincoln
- Sarah Giovine


HS roundup: Naples boys cli...
www.mpnnow.com
Big Green use Brautigam's PK to top Naples, which leads off our roundup of Monday's local events



## HOMECOMING 2017 RECAP

Naples High School had a tremendous homecoming week! Our Homecoming festivities included the following: SPIRIT WEEK, Monday thru Friday, 9/25-9/29

- Monday, 9/25 - "Color Wars" Day, as follows:

- 12th Graders wear white.
- 11th graders wear black.
- 10th graders wear red.
- 9th graders wear blue.
- 8th graders wear gray.
- 7th graders wear green.
- Tuesday, 9/26 - "Twin Day"
- Wednesday, 9/27 - "America" Day
- Thursday, 9/28 - "Tacky Tourist" Day
- Friday, 9/29 - "Green and White" Day

Homecoming Pep Rally - Friday, 9/29 @1:40

- Shout out to Bill Murphy, the HS Student Council, and the Core 4 (Elizabeth, Fennel, Hayden and Alicia) for coordinating and executing the 2017 Homecoming Pep Rally.. it was an excellent display of NAPLES SCHOOL SPIRIT! Well done!
JV/Varsity Sports Breakfast - Saturday, 9/30, 8:00-10:00am
- Open invite to all FALL JV and Varsity athletes.
- Naples Hall of Fame Inductees were acknowledged at this breakfast.

Homecoming Athletics - Saturday, 9/30

- A big shout out to all of our athletes, coaches and soccer teams for their wins on Saturday during the Homecoming Athletic Competitions. Varsity Boys won 2-0, JV Boys won 1-0, Varsity Girls won 1-0 and JV Girls won 5-0.
- Girls JV Girls vs. Bath: 12:00 - NAPLES WINS!
- Girls Varsity Soccer game VS. Honeoye: 12:00-NAPLES WINS!
- Boys JV vs. Honeoye: 2:00 - NAPLES WINS!
- Boys Varsity vs. Honeoye: 2:00 - NAPLES WINS!

Homecoming Dance - Saturday, 9/30, 8:00-11:00pm

- $75 \%$ of our student body participated in this event.
- Many thanks to our Homecoming Dance chaperones: Bill Murphy, Analisa Chapman, Tess Taillon, Michelle Walpole, Monica Kastner, Karen Maczynski, Rick Jaus, and Heather Clark.




## TECHNOLOGY UPDATE

- All students in grades 7-12 have been issued their 1:1 devices.
- To date, teachers have delivered four of eight Digital Citizenship lessons to students. The Digital Citizenship Committee plans to implement a midpoint survey (10/16) and endpoint survey (11/13) to staff to gather feedback on utility, facility and applicability of the digital citizenship curriculum. Feedback will be utilized to plan for 2018-19 rollout.
- GoGuardian is active on all ChromeBook devices. Several teachers are utilizing the teacher components: SCREEN VIEWER (ability to view what students are working on in real time, or explore previous sessions) ACTIVITY TIMELINE (View every student's current open tab and previous browsing history on a single page) and SCENES (Create custom study, work, and testing environments to maximize learning time and minimize distractions). Additional PD for teachers surrounding GoGuardian is being planned in effort to maximize its utility at Naples HS.
- Many teachers are embedding technology in daily practice via blended learning, station rotation work, tech tools, and games.


## INSTRUCTIONAL HIGHLIGHT: WORLD OF INQUIRY COLLABORATION

We are excited to continue our collaboration with the World of Inquiry School in Rochester. After our day together last
 spring at the Cumming Nature Center, student feedback was overwhelming in support of meeting again, but this time in Rochester. The same group of students (plus three additional freshman) who were nominated by department chairs last year will be participating in a field trip on October 17th that includes a visit to the Rochester Public Market and planning/collaboration time at the Rochester Museum and Science Center.
The goals for this collaboration include:

- To understand that we have shared human experiences despite rural/urban differences
- To build positive relationships and empathetic communicators in an increasingly divisive political/social climate
- To include connections through food
"People brought together from differing educational, cultural, racial and ethnic backgrounds can be prepared to deal more effectively with human problem-solving experiences than those who are not in an integrated setting."
*Submitted by Anneke Radin-Snaith

plan \& execute ist fundraiser by. In addition to raising funds helping with 8th Annual Naples through the trot, Turkey Trot, mmittee will host an sweater Dance in sweater Dance in December.



