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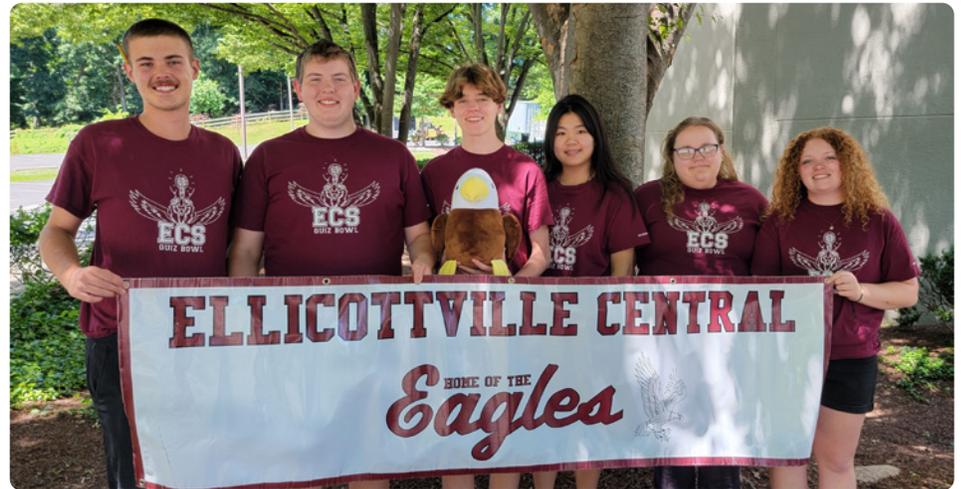
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We strongly encourage families to fill out and return a free and reduced meal application at the beginning of the school year and anytime that a household's income is diminished. Doing so ensures that all students have access to nutritious meals. Applications are available online at ellicottvillecentral.com. If you have questions about this application or how to complete one, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs. Vicky Williams, Cafeteria Manager (716-699-2316 ext. 1403). All calls and information will be held in strict confidence.

The ECS Code of Conduct, Academic Eligibility Regulations, and other information is available on our website.



ECS QUIZ BOWL GOES TO NATIONALS



Jackson Kruszynski, Ryan Metzger, Skye Wood, Siying Sun, Morgan Krotz, Emma Lafferty

The ECS Quiz Bowl Team had a great trip to Nationals in Bethesda, MD back in June. They competed in 6 tough matches against excellent teams resulting in 2 wins and some great experience for the future. The schedule also allowed for a trip into Washington, DC to tour the monuments one of which was the World War II Memorial in picture. Thanks to the school administration and the Ellicottville Teachers Association for making the trip possible!



SCHOOL STARTS FOR STUDENTS THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 2024

OPEN HOUSE: Wednesday, September 11, 2024

Elementary: 6:00-7:00 pm

MS/HS: 7:00-8:00 pm

ELEMENTARY & MS/HS PICTURE DAY:

Monday, October 9th

Look Out... the 2024-25 School Year is Almost Here!

If you take a look around, you will see the telltale signs that school is about to begin. The Summer Olympics are over, NFL pre-season games are on TV, foggy mornings are the norm, the sounds of crickets (and other insects) can be heard at night, local vegetable stands are selling homegrown produce, and advertisements urging students (and parents) to stock up on school supplies are all over the TV. We are also seeing the traditional signs at school indicating the school year will begin soon. The building has been cleaned and the floors sealed, practices for fall sports have started, teachers have been busy with curriculum work and getting their rooms in order, summer maintenance on the busses has been completed, and the list goes on. I can certainly say with confidence that ECS is ready for another exciting school year and is eagerly awaiting the arrival of students!

As we approach the beginning of school, be on the look-out for invitations to various activities at the school. Several different grade levels offer some form of orientation for students and parents prior to school starting to diminish confusion / questions on the first day of school. MS/HS student athletes should also be watching for information regarding the start of sports and items such as sports physicals (if they still need one), break-out meetings and game schedules. On the district website you will find an application for free and reduced meals at the school. Although we will provide a free breakfast and a free lunch for each student, *I strongly encourage every family to complete the application as, the information is crucial and often used when applying for state and federal funding, as well as various grants.*

We will continue using **Pick-up Patrol** to assist with parents being able to sign students in late, out early or to report an absence. Please look for the separate article in this newsletter for more detailed information. We will

also continue to use the **Blackboard Mass Communication App** to notify everyone of important information, emergency closings, etc. Again, please look for the separate article in this newsletter for information on how to download and use this app.

The District is also looking forward to some exciting opportunities for the new year. We anticipate our capital outlay (new lighting fixtures in “The Ward”) to be approved in the near future. Once approved, we will go out to bid and then look for installation as soon as feasible. We are also busy working on plans for the “next” capital project. This will be a “smaller” project with a budget of approximately \$4.5 million. **The exciting news about this potential project is that if the District stays around \$4.5 million, the project can take place with no impact to the**

taxpayers of the District! We will be sharing more about this project in future newsletters.

While I’m excited to get the school year started, I do not want to wish the summer away. I hope everyone is able to squeeze in a little more rest, relaxation, and fun while also gearing up for another exciting and successful year at ECS! We are excited for the new year to begin and stand ready to help students work hard to achieve their goals in the classrooms. We are confident that the 2024-25 school year will be a truly AWESOME experience for all students!

Best regards,
Robert Miller, Superintendent

OPEN HOUSE CHIAVETTA'S CHICKEN BBQ

BENEFITTING THE CLASS OF 2025
SEPTEMBER 11TH, 2024
3:30-6:30PM
ELLCOTTVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL

\$15 pre-sale/\$17 same-day

To purchase a pre-sale ticket, please see a member of the class of 2025. There will be extra dinners available for purchase that day.

CONTACT RANDI METZGER OR KRISTIN ROCCO,
CLASS OF 2025 ADVISORS WITH QUESTIONS

rmetzger@ecsny.org

krocco@ecsny.org



Wishing Our Recent Retirees the Very Best!

Thank you for your dedicated service to the Ellicottville Central School District and our students.

Congratulations on your retirement!



Alice Alessi



Karin Hager



Pam Illig



Karl Schwartz



Melanie Van Wicklin

Ellicottville Central School Board of Education Meeting Schedule 2024-2025

1.	Tuesday July 9, 2024	6:00 pm	Reorganizational Meeting
2.	Tuesday July 30, 2024	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
3.	Tuesday August 20, 2024	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
4.	Tuesday September 17, 2024	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
5.	Tuesday October 15, 2024	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
6.	Tuesday November 12, 2024	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
7.	Tuesday December 10, 2024	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
8.	Tuesday January 14, 2025	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
9.	Tuesday February 11, 2025	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
10.	Tuesday March 11, 2025	6:00 pm	Budget Worksession
11.	Tuesday March 25, 2025	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
12.	Tuesday April 22, 2025	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting/ BOCES Budget Vote
13.	Tuesday May 13, 2025	6:00 pm	Budget Hearing
14.	Tuesday May 20, 2025	8:00 pm	Regular Meeting – Budget Vote
15.	Tuesday June 17, 2025	6:00 pm	Regular Meeting
16.	Tuesday July 8, 2025	6:00 pm	Reorganizational Meeting

ECS EARNS SCHOOL OF EXCELLENCE AWARD

The New York State Public High School Athletic Association Inc. (NYSPHSAA) announced the 2023-2024 Schools of Distinction and Excellence. We are proud to announce that Ellicottville Central School has earned the School of Excellence Award!

