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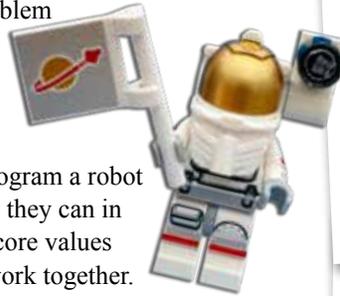
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FIRST Lego League

ECS Teams Click In Competition

The Ellicottville Robotics team competed in the qualifying round of the First Lego League Into Orbit challenge at Houghton College. The competition consists of three parts. The robot challenge, the project, and core values. This year's topic was Into Orbit. Each team had to identify a human or social problem faced during long duration space explorations within our Sun's solar system and propose a solution. The robot part challenges teams to build and program a robot to complete as many missions as they can in 2 minutes and 30 seconds. The core values judges how the team members work together.



Twenty Five teams from the region competed at the competition. Ellicottville sent three teams to compete this year. The **DISCO BRICKS** team of David Thompson, Gabrielle Spross, Aiden Harrington, Samuel Edwards, Brooke Butler, Aaron LoGiudice, and Christopher Edwards came in 2nd in the robot challenge and finished **1st overall** for the day, taking home the grand champion trophy.

The **FUZZY LOGIC** team of Tobias Coburn, Liam McGuire, Jayce Pearl, Sophia Sundeen, Kyle Robinson, and Benjamin Edwards won the Judges Award and finished 3rd in the robot challenge and **3rd overall** for the day.

The **GALILEGO** team of Bryce Wood, Alex Silvernail, William Benatovich, Mason Perks, Nathan Andrews, Christopher Calarco, and Skye Wood won the robot design award and finished **5th overall** for the day.

All three teams advanced to the next round held at the University of Rochester!



DISCO BRICKS



FUZZY LOGIC



GALILEGO



January 21, 2019: School Closed in Honor of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day

PLEASE NOTE

New Principal

Welcome Mrs. Bush!

ECS is proud to welcome Mrs. Maren Bush as the new Elementary Principal. A life-long resident of the southern tier, Mrs. Bush graduated from Olean High School and went on to study speech language pathology at SUNY Fredonia. Mrs. Bush received a Bachelor's and Master's of Science in Speech Language Pathology as well as a minor in Sociology.



Mrs. Bush began her career as a Speech Language Pathologist at Allegany-Limestone Central School District in 2003. During her tenure at ALCS, Mrs. Bush served on several committees which included the health & wellness committee, building intervention team, committee on special education and fifth grade science camp committee. Mrs. Bush has also volunteered her time as a head coach for the Girls on the Run program for the last three years. In 2017, Mrs. Bush enrolled in the Call to Leadership Initiative at the University of Rochester. In preparation for completing her leadership degree, Mrs. Bush did an extensive administrative internship at Franklinville Central School District. Mrs. Bush assumed administrative duties and participated on numerous committees. These included the curriculum leadership team, school improvement team, professional development team, safety committee and mental health/trauma team.

Mrs. Bush lives in Allegany with her husband Dave and daughter Zoey. In addition to her professional career, Mrs. Bush enjoys outdoor activities, spending time with her friends and family and is an active volunteer and member of The Pink Pumpkin Project. The Pink Pumpkin Project is a local, non-for-profit organization which provides emotional and financial support to men and women fighting breast cancer. Mrs. Bush organizes their annual 5K Walk/Run event which is held in Allegany, NY.

Superintendent's Message: Time

I can hardly believe that we are in the midst of the Holiday Season. Just three short months ago we were starting the school year, and, before long, we will be saying good bye to 2018 and hello to 2019. I'm always amazed at how fast "time flies." ...and, it seems that the busier our lives get, the faster the time passes. As we move through the school year, I would like to encourage everyone to "take time" as opposed to letting it "pass by." There is so much going on, and it is important to take advantage of the opportunities and experiences that are in front of us.

For students, this means taking full advantage of the opportunities that ECS offers. While most would like homework and assignments to be done quickly, it is important to take time to complete the work to the best of their ability and thoroughly learn all they can from that work. For parents, please make sure children have the time and space to complete assignments at home as needed.

Beyond the classroom, students should take time to become involved in other opportunities; including both school based and non-school based activities. Playing a sport, getting involved in the musical, taking dance lessons at a studio, participating in Girl / Boy Scouts, joining a church youth group, etc. are all examples of students taking advantage of opportunities. Students that take the time to participate in activities beyond the classroom will be rewarded with rich experiences.

I feel it is also important to make time for others, and I'm confident in saying the students of ECS not only recognize this, they "practice" it. On December 6th, we hosted the annual Senior Citizen Holiday Dinner. This special event is truly a collaborative experience by students of all ages and staff across the District. The Middle / High School Student Council plans the meal, organizes the event, serves attendees and then helps with the clean-up. At different points during the year, they fundraise to provide the meal and poinsettias. On the day of the dinner, middle and high school band and chorus students provide background music as the meal is being served. After the meal, elementary students provide a mini-concert to all attendees. It is always

magical and heartwarming to see the smiles and waves between students and grandmas, grandpas, aunts, uncles, etc. At times, I'm uncertain as to who is more excited; the kids or the adults. Either way, this event is a time honored tradition here at ECS, and one that will continue on.