## INSTRUCTIONAL HIGHLIGHT: PROJECT BASED LEARNING (PBL) UPDATE

- For the 2017-2018 school year, the seventh graders will be participating in a year long project based learning (PBL) unit with a culminating event, an International Food Festival \& Silent Bowl Auction during May 2018. The focus of this year long project is, "How do we, the Class of 2023, use food to build bridges between Naples and the world?" The seventh graders have already started to lay the groundwork for this event. To host an event like this students will need to fundraise money for supplies as well as collect other donations. To begin with, we have six committees for the first half of the year.
- In addition to monetary donations, students are seeking food donations. The Community Outreach Committee is tasked with the responsibility of reaching out to local farmers and businesses for food donations. This group will also help connect this project with our community. We have already received food donations and Mrs. Powers and her FCS students have begun to preserve many items during Food Lab Fridays. Preserved items will be used at the International Food Festival.
- Our Recipe Cookbook Committee is tasked with organizing a multicultural cookbook. FCS students have begun looking through and choosing recipes for different types of dishes from various areas around the world. This committee will vet recipes and organize a cookbook to publish.
- In December, we will host an Cultural Discussion Panel. The Cultural Discussion Panel Committee is seeking folks to speak at this event as well as creating and organizing questions for our visitors to help us learn about other cultures and their foods. The committee's goal is to teach not only the 7th grade students, but the entire community about cultures other than our own.
- Finally, the Bulletin Board Committee will research for and create displays cultural displays throughout the year. The focus of this group is to educate students and staff about diverse cultures worldwide as well as the PBL project.
- On October 5, the seventh graders had an opportunity to travel to C. Mark Farms, a potato farm, in Wayland, NY to learn more about farming, local agriculture and the harvesting process. Students spent time in the fields with the farmers and equipment,
students cleaned potatoes, and took a bag of fresh, local potatoes home with them at the end of the trip. To finish up the day, students were able to enjoy some Utz chips and fresh french fries made with the potatoes harvested from C. Mark Farms.
- The seventh graders have just begun their PBL work, but have been meeting the responsibilities and activities with excitement and enthusiasm. They are already reeling with excitement, as many of them have seen the projects in previous years and are looking forward to their own PBL experience. The seventh grade team will continue to provide updates and upcoming events with the board.
* Submitted by Colleen Betrus



## INSTRUCTIONAL HIGHLIGHT: THE POWER OF YOU

- What does it feel like to truly feel empowered to improve your life and the lives of others? Our English Department
 is thrilled to announce the creation of a new crossdistrict research project called The Power of You!
- Naples Central is pairing with Marcus Whitman to explore how students can make positive changes in their communities, no matter how small. Recently, Melissa Butler and six students from Marcus Whitman visited 10th grade ELA classes in Naples to set the stage for our work.
- Students will develop eportfolios to express who they are in order to find like-minded students interested in similar topics. They will write proposals for their work, a rigorous research paper on the topic, and put their ideas into action. This authentic experience will challenge students to work with new people, drive their own learning, think outside of the box for solutions, and see to fruition their ideas to make the world a better place.
- For more information and to stay up-to-date on our progress, please follow us on Twitter: @ngreen_ela @MbButleredu @cbetrus \#POwerofYOu
*Submitted by Nicole Green



## INSTRUCTIONAL HIGHLIGHT: SCIENCE AND FCS COLLABORATION

This past week Miss Kimmel's 7th grade science classes collaborated with Mrs. Powers to combine their knowledge of life science and their cooking skills from FCS to bake cakes and make frosting in the FCS room one day, and then use the cakes, frosting, and candy to create an "edible cell" in Miss Kimmel's classroom a few days later. Students made a grocery list of what candy they thought would best represent each cell part (organelle), Miss Kimmel purchased the candy, and then they created their cell and had to create a "key" to guide others on what each piece of candy on their cake represented in terms of cell parts. The square cakes were plant cells and the circle cakes were animal cells, each containing different types of organelles. It was a great way to integrate knowledge and skills from multiple disciplines, while providing a fun ,engaging way to learn new material! *Submitted by Hannah Kimmel


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## PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT - CLASSROOM VISITATIONS