The purpose of the School of Distinction and School of Excellence Awards are to unite athletic departments in challenging their teams to achieve a statewide academic honor. This year, 114 schools earned the School of Distinction Award and 226 schools earned the School of Excellence Award. Both of these numbers have increased since the 2022-2023 school year, which were 84 schools and 219 schools, respectively.

“The efforts made by student-athletes in the classroom are paramount to their success in the athletic arena, and beyond their high school days,” said Dr. Robert Zayas, NYSPHSAA Executive Director. “We are proud of those who put in the work as ‘student’ and ‘athlete’, as well as the growth in both of School of Excellence and Distinction recognition.”

Schools can apply for School of Distinction status if 100% of their varsity teams qualify for and receive the Scholar-Athlete team award during their respective sports seasons. To apply for the School of Excellence Award, 75% of a school’s varsity teams must qualify and receive the Scholar-Athlete team award.

● TRANSPORTATION PROCEDURES

One of the most important things we are charged with at school is the safety of our student body. A number of you drop off or pick-up your children at school either in the morning or in the afternoon. During high volume times the traffic in our driveways becomes a serious point of concern for us. People have been observed making U-turns, three-point turns, and turning off the driveway onto the lawn area. Some have even passed stopped school busses in the loop in front of the school.

The Board of Education has authorized the following procedures for you to follow when dropping off or picking up children at school. They are listed here for your information and use:

1. No traffic will be permitted anywhere in front of the school while busses are in the loop.

Mornings: 7:45-8:05 am

Afternoons: 2:45-3:05 pm

Late Bus: 3:50-4:05 pm

Elementary: The preferred arrival time for students being driven to school is after 8:05 am. The preferred pick-up time is 3:05-3:10 pm.

MS/HS: The preferred arrival time for students being driven to school is 7:45 am. Students must report to the cafeteria.

2. When entering the school for the elementary, please enter the driveway at the North end by the playground and leave by the high school end.
3. When entering to go to the high school, please enter and exit the driveway at the south end near the high school.
4. Arrival: elementary students must be signed in and recorded as late after 8:15 am.
5. **Dismissal:** Please come in and sign your child out in the office. Children will be waiting inside the school for you. We will not be able to call classrooms for your child if you arrive early for pick-ups.
6. If you **MUST** drop off or pick up a student during times busses are in the loop, please park in one of our lots. No one will be permitted to park in the driveway.
7. **It is against the law** to pass any school bus that is stopped and has its red lights flashing. Yield to busses in the parking lot and driveways.

Please make certain you promptly pick up your child by 4:00 pm from after school activities. Thank you for your cooperation!



● BUS SAFETY RULES & REGULATIONS FOR STUDENTS

"DON'T LOSE YOUR RIDING PRIVILEGE!"

1. Be on time for pick ups/drop offs.
2. Do not enter or leave the bus while it is in motion.
3. Always pass in front of the bus, never behind, when loading or unloading from the bus.
4. Occupy the seat assigned by the driver or monitor.
5. Remain seated until the bus has reached your destination.
6. Head or arms must not be extended from the windows.
7. Students will not throw any objects from the bus.
8. Large objects may not be carried on the bus due to D.O.T. regulations.
9. The bus driver and/or the monitor are to be obeyed at all times. Riding the bus is a privilege and drivers have been instructed to report students who do not obey these rules.
10. Drinking, eating, cursing, swearing or loud talking are prohibited.
11. Please refrain from driving your car or parking in the bus circle during the hours of: 7:45 am to 8:05 am and 2:45 pm to 3:05 pm.

● LATE BUS

Late buses will run on Tuesday and Wednesday nights at 4:00 pm beginning **October 1st and continuing until the end of May.**

These buses are for students who are involved with homework club, school clubs, review classes, computer lab time, students receiving detention, and some sports teams. There will be a north run (Ellicottville-Mansfield) and a south run (Great Valley-Humphrey area) that will cover most areas of our school district.

SAFETY MEASURES EXPLAINED

While ECS has a number of procedures to best ensure everyone's safety, we would like to share some important information on what we refer to as **"The BIG 4 Emergency Protocols."** These four protocols are: Shelter in Place, Lockdown, Lockout, and Evacuation. We cannot share the exact steps we take in each of these protocols, as doing so could compromise them, and ultimately our ability to best protect students. We can, however, provide a brief overview of each protocol so you are better informed.

- **Shelter in Place:** This is considered one of the least intrusive procedures. It is used to secure students safely in classes, and restrict movement in hallways and throughout the building. Examples of when this may be used include: a medical emergency in the building, overt disruption in hallway, or staging for possible transition to **Lockout, Lockdown** or **Evacuation**. A **Shelter in Place** not only secures students, it allows for time to assess a situation without taking too extreme a measure. During a **Shelter in Place** teachers and students may continue normal classroom activities behind closed and locked doors.
- **Lockout:** This is considered a mid-level procedure. It is used when an **actual** or **potential** threat exists from **outside** the school building (Ex. Escaped fugitive, unusual disturbance in the parking lot or road, disgruntled employee or spouse, etc.). During a **Lockout**, all outside activities are cancelled and the exterior doors and windows are closed and locked. Once the building is secure, we may decide to allow normal activities within the school.
- **Evacuation:** This can be considered a mid-level procedure or a high level procedure based on the situation. Evacuating the building when a fire alarm sounds is something we have all learned to do since we were little kids and is a straight forward procedure. When we need to evacuate and relocate to another location due to an imminent threat such as a bomb or chemical threat this is considered a high level procedure. Please know that should we need to evacuate to another location, we will notify parents that we are doing so, but for safety reasons will not announce in advance where we are evacuating to.
- **Lockdown:** **This is considered our highest alert!** A **Lockdown** is used when an actual or imminent threat exists and we need to immediately secure students. Examples of when this may be used include: a trespasser with a weapon is on campus, there is a hostage situation, or there is a riot. In a **lockdown**, students and staff are not only secured behind locked doors, they are to be out of sight and silent.

Per NYS, we are required to conduct 8 fire drills and 4 lockdown drills each school year. We will run 6 fire drills and 2 lockdown drill prior to December 20th, and then 2 fire drills and 2 lockdown drills after the 1st of the year. The goal in providing training and conducting drills is to practice and prepare, not to scare. We want to be sure that all students know what to do in the event of a real emergency. When conducting drills, please know that:

- drills and training will be conducted in a trauma-informed, developmentally and age-appropriate manner;
- drills and training will not include props, actors, simulations, or other tactics intended to mimic a school shooting, incident of violence, or other emergency; and
- announcements will be made, via the District's mass communication system, regarding lockdown drills within one week before they occur (i.e. "the District will be holding a lockdown drill within the next week;")
- announcements for drills will be limited to robo-calls, posting on the app and e-mails; they will NOT be posted to the website or facebook;
- When conducting a drill, it will ALWAYS be announced that it is a DRILL and NOT AN EMERGENCY. i.e. "We will now be conducting a lockdown drill, This is a drill. We are now having a Lockdown Drill . Again, this is a drill."