Another great example of ECS students and the larger ECS Community taking the time to help others is Project Christmas. The spirit of the season is truly in the air as students take time to bring in food, student council members go shopping for gifts, and seniors assist with deliveries. In addition to the students, the larger community has always generously given time to this event. From local businesses making significant donations, churches distributing gift tags, volunteers ensuring that deliveries take place, and staff coordinating these efforts; the total team effort of so many people in the ECS Community giving time so generously to make this happen is simply amazing!

As I close this article, my wish to all of you is that you are able to enjoy your time with family and friends this Holiday Season.



Bob Miller
Superintendent of Schools



Thank you to Mr. Hobie Hall for the Christmas Tree that is displayed on the front lawn of the school. We appreciate your kindness during this holiday season.

Elementary Perfect Attendance

First Quarter: September–November 2018

KINDERGARTEN

Miss Olson – Carly Erlandson, Joanna Klein, Shiloh Miller, Isabella Perkins, Amelia Winship.

Mr. Wilson – Erica Benjamin, Gabrielle Dunkleman, Oliver Johnson, Jack Kerns, Natalie Sciortino, Vander Travis.

Mrs. Woodarek – Rose Benjamin, James Helie, Kenzie Mendell, John Smith.

FIRST GRADE:

Mrs. Bower – Allyana Andrews, Myla Brennan, James Bryant, Liam Dahlman, Leona Hill, Paisley Nelson, Bentley Ward.

Mrs. Keller – Trevor Beeson, Harrison Cornelius, Dominic Mack, Caelan Myers, Griffen Sciara, Jayda Wyatt.

Mr. Smith – Brandon Bartoszek, Thomas Green, Mason LaCroix, Clinton Northrup, Aidan Schultz.

SECOND GRADE:

Miss Auge – Marjorie Brown, Tareyn Foster, Carsten Kosinski, Marlee Maynard, Lindsay Watson.

Miss Farnum – Brody Erlandson, Ricky Howard, Crew Koleta, Cayda Kruszynski, McKenna Mendell, Rylenn Oakes, Calvin Pearl, Mario Polino, Braeleigh Potter, Emmalea Reuman.

Mrs. Peters – Kaegan Bauer, Grace Griffith, Audrey Krause, Whitney Powers, Nicholas Wedvik, Whalyn Wyatt.

THIRD GRADE:

Mrs. Donoghue – Tobias Beeson, Jersie Czaplak, Camden Howard, Paul Hurlburt, Daniel Kruszynski, Grayson Neal, Cooper Sciara.

Mrs. Norton – Kelsey Feldbauer, Carter Kaleta, Sawyer Miller, Meegan Olson, Ty Seneca, Collin Weber.

Mr. Przybyla – Zachary Brennan, Rylie Button, Keegan Kaleta, Karle Northrup, Peyton Pierce, Matthew Ruzcek, Justin Weaver.

FOURTH GRADE:

Mr. Delity – Adalynn Andrews, Rylan Benjamin, Ryha Blalock, Malie Curtis, Ella Erlandson, Parker Gebauer, Jaxson LaCroix, Eva LoGiudice, Ava Pasinski, Dominic Polino, Nora Santiago, Raiddan Wilson, Colton Wyatt.

Miss Stormer – Elijah Atwater, Timothy DeChane, Danielle Dunkleman, Ainsley Edwards, Braiden Hayes, Eliza Murray, Reed Nazareth.

Mrs. Tomblin – Kristen Bless, Coleman Carls, Christopher Edwards, Ava Fuller, McKenzie Green, Jonah Mann, Blake Smith, Yanielize Velazquez-Garcia.

FIFTH GRADE:

Miss Cole – Kalyn Crowley, Drew Ficek, Patrick Hesse, Cameron Mendell, Delaney Myers, Camden Palmatier, Makayla Potter, Kingston Sherman, Daliana Velazquez Garcia, Hunter Woodarek.

Mrs. Fitzpatrick – Maitlin Brown, Kaden Button, Isabelle Coburn, Kayedance Hayes, Chevy Kelley, Alexa Liskow, Anna Nazareth.

Mrs. Moore – Kristopher Curtis, Teaghan Finn, Aiddan Gascon, Brogann Howard, Harper Klein, Ande Northrup, Olivia Tighe, Oliver Wedvik, Skye Wood.

Fifth Grade Honor Roll

First Quarter: September – November 2018

Ms. Cole – Patrick Andera, Kalyn Crowley, Drew Ficek, Cameron Mendell, Mackenzie Noga, Jordan O'Connell, Lanie Wilson, Daliana Velazquez Garcia

Mrs. Fitzpatrick – Keira Baldwin, Maitlin Brown, Grady Byroads, Isabelle Coburn, Kayedance Hayes, Jackson Kruszynski, Anna Nazareth, Talya Wyatt

Mrs. Moore – Teaghan Finn, Parker John, Harper Klein, Ande Northrup, Olivia Tighe, Oliver Wedvik, Skye Wood

Excellent WORK!

“Meeting the Challenge”

WALK THIS WAY



The Ellicottville Central School Walk Program for community members is going on now until **April 17th**. *The building will be open:*

**MON.– THURS.
FROM 6-9 PM
(WHEN SCHOOL IS IN SESSION)**

Community members are asked to check-in each time they walk at the High School back parking lot entrance.



