

# Addison School District Newsletter

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### Academic All-Stars: Stars Shining Bright

Academic All-Stars is a club advised by Addison High School’s beloved Mrs. English and Miss Havens. Academic All-Stars is a group of students who enjoy academic trivia and compete against other schools. Matches begin in February and typically end around the month of April. Each school has two teams: team A and team B. The Addison team is comprised of: Seniors: Katharine A. (A), Bryson C. (B), Juniors: Sarah M. (A), Skylar H. (A), Sophomores: Kaylee K. (A), Lillian Z. (A), Seth S. (A), and Freshman: Adrianna N. (B), Johnny C. (A) And Karra K. (B).

Every Monday of the week from February until March, the team travels to other high schools to compete or hosts the match at their own school. Addison is in the medium-large division of the Academic All-Stars bracket. Other schools that help make up this bracket are: Campbell-Savona, Canisio-Greenwood and Naples.

This year, the Academic All-Stars team earned the title of Medium-Large School Division champs. After an exciting set of rounds, Addison beat a feisty Hornell team with a score of 33-27. This won them the championship of the Medium-Large/Large School Division. Katharine A. was also awarded the William P. Lentz Academic All-Stars Scholarship.



“I would like to thank some of the people who we couldn't have done this without. I would like to first thank our advisors, Mrs. English and Ms. Havens. Without them, this team could not have come together to make this happen. Secondly, I would like to thank our supporters -those who made it to the matches and those who couldn't; every ‘Good luck’ made a world of difference to us. Special thanks is also in order for our very own Mrs. Clark who designed t-shirts we adorned following our win, and the goody bags that came with them. And, thank you to all of the teachers who have blessed us with their knowledge that took us there in the end; however, I think the most important thank you I could give to anyone is to my companions. The teammates who set their minds to the task and walked this path with me. It was a different experience and one I’ll never forget” quotes Bryson C.

By Bryson Crandall



### BOCES Opportunities for Students

The Addison students have an opportunity to attend the GST BOCES Cooper’s campus in their junior and senior years. It gives kids chances to participate in hands-on activities, instead of sitting in a traditional classroom all day. There are many different CTE programs they can choose to study: Animal Science, Automotive Technology, Building Construction, CISCO Networking Academy, Collision Repair & Refinishing Tech, Cosmetology, Criminal Justice, Culinary Arts, Digital Media Arts, Heavy Equipment, Nurse Assisting, and Welding & Machine Trades. With these trades, students usually do not have to take a math or science class during their junior or senior year, and they may not be required to take an English class their senior year as it is taught in their trade. “The work in my trade can be challenging sometimes, but at the end of the day, I know it’s all going to be worth it,” said a junior in the Cosmetology program.

By attending BOCES, there are endless opportunities for the students. Even some employers hire students who are still in their CTE programs. Students also have a career option as soon as they graduate and can go to college with the credits. They work hard to learn more about their field. One of the high school counselors stated, “I am a huge supporter of students attending vocational programs at BOCES. It provides students with an opportunity to learn skills that make them employable immediately out of high school. Many of these trades and skills are in areas that are needed in the workforce.”

BOCES provides a hands-on component that a lot of students really enjoy. “Many of our students who attend BOCES become more successful in their classes at Addison [High School] because they are starting to experience a lot of success in their vocational program and it translates across all the work that they are doing” said Mrs. M. Clark, high school counselor. BOCES is a phenomenal option for students that excel and benefit from hands-on work, which is not offered in traditional school. A senior who takes building trades said, “It helped me find something I’m good at and [is] helping me find what I wanted to do with my future.” BOCES is an excellent place to help you figure out what one is good at and helps create a potential future you may not have thought possible.

By: Katie Miles





Senior Spotlight: Class of 2024

Aleaya V.

**Favorite part of high school?**  
Going to all the sporting events.

**What are your plans after high school?**  
My plans for after high school are to get my cosmetology license and move to Syracuse to go to Bryant & Stratton for nursing while still doing cosmetology on side.

**Favorite staff member?**  
Mr. Greenfield

**Where do you see yourself in 10 years?**  
I would see myself somewhere down south.

**What advice would you give to younger students?**  
Be kind-you never know what someone's going through.



Kaylah F.

**Favorite part of high school?**  
Making friends and memories

**What are your plans after high school?**  
**Favorite staff member?**  
Go to a trade school for dental

**Favorite staff member?**  
Ms. Aldrich

**Where do you see yourself in 10 years?**  
Working, setting goals and achieving them.

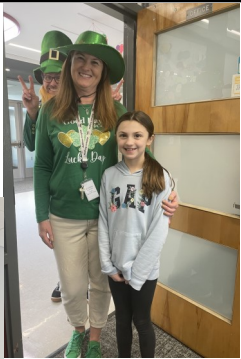
**What advice would you give to younger students?**  
Just show up-in the end it helps you more than you think.

Roller-skating Event

Middle School PTO sponsored a community-wide skating event that was a huge hit with students and adults. Members from NY's premier roller derby team, Dolls of Destruction, were on hand to assist newer skaters. Middle school counselor, Mrs. VanSant, is a member of the roller derby team.