- Classroom visitations are gaining traction in our region and as a district we are participating in them on several levels. We will be continuing our collaboration with Marcus Whitman, Canandaigua, and Midlakes and focusing on Learning Walks at the High School level this fall. Several teachers traveled to Whitman last week to visit and learn from their English department and we will have opportunities for the other core instructional areas this fall as well.
- On a larger scale, districts in our BOCES have selected five dates throughout this year during which some districts have volunteered to open their doors for visitations. This is incredibly exciting, as connection and collaboration with colleagues in other districts has been identified by teachers as one of the most powerful forms of professional learning available. Naples will be hosting regional visitors later this year.
*Submitted by Anneke Radin-Snaith


## SCHOOL SAFETY: EMERGENCY EVACUATIONS AND LOCKDOWN DRILLS

- As you may be aware, New York State mandates that all schools conduct emergency evacuation and lockdown
 drills each year. These exercises afford us the important opportunity to practice our emergency response procedures.
- Twelve emergency drills must be conducted each school year, four of which must be lock-down drills, and eight are required to be evacuation drills.
- Eight of the required twelve drills must be completed in the first half of the school year, by December 31.
- $8 / 8$ emergency evacuation drills have been conducted at the High School to date.
- One lockdown drill has been conducted thus far and a second has been scheduled for a date in the latter part of October.
- One "Hold in Place" with canine sweep was conducted on 10/10/17.



## RED RIBBON WEEK: "YOUR FUTURE IS KEY, SO STAY DRUG FREE" OCTOBER 23-27, 2017

## THEME DAYS:

- Monday: "Wear Red" Day
- Tuesday: "Pledge to be Drug Free" Day, Drug Free Pledges available in Lunch A and B
- Wednesday: "Your Future is Key, Career" Day

- Thursday: "I Mustache You Not to Use Drugs" Day, Mustaches available during lunch A and B
- Friday: "Green and White SPIRIT" DAY


## DAILY TRIVIA

- Students will have the opportunity to respond to daily trivia questions. Responses serve as entries to win daily prizes.
YOUR FUTURE is KEY, STAY DRUG FREE QUIZ
- Laura Passalaqua will have the Red Ribbon Week quiz available for students during Lunch A and Lunch B. Participants have the opportunity to win prizes.



## FROM THE COUNSELING

 DEPARTMENT- Sept. 19: Eastview Mall College Fair from 7:00-9:00. View colleges at:
- www.farmington-victorkiwanis.com
- Sept. 20: Marketplace Mall College Fair from 6:30-8:00
- Sept. 22: Drop /add period closes at Naples HS
- Sept. 22: ACT registration deadline for the October 28th test
- Sept. 22: Representative from Hobart \& William Smith Colleges in Guidance at 12:15
- Sept. 25: Rochester Area College Fair 10:00-10:45 in HS Cafeteria (Parents Welcome)
- St. John Fisher, Nazareth, Roberts Wesleyan, Alfred U, Alfred State,
- U of Rochester, SUNY Brockport, RIT, Keuka, FLCC, MCC, GCC
- Sept. 26: Registration deadline for GEMINI courses through FLCC at 11:00 in Guidance
- Oct.4: Representative from SUNY New Paltz in Guidance at 9:00.
- Oct. 6: Finger Lakes Works with Their Hands field trip for interested juniors and seniors
- Oct. 5: SAT registration deadline for the November 4th test
- Oct. 10: Representative from Keuka College in Guidance at 10:00
- Oct. 10: Representative from SUNY Potsdam in Guidance at 12:30
- Oct. 17: Representative from St. Bonaventure University in Guidance at 9:30
- Oct. 19: Alfred State College field trip for interested students (See Mr. Murphy for details)
- Oct. 20: Representative from SUNY Brockport in Guidance at 12:30
- Oct. 23: Representative from Niagara University in Guidance at 11:00
- Nov. 1: Representative from Elmira College in Guidance at 11:00
- Nov. 2: Representative from FLCC in Guidance at 10:00
- Nov. 2: SAT registration deadline for the December 3rd test
- Nov. 3: ACT registration deadline for the December 9th test

