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Middle School Musings

We are always searching for ways to make the leap to middle school easier for our students. As a result of many buildinglevel committee meetings with input from all stakeholders, a change to the high school was implemented over the summer. Unable to make changes to the existing floorplan, we did the next best thing: several classrooms were moved so that all 7th and 8th orade classes are consolidated in the same wing of the building. This allows easier transition of students from one classroom to another, and minimizes hallway disruptions and exposure to upper classmen.

Bi-weekly meetings are conducted with all middleschool teachers, and monthly assemblies with all students help address concerns, impart important information and keep teachers and administrators visible and engaged with the student the elementary school to the high school. Another addition to the middle school is the Capstone program, in which select 8th graders are involved in projects



body. Finally, all 7th and 8th grade students are required to use locks this year, ensuring the safety of their locker contents and warding off problems before they can begin. We hope that these changes help to create a true middle school experience for our students and will ease the transition from throughout the school year designed to help them think critically, solve challenging problems, and develop skills like oral communication, public speaking, research skills, media literacy, teamwork, planning, self-sufficiency, and goal setting. These are skills that help prepare students for college, careers, and life.

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History on Fire

It was no April Fool's joke. On April 1, 1935, a horrible fire swept through the high school, all but destroying the building and contents. June Karbowski, the curator of Schoolhouse #8 in North Collins recently completed a display of artifacts related to that event, which was shown at the Erie County Fair in August. After the fair, she reached out to Mr. Taylor to ask if we would like to display a small portion of the items so visitors could remember this terrible day in the school's history. Next time you're at the high school, stop by to see the pictures and other memorabilia, located across from the main entrance outside the HS auditorium.









COST OF LIVING 1935 Cost of a gallon of gas 10¢ Loaf of bread Pound of hamburger meat Canada Dry Ginger Ale Average new car price \$625.00 MAJOR WORLD POLITICAL LEADERS 1935 United States President Franklin D. Roosevelt Chancellor Adolf Hitler Prime Minister Benito Mussolini General Secretary of the Central Italy Committee Joseph Stalin POPULAR CULTURE 1935 Alcoholics Anonymous is founded on June 10th in **New York City** First canned beer goes on sale Babe Ruth hit the 714th and final home run of his caree Parker Brothers releases the board game Monopoly Porgy and Bess opens in New York Penguin produce the first paperback books

High School News

A Word from the High School Principal



Brandon F. WojcikJr. Sr. High School Principal

I can tell you first-hand that the vaping crisis is not an embellishment nor a false alarm. It has become increasingly difficult to distinguish these devices from normal everyday objects and the flavors and design help target our children.

What a great start to the year! This September has been one of the best beginnings I can remember. Our middle school transition program has been a great success, our students seem better prepared to handle lockers, homework and getting to classes on time than in years passed. Our sports teams are doing well, and there are plenty of home games left in the schedule to come out and support them. And of course our homecoming and spirit week were a raging success, the dance was incredible and well attended as always.

I wanted to make sure that everyone is aware of the hard work and dedication that goes into homecoming. This huge undertaking is almost entirely the efforts of our student government led by Morgan Smith, Rachel and Haley Kehr, Henry Jarzynski, and Sabrina Wroblewski. They work under the thoughtful advisement of Mrs. Finkley, Mr. Hider and Mrs. Boulanger, but the lion's share of the legwork is executed by the students. They personally coordinate with local law enforcement agencies, the fire department, local businesses and our local and state governments to secure permits and plans for road closures and safety issues. The skills of collaboration and communication they refine through the process is something that will serve them well in the real world and is not easily replicated in a classroom setting.

Last week, I e-mailed a message from The NYS Poison Center about the vaping crisis taking place among our youth and in our schools. I can tell you first-hand that this is not an embellishment nor a false alarm. I have a large collection of e-cigarettes I've confiscated from kids over the years and use them to educate our incoming students and parents. It has become increasingly difficult to distinguish these devices from normal everyday objects. I've seen e-cigarettes shaped like pens, credit cards, small erasers and flash drives. Each of these is similar to something that a high school student may have in their possession. It's not a stretch to conclude that these devices are targeting our children, not only because of the flavors, but the suspiciously covert nature of the design.