Tuscarora Elementary School Celebrates St. Patrick's Day



Valley Early Childhood School News

The Valley celebrates birthdays and good Knights every Friday. They celebrated St. Patrick's Day on Friday, March 15th. The students also practice Restorative Circles in their classrooms at the Valley School.





ACE Biology: Vertebrates Fetal Pig Dissection Lab

Mr. DeRycke’s ACE Biology class dissected pigs in lab with the main purpose of finding major parts of the organ systems and identifying the functions of said parts.

By Nick Levy



Senior Faculty Day

On Friday, March 15th, Addison Seniors took part in the annual Senior Faculty Day. They were paired with teachers of their choice and taught their classes for the day. It is always a fun and beneficial experience.



St. Patrick's Day Fun



Middle and High School staff put on their best leprechaun attire for a spirited day of fun.



## Valley Celebrates birthdays, Good Knights an even a duck visit.



## 7th Grade Life Skills Class

Ag in the classroom is a program Mrs. Thompson's 7th grade health class holds once a month. The program is through the Cornell Cooperative Extension. The program has allowed the students to do different ag-related activities and listen to different speakers about jobs in agriculture.

During the month of March, Michelle Chase (4H coordinator) visited to talk to students about careers in agriculture. Michelle first gave a presentation about different career paths there are in agriculture. Students then took an online quiz that matched them with an agricultural career that best fit them. Students were thrilled by the results, varying from crop specialists to pilots.


Overall, this program is extremely beneficial to students as it broadens the perspective of students in terms of potential career paths.

The Life Skills class also welcomed a Sergeant from the National Guard.

By Kylene Stierly



## Through the Eyes of Franny (F. Rossi )



By Francesco Rossi



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Resilient Children's Families



## April 2024

## JENNIE MOSE

Family Resource Center



Make keeping children safer in priority.

**Our services are free of charge and every family is welcome!**

**Hours:**  
**Monday**  
8 am - 1 pm  
**Tuesday**  
8 am - 1 pm  
**Wednesday**  
8 am - 1 pm  
**Thursday**  
8 am - 1 pm  
 6 pm - 7:30 pm  
**Location:**  
 14 South Street  
 Addison, NY

Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1 Make and take Monday	2 Large / Fine Motor Play	3 The Very Hungry Caterpillar Story & Activity 	4 AM Drop in Play PM Sensory Hours	5	6
8 Moving Monday  Parent Meeting 10:30	9 Baby Doll Circle 	10 Plant a Pinwheel Garden 	11 AM Drop in Play Library Storytime 10:30 Pm McTammy	12	13
15 Closed for Staff Development	16 PAT Activity My Space	17 I Ain't Gonna Paint No More Story & Activity 	18 AM Drop in Play Pm Build with Dad	19	20 Parent Connections 10-12 
22 Moving Monday 	23 PAT Activity Nature Walk	24 Bug Prints & Bug Rescue 	25 AM Drop in Play Library Storytime 10:30 PM Drop in Play	26	27
29 Make and take Monday	30 Large/Fine Motor Play				



Office of Children and Family Services



Community Partner





# Girls on the Run is for **EVERY** girl.

## 2024 Spring Program

PARTICIPANT REGISTRATION OPENS JANUARY 4TH
PROGRAM STARTS WEEK OF MARCH 19TH

### WHO WE ARE

Girls on the Run of the Southern Tier (gotstr) is an after school program like no other! Twice per week for 10 weeks, girls have fun, make friends, increase their physical activity levels and learn important life skills. Trained and caring coaches lead 3rd-5th grade girls through interactive lessons and running activities.

### 3RD-5TH GRADE PROGRAM

**PROGRAM INCLUDES:**

- 20 in-person lessons delivered by GOTR volunteer coaches
- Growth-Up Guide
- Official GOTR t-shirt, water bottle, and draw string bag
- 5K finisher medal
- GOTR Journal
- All curriculum materials and supplies
- 10 weeks of fun, dynamic practices
- End of the season in-person 5K Celebration





### 5K CELEBRATION

Date: Tuesday, June 2nd at 10:00 am  
Location: Bath CSD High School Track

### REGISTRATION

Thanks to the American Rescue Plan, the cost of participant registration at Tuscarora Elementary is 100% covered for the Spring 2023 season. Please use code **ARPADDITION24** when registering online. Limited spots available on a first come, first serve basis. Please note, if registering multiple participants, a separate registration will have to be completed for each participant.

### SEASON INFORMATION:

**Tuscarora Elementary, 4:30pm**  
**Tues/Thurs 3:00pm to 4:30pm**  
**Sign up before 2/26/24**

Email [laurie.mault@girlsontherun.org](mailto:laurie.mault@girlsontherun.org) or call 607.776.9467 x231 with help with registration or with any questions.

SCHOLARSHIPS  
AVAILABLE!



REGISTER  
TODAY!

