

Addison School District Newsletter

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Addison Hosts Girls on the Run at Tuscarora Elementary School

Thank you to the Addison School District for hosting the Girls on the Run 5K Celebration! Girls on the Run is brought to us through the Institute of Human Services. GOTR inspires girls in grades 3rd through 8th grade to set goals, practice gratitude, and build confidence through a curriculum-based program. The season culminates in a celebratory, non-competitive 5K event. This year's 5K had 390 participants from Steuben, Schuyler, Chemung, & Yates counties, and the energy was incredible! Girls on the Run and Heart & Sole programs focus on goal setting, empowerment, and personal growth. Every participant should be proud of what they accomplished. A big thank you to all the volunteers who made this event such a huge success. The day was filled with joy, determination, and community spirit!

By Brittany Bills



Congratulations to the Newest Members of National Honor Society!



On Wednesday, May 14th, Addison High School celebrated a special event: the National Honor Society (NHS) induction ceremony. Seventeen amazing students were welcomed into the NHS, recognizing their outstanding achievements and dedication to the values of academics, character, leadership, and service.

These inductees were selected based on their excellent grades, strong moral character, leadership skills, and commitment to helping their community. They've not only done well in their studies but also made a positive impact in their school and beyond.

The ceremony was a memorable and inspiring occasion, highlighting the hard work and dedication of the new members. It encouraged all students to strive for excellence in everything they do.

Congratulations to the new inductees of the Addison High School National Honor Society! Your achievements are a testament to your hard work and dedication. We can't wait to see the positive contributions you'll continue to make in the future.

10th Grade

Kendall Clark
Kaylannah Ames
Leah Baker
Brittany Bills
John Clark
Katherine Conklin
Skyler Duell
Pacey Harrington
Karra Kellar
Lochlan McBride
Tyler Miller
Weston Nichols
Alice Riley
Alivia Sullivan
Cayden Spulak

11th Grade

Josiah Clark
Kendall Clark
Jade Spulak



THE ADDISON CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION (BOE) WILL HOLD A BUSINESS MEETING ON TUESDAY, JUNE 17TH AT 6:00 PM AT THE HIGH SCHOOL CAFÉ.

Senior Spotlight: Class of 2025

Nick W.

Favorite part of high school?
4th marking period of senior year.

What are your plans after high school?
Air Force Firefighting.

Favorite staff member?
Mrs. J. Clark

Proudest moment: Passing Calculus.

Where do you see yourself in 10 years?
Eating McDonalds on a beach.

What advice would you give to younger students?
Procrastinate with passion.

How has Addison contributed to your success thus far?
Taught me to delegate time-wasting tasks.



Caleb S.

Favorite part of high school?
Playing sports.

What are your plans after high school?
Attending Stephenson crane school to get my crane operating license.

Favorite staff member?
Mr. Painter.

Proudest moment:
Placing in NYS skills USA competition.

Where do you see yourself in 10 years?
Successful and owning my own business.

What advice would you give to younger students? Work hard.

How has Addison contributed to your success thus far?
Let me go to BOCES for Heavy Equipment.



High School Art Field Trip

Mrs. Buchanan’s High School art classes went on a field trip to the Johnson Museum of Art on May 7th. The classes explored the 5 stories of the museum looking and exploring various forms of art. There were many paintings, photographs, and sculptures. There were exhibits about different cultures including Japan, Korea, and China. There were also exhibits about feminism. The museum has over 40,000 works of art in the permanent collection that span over 6 Millennia which include works from every culture in the world. The museum was self-guided so the students could enjoy it at their own pace. Overall, the visit to the Johnson Museum at Cornell University was a very enjoyable and informative experience.



By Grace Heidrick & Maxx Belemonti



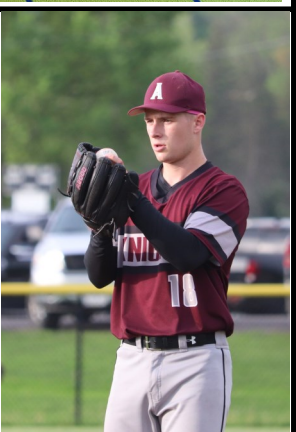
Tuscarora Elementary Educational Experiences

The Kindergarten classes at Tuscarora Elementary recently listened to a presentation given by Mrs. Beecher from the Science and Discovery Center. The students had been learning about butterflies, including the life cycle. After a group discussion, the students listened to a story and made more connections. The students were then able to show their knowledge by completing a hands-on project depicting the life cycle of a butterfly. Mr. Walrath visits Mrs. Walrath and Mrs. McEnroe's Kindergarten class to talk about bee keeping!