I would also caution you to inspect any suspicious packages your child receives. Many of the students I deal with for vaping issues tell me how they get around the laws for minors buying tobacco products. The most popular way is to buy from a friend, but many tell me they can get a Visa gift card from any convenient store and go online to buy them. According to these kids, they simply click the box certifying they are of a legal age and then enter the credit card number. A few weeks later, the device and supplies show up in the mail, no questions asked.

For more information on the dangers of e-cigarettes and vaping, visit www.CDC.gov/e-cigarettes.

Homecoming Happenings

Homecoming is always preceded by Spirit Week, in which students and staff get to dress up to show their Eagle Pride! This year's Homecoming festivities included 'Merica Monday, Beachers vs. Bikers, Crazy Crocs and Socks, Mathletes vs. Athletes, and of course, the perennial favorite Color War. The week ended with a spirited Pep Rally full of games and fun, and culminated with the annual Homecoming parade in the evening. This year's theme was "Games," so each float was assigned a classic board game, from Monopoly to Guess Who to Clue and more! The classes did an

awesome job representing their theme, with the seniors coming out on top as the winner. A bonfire and bounce house followed the parade, while the girls varsity soccer team defeated Silver Creek/Forestville on the turf under the lights by a score of 2-0.

Homecoming weekend continued on Saturday with a number of sporting contests as well as the annual soccer and volleyball alumni games. The weekend wrapped up with the semi-formal Homecoming dance. Check out the pictures from this week of Eagle Pride!















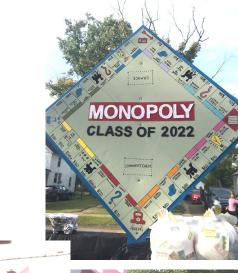


























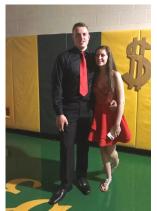


















Homecoming Court 2019

King Christian Loretto

Queen

Pia Froelich

Prince

Anthony Puntillo

Princess

Sierra Locking





A Note of

Thanks

On behalf of Student Government, we would like to thank our North Collins community for supporting all of our Homecoming events. The excitement was electrifying when seeing the parade route lined with people cheering for all of our participants, the floats and our local fire departments and EMS squad. Thank you for supporting our teams at all the games and buying concessions throughout the weekend. We hope you enjoyed a homecoming and felt a renewal of our small town community spirit.

North Collins Student Government Mrs. Jill Finkley, Advisor

Coming Attractions



During the Homecoming Parade, it was announced that this year's musical will be **Legally Blonde!** Casting will begin soon for the musical which will take the stage on March 5, 6 and 7. We can't wait to bring you this exciting new show!

Paperless Report Cards

High School Only

Over the summer, it was announced that the high school would be transitioning to paperless report cards. A letter was mailed home to all high school parents/guardians to notify you of this change. A



paperless system will enable you to see your or your child's grades, assignments and teacher's comments in real time, and also helps the district save money on printing and postage. Your student's grades will be accessible at any time from the **PowerSchool Parent Portal**. If you are having trouble accessing the portal, please contact the Main Office at 337-0101, ext. 1303 or 1304 for assistance, or with any questions you may have. We appreciate your understanding as we continually look for ways to be more cost efficient for our district residents.

Get Your Yearbook!



A yearbook is a perfect way to capture the precious memories and priceless photos from your year in school. Nothing else can immortalize the memories you have of school quite like a yearbook can, and it's a purchase no one ever regrets!



The 2019-2020 Yearbook is available for purchase for a base price of \$75, with additional personalization options available, such as the icons similar to those below in order to further reflect your interests. For additional details, please visit our website at **www.northcollins.com > parent > yearbooks**.