Please remember, in the event of a real emergency, our primary goal and focus is securing students and staff to best ensure everyone's safety! In addition, we may employ more than one procedure at a time, transition from one procedure to another, modify or "flex" a procedure if it is necessary, and notify parents with information ONLY when we are able to safely do so.

We strongly suggest that you take a picture of this page with your cell phone so that in the event you hear we are in an emergency procedure or receive such a call, you can quickly reference the terms to know what is taking place. We would further suggest that you keep this page for future reference.

In addition, we will be holding an information / discussion meeting on September 11 at 6:45 PM during Open House.

CHILD ABUSE HOTLINE

To report an incident of child abuse or neglect please call the New York State Office of Child and Family Services ("OCFS") at **1-800-342-3720**. You may also use this link info@ocfs.ny.gov to reach the "OCFS" web site

Para reportar un caso de abuso, maltrato, o abandono de un niño, llame La Oficina de Servicios para Niños y Familias del Estado de Nueva York (New York State Office of Child and Family Services "OCFS") al **1-800-342-3720** o visite info@ocfs.ny.gov para la página web de OFCS.

SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY WEBSITE

The purpose of this site is to provide an overview of the sex offender registration law and how the public can obtain information about sex offenders. The Sex Offender Registration Act, New York's version of Megan's Law, was signed by Governor George E. Pataki in July 1995 and became effective on January 21, 1996. The text of the statute is contained in Correction Law Article 6-C (Section 168 et seq.).

Registered sex offenders in New York are classified by the risk of reoffense. A court determines whether an offender is a level 1 (low risk), 2 (moderate risk) or 3 (high risk). The court also determines whether an offender should be given the designation of a sexual predator, sexually violent offender or predicate sex offender. Sex offenders registered on or after March 11, 2002 register for a minimum of 10 years unless they have been given a designation. If they have been given a designation, they are registered for life.

Level 1 and 2 sex offenders registered prior to March 11, 2002 register for 10 years while level 3 offenders register for life. For more information on sex offenders residing in our district, please visit the following web address: <http://criminaljustice.state.ny.us>

Please DO NOT call or drive to the school in the event of a Lockout, Evacuation or Lockdown.

Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), a Federal law, requires that the Ellicottville Central School District, with certain exceptions, obtain your written consent prior to the disclosure of personally identifiable information from your child's education records. However, the Ellicottville Central School District may disclose appropriately designated "directory information" without written consent, unless you have advised the District to the contrary in accordance with District procedures. The primary purpose of directory information is to allow the Ellicottville Central School District to include this type of information from your child's education records in certain school publications. Examples may include:

- a playbill, showing your student's role in a drama production;
- the annual yearbook;
- honor roll or other recognition lists;
- graduation programs; and
- sports activity sheets, such as for football, showing weight and height of team members.

Directory information, which is information that is generally not considered harmful or an invasion of privacy if released, can also be disclosed to outside organizations without a parent's prior written consent. Outside organizations include, but are not limited to, companies that manufacture class rings or publish yearbooks. In addition, two federal laws require local educational

agencies (LEAs) receiving assistance under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA) to provide military recruiters, upon request, with three directory information categories - names, addresses and telephone listings - unless parents have advised the LEA that they do not want their student's information disclosed without prior written consent. (1)

If you do not want the Ellicottville Central School District to disclose directory information from your child's education records without your prior written consent, you must notify the District in writing by September 30, 2024. The Ellicottville Central School District has designated the following information as directory information:

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| • Students Name | • Address | • Telephone Listing | • Electronic mail address |
| • Photograph | • Date and place of birth | • Major field of study | • Dates of attendance |
| • Grade Level | • Participation in officially recognized activities and sports | • Weight and height of members of athletic teams | • Degrees, honors, and awards received |
- The most recent educational agency or institution attended

(1) These laws are: Section 9528 of the ESEA (20 U.S.C. 7908), as amended by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001 (P.L. 107-110), the education bill, and 10 U.S.C. 503, as amended by section 544, the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2002 (P.L. 107-107), the legislation that provides funding for the Nation's armed forces.



Parents,

ECS uses **PickUp Patrol** for parents to report absences, late arrivals and communicate dismissal plan changes. PickUp Patrol saves us a great deal of time here in the office and reduces interruptions in our classrooms—while also providing you with a convenient way to make changes to your student's dismissal plans. Most importantly, it helps us ensure that all our students are safely dismissed to their correct after-school destinations. If you have had problems in the past using this program, please email Mrs. Kosinski at ckosinski@ecsny.org in the Elementary Office with your correct email address and contact information.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

RETURNING PARENTS: Please enter and confirm your students default plan here: <https://app.pickuppatrol.net/parents> before the start of the school year, September 5th, 2024. For a safe dismissal, it's essential that we know your student's regular daily dismissal plans before the first day of school.

NEW PARENTS: You will receive a registration email with a link to set up your account. The PUP web app is free for parents, and you can use it from your smartphone or computer. Instructions for how to add the app to your phone are included in the registration email. Please register and

enter your students Default Dismissal Plans before the start of the school year, September 5th, 2024. **You will need to register before you can enter default plans.**

How to: There is a how-to video on our school Facebook page that details how to make the daily changes needed to make the use of this program successful.

Thank you for using PickUp Patrol to make safety a priority and to ensure our dismissal process is efficient for all our students.

If you have any questions, please check the PARENT FAQ page. If you still need help, contact us here in the office at ckosinski@ecsny.org or PickUp Patrol at support@pickuppatrol.net.

IMPORTANT NOTIFICATIONS

Staff Qualifications

Pursuant to the No Child Left Behind Act, parents may request information about the professional qualifications of their child's classroom teachers including whether the teacher has State certification for the classes being taught; the teacher's bachelor's degree major and any other certifications or degrees by field or discipline; and whether the child is provided services by paraprofessionals and, if so, their qualifications. Requests for the above information may be directed in writing to: Ellicottville Central School, ATTN: Mr. Robert Miller, Superintendent, 5873 Route 219, Ellicottville, New York 14731.

Annual Professional Performance Review (APPR)

All parents/guardians will have the right to obtain the Annual Professional Performance Review (APPR) quality ratings and composite effectiveness scores for their child's teacher(s) and principal(s) once the scores are officially available in accordance with state law. For additional details, please contact Mr. Robert Miller, Superintendent, 716-699-2368 (ext. 1301).

Homeless Student Policy

All programs and services of the district are available to homeless students and unaccompanied youth. Whenever a homeless child or unaccompanied youth seeks to enroll in the district, and at least twice annually, while the child is enrolled, the parent and child will be informed of their rights. Some of these rights include the right to attend the school they previously attended or to attend school in the district of current location, the right to be enrolled even though the admission requirements have not been completed and prior student records are not available, and the right to transportation to and from school.