| A Snapshot of Naples JRSR High School, 2017-18 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Grade | Enrollment | AP | Dual Credit | AIS |  | SpecialEducation -IEPs | Students with 504s |
|  |  |  |  | ELA | Math |  |  |
| 7 | 45 | - |  | $\begin{gathered} 21 \\ (47 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 18 \\ (40 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 10 | 1 |
| 8 | 65 | - |  | $\begin{gathered} 33 \\ (51 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 34 \\ (52 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 9 | 4 |
| 9 | 63 | ${ }^{\circ}$ |  | $\begin{gathered} 32 \\ (51 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 32 \\ (51 \%) \end{gathered}$ | 15 | 2 |
| 10 | 49 | 10 (20\%) | $\begin{gathered} 5 \\ (10 \%) \end{gathered}$ | . | - | 6 | 2 |
| 11 | 52 | 32 (62\%) | $\begin{gathered} 38 \\ (73 \%) \end{gathered}$ | - | - | 7 | 4 |
| 12 | 50 | $\begin{gathered} 12 \\ (24 \%) \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 39 \\ (78 \%) \end{gathered}$ | - | - | 14 | 3 |
| Totals: | 324 Students (Grades 7-12) | 54 Students $36 \%$ (Grades $10-12$ ) | 82 <br> Students <br> $54 \%$ <br> (Grades <br> $10-12$ ) | 86 Students $50 \%$ (Grades $7-9$ ) | 84 Students $49 \%$ (Grades 7.9 ) | 61 Students $19 \%$ (Grades $7-12$ ) | $\begin{gathered} 16 \\ \text { Students } \\ 5 \% \\ \text { (Grades } \\ 7-12 \text { ) } \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |

## UPCOMING EVENTS

## October

- 10/14: Robotics Competition at McQuaid
- 10/16: Department Chair Meeting, 9th period - Main Office Conference Room
- 10/17: St. Bonaventure Rep at Naples HS, 9:30
- 10/17: World of Inquiry/Naples Collaboration Field Trip
- 10/18: HS Safety Team Meeting, 9th period - Staff Conference Room
- 10/18: BoE Meeting, 7:00 - Cafe

- 10/19: Alfred State College Field Trip
- 10/20: SUNY Brockport Rep at Naples HS, 12:30
- 10/20: Conference Opportunities (Educon, NYSCATE) Meeting, 9th Period at ES (exact location TBD) with Anneke
- 10/21: Wellness Event: Kicking off the Year with Kayaking, 9:00-12:00 Woodville Boat Launch
- 10/23-27: Red Ribbon Week
- 10/23: Niagara University Rep at Naples HS, 11:00
- 10/23: Department Meetings
- 10/25: Dundee Regional Visit day
- 10/27: PBL ~ periods 1-4:
- 10/27: Teacher Conference Day - 1/2 Day for Students, Periods 1-4
- 10/28: Halloween Fun Night, 6:00-9:00 pm Cafe (Grades 6-9)
- 10/30: Grade Level Student Support Team Meetings, Period 9 - Cafe


## November

- 11/1: Elmira College Rep at Naples HS, 11:00
- 11/1: BoE Meeting, 7:00 - Cafe
- 11/2: FLCC Rep at Naples HS, 10:00
- 11/2: SAT Registration Deadline for $12 / 3$ exam
- 11/2: Parent Teacher Conferences, EVENING CONFERENCES
- 11/3: Parent Teacher Conferences, Half day for Students
- 11/3: ACT Registration Deadline for 12/9
- 11/3-4: Junior High Area ALLSTATE
- 11/4: EdCamp
- 11/6: Faculty Meeting, 9th Period - HS Cafe
- 11/7: Shared Decision Making Team Meeting, 9th period - Main Office Conference Room
- 11/9: Environmental Science FLCC Field Trip
- 11/9: JH/SH Bands and Choruses will be performing at the Veterans Day Ceremony at the Elementary School. Band and chorus students must be excused at 12:45 and will return to classes during 8th period
- 11/10: Veteran's Day - NO SCHOOL
- 11/13: Department Chair Meeting, 9th period - Main Office Conference Room
- 11/15: BoE Meeting, 7:00 - Cafe
- 11/17-18: Senior High Area ALLSTATE
- 11/20: Department Meetings
- 11/22-24: Thanksgiving Break - NO SCHOOL
- 11/23: Turkey Trot, Hosted by PBL Club
- 11/27: Grade Level Student Support Team Meetings, Period 9 - Cafe
- 11/29: District Safety Team Meeting, 9th period - Location TBD
- 11/29: Regional School Visit Day - Lyons, Williamson, Bloomfield
- 11/30: District Mentor Meeting, 9th period - Staff Conference Room