You may also place your order at **www.jostens.com** at any time. Full payment must be made by credit card and is due by February 14, 2020. If you prefer to pay by check or money order, order forms will be distributed in December. Remember that students can also earn credit toward their yearbook purchase by participating in our pie sale in October. Don't miss out on this chance to immortalize your high school memories in a keepsake you will treasure forever!

NOTICE TO RESIDENTS

A hearing to present information on the *District Code of Conduct* and the *District Safety Plan* will be held on Tuesday, October 8 at 7 pm in the Jr.-Sr. High School Library-Media Center.

All are welcome to attend.

7th Graders Nail It!



Mr. Manchester's 7th grade Technology Class had a discussion on the mechanics of pressure points recently. To illustrate the lesson, students got the opportunity to recline on a real bed of nails! While one nail would surely puncture the skin and hurt you, an entire bed ensures that the pressure from one's own bodyweight is spread across the entire surface. No one nail is strong enough to cause harm, and sleeping on a bed of nails doesn't hurt at all! The students, including Liam Cosandier (above), were fascinated by this display while learning a great deal about force, pressure and mechanics. Hands-on learning is always the best lesson!

Guidance Office News

2019-2020 SAT Registration and Test Dates

The SAT is a globally-recognized college admission test that lets students show colleges what they know and how well they can apply that knowledge. It tests their knowledge of reading, writing and math—subjects that are taught every day in high school classrooms. Most students take the SAT during their junior or senior year of high school, and most college and universities use SAT test results to make admission decisions. * Other test centers may be available; please consult our website for a full list, or check online at collegeboard.org.

TEST DATE	REGISTRATION DEADLINE	NEARBY TEST CENTERS *	
October 5, 2019	September 5, 2019	Fredonia, Gowanda, Hamburg, St. Francis	
November 2, 2019	October 2, 2019	Eden, Fredonia, Frontier, Hamburg, St. Francis	
December 7, 2019	November 7, 2019	Fredonia, Hamburg, St. Francis	
March 14, 2020	February 13, 2020	Fredonia, St. Francis	
May 2, 2020	April 2, 2020	Eden, Frontier, Hamburg, Springville, St. Francis	
June 6, 2020	May 6, 2020	Gowanda, Hamburg, Silver Creek, St. Francis	

Test Center Location Codes:

Eden High School—33376 Hambu Frontier High School—33470 Spring Gowanda High School—33453 St. Fra

Hamburg High School—33477 Springville Griffith High School—33882 St. Francis High School—33130

North Collins High School Code — 334195

Register at sat.org/register

Check test centers on **collegeboard.org** for dates listed as they are subject to change. High school students who cannot afford to pay test fees may be eligible for SAT fee waivers. Please contact the Guidance Office at 337-0101, ext. 1310 for more information.

PSAT Testing

The Preliminary SAT/National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) is a program co-sponsored by the College Board and National Merit Scholarship Corporation (NMSC). It's a standardized test for high school juniors that provides firsthand practice for the SAT. It also gives students a chance to enter NMSC scholarship programs and gain access to college and career-planning tools.

The 2019 PSAT/NMSQT test date for North Collins is **Wednesday, October 16**. Unlike SAT exams, the PSAT is

only offered *once*during the school
year, so students
are encouraged not
to miss it.



The test will be administered to all juniors during regular school hours. There is **no fee** to take the exam.

If you have any questions, please contact the Guidance Office at 337-0101, ext. 1310.

College-Planning Timeline

It's never too early to begin planning for your future. Students who hope to attend are encouraged to plan ahead to make the most of their choices. Consult the timeline below to see if you're on track with your college plan. Remember you can always speak to a guidance counselor at any time to discuss your options.

Grade 7-8

- Talk to friends and family members about careers and possible school choices.
- Consult with your middle and high school counselors to find out which courses you should take that will qualify you to attend certain colleges and/or career fields.
- Discuss your financial situation with your parents to see how they can assist you in paying for education. Work together to establish a savings plan in which you can participate.
- Learn about financial aid options available from your counselor.
- Join and participate in clubs, organizations and volunteer experiences.