ECS FITNESS CENTER

**Open to the Public
from 4–7 PM**

**Tuesdays, Wednesdays
& Thursdays
(when school is in session)**

Homework Club

January thru March

Homework Club will take place from 3-4 pm on **Tuesdays and Wednesdays** during the months of January, February and March.

The late bus will run each of these days.



JANUARY

2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
		School Closed - New Year's Day ¹	²	3:00 pm Ski Club begins ³	⁴	⁵
⁶	⁷	7:00 pm Board of Education Meeting- Budget work session (HS Library) ⁸	⁹	¹⁰	¹¹	¹²
¹³	¹⁴	¹⁵	¹⁶	¹⁷	¹⁸	¹⁹
²⁰	School Closed - Martin Luther King, Jr. Day ²¹	7:00 pm Board of Education Meeting- Budget work session (HS Library) ²²	²³	End of 2nd Marking Period ²⁴ 6:00 pm 6th Grade Moving Up Night 7:00 pm Middle School Dance	No School for Students - Superintendent's Day ²⁵ Solo Festival @ ALCS	Solo Festival @ Allegany-Limestone ²⁶
²⁷	²⁸	²⁹	³⁰	³¹		

FEBRUARY

2019

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					¹	²
³	Winter Weekend Activities ⁴	Winter Weekend Activities ⁵ 7:00 pm Board of Education Meeting (HS Library)	Winter Weekend Activities ⁶ 6:00 pm PTO Talent Show	Winter Weekend Activities ⁷	Winter Weekend Activities ⁸	8:00 pm Winter Weekend Dance ⁹
¹⁰	¹¹	¹²	¹³	¹⁴	¹⁵	¹⁶
¹⁷	School Closed - President's Day ¹⁸	Winter Break ¹⁹	Winter Break ²⁰	Winter Break ²¹	Winter Break ²²	²³
²⁴	²⁵	7:00 pm Board of Education Meeting (HS Library) ²⁶	²⁷	²⁸		

High School Honor & High Honor Roll

First Quarter: September–November 2018

High Honor Roll

12th Grade

Benatovich, Louisa
Bishop, Hunter
Chamberlain, Malorie
Chapman, Meganne
Chudy, Brenden
Cole, Elissa
Coolidge, Kayleigh
Delity, Hannah
Fisher, Allyson
Freaney, Robin
Freunds Schuh, Jaclyn
Hensel, Ginna
Jimerson, Jessica
Jimerson, Linnea
Knab, Logan
Krotz, Zackary
Maybee, Sierra
Sonnenberg, Abigail
Squires, Gabrielle
Summers, Jacob
Will, Cody

11th Grade

Calarco, Allison
de Orbe, Adrian
DeChane, Abbey
Donoghue, Abaigeal
Eddy, Brooke
Ford-Grover, Sylvia
Hartsell, Megan
Kaleta, McKenna
Kilby, Madisyn
Lin, Simon
Moore, Cyrene
Perkins, Audra
Rounds, Gracie
Snyder, John
Stuve, Megan
Van Wicklin, Samantha

10th Grade

Aldrich, Kolby
Bolya, Saidy
Butler, Bryce
Evans, Jalee
Fredrickson, Hayly
Fredrickson, Logan
Hadley, Jenna
Hunt, Alexander
Jennings, Caleb
Krzanek, Kayla
Lendvay, Cameron

Lin, Sammi
Pitillo, Olivia
Ploetz, Abigail
Rowland, Clayton
Saunders, Sydney
Sexton, Courtney
Silvernail, Adam
Snyder, Gabriel
Steinbronner, Noah
Swalcy, Lindsay
White, Macy
Wilson, Summer Kay
Yarnes, Coryn

9th Grade

Bacon, Isabella
Carls, Cecelia
Clark, Marissa
de Orbe, Ignacio
Epps, Antonia
Foster, Leilani
Frank, Ethan
Grant, Rylee
Kilby, Kaleb
LoGiudice, Nicholas
Miller, Mikhayla
Neumann, Carly
Redeye, Alexis
Schwartz, Samuel
Steffenhagen, Emma
Traina, Alexander
Woodarek, Elsa
Wyatt, Jocelyn

8th Grade

Andrews, Breana
Bacon, Olivia
Ballard, Jacob
Bomberry, Tristin
Conklin, Lita
DeChane, Katrina
Flagg, Christopher
Hawkins, Madeline
Hensel, Charles
Jennings, Katryna
Krotz, Katie
Moore, Errol
Murray, Aidan
Quinn, Ryah
Romero, Kayla
Rowland, Allison K
Shattenberg, Erik
Silvernail, Alexander
Swalcy, Christian

Velazquez-Garcia, Yahir
Weber, Sarah
Williams, Alysa
Wood, Bryce

7th Grade

Bauer, Evan
Benatovich, William
Benjamin, Reese
Butler, Brooke
Carls, Emmylu
Carney, Mikaya
Chudy, Abby
Colburn, Shelby
DeChane, Gwendolyn
Dederick, Adrynn
Edwards, Samuel
Finn, Keelin
Goode, Zoe
Halloran, Madison
Harrington, Aiden
Kaleta, Cameron
Kerns, Layla
Krotz, Morgan
Krzanek, Emma
Lafferty, Emma
LoGiudice, Aaron
Mendell, Jaida
Norton, Cora
Perks, Mason
Pfeffer, Allison
Smith, Hunter
Spross, Gabrielle
Thompson, David
White, Kara

