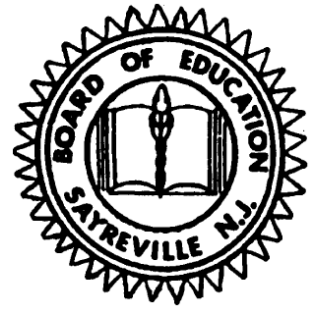


HEAD OF THE CLASS

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

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SWMHS AIR FORCE JR. ROTC CADETS

Over the summer on Saturday, June 29th, about a dozen SWMHS AFJROTC Cadets graduated from the Cadet Leadership Course at Fort Dix – McGuire Air Force Base. We salute them, Colonel Spare, and Master Sergeant Knowlton.

STARDUST PERFORMERS

MR. JAMES CRAFT

MRS. CLAIRE CRAFT

DR. MICHAEL PICCIURO

On July 18th two dozen Sayreville community students performed magnificently in the annual Star Dust Theatre summer camp dramatic production. Bravo to them, Mr. and Mrs. Craft, and Dr. Picciuro.

UMMEKULSUM ALISHAH

KRINA PATEL

ANN MURICKAN

MR. CHRISTOPHER HOWARD

In July, SWMHS Future Business Leaders of America (FBLA) Ummekulsum Alishah, Krina Patel and Ann Murickan placed 4th in the NATION in their Public Service Announcement event during the National FBLA Competition in San Antonio, Texas. We are so very proud of them and Mr. Howard, the SWMHS Advisor for FBLA.

MR. SCOTT NURNBERGER

EISENHOWER SCHOOL FACULTY & STAFF

EISENHOWER SCHOOL PTO

Thank you to Mr. Nurnberger, his faculty and staff, and the Eisenhower PTO for a memorable 50th Anniversary Barbecue on Saturday, September 7th. It was a fitting celebration to commemorate a half century of learning at Eisenhower School.

OCTOBER 15TH BOARD MEETING FEATURES

“STATE OF THE SCHOOLS”

Parents, community members, and students are invited to join the Board of Education’s next meeting which will be held on Tuesday, October 15, 2019, at 7:30 p.m. in the Sayreville War Memorial High School Cafeteria to participate in the annual State of the Schools report. Superintendent of Schools Dr. Richard Labbe will review with the community

progress toward the district’s Vision 2030 strategic plan as well as PARCC, SAT, and Advanced Placement performance from the 2018-19 school year. We encourage your attendance and participation in this informative discussion. For those individuals who are unable to attend in person, the meeting will also be recorded and available on the district’s website following its conclusion.

SAYREVILLE RECEIVES PRESCHOOL AID

The Sayreville Public Schools have recently received \$2.77 million dollars for preschool expansion aid from the New Jersey Department of Education. This will enable our district to provide free, full day preschool to all three and four-year olds in Sayreville. We are in the early stages of planning for an October 1st start date. As more information becomes available, it will be posted on http://sayrevillek12.net/departments/preschool_education_aid. We commend and thank Mr. Knaster, Ms. Burns, and Ms. Restivo for successfully applying for the aid. The Board of Education discussed the future of the preschool expansion initiative at its September meeting and parents are welcome to view that meeting online from the Sayreville School District website.

FACILITIES REFERENDUM INPUT SOUGHT

As part of the district’s strategic plan, the Board approved the exploration of a September 2020 referendum, which will focus on facilities improvements throughout the Sayreville Public Schools, including those facilities improvements necessary to commence an in-district special education program for 18 to 21 year old students.

Throughout the month of October, Dr. Labbe and members of the Board of Education will be visiting PTO and faculty meetings to share various different options under consideration and seek student, faculty, staff, and community input. In addition, a combined meeting of the Superintendent’s Parent Advisory Council and the district’s Blue Ribbon Committee will be held on October 1, 2019 at 7:00 p.m. at Selover School for this purpose. The meeting is open to public. Finally, in early November, district stakeholders will be asked to complete a survey regarding various facilities options which may be placed on a September 2020 ballot for community consideration.