Parents' Bill of Rights for Data Privacy and Security

The Ellicottville Central School District is committed to ensuring student privacy in accordance with local, state and federal regulations and district policies. To this end and pursuant to U.S. Department of Education (DOE) regulations (Education Law §2-d), the district is providing the following Parents' Bill of Rights for Data Privacy and Security:

- A student's personally identifiable information cannot be sold or released for any commercial or marketing purposes.
- Parents have the right to inspect and review the complete contents of their child's education record, including any student data maintained by the Ellicottville Central School District. This right of inspection of records is consistent with the federal Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA). Under the more recently adopted regulations (Education Law §2-d), the rights of inspection are extended to include data, meaning parents have the right to inspect or receive copies of any data in their child's educational record. The New York State Education Department (SED) will develop further policies and procedures related to these rights in the future.
- State and federal laws protect the confidentiality of personally identifiable information and safeguards associated with industry standards and best practices, including but not limited to, encryption, firewalls and password protection, must be in place when data is stored or transferred.
- A complete list of all student data elements collected by the state is available for public review in an Excel file at <http://www.p12.nysed.gov/irs/sirs/documentation/NYSEDstudentData.xlsx>. Parents may also obtain a copy of this list by writing to the Office of Information & Reporting Services, New York State Education Department, Room 863 EBA, 89 Washington Avenue, Albany, N.Y. 12234.
Parents have the right to have complaints about possible breaches of student data addressed. Complaints should be directed to: Ellicottville Central School, ATTN: Mr. Robert Miller, Superintendent, 5873 Route 219, Ellicottville, New York 14731.
- Complaints to SED should be directed to: Chief Privacy Officer, New York State Education Department, 89 Washington Avenue, Albany, NY 12234; the e-mail address is cpo@mail.nysed.gov. •Homeless Student Policy

Idling Buses on School Grounds

State law requires school districts to take steps to minimize the idling of the engines of school buses and other school vehicles on school grounds. While students are boarding and departing school buses, the engine should be turned off. Students should be instructed about the importance of getting on and off buses in an orderly

and efficient fashion to minimize loading and offloading time. Bus engines should also be off while parked at sporting events and other school activities. Exceptions to this "no idling" policy can be made in cases of emergency, mechanical issues or for necessary heating.

DASA Annual Notice

DASA Annual Notice: If you have knowledge or you are a student in our schools who has or is being bullied or harassed on school grounds, on the school bus, or at a school sponsored event, we urge you to contact the following District's Dignity Act Coordinators: Mrs. Tammy Eddy 699-2316 (ext. 1512) and Mr. Dan LaCroix 699-2318 (ext. 1603).

Data Breach Security Annual Notice:

The Ellicottville Central School District is committed to protecting the privacy and security of student, teacher, and principal data. In accordance with Education Law §2-d, the District wishes to inform the school community of the following:

1. A student's personally identifiable information cannot be sold or released for any commercial purposes;
2. Parents have the right to inspect and review the complete contents of their child's education record;
3. State and federal laws protect the confidentiality of personally identifiable information, and safeguards associated with industry standards and best practices, including but not limited to, encryption, firewalls, and password protection, must be in place when data is stored and transferred;
4. A complete list of all student data elements collected by the State will be available for public review at a later date; and
5. Parents have the right to have complaints about possible breaches of student data addressed. Complaints can be filed with the Superintendent's Office.

AHERA Compliance Activities

AHERA is a federal law enacted in 1987 which requires all school districts to re-inspect facilities for asbestos containing building materials.

Our facilities have been inspected and response actions are planned to insure a continued safe environment for our students and employees. Activities include training of maintenance staff to prevent disturbance of asbestos and periodic re-inspection and surveillance activities by trained personnel.

Details of such activities are described in the district's AHERA Management Plan, which is available for your review in the district office.

If you have any questions or concerns in this regard, feel free to contact Gene Snyder, Director of Facilities 716-699-2316 (ext. 1404).

Elementary Parking

Important information regarding car rider drop-off and pick-up:

Please note that if you are dropping off and/or picking up your child during regular school days/hours, parking is only allowed on the right-hand side (sidewalk side) of the road. Please do not double-park on this road-way as it needs to be accessible for school and emergency vehicles. Parking on both sides of this road causes significant vehicle congestion and is a safety issue for students who attempt to cross. Overflow parking is available in the lower elementary parking lot. Once busses depart at 8:00 am for arrival & 3:05 pm for dismissal, parents are welcome to pull forward closer to the main entrance to drop off or pick up. Our goal is to have efficient but safe dismissal and arrival procedures. We appreciate your attention to this matter.

*Mrs. Katie Mendell
Elementary Principal/Director of Curriculum*

Pesticide Use Notification

During the school year, it may be necessary for maintenance staff to use pesticides on school grounds to meet pest management goals. Any individual interested in registering to receive a written notification 48 hours prior to pesticide application, please contact Ellicottville Central School. If you have questions about the integrated pest management program or pesticide use, please contact Gene Snyder, Director of Facilities at 716-699-2316 (ext. 1404).

HELP WANTED SUBSTITUTES NEEDED:

The Ellicottville Central School District is currently accepting applications for the following substitute positions: Teachers (both certified and non-certified), School Nurse, Teacher Aides, Cleaners, Bus Drivers and Cafeteria Workers. Interested applicants are invited to apply by calling 716-669-2368 (ext. 1300) for an application.

Media Consent Form

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Periodically the press or media, including our ECS District Newsletter request to do a feature or news story on an educational or safety topic concerning our school. Usually, they request photographs of our students to accompany these articles for print or broadcast purposes.

Pursuant to the federal *No Child Left Behind Act* signed into law in January 2002, school districts must notify parents of their rights and the rights of their children to request, in writing, that the district NOT release such information if it is requested.

Please complete the tear off below and return to the elementary or high school office. Forms will be kept on file in the offices. You may request to change your permission status at any time by submitting a revised form. If you have any questions regarding the form or law, please feel free to contact Mr. Erich Ploetz, 6-12 Principal at 716-699-2316 (ext. 1401); Mrs. Katie Mendell, PreK-5 Principal at 716-699-2318 (ext. 1601) or myself at 716-699-2368 (ext. 1301).

Sincerely,



Robert Miller, Superintendent

ELLCOTTVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT 2024/2025 SCHOOL YEAR

(Consent for the Release of Certain Student Information under the *No Child Left Behind Act*)

If you **give permission** for your child to be photographed for press or media print or broadcast purposes, including the monthly district newsletter, you do not need to do anything & consent is implied. Otherwise, please check below one of the options below.

Please check only ONE Item:

- I wish to be **contacted on a case-by-case basis** for permission for my child to be photographed for press or media print, broadcast purposes or the monthly district newsletter.
- I **do not** give permission for my child to be photographed for press or media print, broadcast purposes or the monthly district newsletter.

Child's name (please print)

Homeroom teacher

Parent/guardian signature

Date

Title IX and Section 504

The Ellicottville Central School District in compliance with Title IX of the Educational amendments of 1972, Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 and the Americans With Disabilities Act (ADA) hereby designates, Elizabeth Beaver, as the Title IX/Section 504/ADA Coordinator for the Ellicottville Central School District. The Coordinator is responsible for resolving complaints and discrimination based on sex or disabilities. He is also responsible for handling complaints and grievances regarding discrimination based on race, color, creed, religion, national origin, political affiliation, sexual orientation, age, military status or marital status. Elizabeth Beaver can be reached at Ellicottville Central School, 5873 Route 219, Ellicottville, New York 14731 or by phoning (716) 699-2316 (ext. 1304).