6th Grade

Bless, Kathryn
Button, Lauren
Carson, Chloe
Cleary, Michael
Coburn, Tobias
Doutt, Jayden
Edwards, Benjamin C
Fuller, Tea
Hillman, Kade
Johnson, Maddox
Kerns, Michael
Krause, Alarice
Leiper, Natalee
Marsh, Courtney
McGuire, Liam
Miller, Jerry
Morlock, Noah

Norton, Ryan
Pearl, Jayce
Peters, Xavier
Robinson, Kyle
Rzucek, Hailey
Scott, Louise
Sundeen, Sophia
Weber, Adelaide
Winship, Madisyn E

Honor Roll

12th Grade

Baker (Farnum), Paisly
Finn, Brennan
Haley, Griffin
Hartsell, Ned
Miller, Alexander
Oberer, Jason
Young, Grace

11th Grade

Bogue Jr, James
Earley, Camryn
Fish, Devon
Hawkins, Jonathan
Hutchinson, Christian
Kongats, Heli
Noga, Tyler
Smith, Makenna

10th Grade

Caldwell, Jamison
Comstock-Eastlick,
Willow
Flora, Jianna
Freaney, Brianna
Jimerson, Leif
Joyce, Aidan
Kryniski, Brett
Lendvay, Katelyn
Palmatier, Braedyn
Quinn, Erin Donna
Tomczak, Kelsea
Tomsick, Jillian

9th Grade

Bolya, Andrew
Bush, Maddox
Clancy, Shawn
Crane, Ella
Ficek, Harley
Freunds Schuh, Joseph
Grinols, Logan
Haskell, Isabella

Hurlburt, Mandy
Ploetz, Caleb
Privitera, Aiden
Ruiz, Emilee

8th Grade

Czapla, Jaxon
Dietrich, Gavin
Fish, Hali
Gebauer, Emmett
Huffman, Chloe
Knab, Olivia E
Smith, Selena
Tupchik, Leah

7th Grade

Alexander, Dalayla
Andrews, Nathan
Atwater, Jacob
Calarco, Christopher
Carson, Kayleigh
Conklin, Gracie
Curtis, Jase
Hogenmiller, Benjamin
Hurlburt, Audrey
Morlock, Isabella
Potter, Madison
Woodmancy, Isabelle

6th Grade

Epps, Sara
Fisher, Alivia
Flagg, Alyssa
John, Addison
Metzger, Ryan
Mooney, Laurena
Privitera, Grace
Quinn, Parker
Rust, Cheyenne
Smith, Carter
Taylor, Colton
Woodarek, Ava





Important Yearbook Info

- ❏ Old yearbooks are available for purchase, as long as supplies last. The 2018 yearbook is \$50. Books from previous years are \$10. Contact Mrs. Bauer (cbauer@eville.wnyric.org) for more details.
- ❏ You need to put at least \$10 down to reserve a yearbook. If you do not reserve one, you can purchase one a week after they come in, assuming there are any left after all reserved ones have had a chance to be claimed. Books must be reserved by May 28th.
- ❏ We are selling an elementary yearbook that is a pull-out of the main yearbook, meaning the pages are identical. The pull-out is only for grades PreK-5 and will be the same as the PreK-5 pages in the main yearbook. Elementary yearbooks are \$10. We have a very limited number of these so they are first come first serve, pre-order only, until they are sold out.
- ❏ We will be selling Easter candy. If you sell candy you will automatically have a yearbook reserved that you can pick up once you've paid the balance owed. If you sell 30 items you will get a free yearbook.
- ❏ If you have pictures you would like to be considered for the yearbook please email them to Mrs. Bauer at cbauer@eville.wnyric.org



ECS is Excited to Offer MySchoolBucks®!

This online payment service will be available starting January 2, 2019 and it provides a quick and easy way to add money to your child's meal account using a credit/debit card or electronic check.

You can also view recent purchases, check balances, and set-up low balance alerts for FREE!



MYSCHOOLBUCKS PROVIDES:

- **Convenience** - Available 24/7 on the web or through our mobile app for your smartphone
- **Efficiency** - Make payments for one child or all your children at one time, Eliminate the need for your child/children to take money to school.
- **Control** - Set low balance alerts, view account activity, recurring/automatic payments & more!
- **Flexibility** - Make payments using credit/debit cards and electronic checks.
- **Security** - MySchoolBucks adheres to the highest security standards.

ENROLLMENT IS EASY!

1. Go to www.MySchoolBucks.com or download the mobile app and register for a free account.
2. Add your students using their school name and student ID.
3. Make a payment to your students' accounts with your credit/debit card or electronic check.

Please note that a program fee will apply when making payments through MySchoolBucks. This fee will be a flat fee for each transaction no matter how much money you put on your child's / children's accounts. If you pay on more than one account during a single transaction, the flat fee will be the same. You will have the opportunity to review any fees and cancel if you choose, before you are charged.