Senior Andrew Jones Will Play With the Elmira Pioneers This Summer!

JOIN US FRIDAY JUNE 13th FOR ADDISON SCHOOL DISTRICT NIGHT AT THE ELMIRA PIONEERS. Game start time is 6:30 PM versus the Batavia Muckdogs at Dunn Field. The doors will open at 5:30 PM. All students receive FREE tickets and friends & families are just \$7 (\$3 savings). PLUS, A POST GAME FIREWORK SHOW IS PLANNED TO FOLLOW THE GAME! Come cheer on Addison School District’s Andrew Jones as he joins the Pioneers this summer. OFFER EXPIRES JUNE 12th & NOT VALID IN PERSON. All tickets will be left at the will call window at the stadium & can be picked up prior to the game or on the day of the game. Any grade level receives free tickets. For questions contact the Pioneers at 607-734-2690. See the website for more details or visit www.addisoncsd.org for the registration link.



Valley Early Childhood School Students Love to Learn



Students at Valley learned the letter X and did a lot of Mother's Day activities. Their butterflies are coming along nicely and starting to form their chrysalis! They celebrated new Knights of the week at KKI and staff and students' birthdays. They also had Community Helpers day and were visited by a fire truck, police officer, farm animals, a loader and a dump truck/snowplow! The kids loved it!



Exciting Futures Unfold at Addison High School's Annual Futures Fair

Students in grades 9-12 explored hands-on demonstrations, interactive displays, and Q&A sessions to help plan their futures. Whether they're headed to college, the workforce, or a trade program, our students left with valuable insights and connections to help guide their journey. The Futures Fair is more than just an event — it's a launchpad. The Career Development Council and Addison High are proud to support our students as they plan, prepare, and pursue bright, bold futures!



Our first 1000 Step Readers this year: Brantley J (K) Lilyth P (4 th) Kindergarten <u>250 Steps</u> Avery C Emmett D Alexander D Elaina H Mason J Averie L Cory M Nevaeh M Colt P Jenson P <u>500 Steps</u> Brantley M Brayden I Hugh R Dylan N Callie S Wyatt C Ashton B	Bryson M Zachary M Jason H Walker Q <u>650 Steps</u> Lincoln G Quinn M <u>100 Steps:</u> Serenity L (K) 1st Grade <u>250 Steps</u> Stevie A Achillies A Harper L Josiah S Pyper D Cayleigh W Carter K <u>500 Steps</u> Ivy B Cheveyo B Sophia D Weston F Payton S Helen T	Nalonnie B Emma D Hudson G Adalynn R Grayson S Paisley W Olivia M Lincoln M Aubrey A Rosaline H <u>650 Steps</u> Ivy B Weston F Helen T Benjamin B Victoria G Julian H Emery M Paisley W Logan S Keira S Mirai W Emmarie G Rhett G Jaxon H Blaze F <u>650 Steps</u> Adrian M	2nd Grade <u>250 Steps</u> Madeline B Kai E Enzo G Jaxon G Quinn G DaniJo H Parker K Bentley L Ava N Hudson R Karson R Ariah S Preston T Carley T David W <u>500 Steps</u> David H Barret S AdaLynn B Amelia N Bryce W Alison L Abbagail B Gannon W <u>650 Steps</u> Adrian M	3rd Grade <u>100 Steps</u> Greyson M Kyler N Aubrey S <u>250 Steps</u> Barry A Abbigail B Sophie C Keagan C Alexavier D Ryan P Haelyn S Maddison Y Rainey C Brinley K Cooper P Josephine P Cali B Jayce D Gannon W <u>500 Steps</u> Harper H Greyson P Leyna B CJ D Brayden J Harper G	Cooper P Brayden W <u>650 Steps</u> Nicholas C Keagan C Harper G Cooper P Brayden W Marlee H Josephine P 4th Grade <u>100 Steps</u> Joslyn Y <u>250 Steps</u> Riley T Avah N Erika N Ellie M Kristin M Gracie M Milo H Camden H Bradley E Matthew B Bentley F Creeden K Lena V Zarra B	Kennedy B Theo H Elizabeth H Tyler H Eli L Eva S Bricen W <u>500 Steps</u> Owen T EvaMae W Charles B Kloee M Zarra B Peyton M Cora W 5th Grade <u>100 Steps</u> Rylee A Luke B Demaine D Brice F	Bentley G Jackson H Joseph H Isabella K Adrianna P Tyrell S Leland S Scarlett V MaKenzi W Abriel Z <u>250 Steps</u> Blaike W Luke B Kennadi C Faith F <u>500 Steps</u> Carys N Davina G Braelyn F Adalyn S Maysin P Adalaya M Maximus J Greyson G Luke B Kennadi C Faith F Blaike W	 
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Perry Ground, Onondaga Nation, visits MS and HS History Classes