Freshman Year

- Build a flexible schedule allowing for study time, extracurricular activities, and other interests. Stay organized with a day planner.
- Make a 4-year schedule of classes that increases your eligibility to attend the college of your choice.
- Start developing a resume by keeping a scrapbook of your accomplishments, including articles about yourself, awards you have won, and activities in which you have participated.
- Find out about summer jobs and how to gain the skills necessary to obtain one. Look into volunteer opportunities that will expand your
 experience and skills.
- Take your parents with you to talk to your counselor about your interests, post-secondary plans, and career information.
- If you plan to pursue athletics while in college, check out the NCAA requirements.

Sophomore Year

- Visit your school counselor or college counseling office and explore college catalogs, websites, and other college materials including financial aid information. Plan to attend our school's college visits to speak with college recruiters in person about their program offerings.
- Reevaluate your high school course selection to make sure it meets college requirements.
- Try to complete most of your academic requirements by your junior year.

Junior Year

Fall (August through December)

- Take the PSAT in October to help prepare you for college entrance exams. The PSAT may also qualify you for certain scholarships.
- Attend sessions with college representatives who visit your high school or visit local college fairs.
- Develop a list of possible post-secondary schools. Your counseling office and/or school library may have book and materials to help
 you. The internet will be your friend in this process.
- Talk with an admissions counselor to determine if there are any institutional scholarships for which you could apply.
- Begin researching private sources of financial aid. Many community foundations, civil and fraternal organizations offer scholarships
 for post-secondary education, but you need to apply for them. Also, check online through fastweb.com and other scholarship
 resources.

Spring (January through May)

- Take the SAT/ACT. Check with your intended college(s) about which test they prefer and what scores you need for admission and scholarship consideration. Begin narrowing down your choices.
- Schedule campus visits, including overnight visits to get a feel for life on that particular campus.
- Check with your counselor, libraries, community organizations, and Student Outreach Services for the names and addresses of
 possible scholarship sources. Keep track of due dates and deadlines.

Summer (entering Senior Year)

- Practice writing online applications without submitting them. Ask other to proof them, especially the essay.
- Read all college mail and send replay cards back to schools of interest.
- Apply for scholarships with deadlines in the fall; you may be too busy once school starts.

Senior Year

Fall (August through December)

- Make sure you continue to meet high school graduation and college admission requirements.
- Apply for financial aid by completing and submitting your Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) as soon after October 1 as
 possible. The FAFSA is available online at www.fafsa.ed.gov. Ask for assistance through college Financial Aid Offices.
- The information you receive back after the FAFSA is processed is the Student Aid Report (SAR). If any portion of the information on the SAR is incorrect, correct it and resubmit it to the processing center.
- Submit any additional financial aid forms and documentation that is required by the school of your choice, including if you have been selected for Verification. Some of these forms may be available online, including the FAFSA and some admission applications.
- Register for the Advanced Placement (AP) exams, if enrolled.
- Meet with visiting admissions representatives from the schools that interest you.
- Arrange visits to schools you are considering and schedule admissions interviews, if required.
- Make the financial preparation of your portfolios, audition videos, writing samples, or other evidence of talent required for admission and/or scholarships. Finalize your resume to send with your applications.
- Take or retake the SAT or ACT.
- Identify at least two of the following to write solid recommendations forms for you: a teacher, an extracurricular advisor, a
 counselor, a principal, or any employer. Give the recommendation forms to teachers, counselors, etc. at least one month before they
 are due. Follow up on the progress of these recommendations.
- Submit your college applications. Apply to more than one school to increase your odds of admission. Be careful of submission deadlines!
- Talk with your parents about what type of budget you'll be on your freshman year.
- If seeking athletic scholarships (Div. 1 & II schools only), contact the coaches from the schools you are considering and include a
 resume of your accomplishments.