If you have any questions, contact MySchoolBucks directly:

- **Email:** support@myschoolbucks.com
- **Phone:** (855) 832-5226
- **Website:** Visit myschoolbucks.com and click on Help

If you need your child's / children's ID number, it can be located on records you have received from the school such as report cards or past due lunch notices. You can also see this number when accessing records through the Power School Parent Portal. Please do not hesitate to contact the school should you need additional assistance with ID numbers.

PTO NEWS

BOX TOPS

The PTO recently held a Box Tops contest for grades Pre-K through 5th grade. Mr. Przybyla's 3rd grade class won the contest by bringing in 264 Box Tops. Together we have collected **\$261.10** so far this school year. Please continue to save your Box Tops as we will have more contests throughout the year. This year we are having a contest for the entire year to see which grade can bring in the most from September to May. You can always send your Box Tops in to the elementary office or drop them off at our two local drop off places, the Great Valley Post Office or TOPS in Ellicottville. Many Box Tops expire 12/31/18, please send those in before they expire.



2018 PTO TALENT SHOW

The 2018 PTO Talent Show will be held on **Wednesday, February 6th at 6:00pm**. **Students in grades 4-8** can sign up to participate in the Talent Show. Everyone is invited to come and watch the show. More information will be sent home with students.

Changes For a Safer School...Part 2



This article is the second of a series that will be in the newsletters this year. The purpose of these articles will be to notify you of important changes that we will be making in order to better ensure student safety. Some of these changes may not be convenient, but we must always keep in mind that student safety outweighs convenience.

Last month we changed the arrival procedures for students, and the transition for these changes went smoothly and without incident. Thank you so much for your cooperation as we made these changes; it is truly appreciated. Our next procedural changes will take effect on **Wednesday, January 2, 2019**. These changes will have to do with how parents and visitors access

the building during the school day, and how students are signed out.

Starting 1/2/19, when a parent or visitor “buzzes” into the office, if the individual answering the buzzer does not recognize them, they will be asked to state their name and reason for asking to enter the building. I would ask that parents and visitors be patient as we have different people in the offices at different times, and the person “on duty” at the time of your arrival may not recognize you.

Keeping this thought in mind, the individual “on duty” in the office may not know a parent or visitor who is asking to sign a student out of the school. If this is the case, you will be asked to show some form of photo identification. Please know that this is not an attempt to be difficult; it is a step to best ensure the safety of our students. If a person attempting to sign a student out is not on our official emergency contact list (as submitted by parents) or does not have express written permission from the parent, the student may not be allowed to be signed out. In these cases, the person working in the office may ask you to wait while she/he contacts an administrator to assist with the situation.

Again, this is our attempt to take all steps to best ensure the safety of our students.

On a different note, I would ask the high school students that drive to be mindful of not only their speed entering and exiting the school and parking lots, but they also remember that the winter elements of snow and ice mean they should be extra cautious. Parents, I ask that you please assist with reminders.

And, while we cover bus safety in the first newsletter each year, I feel it is only prudent to remind everyone to be extra aware of stopped school busses. Unfortunately, we have had a number of cars pass school busses picking up and/or dropping off students at homes. Passing a bus with its red flashing lights on is illegal and carries hefty fines. But, more importantly, passing a bus with the red flashing lights on, places students at high risk for injury; especially our youngest students that are not always aware of all their surroundings.

Please continue to look for additional changes / safety updates in future newsletters.

Stock Market Challenge

Author: Kayleigh Coolidge, Editor: Linnea Jimerson

As adults, many people invest in the stock market hoping to gain a profit from the tricky system. On November 15th, seniors and juniors of Ellicottville Central School participated in the Junior Achievement Stock Market Challenge which simulated 60 days of the stock market in one hour. 132 teams competed in attempts to gain the most profit. Ellicottville was represented by four teams: CashMeOutside (Logan Knab, Abby Grant, Ned Hartsell, Jaclyn Freundsuh) ranked 23rd, the Hoosierdaddies (Jessica Jimerson, Evelyn Nuzzo, Elissa Cole, and Linnea Jimerson) ranked 46th, the Trump Train (Zack Krotz, Robin Freaney, Allyson Fisher, and Malorie Chamberlain) ranked 108th, and Ka-Ching (Kayleigh Coolidge, Brendan Chudy, Paisly Farnum, and Gabby Squires) ranked 110th. The game of profit was unforgiving for some, while benefitting for others. The real-life experience exposed Ellicottville students to an important aspect of life. The Junior Achievement Stock Market Challenge was an exciting, creative, and challenging opportunity. For future reference, the students who participated, encourage underclassmen to partake in this on-edge exposure to the real world.



Art Opportunities at ECS

For the past two years, The Elisa B. Hughey Memorial Scholarship for the Arts has awarded a scholarship to a graduating senior intending to study the Fine Arts in College. The Scholarship Committee recently decided to expand its scope and partner with the Tri-County Arts Council in Allegany, NY to offer 80% tuition funding for art education classes through the Arts Council. For the school year 2018-2019, ECS students, age 14 and older, are eligible for the program. Our intent with the partnership is to further kids' art education opportunities beyond the classroom, as well as to support the Arts In Cattaraugus County!