## December

- 12/15: Ugly Sweater Dance, Hosted by PBL Club
- 12/25-1/1: Holiday Recess - NO SCHOOL


## January

- 1/10: Regional School Visit Day: Naples Hosts WFL Schools
- 1/10: Regional School Visit Day: Canandaigua and Marcus Whitman
- 1/15: Martin Luther King Day - NO SCHOOL
- 1/22-25: January REGENTS Administration Period
- 1/24-26: High School Half Days
- 1/24-26: Midterms


## February

- 2/2: Spelling Bee
- 2/7: Regional School Visit Day: WFL BOCES Midlakes Education center, WFL BOCES PTech, Midlakes Hosting
- 2/9: Spelling Bee "Snow Date"
- 2/9: February Dance
- 2/19-23: President's Week Recess - NO SCHOOL


## March

- 3/14: Regional School Visit Day: WFL BOCES FLTCC, Seneca Falls, Geneva, Romulus, Red Creek
- 3/16: Teacher Conference Day - No SCHOOL for Students, SPECIAL KEYNOTE SPEAKER
- 3/30: Spring Recess - NO SCHOOL


## April

- 4/2-4/6: Spring Recess - NO SCHOOL
- 4/11-13: NYS Grades 3-8 ELA Testing (Paper Based)
- 4/10-17: NYS Grades 3-8 ELA Testing (Computer Based)
- 4/9-5/18: NYSESLAT Speaking Test Administration
- 4/19: NHS Induction Ceremony

May

- 5/3: PBL - International Food Festival/Silent Bowl Auction
- 5/5: PROM (tentative date) 8:00-11:00pm
- 5/1-5 and 5/8-12 - AP Exam Administration Period
- 5/1-3: NYS Grades 3-8 Math (Paper Based)
- 5/1-8: NYS Grades 3-8 Math Testing (Computer Based)
- 5/7-5/18: NYSESLAT Listening, Reading, Writing Test Administration
- 5/11: Conference Day - Half Day for Students
- 5/10-12: SENIOR TRIP
- 5/23-6/1: NYS Science Performance Test - Date TBD
- 5/28: Memorial Day - NO SCHOOL
- 5/31: JRSR Art Show and Concert 7:00pm


## June

- 6/4: NYS Grade 4 \& 8 Science Written Exam Administration
- 6/5: REGENTS - 1st administration of Transition REGENTS in Global History
- 6/12-6/21: JUNE REGENTS Administration Period
- 6/19: SENIOR Banquet
- 6/21: LAST DAY for STUDENTS
- 6/22: Graduation Rehearsal
- 6/23: COMMENCEMENT 11:00 @ Naples HS



## Naples Central School



Congratulations to Zackery Miller! Zack was selected as the student on the month at GST BOCES for the welding and metal fabrication program. Students are selected for this award based on several criteria including, attendance, attitude, work ethic, leadership, improvement, team player, grades, following directions, being a problem solver and behavior. With this recognition Zack received a certificate, a luncheon, $\$ 10$ as well as a chance to win a vehicle from Maple City Dodge and a chance to be selected as student of the year with a prize of a $\$ 500.00$ scholarship.

Area of Focus: Through meetings and conversations with teachers in the $\mathrm{Jr} / \mathrm{Sr}$ high building, I have been made aware of a need for training around the consultant teach model. Bridget and I have partnered together to offer a faculty meeting on the consultant teach model as well as an overview of IEP and 504 plans and the similarities and differences.

Program Visits: I had the opportunity to visit Finger Lakes Secondary School. The Principal Dan Healy gave me a tour of their program. We currently have eight students attending FLSS. Dan has shared that overall our students are doing well with the program. I also had the opportunity to visit the CORAL program at Honeoye CSD. We currently have four students attending the CORAL program.

Upcoming Trainings: Nate Morgante, an RVR Community Employment Specialist, from The Center for Human Services Education, will be coming to Naples on October $26^{\text {th }}$ for an informational session on ACCES-VR for our special programs department. Midge and I will be attending at day of special education training at RTI Inn and Conference center on October 24th. Over the last few weeks Midge and I have met with Donna Murray and MAG to review Medicaid and the STACC process.

Naples Central School

Highlights from our Classrooms:


## NAPLES CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

ORGANIZATIONAL CHART


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