Spring (January through May)

- Call the schools you have applied to and confirm receipt of your application materials, including letter of recommendation and housing applications.
- Request that your counselor send a copy of your transcript to the school where you have applied. Make sure your first semester
 senior year grades are included on the transcript.
- Notify the school(s) in writing by the proper deadline as to whether you are accepting or declining admission.
- Review your financial aid award letter with your parents and be sure you understand the terms and conditions that accompany each kind of aid.
- Notify the financial aid office of any outside scholarships or grants that you have accepted since your initial application.
- Be aware of the due dates for tuition, fees, room and board, and other expenses. Find out how your financial aid will be disbursed and
 whether you can defer payments until the funds are available.
- Respond immediately to all correspondence regarding school, scholarships, and financial aid.
- Participate in summer orientation programs for incoming freshmen after graduation to ensure you are prepared for entering your first semester and have completed all necessary steps at your college.

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College Visits

College visits are a great way for students to learn more about the degree options and offerings available to them at each institution. The following colleges will be visiting the high school to speak with interested students:

Thursday, October 3 10:45 am - Cafeteria University of Albany
Tuesday, October 15 1 pm - Cafeteria St. John Fisher
Wednesday, October 23 10 am - Guidance Office Daemen College
Thursday, October 24 8 am - Guidance Office Gannon University
Tuesday, October 29 1 pm - Cafeteria Hilbert College



If you are curious about any of these colleges, please don't miss your chance to speak with college representatives to learn more. Check our website frequently for more announcements of visiting colleges and universities.

Attendance Counts!

1 or 2 days a week doesn't seem like much, but ...

If you miss	That equals	Which is	And over 13 years of schooling, that's
1 day every 2 weeks	20 days per year	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1.5 years
1 day per week	40 days per year	8 weeks per year	Over 2.5 years
2 days per week	80 days per year	16 weeks per year	Over 5 years
3 days per week	120 days per year	24 weeks per year	Nearly 8 years

Alright, but how about 10 minutes late per day. Surely that won't affect me?

You are missing just	That equals	Which is	And over 13 years of schooling, that's
10 minutes per day	50 minutes per week	Nearly 1.5 weeks per year	Nearly half a year
20 minutes per day	1 hour, 40 minutes per week	Over 2.5 weeks per year	Nearly 1 year
30 minutes per day	Half a day per week	4 weeks per year	Nearly 1.5 years
1 hour per day	1 day per week	8 weeks per year	Over 2.5 years

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS!

If you want to be successful at school, YES, attendance DOES matter!

Health Clinic News



AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOD DRIVE RETURNS

The American Red Cross will again be visiting the High School for a blood drive on **Wednesday**, **October 30.** Students, teachers and staff are encouraged to donate. Donating blood only takes a short time, and can help save a life! Contact Mrs. Senus in the high school clinic at 337-0101, ext. 1234 to schedule a time to donate, or to ask any questions you may have. Remember, you must be at least 16 years of age, weigh more than 90 lbs. and cannot have donated blood or platelets anytime in the last 6 weeks. Thank you for helping to save a life!



Flu vs. Cold — Can You Tell the Difference?

As we move into the fall season, it is important to remember that the cooler temperatures and changing leaves may also bring more cases of the flu. According to the CDC, influenza (also known as "flu") is a contagious respiratory illness caused by influenza viruses. The signs and symptoms often range from mild to severe and often come on very quickly. The flu can even cause complications that may result in death. See the chart for how to tell the difference between the Flu vs. Cold.

Getting the flu vaccine can increase the likelihood of not becoming infected with the flu or at least lessening the symptoms. The CDC advises those 6 months and older to get the vaccination. It is extremely important for those with compromised immune systems or underlying health conditions to also get vaccinated as those individuals are more at risk for developing complications from the flu.

It is important to call your doctor if you think you or a family member has the flu, a high fever or is not drinking enough.