A copy of the Ellicottville Central School District's Administrative Regulation #3232 Student Discrimination Grievance Guidelines is available in the Superintendent's Office, Monday-Friday (8:00 am - 4:00 pm).

Child Find Notice

Notice is hereby given to all district residents with children between birth and age 21: If your child is disabled or you suspect he/she may be disabled; you may be entitled to special education and related services without cost to you through age 22. Please contact Mrs. Melissa Dahlman, CSE/CPSE Chairperson (716) 699-2318 ext. 1410 to register your child or to obtain further information.

Notice is in compliance with IDEA "Child Find" requirements Education Law 4402 (1) (a).



WELCOME NEW STAFF MEMBERS:

Elisabeth Beaver K-12 Assistant Principal

Kimberly Hoch School Librarian

Michelle Conroy Teacher Asst. – Elementary Reading

Sherry Ologg Long-Term Substitute Science

Taylor DeLellis Physical Education and Health

Nolan Palmatier MS/HS Special Education

Hannah Frisina School Nurse

Abigail Potts Science Teacher

Hannah Forrest Speech Pathologist

Arden Schadt Long-Term Substitute Science

Leaudra Hackett 12:1:3:1 Nurse

Ellen Story Food Service Helper

Mass Communication at ECS

ECS is pleased to announce that the District will continue using the *Blackboard Mass Communication mobile app* designed specifically to keep our families better informed and connected to what's going on in our schools. The ECS mobile app is available for both Apple and Android devices.

The app will deliver real time school news to a smart-device for fast, up-to-date access. The app will feature:

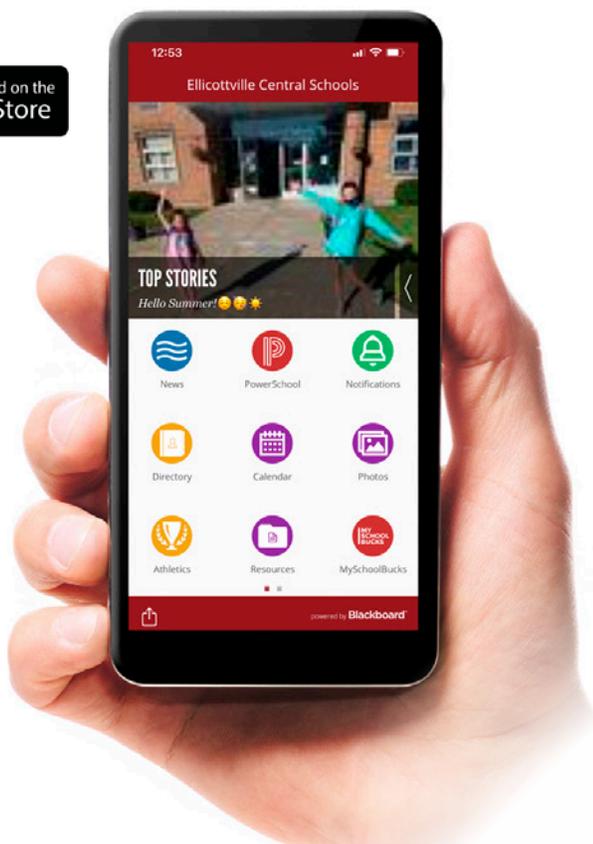
- The latest district and school news
- Push notifications about breaking news, closures, weather, events, and more
- Photos from school events
- Phone numbers and staff information

The app is FREE and available for download today:

1. From a smart-device, go to the iTunes App Store® or Google Play®
2. Search Ellicottville Central Schools
3. Then select the Ellicottville Central Schools app for free download
4. Start navigating through the app to see what is there. You may see some “incomplete” areas, as we are always updating information in the app.

Please note, while the District will continue to make robo-calls and post emergency information to its website and Facebook page, the app provides even more ways for parents and students to stay connected and informed. One new avenue of communication that this app will provide is the ability to send text messages and e-mails to parents that sign up for these notifications.

If you do not already have the ECS mobile app, it is just a few taps away. Download it today!



Parents may use “My School Bucks” to place money on their child’s/children’s account(s) with a credit card. Information on how to use “My School Bucks” will be on the District Website and Facebook pages.

Please join us for our first PTO meeting for the 2024-2025 School Year:

Monday, September 9th at 4:00pm in the Elementary Art Room

We will elect and vote for the 2024-2025 officers, discuss the Fall Book Fair, and set up meeting dates for the year.

The Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) is about helping our students and teachers. The PTO organizes events such as Book Fairs, Family Fun Night, Santa's Secret Workshop, Dime

Carnival, Talent Show, and Field Day. The PTO hosts a breakfast once a year to show appreciation to all of the staff at ECS. We have purchased local gift cards for the graduating seniors, Halloween Bags for students in grades Pre-K – 5, purchased snacks for the New York State Testing, and much more!

Coming Soon!

September Book Fair-

Tuesday, September 10th 8:00-3:30

Wednesday, September 11th 8:00-3:30 and during Open House

More details will be sent home with students and posted to our ECS PTO Facebook page.

Box Tops

Box Tops can be found by using the boxtops4education.com website or downloading the Box Tops for Education app on your phone. This allows you to do the following:

- See how much our school is earning with Box Tops
- Enter online promotions for chances to win eBoxTops and other prizes
- Print coupons for your favorite Box Tops brands
- Scan Box Tops from purchases

Keep your eyes open for more information about the PTO throughout the year!

Class of 2029 MUM SALE



Scan here
to order

Payment must be received to secure order

Fill out the order form & please submit payment by cash or check by Friday, September 20th

Payments can be made to a member of the 8th Grade Class or mailed to:
Ellicottville Central School
c/o Clara Kosinski
5873 Route 219
Ellicottville, NY 14731

Checks to be made out to: ECS Class of 2029
Pick up date: September 27th

Class of 2029 - 9" Mum Sale Order Form

Orders are due Friday, September 20th

Mums will be available for pick up at ECS on Sept. 27th

Color	Amount	X 16.00	Total
Bronze			
Pink			
Red			
Purple			
Yellow			

PRICE INCLUDES NYS TAX

Name: _____

Total Amount Due: _____

PAYMENT MUST BE RECEIVED TO SECURE ORDER

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2024-2025 District Calendar

7/4	SCHOOL CLOSED - Independence Day
9/2	SCHOOL CLOSED - Labor day
9/3 & 9/4	Superintendent's Staff Development Days (no school for students)
9/5	First Day of School for Students
10/11	Superintendent's Staff Development Day (no school for students)
10/14	SCHOOL CLOSED - Columbus Day
11/8	End of 1st Marking Period
11/11	SCHOOL CLOSED - Veterans Day Holiday
11/21	Parent/Teacher Conference (1/2 day for students Prek-12)
11/26	Parent/Teacher Conference (1/2 day for students Prek-12)
11/27-12/1	SCHOOL CLOSED- Thanksgiving Recess
12/21-1/1	NO SCHOOL - Winter Recess
1/20	SCHOOL CLOSED - Martin Luther King Jr. Day
1/21-1/24	Regents Exams
1/23	End of 2nd Marking Period
1/24	Rating Day (no school for students)
1/29	SCHOOL CLOSED - Lunar New Year
2/17	SCHOOL CLOSED - Presidents' Day
2/18-2/23	NO SCHOOL - February Break
3/13	Parent/Teacher Conference (1/2 day for students Prek-12)
3/14	Superintendent's Staff Development Day (no school for students)
4/11	End of 3rd Marking Period
4/12-4/21	NO SCHOOL - Spring Break
5/26	SCHOOL CLOSED - Memorial Day
6/4-6/25	Regents Exams
6/19	SCHOOL CLOSED - Juneteenth
6/26	End of Marking Period
6/27	Rating Day (no school for students)