How the Program Works:

- Interested students will refer to the Arts Council's website for class or workshop opportunities: <https://www.myartscouncil.net/adult-classes.html> (Note: The Tri-County Arts Council offers classes in different media such as felt, pottery and ceramics.)
- Students wishing to attend a class or workshop will contact Brenda Hughey at elisahugheyscholarship@gmail.com indicating their full name, school, the class they'd like to attend and the date(s).
- Once the student has received an approval email from Brenda Hughey, he/she will contact the Arts Council by phone to register at 716-372-7455. When the student calls to register they can pay the 20% tuition either by credit card/or mail a check.
- Students must provide their own transportation to the Arts Council's studio location in Allegany.

**For questions, please contact Brenda Hughey at 703-321-6344 or email: elisahugheyscholarship@gmail.com

CARBON MONOXIDE (CO) POISONING



Carbon monoxide (CO) is an odorless, colorless gas that kills without warning. It claims the lives of hundreds of people every year and makes thousands more ill. Many household items including gas- and oil-burning furnaces, portable generators, and charcoal grills produce this poison gas. Following these important steps can keep your family safe.

CO DETECTORS

- Install battery-operated or battery back-up CO detectors near every sleeping area in your home.
- Check CO detectors regularly to be sure they are functioning properly.

OIL & GAS FURNACES

- Have your furnace inspected every year.

PORTABLE GENERATORS

- Never use a generator inside your home or garage, even if doors and windows are open.
- Only use generators outside, more than 20 feet away from your home, doors, and windows.



ECS

SKI CLUB

Let's Hit the Slopes!

Forms are now available in the ECS School Offices and may be filled out and returned to the ECS School Office with the full payment. Online registration will be available again this year, please check with ECS Elementary and HS offices for promo code. All checks should be made out to Win-Sum Ski Corporation. Applications not turned in to ECS will not be available for ECS Club rates. Students applying for combo passes who are not in the lesson portion of the ski program must still go through the school in order to receive the ECS combo pass rate. All combo pass pictures must be paid for in advance with the receipt initialed by Mr. Erich Ploetz. Registration for any of the plans must take place at ECS first. Please fill out the paperwork in advance. Processing of applications will be handled in the ECS School Offices.

Plan I \$73.50
Thursday night lift and lesson with a bonus day in March!
(Student owned equipment)

Plan II (Ski) \$140.50
8 weekly lessons and ski equipment rental package for Thursday Nights, with a bonus day in March!

Plan III (Board)..... \$140.50
8 weekly lessons and snowboard equipment rental package for Thursday Nights, with a bonus day in March!

Plan IV \$155.00
Night Combo Pass (Unlimited night skiing only.) Includes 8 Thursday Night Lessons. (Student owned equipment)

Plan V \$212.50
Combo Pass (unlimited day and night skiing, includes 8 Thursday Night Lessons) (Student owned equipment)

(Unlimited Rentals are available at a cost of \$83.75 for skis and \$83.75 for Snowboards) Helmet rentals are \$14.00 for 8 week programs or \$24.00 for the season.

DANGER!

2018 Fall Sports Report



Scholar Athletes and Teams

With the fall season wrapping up, three Ellicottville Eagles teams were honored with the title of scholar athlete teams; awarded for rostering 75% or more with a 90% or greater GPA. Girls and boys soccer, and girls volleyball all met the standards designated by the NYSPHSAA as scholar teams. The Eagles also had three individuals who were honored for their contributions on the playing field and in the classroom. The Section VI Scholar Athlete Award is based off of stringent criteria on the field of play and more specifically, in the classroom; putting the honorees into elite company in Western New York. The Eagles had two honorable mentions, Brennan Finn for soccer, Meganne Chapman for soccer, and one winner Linnea Jimerson for Volleyball. Linnea will be featured in a spread of pictures from the Buffalo News with the other winners.



Titans Football

By Coach Bartoszek

The Franklinville-Ellicottville football team finished up another competitive season with a 5-4 record, facing competition from the Class C south division. After a slow start the Titans found their groove finishing the season with 3 straight wins including their final game against Portville in the Chuck Funke Class C bowl game. The Titans had a young team with only 7 seniors (Jacob Peters, Brennan Finn, Tyler Oakes, John Yan, Steven Rowland, Ben Mooney, and Jace Frazier), 9 Juniors, (Niklas Logel, Devin Neamon, Nolan Palmatier, Tyler Clear, Jordan Grinols, Zachary Wolfer, Kameron Rhamadhan, Jordan Peplinski, and Gabe Hauri), and 5 sophomores (Logan Frank, Clayton Rowland, Brett Kryniski, Caleb Ploetz, and Wyatt Chudy). Our players and staff would like to take time to thank the support we've received from our two schools and communities and look forward to a successful season in 2019.

SEASON RECAP:

Titans	8	Southwestern	35
TITANS	27	Salamanca	12
Titans	0	Chautauqua Lake/West.	16
TITANS	28	Portville	7
Titans	13	Cass. Valley/Falconer	19
Titans	13	Randolph/Frewsburg	44
TITANS	33	Allegany-Limestone	21
TITANS	28	Silver Creek/Forestville	6

CLASS C BOWL:

TITANS	27	Portville	14
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Girls' Swimming @ ALCS

The Ellicottville Eagles competed as Gators this past swim season thanks to the host school Allegany-Limestone. We had 7 Swimmers this season who competed and were praised by their coach as "amazing girls, who we'd love to have more of next year". The 7 swimmers were McKenna Kaleta, Emma Steffenhagen, Antonia Epps, Leilani Foster, Jiana Flora, Lindsay Swalcy, and Willow Comstock-Eastlick. McKenna Kaleta, Leilani Foster, and Lindsay Swalcy all competed in the Class C championship where their team took 6th out of 12 teams. McKenna was awarded a coach's award for "always willing to help and go above and beyond."