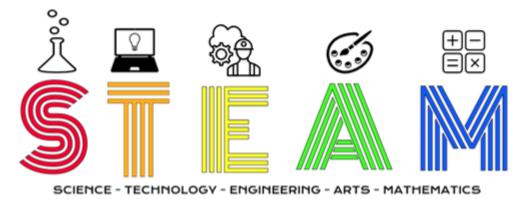
www.cdc.gov

https://www.cdc.gov/flu/consumer/symptoms.htm

Flu vs Cold

Signs and Symptoms	Influenza	Cold
Symptom onset	Abrupt	Gradual
Fever	Usual; lasts 3- 4 days	Rare
Aches	Usual; often severe	Slight
Chills	Fairly common	Uncommon
Fatigue, weakness	Usual	Sometimes
Sneezing	Sometimes	Common
Stuffy nose	Sometimes	Common
Sore throat	Sometimes	Common
Chest discomfort, cough	Common; can be severe	Mild to moderate; hacking cough
Headache	Common	Rare

NCES PTA Presents Arctic Adventures in



When: Tuesday, November 5, 2019 from 6-8 pm

Where: North Collins Elementary School Cafeteria

Please join us as we take an Arctic Adventure into the world of STEAM in a unique and interactive way that your family is sure to love!

Our Fall **Scholastic Book Fair** is coming and we need YOUR help!

When: November 4 – 7, 2019

Where: North Collins Elementary School Library

What: You can join our volunteer team to

- Bring creative flair to signs and decorations
- Organize and merchandise displays
- Offer a helping hand set up or pack up
- Help shoppers of all ages find their perfect book

How: To volunteer, email **Stephanie Baumler** or by phone at 337-0166, ext. 2104. We appreciate your help!



Chicka Chicka BOOM!

Kindergarten kicked the year off with their annual Chicka Chicka Boom Boom Hunt! They found letters of the alphabet on the playground and enjoyed cupcakes shaped like a Chicka Boom tree!





Child Find Notification

The North Collins School District is responsible for the identification and evaluation of all students suspected of having a disability residing within the boundaries of the school district. This includes all children (birth through 21) who attend a public or private school, are homeschooled or homeless. Early identification and intervention is essential to help ensure school success. If you suspect your child may have a disability and may benefit from special education and/or related services, please contact Mrs. Jinelle Burger, the Director of Student Services, at 716-337-0166.

Pesticide Notification

New York State Education Law Section \$409-H, effective July 1, 2001, requires all public and non-public elementary and secondary schools to provide written notification to all persons in parental relation, faculty and staff regarding the potential use of pesticides periodically throughout the school year. Please visit our website www.northcollins.com for further information and/or if you wish to receive 48-hour prior written notification of certain pesticide applications.



Book Nook Donations Wanted!

If you have any gently used children's books appropriate for grades pre K through 6th grade, please consider donating them to the elementary Book Nook. They can be dropped off in the elementary office in care of Lisa Sager.

We are also seeking volunteer readers. If you are interested, please call Mrs. Aly Laing at 337-0166. ext. 2151 for details.

Elementary Physical Education



Paul Kellner Athletic Director



Kathryn Shelley Phys. Ed Teacher, K-6

Welcome Back!

We hope everyone has enjoyed their summer and found ways to stay cool from the heat. It is great to be back and we are looking forward to another wonderful school year.

If your child is in grades K-3- they have gym EVERY DAY, please make sure they have their sneakers with them all year long. We also highly encourage if your child is wearing a dress to school, have them wear shorts underneath.

If your child is in grades 4-6, they will need to bring the following items for PE class:

- Sneakers (secured tightly)
- Change of clothes (both top and bottom)
- deodorant
- Extra socks and old sneakers if possible
- plastic bag to take clothes home in
- zip lock baggie for jewelry to be kept in

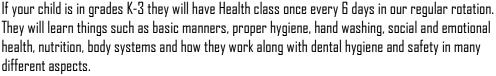


If your child is unprepared for class they will participate that day in a modified fashion (their grade will be reduced for that day). If you child is unprepared 3 times in a quarter it will result in a drop of a letter grade. If your child can't participate in PE Class a note must be written and signed by a parent/legal guardian to be excused for that day. If it will be an extended length of time (more than one day), a note from their doctor must be brought into school and given to the nurse.