SUPERINTENDENT'S STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAYS (no school for students)
 SCHOOL CLOSED
 SCHOOL RECESS
 END OF MARKING PERIOD
 PARENT/TEACHER CONFERENCES (1/2 day for students grades K-12)
 RATING DAY (no school for students)

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SUPERINTENDENT'S DAYS: 4 (9/3, 9/4, 10/11, 3/14)
 RATING DAY(S): 2 (1/24 and 6/27)

**If one emergency day is used, teachers will not report on Friday, June 27, 2025

**If no emergency days are used, teachers will not report on Friday, May 23, 2025

Approved by the ECS Board of Education - May 21, 2024

Menu subject to change: Notice will be given if possible.
 All lunches served with choice of vegetable, fruit and 1% milk or skim chocolate milk. Salads are available daily and may be ordered before 10:00. Choice of assorted cereals, yogurt, or daily menu offered for breakfast.
 You may prepay for your child's lunch.

Free/Reduced Lunch application can be filled out any time of the year.
 For more details contact Vicky Williams 699-2316 x1403.
Ellicottville Central School is an Equal Opportunity provider and Employer.

September 2024 Breakfast Menu

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 NO SCHOOL	3 NO SCHOOL	4 NO SCHOOL	5 NO SCHOOL	6 Breakfast Pizza 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit
9 Banana Bread 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	10 Breakfast on a Stick 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	11 Breakfast Burrito 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	12 Fresh Baked Cinnamon Rolls 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	13 Breakfast Pizza 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit
16 Bagel w/ CC 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	17 Breakfast on a Stick 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	18 Egg, Sausage & Cheese on a Bun 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	19 Egg and Hash Brown 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	20 Breakfast Pizza 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit
23 Egg & Hash Brown 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	24 Breakfast on a Stick 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	25 Fresh Baked Cinnamon Rolls 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	26 Fruited Danish 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit	27 Breakfast Pizza 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit
30 100% Fruit Juice Fresh or Canned Fruit			ALL STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE A FREE BREAKFAST	Milk \$1.00 K-12 Extra Breakfast an additional \$2.70

September 2024

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 NO SCHOOL	3 NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	4 NO SCHOOL FOR STUDENTS	5 French Toast or Salami Sandwich Breakfast Sausage Blueberry Topping	6 Hamburger/Cheeseburger or Ham Sandwich Baked Tater Totis Baked Beans
9 French Bread Pizza or Turkey Sandwich Fresh Veggies w/ Dip	10 Hot Dog on a Bun or Egg Salad Sandwich Homemade Mac & Cheese Steamed Broccoli	11 ECS Chicken Kabob or Bologna Sandwich Steamed Seasoned Rice Warm Pita Bread	12 Grilled Cheese or Ham Sandwich Tomato Soup Steamed Peas	13 Chicken Taco's or Salami Sandwich Spanish Rice Seasoned Pinto Beans
16 Pittsburg Steak Salad or Ham Sandwich Garlic Bread Stick	17 Loaded Nacho's with Meat & Cheese Sauce or Turkey Sandwich Seasoned Rice Steamed Corn	18 Beef Ravioli or Egg Salad Sandwich Fresh Italian Bread Garlic Green Beans	19 Chicken Nuggets or Salami Sandwich Baked Fries Candied Carrots	20 Sloppy Joe on a Bun or PB&J Sandwich Parsley Buttered Potatoes Cajun Cauliflower
23 Sweet & Sour Chicken or Bologna Sandwich Seasoned Rice Veggie Egg Roll Steamed Broccoli	24 Chicken Parmesan or Ham Sandwich Pasta Tossed Salad	25 ECS Lunchable – Elem Ham or Turkey Sub – HS or Salami Sandwich Fresh Baked Chips Fresh Veggies w/ Dip	26 Chili Cheese Fries or Turkey Sandwich Soft Pretzel Steamed Corn	27 Italian Sausage Patty or Egg Salad Sandwich Macaroni Salad Baked Beans
30 Spaghetti w/ Meat Sauce or Turkey Sandwich Baked Garlic Bread Stick Garlic Green Beans		EVERY STUDENTS 1st MEAL IS FREE!! À La Carte items and second lunches still need to be purchased.	Extra Lunch is an Additional: K-5 \$3.45, Gr. 6-12 \$3.75 Milk - \$1.00	COTTAGE CHEESE FRUIT PLATES WILL BE AVAILABLE

Offered Daily with Lunch

- ✓ Fresh Fruit or Prepared Fruit
- ✓ NYS Milk: Non- or Low-Fat White or Chocolate Milk
- ✓ Students must take at least 1/2 cup fruits or vegetables (and may take 1 cup)



Choose MyPlate.gov

Make half your plate fruits & veggies!



FARM TO SCHOOL

We use NY grown & raised foods whenever possible. Look for "NY" to find these items on the menu.



Our milk & yogurt products are produced in New York State.

Free/Reduced lunch applications can be filled out any time of the year. For more details, contact Vicky Williams @ 699-2316 Ext. 1403. Ellicottville Central School is an Equal Opportunity provider and employer.

Menu subject to change. Notice will be given if possible. All lunches served with choice of vegetable, fruit, and 1% milk or 1% chocolate milk. PB&J sandwiches offered daily.

NOTIFICATION OF ECS ELEMENTARY PEANUT FREE SCHOOL CAFETERIA

Dear ECS Elementary Families,

This 2024-25 school year, we will welcome students to our classrooms & cafeteria with severe peanut allergies. With your help and cooperation, we can do everything possible to help them stay safe.

Due to the potential of a life-threatening situation occurring, we will be implementing several practices to keep our students safe.

- Increased handwashing routines (upon arrival to their classrooms and again after lunch).
- Seating arrangements and adjustments made as necessary, to prevent potential cross contamination exposure.
- There will be no classroom projects or classroom treats with peanut butter, peanut shells or with items made in a facility that produce either. We kindly ask that you do not send your child to school with any of these items.
- Our cafeteria has replaced peanut butter with Sun Butter, a peanut free alternative to peanut butter. Students may bring a packed lunch to school, but please refrain from any peanut butter sandwiches or snacks.

There may be special days and occasions that students are invited to bring a snack to share. Please be mindful of your snack choice. We look forward to working together with you to have a wonderful and safe school year. If you have questions about these changes, please call our health office or the main office by calling 716-699-2318.

