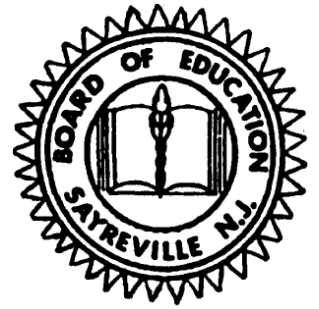


HEAD OF THE CLASS

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The Sayreville Board of Education congratulates the following students and staff who are at the

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ARLETH SCHOOL DANCE TEAM
MS. JESSICA KELLY
MS. REBECCA LUNDGREN
MS. NATALIA GADEK

Arleth Elementary School now has a Dance Team! On January 11th, Arleth Elementary began this team as an after-school program. Over 75 students joined the team this year. They are led by Ms. Jessica Kelly, Ms. Rebecca Lundgren and Ms. Natalia Gadek who, with their team, are hard at work rehearsing for their public debut. The Arleth Dance Team will be showcased at the Somerset Patriots game on May 16, 2017. We're sure they will hit a home run with their performance!

TRUMAN SCHOOL STUDENTS JUMP ROPE FOR HEART

Congratulations to the Truman Elementary School students and staff who raised \$9,800 for the Jump Rope for Heart program! Truman School is not only staying fit, they are helping others in the process.

WILSON SCHOOL STUDENTS PENNIES FOR PATIENTS MS. NOREEN MAHONY

For the past two years, Ms. Noreen Mahony, Guidance Counselor at Wilson Elementary School, has been serving as the chairperson for the Pennies for Patients Fundraiser. Since 1994, millions of dollars have been raised in pennies and other spare change by more than 10 million elementary, middle and high school students throughout the country. The funds, collected during a three-week period, benefit The Leukemia and Lymphoma Society. The total amount collected this year was \$2,389.15 which far exceeds the school goal of \$600. Another job well done by our students and staff!

SAYREVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL

On December 23, 2016, the annual winter pep rally took place at Sayreville Middle School. At this time, the high honor roll and honor roll students, along with fall athletes, activities held throughout the school, the student recognition program and the winter sports teams were recognized. During the assembly, pre-selected students who have received recognition stickers thus far, were called down by the administration and received a gift card and t-shirt for their positive impact on the school community. Faculty members and students then had the

opportunity to demonstrate their musical talents with a Lip Sync Show while the crowds cheered them on.

SWMHS STRUCTURED LEARNING EXPERIENCE STUDENTS MS. DEANNA LOCH MS. SHELLY JENKINS

At Sayreville War Memorial High School, students with disabilities continue to be educated within the least restrictive environment, utilizing a combination of in-class and pull-out programs to maintain rigor and advance them toward college and careers. A giant thank you goes out to Ms. Deanna Loch, Ms. Shelly Jenkins and the SWMHS Structured Learning Experience students, who together have developed and are running a coffee/snack bar for high school faculty. This real-world learning experience for the students has had a positive impact on the entire school community! In addition, various stakeholders have been meeting to review the special education course offerings so that they correspond with a newly emerging math and science alignment.

SCHOOL BUSINESS OFFICE MS. ERIN HILL

Congratulations on a successful 2015-16 school district audit which included only one minor recommendation. The school business office has a strong history of outstanding controllership of taxpayer funds accompanied by years of successful audits conducted by several different auditing firms. The Board of Education remains thankful for their dedicated efforts.

JUNIOR ROTC COMING!

After years on the waiting list, the Sayreville War Memorial High School was finally approved for an Air Force Junior ROTC Program which will begin this fall.

The program is designed to:

- Educate and train high school cadets in citizenship and life skills
- Promote community service
- Instill responsibility, character, and self-discipline through education and instruction in air and space fundamentals and the Air Force's core values of Integrity First, Service Before Self, and Excellence in All We Do

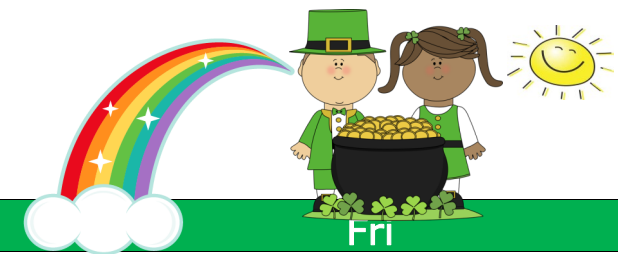
It's important to note that participation in this program does not create any military obligation. For students who do wish to pursue this path, there are benefits available. Students interested in this program should speak with their guidance counselor.


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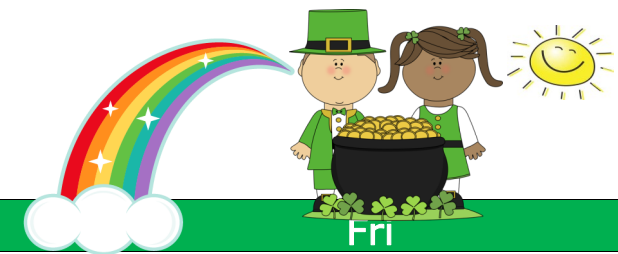




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