# ADDISON CARPENTRY CLASS

OFFERING SERVICES TO BUILD SHEDS FOR  
ANYONE IN THE COMMUNITY.

## How It Works:

THE BUYER WILL PAY FOR MATERIALS UP FRONT THROUGH WADE'S.  
THE CARPENTRY CLASS WILL BUILD THE SHED TO YOUR SPECIFICATIONS  
AND DELIVER TO YOUR PROPERTY  
MAXIMUM SHED SIZE IS 12X16, WE CAN BUILD ANY SIZE UP TO THAT  
(E.G. 8X10, 10X12, 10X10 ETC...)  
WE CAN ADD DOORS WHERE YOU WANT THEM AND WINDOWS IF  
NEEDED.  
BARN STYLE AND TRADITIONAL ROOFS ARE AVAILABLE.  
AT THIS TIME, WE ARE ONLY ABLE TO OFFER A SHINGLED ROOF.  
CURRENT PRICING FOR A 12X16 SHED WITH 8 FOOT WALLS AND A  
TRADITIONAL ROOF WITH SHINGLES AND WOOD SIDING IS ABOUT  
\$3,400  
BUILDING WILL BEGIN AROUND MARCH 2024.

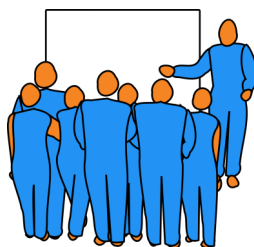
## HOW TO CONTACT:

If you have any interest,  
please contact our Carpentry  
Teacher Mr. Dennis Roy at  
[droy@addisoncsd.org](mailto:droy@addisoncsd.org) to get  
started



## SCHOOL BUDGET PRESENTATIONS

**If you have a group that regularly meets and would like district representatives to attend a group meeting to discuss the budget and answer questions, please contact Kristie Mather, District Clerk at 607-359-2244 x 1 to make arrangements.**



**Addison Central School District**

**Pre-K 2024-2025 School Year**

**Registration**

Attention Parents of 2, 3, and 4 Year Old Children  
Addison School District Residents Only  
Must be 3 by December 1, 2024

**Registration is by appointment only  
beginning April 1<sup>st</sup>.**

To register, call for an appointment and leave a message  
with your name and best contact phone number. We will  
return your call to set up an appointment and answer any  
questions you may have.

**Mrs. Buckley 607-359-1111**

**Registration dates are as follows:**

Monday, April 15<sup>th</sup> – 3:00pm to 5:30pm  
Tuesday, April 16<sup>th</sup> – 3:00pm to 7:00pm  
Wednesday, April 17<sup>th</sup> – 3:00pm to 5:00pm  
Thursday, April 18<sup>th</sup> – 3:00pm to 7:00pm

Other appointments will be available after the initial  
dates are filled

**\*Required Documentation\***

All Documentation is an absolute **MUST** for registration

You will be asked to e-mail copies or bring with you to  
registration (we cannot register without this information)

[abuckley@addisoncsd.org](mailto:abuckley@addisoncsd.org)

- *Birth Certificate*
- *Custody papers if applicable*
- *Proof of Residency (utility bill, tax bill, house deed, mortgage statement)*
- *Shot/Immunization records*
- *Parent/Guardian Photo ID*

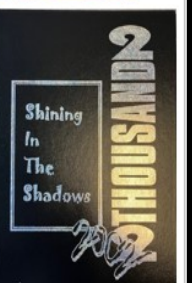
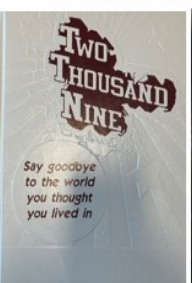
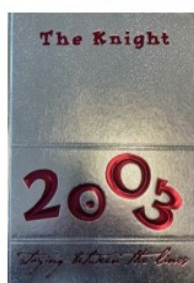
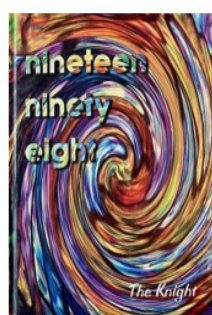
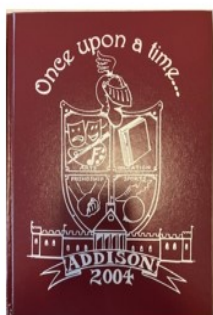
**Do You recognize any of these covers?**

**That's right! The classics are back. But for a limited time.**

To reduce storage of past yearbooks, the Yearbook club are offering yearbooks from these years at a greatly reduced price of \$10. Years included are 1997, 1998, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, some years have limited quantities.

**Please send Sonya English an email at [senglish@addisoncsd.org](mailto:senglish@addisoncsd.org) with your inquiry and she will respond ASAP on availability and how to proceed with purchases.**

**Thank you!**



Have you ordered your

# Y E A R B O O K

yet?

**Yearbooks are \$50. Bring check made payable to Addison Yearbook to Mrs. English Room D202 (High School) or Mrs. Dickerson (Middle School) or order online at [jostens.com](http://jostens.com).**