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SAYREVILLE SCHOOL DISTRICT CALENDAR

NOTICE FOR SCHOOL CLOSING

Delayed opening, early dismissal or cancellations due to inclement weather will be made via:
Cable TV Channel 22, News 12 News Jersey,
Facebook, Twitter or at www.sayrevillek12.net



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
	1 Arl - Reading Program begins Eis - Fall Picture Day Tru - Fire Prevention Day Wil - Box Tops collection begins	2 Pre-K - Photo Day at SUES Eis - Fall Picture Day, Boo Gram sales & PTO Meeting 6:45pm	3 Pre-K - Photo Day at SUES SUES - SEEDS Program (Gr 5) MS - Kastle Kreations fundraiser ends	4 HOMECOMING Eis - Fire Prevention program & Chuck E Cheese Proceed Night Wil - Boston Coffee Cake & Spirit Wear fundraisers ends SUES - SEEDS Program (5th grade) MS - School Store during lunch & Mallory's Army Presentation Sat 5 - HS - SAT Testing
7 Violence Awareness/Week of Respect Arl - Box Tops Contest begins Eis - Fall Fundraiser begins MS - Breast Cancer walk during PE HS - Underclass Portraits (Gr 9-11) EARLY DISMISSAL for STUDENTS PLC for STAFF	8 Violence Awareness/Week of Respect Tru - Anti-Bullying Assembly MS - Bomber Apparel Sale begins	9 Violence Awareness/Week of Respect Arl - Boston Coffee Cake fundraiser ends SCHOOLS CLOSED	10 Violence Awareness/Week of Respect Pre-K - Photo Day at Selover Arl - Fire Safety Day Tru - PTO Meeting 7:00pm Progress Reports Grades 6-12	11 Violence Awareness/Week of Respect Pre-K - Photo Day at Selover Arl - Anti-Bullying Assembly Wil - Wear Red for Fire Prevention Day & Bingo/Tricky Tray 6:00pm SUES - Beautification Day
14 Pre-K - Columbus Day Sailing at SUES MS - Yankee Candle fundraiser begins	15 Eis - Willabees 3:35pm MS - Fall Photography 8th Grade Board of Education Meeting 7:30 pm - SWMHS	16 SUES - PTO Meeting 6:30pm MS - Fall Photography 7th Grade	17 PROUD Meeting 7:00pm Arleth Arl - Box Tops Contest ends MS - Fall Photography 6th Grade	18 Eis - Pumpkin Patch & Beautification Day 3:45pm Wil - Pride Day-wear Wilson gear/colors SUES -Rock & Mineral assembly (Gr 4) & School Store MS - School Store during lunch Progress Reports Grades K-5
21 Arl - PTO Meeting 7:00pm	22 Wil - Book Fair & PTO Meeting 7:00pm SUES - Book Fair MS - Fall Bomber Apparel Sale ends	23 Wil - Book Fair SUES - Book Fair	24 Eis - FFN - Monster Bash 7:00pm Wil - Book Fair SUES - Book Fair HS - Acoustic Night	25 Eis - Pumpkin Patch rain date Eis - Fall Fundraiser ends Tru - Halloween Dance 7:00pm Wil - Book Fair SUES - Book Fair MS - 6th Grade Social 6:00pm Sat 26 - HS - SAT Testing
28 Tru - Colors of India assembly Wil - Gertrude Hawk fundraiser begins SUES - School Photos MS - Yankee Candle Sale ends	29 SUES - School Photos	30	31 Happy Halloween ALL K-3 & Pre-K at SUES Halloween Class Parties & Parades SUES - Halloween Class Parties & Laser Light Assembly 	1 NOVEMBER LOOKING AHEAD... Arl - Boo Bash/Trunk or Treat 6:00pm

SEND A MESSAGE. STAY DRUG FREE.