Perry Ground is a Turtle Clan member of the Onondaga Nation and has been telling stories for more than 25 years as a way of educating people about the culture, beliefs and history of the Haudenosaunee (sometimes known as Iroquois) Confederacy. Perry shares his stories in a very energetic, fun, and engaging style and makes the audience part of the story experience. Also an accomplished educator, Perry has worked with students from Pre-K through college. The classroom programs that Perry offers are taught in the same engaging style and enhance each student’s study of Native Peoples. Perry is available to visit schools, museums, libraries, festivals, and more to share stories and programs that will educate and entertain audiences of all ages. He presented a storytelling session to Mr. Shea’s and Mr. VanWoert’s History classes on Monday, May 12th. The presentation highlighted Women in the Haudenosaunee communities throughout history. Starting with the Creation Story and SkyWoman, the talk showed the important responsibilities woman have within the culture, government, and communities of the Haudenosaunee. Comparing these responsibilities and freedoms to those of American women, the role that Haudenosaunee woman played in influencing the ideas of early suffragists was discussed as well. The talk about discussed connections to modern traditions and issues.

The speaker presented traditional Haudenosaunee (Iroquois) legends that have been told for hundreds of years. These stories teach about the beliefs, customs, and history of the Haudenosaunee people. The presentation was very “interactive” as Perry included audience members in the stories and also used vivid descriptions to bring the story to life. Storytelling is an important part of traditional Haudenosaunee lifestyle. Students enjoyed this captivating and highly entertaining yet very educational experience.



PE Field Trip

The High School student PE classes were offered the opportunity to go on a Cooperative Skills field trip. This gave students a chance to go outside and collaborate with each other in various activities involving high and low elements. In the low elements, students had to rely on one another and focus on their communication skills. The skills that they learned from those were put to the test when students were given the option to go on higher elements. These abilities were important for everyone’s safety and comfort.

By Brooke VanCise



Addison Boys Track and Field Breaks School Record

Addison Boys broke the school record in the 4x1 relay. They ran it in 45.40 seconds. Congratulations to Isaiah S, Marshall O., Chase A., and Yowrick M.



Blood Drive
Addison Central School
1 Colwell Street, Addison, NY 14801 | Located in the Auditorium
Thursday, May 29th
8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Give Blood. Get Light. Go Far.
Donate May 29th and receive a Red Cross solar lantern—perfect for summer nights or stormy ones. (While supplies last.)
PLUS, you'll be entered to win a U.S. trip of your choice for two.
Adventure awaits.
Scan QR Code to make an appointment: or visit redcrossblood.org



Welcome to **KINDERGARTEN!**

Attention Parents of 4 & 5 Year Old Children!
Addison Central School District
2025-2026 School Year
Kindergarten Registration and Screening Clinic

Addison School District Residents Only

Child must be 5 by December 1, 2025
Registration is by appointment only
To register, call on or after April 1st, 2025 for an appointment:
Nicole Monroe, District Registrar
607-359-1221

Registration and screening dates (choose one) are as follows:
Wednesday, July 16th 8:00 am - 3:00 pm
Thursday, July 17th 11:00 am - 6:00 pm
All dates will be held at Tuscarora Elementary School

Required Documentation:

- *** All documentation is required for registration ***
- Birth Certificate
- Custody Papers if Applicable
- Proof of Residency (utility bill, tax bill, house deed, mortgage statement)
- Current Physical & Immunization Records
- Parent or Guardian Photo ID

Please bring original documents. Copies will be made at registration.

Summer READING

CHECK OUT THE SWEET READS COLLECTION: UNLIMITED ACCESS TITLES & NO WAITING

WITH **SORA**

SORA EBOOKS & AUDIOBOOKS AVAILABLE ALL SUMMER LONG! DOWNLOAD BEFORE YOU GO & NEVER MISS A THING! HAVE QUESTIONS? SEE YOUR FRIENDLY SCHOOL LIBRARIAN



PK REGISTRATION

We still have room for you

Addison Central School District

Pre-K 2025-2026 School Year Registration

Attention Parents of 2, 3, and 4 Year Old Children
Addison School District Residents Only
Must be 3 by December 1, 2025

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

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
- Birth Certificate
 - Custody papers if applicable
 - Proof of Residency (utility bill, tax bill, house deed, mortgage statement)
 - Shot/Immunization records
 - Parent/Guardian Photo ID
 - 2-5 names of contact – including complete address and phone number for each.