Sincerely,

Mrs. K. Mendell
Elementary Principal
Ellicottville Elementary School
kmendell@ecsny.org



Yearbook News

- Senior pictures and baby ads are due September 18th. They will not be accepted past this date.
- Old yearbooks are available for purchase, as long as supplies last. The 2024 yearbook is \$50. Books from previous years are \$20. Contact Mrs. Bauer for more details.
- There is an elementary yearbook. It is a PreK-5 pull-out of the regular yearbook. They are \$20. Contact Mrs. Bauer to reserve one. Previous years will not be available for the elementary yearbook.
- Are you a local business looking to advertise in the yearbook? Contact Mrs. Bauer at cbauer@ecsny.org
- You need to put at least \$20 down to reserve a book. We are accepting deposits now.
- Do you have pictures you think would be great for the yearbook? Email them to cbauer@ecsny.org

Child's Name: _____

Classroom teacher _____

Elementary yearbook (\$20) _____

Full yearbook (\$60) _____

Make check payable to ECS Yearbook

If you want more than one of either book please indicate number on the line

TEACHERS PLEASE RETURN TO MRS. BAUER IN THE HIGH SCHOOL

New Cell Phone Procedures for 2024-25

Dear ECS Students, Parents & Families –

I hope this letter finds you enjoying the summer weather and family time together!

The purpose of this letter is to update our community on an anticipated policy change occurring at Ellicottville Middle/High School with respect to use of cell phones in the building for the 2024-25 school year.

On July 9, 2024, I presented an updated code of conduct to the ECS Board of Education, including the attached language governing significant changes to student management and use of cell phones for the 2024-25 school year.

In short, students in GR 6-9 will be required to secure their phones in a locked locker at all times, and will be unable to carry or utilize cell phones in classrooms during instructional time. These students may check their phones between classes, and GR 9 students will have use of their phone at lunch.

Students in GR 10-12 will be allowed to carry devices throughout the day (including lunch), but students must secure devices during instruction either on their person or in a designated location in the classroom. Please see the attached excerpt from our code of conduct outlining more information regarding proposed guidelines and changes.

These changes were developed by a large code of conduct / cell phone stakeholder committee that spent this past Spring discussing the issue of cell phone distractions on campus. Well over twenty individuals, including over a dozen student class officers, many faculty members, parents, administration and our SRO gathered over the Spring months to reach consensus on the best cell phone plan for ECS MS/HS at this time. I believe the committee found common ground with respect to this being the right time to place phone restrictions on younger students without eliminating cell phone privileges completely for older students.



More and more schools across the U.S. are moving to restrict cell phone access during the school day, with Gov. Kathy Hochul stating recently New York State is considering developing their own cell phone restrictions for schools in the future. Now seems to be the appropriate time for ECS to make a change, and to allow our younger students time to mature into the responsibility of managing a smart device while keeping the focus on academics at ECS. Not only do I believe this is in the best interest of our students, acting now will help us monitor and adjust our local policies to fine tune what is best for our school and families in the face of potential state-level change.

Please do not hesitate to reach out to me with any questions or suggestions. I appreciate the support we have received thus far on this initiative from students, faculty and our Board of Education, and I will be happy to respond to any concerns or clarifications you might seek on our new procedures.

Thank you, and I hope you continue to have a safe and enjoyable summer vacation. See you in a few weeks!

Erich Ploetz
MS/HS Principal



2024-2025 BUS ROUTES

Bus #128

Bailey Hill
Crumb Hill
Plato Road
Hinman Hollow
Kent Road
Hinman Hollow
Lindberg Road
Poverty Hill
Maples Road
Northwood Drive
Pine Tree Road
Mechanic Street
Fillmore Drive
Elizabeth Street
Monroe Street
Mill Street
Rockwell Avenue
Martha Street
Brewer Cross Road

Bus #129

219 North
Kuhn Road
Irish Hill
242 South
219 South
219 North
Cotter Road
Beaver Meadows Road
Kuhn Road
Irish Hill Road
Horn Hill Road
Quackenbush Road
Rt. 242
East Washington Street
Jefferson Street
Elizabeth Street
Wildflower
Holiday Valley Road

Bus #131

Humphrey Road
Pumpkin/Fay Hollow Road
Humphrey Road
Raecher Road
Flint Road
Raecher Road
Humphrey Road
Brown Road
Depot Street
Rt. 219

Bus #132

Rt. 219
Hungry Hollow Road
North Whalen Road
Porter Hollow Road
Klawitter Road
Mutton Hollow Road
Rt. 98
Martin Road
Andera Lane

Bus #133

Windsor Road
Bibbs Road
Dublin Road
Watson Road
California Hill
Erdman Hill
Hinman Hollow Road
Maples Road
Cross Road
Maples Road
Hollister Hill Road
Hencoop Road
Plum Creek Road
Route 242
Boyce Hill Road
Bibb

Bus #134

Chapel Hill Road
Conlan Road
Humphrey Center
Bozard Hill
Humphrey Center
Humphrey Road
Howe Hill Road
Humphrey Road

Bus #135

Sommerville Valley
Bryant Hill
Crane Road
High Meadows
Heffernan Road
Dooley Road
Simmons Road
Smith Road
Sommerville Valley Road
Sugartown Road
Bonne Way
McGuan Road
Sugartown Road
Clare Valley
Sugartown Road
Rt. 98
Davies Road
Howe Hill Road
Rt. 98

Bus #136

Beeles Road
Bear Hollow Road
Snowbrook Road
Bear Hollow Road
Humphrey/Peth (Intersection)
Barker Run
Peth Road
Fairview Lane
Peth Road
Courtney Highlands
Rt. 219 North
Creek View Estates
Green Valley Estates
Burlerson Road



ECS 2024 FALL SPORT SCHEDULES

VARSITY FOOTBALL

8/31	@ Portville (Scrimmage)	11:00 am
9/6	vs. Cleveland Hill (Ellicottville)	7:00 pm
9/14	@ WNY Maritime/Tapestry	2:00 pm
9/20	@ Wilson	7:00 pm
9/27	vs. Clymer/Sherman/Panama (Franklinville)	7:05 pm
10/4	vs. Randolph (Ellicottville)	7:00 pm
10/11	vs. Gowanda/Pine Valley (Franklinville)	7:00 pm
10/18	@ Cattaraugus-Little Valley	7:00 pm
10/25	@ Roy Hart/Barker	7:00 pm

JV FOOTBALL

8/31	@ Portville (Scrimmage)	11:00 am
9/9	vs. JFK (Franklinville)	5:00 pm
9/16	@ Clymer/Sherman/Panama (Panama)	5:00 pm
9/23	@ Salamanca	6:00 pm
9/30	vs. Silver Creek/Forestville (Ellicottville)	5:00 pm
10/7	vs. Portville/Cuba-Rushford/Hinsdale (Franklinville)	5:00 pm
10/12	@ Olean	10:00 am
10/21	vs. Fredonia (Ellicottville)	5:00 pm
10/26	@ Falconer/Cassadaga Valley/Maple Grove (Cassadaga Valley)	10:00 am