Boys' Varsity Soccer

By Coach Matt Finn

The Boys Soccer team completed their season with a 10-7-1 record. The season started on a warm August night at ECS at the Midnight Madness practice and ended on a cool October night in Tonawanda with a 2-0 loss to North Collins. Throughout those 2 months, the boys worked diligently to be what their teammates needed to be successful at each crossroad.

The team finished second in the CCAA East League with a 7-2-1 record, and with wins over Class A Jamestown, Class B Fredonia, Class C Portville and Randolph, and Class D Franklinville, the Eagles defeated a team from each classification this fall. With these victories, the Eagles were listed at high as #6 in the NYS Class D Soccer Rankings and ended the season ranked #14 in the State.

Throughout the season individual accomplishments were noted by local newspapers. The Jamestown Post Journal recognized Jack Snyder as their player of the week in early September, and the Olean Times Herald also named Jack Snyder

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to their Big 30 Soccer All-Star Team at the completion of the season. The Ellicottville Times listed Jack Snyder, Jamison Caldwell, Brennan Finn, and Mikey McGuire as their players of the week.

The League also acknowledges individual efforts and creates all-star teams. First Team League All-Star recognition was given to Jack Snyder, Brennan Finn, and Noah Steinbronner. Second Team League All-Stars were Mikey McGuire and Simon Lin. Bryce Butler and Jamison Caldwell were named to the Honorable Mention All-Star Team.

This year's squad was very young, and we have many returning quality players. Returning freshmen to next year's team are Aiden Privitera, Sam Schwartz, Isaac Alexander, Ignacio deOrbe, Kaleb Kilby. Returning sophomores are Noah Steinbronner, Jamison Caldwell, Caleb Jennings, Bryce Butler, Mitchell Azcarate, Kolby Aldrich, Alex Hunt, and Justin Imhoff. Returning juniors are Jack Snyder, Simon Lin, and Adrian deOrbe. And, finally, seniors who will be missed are Brennan Finn, Mikey McGuire, Ned Hartsell and Logan Knab.



Girls' Varsity Volleyball

By Coach Auge

This season one of our main goals at the beginning of the season was to win a game in playoffs. The biggest thing we worked on throughout the season was playing as a team. There were shining moments where everything was going right and we moved and communicated and played the game as a team. The tricky part was that we couldn't consistently keep this energy and communication going. It wasn't until our first round of playoffs that everything came together in the same night. We talked, moved, and covered the floor to make it nearly impossible for Forestville to score against us. All of our hard work all season long came together in that one night. It was the best that we played as a team all season long! We met our goal!

Cross Country @ Franklinville

This fall we had 3 runners compete for Franklinville on their cross country team: Hunter Bomberry, Maddox Bush, and Sarah Weber. Hunter is a first year runner who continued to improve throughout the season finishing with a top 7 spot on the sectional team this year. Sarah Weber ran for the modified team and was a consistent runner who got better as the season went on. Maddox Bush was named as the Team MVP and honorable mention by the Chautauqua/Cattaraugus Athletic Association. Great season!



**Congratulations to ALL of our
Fall Sports Teams and Good Luck
to Our Winter Sports Athletes!**

Order Valentine's Chocolate Roses and Carnations!

Homeroom: _____

To: _____

From: _____

Message:

The ECS Junior Class is sponsoring a chocolate rose lollipop/carnation sale. **Rose lollipops are \$1.50** and are either chocolate or white chocolate. **Carnations will be various colors and \$2.00 each.** **Orders are due by Wednesday, January 30th to Mrs. Nason.** Flowers/Candy will be delivered to homerooms on Thursday, February 14th. To order, fill in the heart (which will be cut out and attached to the flower(s)). **These make great Valentine's Day gifts for your Sweetheart, Son/Daughter, Grandson/Granddaughter, Nephew/Niece, etc!**

Number of Milk Chocolate Roses: _____

Number of White Chocolate Roses: _____

Number of Carnations: _____

Total Amount Enclosed: _____

2018-19 Winter Sports Schedules



Boy's Varsity Basketball (Coach Dave McCann)

11/30	7:30 pm	Salamanca Tip Off Tourn. @ Salamanca
12/1	TBA	Salamanca Tip Off Tourn. @ Salamanca
12/4	7:30 pm	Southwestern @ Southwestern
12/6	7:30 pm	Frewsburg Ellicottville
12/11	7:30 pm	Randolph Ellicottville
12/17	7:30 pm	North Collins @ North Collins
12/21	7:30 pm	Tapestry Charter School Ellicottville
12/29	TBD	TBD @ St. Bonaventure
12/30	TBD	TBD @ St. Bonaventure
1/4	7:30 pm	Franklinville Ellicottville
1/8	7:30 pm	Forestville @ Forestville
1/11	7:30 pm	Pine Valley Ellicottville
1/15	7:30 pm	Catt/Little Valley @ Catt/Little Valley
1/22	7:30 pm	Frewsburg @ Frewsburg
1/24	7:30 pm	Franklinville @ Franklinville
1/28	7:30 pm	Forestville Forestville
1/31	7:30 pm	Pine Valley @ Pine Valley
2/4	7:30 pm	Catt/Little Valley Ellicottville
2/8	6:00 pm	North Collins Ellicottville
2/12	7:30 pm	Randolph @ Randolph