The students are currently involved in soccer, football. We look forward to a fun exciting year!

Elementary Health & Wellness

Hello and welcome back to the familiar faces and new ones too! I am excited to be teaching another year of Elementary Health classes for grades K-3. I love that I get to teach young minds about the very important things that keep them safe, healthy and happy!





We will also be doing the "Health Star Student of the Month" again this year. Be on the lookout in this perspective for your child to be recognized. Students get picked based on hard work, effort, kindness, following directions and staying on task in the health classroom.

TAKE CARE OF YOUR BODY. IT'S THE ONLY PLACE YOU HAVE TO LIVE IN.

I look forward to another happy and healthy school year! Please feel free to email me with any questions or suggestions you have!

Music Notes 3-20



Honoring Our Veterans

The Senior High Band and Chorus will be hosting a Veterans Concert for our community with a special invitation to all of our local veterans. Please join us in the High School Auditorium **Thursday**, **November 7** at 7:00 pm for a special concert of patriotic music, including a sing-a-long and a fantastic finale!



The refreshments following the concert will be made by the Advanced Foods class and sponsored by Music Boosters. As always, the concert is FREE! Please join us for a special evening of music as we honor and recognize our local veterans.

North Collins Music Roosters Semi-Annual Sub Sale Saturday, October 19

Look for our students, who will be going door-to-door in the village to sell our delicious, homemade assorted or turkey subs at a price of \$5.00 each. Subs will also be available at various locations around town, including Gui's, Save-A-Lot, Langford Fire Hall, and the High School gym lobby. Preorder and delivery of 10 or more subs is available by calling or texting 261-6627.



North Collins Music Boosters

Mattress Sale Saturday, October 19

A brand new mattress ensures the restful sleep you need to relax and rejuvenate! The North Collins Music Boosters are sponsoring a Mattress Sale on Saturday, October 19. Brand new, brand name mattresses will be offered at discounts of up to 60% off retail store prices! Best of all, each purchase benefits the Music Boosters so we can continue to provide quality program extras and scholarships to music students in our district. While you stop in for your sub during our semiannual Sub Sale, be sure to check out the display of mattresses we will have available and speak to a consultant. If you're planning to replace or add a mattress, this is a great time to save some money while supporting the music department!

Sports Schedules

Boys Varsity Soccer

Date	Opponent	Time
Wed, Oct 2	MAPLE GROVE	5:00
Mon, Oct 7	at Silver Creek	4:30
Wed, Oct 9	WESTFIELD/BROCTON	4:30
Fri, Oct 11	SPRINGVILLE	4:30
Sat, Oct 12	at Eden	7:00 pm
Wed, Oct 16	at Frewsburg	5:00

Boys Modified Soccer

Date	Opponent	Time
Wed, Oct 2	MAPLE GROVE	5:00
Mon, Oct 7	at Silver Creek	4:30
Wed, Oct 9	WESTFIELD/BROCTON	4:30
Wed, Oct 16	at Frewsburg	5:00

Girls Modified Soccer

Date	Opponent	Time
Tue, Oct 1	FREWSBURG	4:30
Thu, Oct 3	at Westfield/Brocton	5:00
Sat, Oct 5	PV/GOWANDA	10:00 am
Tue, Oct 8	at Maple Grove	5:00
Thu, Oct 10	at Chautauqua Lake	5:00
Thu, Oct 17	at SC/Forestville	4:30
Fri., Oct 18	SC/FORESTVILLE	4:30

SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. ALWAYS CHECK THE SPORTS SCHEDULES ON **OUR** WEBSITE FOR THE LATEST INFORMATION!