MODIFIED FOOTBALL

9/19	@ Portville/Cuba-Rushford/Hinsdale	5:00 pm
9/26	vs. Jamestown (Franklinville)	6:45 pm
10/3	@ Falconer/Cassadaga Valley/Maple Grove (Maple Grove)	5:00 pm
10/10	vs. Salamanca (Ellicottville)	5:00 pm
10/17	@ Olean	5:00 pm
10/24	vs. Fredonia (Franklinville)	5:00 pm

BOYS VARSITY SOCCER

9/5 or 9/6	Gator Cup @ Allegany-Limestone	TBD
9/7	Gator Cup @ Allegany-Limestone	TBD
9/1	@ Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
9/4	@ Southwestern	7:00 pm
9/1	@ Randolph	4:30 pm
9/1	vs. Falconer/Cassadaga Valley	4:30 pm
9/1	@ Olean	11:00 am
9/2	vs. Portville	5:00 pm
9/2	vs. Cattaraugus/Little Valley	4:30 pm
9/28	vs. Southwestern	11:00 am
9/30	vs. Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
10/2	vs. Randolph	4:30 pm
10/7	@ Falconer/Cassadaga Valley	5:00 pm
10/9	@ Portville	4:30 pm
10/11	vs. Olean	4:30 pm
10/16	@ Cattaraugus/Little Valley	4:30 pm

BOYS MODIFIED SOCCER

9/9	@ Cattaraugus/Little Valley	4:30 pm
9/11	@ Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
9/14	@ Southwestern (Scrimmage)	5:00 pm
9/16	@ Randolph	4:30 pm
9/18	vs. Falconer/Cassadaga Valley	4:30 pm
9/23	vs. Portville	4:30 pm
9/25	@ Salamanca	4:30 pm
9/30	vs. Gowanda/Pine Valley	4:30 pm
10/2	vs. Randolph	4:30 pm
10/4	vs. Cattaraugus/Little Valley	4:30 pm
10/7	@ Falconer/Cassadaga Valley	5:00 pm
10/9	@ Portville	5:00 pm
10/16	vs. Salamanca	4:30 pm

GIRLS VARSITY SOCCER

9/7	vs. Fredonia	11:00 am
9/10	vs. Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
9/13	@ Olean	6:00 pm
9/17	vs. Randolph	4:30 pm
9/19	vs. Salamanca	4:30 pm
9/21	vs. Franklinville	11:00 am
9/24	@ Cattaraugus-Little Valley	4:30 pm
9/26	@ Portville	5:00 pm
9/28	@ Fredonia	10:00 am
9/30	@ Randolph	5:00 pm
10/1	@ Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
10/7	vs. Olean	4:30 pm
10/8	@ Salamanca	4:30 pm
10/10	@ Franklinville	4:30 pm
10/15	vs. Cattaraugus-Little Valley	4:30 pm
10/17	vs. Portville	4:30 pm

GIRLS MODIFIED SOCCER

9/10	vs. Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
9/17	vs. Randolph	4:30 pm
9/19	vs. Salamanca	4:30 pm
9/21	vs. Franklinville	11:00 am
9/24	@ Cattaraugus-Little Valley	4:30 pm
9/26	@ Portville	4:30 pm
10/1	@ Gowanda/Pine Valley	5:00 pm
10/4	@ Randolph	4:30 pm
10/8	@ Salamanca	4:30 pm
10/10	@ Franklinville	4:30 pm
10/15	vs. Cattaraugus-Little Valley	4:30 pm
10/17	vs. Portville	4:30 pm

GIRLS VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

9/4	@ Springville	6:30 pm
9/5	vs. Randolph	6:30 pm
9/10	vs. Gowanda	6:30 pm
9/12	@ Salamanca	6:30 pm
9/13	@ North Collins	5:30 pm
9/17	vs. Allegany-Limestone	6:30 pm
9/20	@ West Valley/Franklinville	6:30 pm
9/23	vs. Springville	6:30 pm
9/24	vs. Silver Creek	6:30 pm
9/26	vs. Cattaraugus-Little Valley	6:30 pm
9/30	@ Gowanda	6:30 pm
10/1	@ Randolph	6:30 pm
10/3	@ Hinsdale	5:00 pm
10/8	vs. Salamanca	6:30 pm
10/10	@ Allegany-Limestone	6:30 pm
10/12	@ Clymer	11:30 am
10/15	vs. West Valley/Franklinville	6:30 pm
10/17	vs. Clymer	6:30 pm
10/18	@ Panama	6:30 pm
10/21	@ Cattaraugus-Little Valley	6:30 pm

GIRLS JUNIOR VARSITY VOLLEYBALL

9/4	@ Springville	5:00 pm
9/5	vs. Randolph	5:00 pm
9/7	@ Chautauqua Lake JV Tournament	8:30 am
9/10	vs. Gowanda	5:00 pm
9/12	@ Salamanca	5:00 pm
9/17	vs. Allegany-Limestone	5:00 pm
9/20	@ West Valley/Franklinville	5:00 pm
9/23	vs. Springville	5:00 pm
9/24	vs. Silver Creek	5:00 pm
9/26	vs. Cattaraugus-Little Valley	5:00 pm
9/30	@ Gowanda	5:00pm
10/1	@ Randolph	5:00 pm
10/8	vs. Salamanca	5:00 pm
10/10	@ Allegany-Limestone	5:00 pm
10/12	@ Clymer	10:00 am
10/15	vs. West Valley/Franklinville	5:00 pm
10/17	vs. Clymer	5:00 pm
10/18	@ Panama	5:00 pm
10/21	@ Cattaraugus-Little Valley	5:00 pm

GIRLS MODIFIED VOLLEYBALL

9/9	vs. West Valley/Franklinville	5:00 pm
9/11	vs. Allegany-Limestone	5:00 pm
9/12	@ Portville	5:00 pm
9/16	@ Salamanca	5:00 pm
9/19	@ Allegany-Limestone	5:00 pm
9/23	@ Olean	5:00 pm
9/28	@ Gowanda	11:00 am
10/1	vs. Randolph	5:00 pm
10/7	vs. Salamanca	5:00 pm
10/11	@ Cattaraugus-Little Valley	4:30 pm
10/16	vs. Olean	5:00 pm
10/18	@ West Valley/Franklinville	5:00 pm
10/22	vs. Portville	5:00 pm

SWIMMING (with Allegany-Limestone)

9/5	vs. Fredonia	5:00 pm
9/10	vs. Chautauqua Lake	5:00 pm
9/12	@ Salamanca	5:00 pm
9/17	vs. Franklinville	5:00 pm
9/24	vs. Olean	5:00 pm
9/26	vs. Panama/Clymer/ Maple Grove/Sherman	6:00 pm
10/1	@ Southwestern (Elementary Pool)	5:00 pm
10/3	@ Frewsburg	5:00 pm
10/10	vs. Chautauqua Lake	5:00 pm
10/15	vs. Salamanca	5:00 pm
10/17	@ Franklinville	5:00 pm
10/22	vs. Gowanda	5:00 pm

CROSS COUNTRY (with Franklinville)

9/10	@ Frewsburg	4:30 pm
9/17	vs. Allegany-Limestone, Gowanda, Olean	4:30 pm
9/24	@ Jamestown (Jefferson MS Complex)	4:30 pm
10/8	@ Salamanca (Elkdale CC Course)	4:30 pm
10/15	@ Randolph	4:30 pm



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