Boy's Junior Varsity Basketball (Coach Zach Gelen)

11/30	6:00 pm	Salamanca Tip Off Tourn. @ Salamanca
12/1	TBD	Salamanca Tip Off Tourn. @ Salamanca
12/3	6:30 pm	Southwestern Ellicottville
12/6	6:00 pm	Frewsburg Ellicottville
12/11	6:00 pm	Randolph Ellicottville
12/13	6:30 pm	Salamanca Ellicottville
12/21	5:00 pm	Tapestry Charter School Ellicottville
12/22	11:00 am	Salamanca @ Salamanca
1/4	6:00 pm	Franklinville Ellicottville
1/8	6:00 pm	Forestville @ Forestville
1/11	6:00 pm	Pine Valley Ellicottville
1/15	6:00 pm	Catt/Little Valley @ Catt/Little Valley
1/22	6:00 pm	Frewsburg @ Frewsburg
1/24	6:00 pm	Franklinville @ Franklinville
1/28	6:00 pm	Forestville Ellicottville
1/31	6:00 pm	Pine Valley @ Pine Valley
2/4	6:00 pm	Catt/Little Valley Ellicottville
2/12	6:00 pm	Randolph @ Randolph

Boy's Modified Basketball (Coach Chris Keenan)

1/16	5:30 pm	Portville Ellicottville
1/18	5:30 pm	Salamanca Ellicottville
1/22	5:30 pm	Allegany-Limestone Ellicottville
1/25	5:30 pm	Olean Ellicottville
1/30	4:30 pm	Franklinville @ Franklinville
2/1	5:00 pm	Portville @ Portville
2/6	5:00 pm	Salamanca @ Salamanca
2/8	5:00 pm	Allegany-Limestone @ Alleg/Limestone
2/13	5:00 pm	Olean @ Olean
2/15	5:30 pm	Franklinville Ellicottville

Girl's Varsity Basketball (Coach Chelsea Cole)

11/30	TBA	Portville Tournament @ Portville
12/1	TBA	Portville Tournament @ Portville
12/7	7:30 pm	Frewsburg @ Frewsburg
12/11	7:30 pm	Randolph @ Randolph
12/17	6:00 pm	North Collins @ North Collins
12/19	7:30 pm	Clymer @ Clymer
1/3	7:30 pm	Franklinville Ellicottville
1/7	7:30 pm	Forestville Ellicottville
1/10	7:30 pm	Pine Valley @ Pine Valley
1/14	7:30 pm	Catt/Little Valley Ellicottville
1/18	TBD	Pioneer Tournament @ Pioneer
1/19	TBD	Pioneer Tournament @ Pioneer
1/23	7:30 pm	Frewsburg Ellicottville
1/25	7:30 pm	Franklinville @ Franklinville
1/29	7:30 pm	Forestville @ Forestville
2/1	7:30 pm	Pine Valley Ellicottville
2/5	7:30 pm	Catt/Little Valley @ Catt/Little Valley
2/8	7:30 pm	North Collins Ellicottville
2/11	7:30 pm	Randolph Ellicottville

Girl's Junior Varsity Basketball (Coach Jenn McAndrew)

11/27	6:00 pm	Clymer Ellicottville
12/7	6:00 pm	Frewsburg @ Frewsburg
12/11	6:00 pm	Randolph @ Randolph
12/17	6:00 pm	Portville Ellicottville
12/19	6:00 pm	Clymer @ Clymer
1/3	6:00 pm	Franklinville Ellicottville
1/7	6:00 pm	Forestville Ellicottville
1/10	6:00 pm	Pine Valley @ Pine Valley
1/14	6:00 pm	Catt/Little Valley Ellicottville
1/18	5:30 pm	Pioneer Tournament @ Pioneer
1/19	10:30 am	Pioneer Tournament @ Pioneer
1/23	6:00 pm	Frewsburg Ellicottville
1/25	6:00 pm	Franklinville @ Franklinville
1/29	6:00 pm	Forestville @ Forestville
2/1	6:00 pm	Pine Valley Ellicottville
2/5	6:00 pm	Catt/Little Valley @ Catt/Little Valley
2/6	6:00 pm	Portville @ Portville
2/11	6:00 pm	Randolph Ellicottville

Boy's & Girl's Bowling (Coach Diana Olson)

11/28	3:30 pm	Springville Springville
12/5	3:30 pm	Gowanda Central Lanes (Salamanca)
12/12	3:30 pm	Hinsdale Good Times (Olean)
12/18	3:30 pm	Allegany-Limestone Good Times (Olean)
1/3	3:30 pm	West Valley Central Lanes (Salamanca)
1/15	3:30 pm	Hinsdale Central Lanes (Salamanca)
1/23	3:30 pm	Catt-Little Valley Cattaraugus
1/30	3:30 pm	Allegany-Limestone Central Lanes (Salamanca)
2/5 & 2/6		TBD Roll Offs
		Lucky Lanes (Fredonia)
2/13 & 2/14		TBD Sectionals
		Airport Lanes (Cheektowaga)

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