Girls Varsity Soccer

Date	Opponent	Time
Tue, Oct 1	FREWSBURG	4:30
Thu, Oct 3	at Westfield/Brocton	6:00
Sat, Oct 5	PINE VALLEY/GOWANDA	10:00 am
Tue, Oct 8	at Maple Grove	5:00
Thu, Oct 10	at Chautauqua Lake	5:00
Sat, Oct 12	at Eden	5:00
Thu, Oct 17	at SC/Forestville	4:30



Boys Varsity Football (w/Eden)

Date	Opponent	Time
Fri, Oct 4	BURGARD	7:00
Fri, Oct 11	vs Tonawanda	7:00
Thu, Oct 17	vs Alden	7:00
10/24-10/26	TBD (week 8)	TBD

Girls Varsity Volleyball

Date	Opponent	Time
Wed, Oct 2	GOWANDA	5:00
Thu, Oct 3	at Pine Valley	5:00
Mon, Oct 7	at Catt-LV	5:00
Wed, Oct 9	at Westfield	5:00
Wed, Oct 16	FORESTVILLE	5:00
Fri, Oct 18	at Cassadaga Valley	5:00
Mon, Oct 21	PINE VALLEY	5:00
Wed, Oct 23	at Dunkirk	5:00



Girls Modified Volleyball

Date	Opponent	Time
Wed, Oct 2	at Maple Grove	5:00
Fri, Oct 4	at Gowanda	4:30
Mon, Oct 7	FORESTVILLE	4:30
Thu, Oct 10	at Brocton	5:00

Boys Mod. Football (w/Eden)

Date	Opponent	Time
Thu, Oct 3	CASS. VALLEY	5:00
Thu, Oct 10	at Lakeshore	5:00
Thu, Oct 17	TONAWANDA	5:00
Thu, Oct 24	ROY HART	5:00





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The **Perspective**

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Event Calendar

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October	1	Elementary School Spirit Day: Sock-tober!
	4	Emergency Drill/Early Dismissal—district wide
	5-7	Music Trip to NYC (overnight)
	8	BOE Work Session, HS Library Media Center, 6:30 pm
	8	Code of Conduct/Safety Plan Hearing, HS Library Media Center, 7 pm
	14	NO SCHOOL—Columbus Day Holiday
	15	Music Boosters Meeting, 6:45 pm, HS Guidance Conference Room
	19 21	Sub Sale sponsored by Music Boosters
	22	PTA Meeting, ES Cafeteria, 6:30 pm
	24	BOE Meeting, HS Library Media Center, 6:30 pm Picture Re-take Day, HS Only
	25	NO SCHOOL—Superintendent's Conference Day
	23-Nov 1	SADD Club Red Ribbon Week
	30	Picture Re-take Day, ES Only
November	1	Elementary School Spirit Day: Pirate Day!
	7	Veteran's Day Concert, 7 pm, HS Auditorium
	11	NO SCHOOL—Veteran's Day Holiday
	12	BOE Work Session, HS Library Media Center, 6:30 pm
	15	End of First Quarter
	18	PTA Meeting, ES Cafeteria, 6:30 pm
	19	Music Boosters Meeting, 6:45 pm, HS Guidance Conference Room
	22	Report Cards Sent Home (ES Only)
	26	BOE Work Session, HS Library Media Center, 6:30 pm
	27-29	NO SCHOOL, Thanksgiving Recess
)ecember	6	Elementary School Spirit Day: Mis-match Day!
	9	PTA Meeting, ES Cafeteria, 6:30 pm
	10	BOE Meeting, HS Library Media Center, 6:30 pm
	11	Holiday Band & Chorus Concert, HS Aud, 7pm (snow date: Dec 12)
	17	Club and Group Photo Day, HS Only

Music Boosters Meeting, HS Guidance Conference Room, 6:45 pm

23-31 20 NO SCHOOL, Holiday Recess