



# “Celebrate Good Times, Come On!”

VALEDICTORIAN Adam Aldrich



SALUTATORIAN Rebecca Turner



## Aldrich, Turner top Sherburne-Earlville’s Class of 2019

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District is proud to announce that Valedictorian **Adam Aldrich** and Salutatorian **Rebecca Turner** will highlight Sherburne-Earlville High School’s 2019 Graduation Ceremony.

Adam and Rebecca will be formally recognized for their academic achievements during the 2019 Graduation Ceremony, which is set for 10:00 a.m. Saturday, June 22, at Marauder Stadium.

### VALEDICTORIAN Adam Aldrich

Sherburne-Earlville High School Valedictorian **Adam Aldrich** has demonstrated his commitment to education through outstanding work ethic, the completion of challenging courses and perfect attendance.

The son of Dan and Leanne Aldrich of Sherburne, Adam has done everything possible to become the top student in his class. This well-rounded senior often gave up his lunchtime to fit art and music electives into an already demanding schedule. He is a talented visual artist and musician and has

participated in all aspects of Sherburne-Earlville’s Concert and Marching Bands throughout high school. His hard work and talent even led to an opportunity to march in the 2018 Macy’s Thanksgiving Day parade.

Not one to idly sit, Adam balances his heavy academic course load with a busy extracurricular schedule. He runs year-round as a member of the Marauders’ cross country, indoor track and field, and outdoor track and field teams. He also has donated more than 50 hours of his free time to various afterschool events, including the

## Superintendent's Message

# Thank you for supporting our future



I would like to thank you, the Sherburne-Earlville school community, for coming out to vote and approve the 2019-2020 school budget in May.

We developed our budget with fiscal responsibility in mind and to provide our students with the academics, programs and opportunities they need to become the best version of themselves. Programs to facilitate student success continue to grow with your support, which also allows the District to remain committed to improving and maintaining our beautiful facilities.

Our construction project is progressing and will go into full swing when summer recess begins. Work on the roof systems reconvened in April at the Middle/High School. The Transportation buildings are complete, and work will move to the Elementary School before summer recess.

Wet weather has had an impact on the schedule, but contractors are making great progress. Work on our boilers already has begun, and we plan to break ground on the reconstruction of the Elementary School parent pick-up at the start of summer recess. A number of smaller projects to enhance the safety and security of our facilities also will be completed this summer. These include doors, lockset hardware, and entryway improvements.

Congratulations are in order for our newly elected school board member, Ryan Hess, and all of our graduating seniors. We are very proud of our

seniors' accomplishments, successes and award recognitions in all facets of their Sherburne-Earlville careers. The Class of 2019 has proven itself in academics, athletics, the Arts, and Career and Technical Education venues. Many more awards and scholarships await this exceptional cohort. To you, our S-E graduates, I wish you all the best in your future endeavors. Enjoy the journey and know that there will always be a little maroon and white in each of you.

I couldn't complete my pre-summer message without encouraging students and parents to make summer reading a priority. The more a student reads, the more background knowledge they attain, which leads to an increase in student achievement. Research is clear that students reading at or above grade level by grade 3 tend to be more successful and less likely to disengage in school. Taking time for daily reading also exposes young readers to more vocabulary words, which gives them a distinct advantage in the classroom. Check out our local public libraries and enjoy the summer programs they offer. With that said, "Let's all read." Take time to strengthen bonds with a good book, learn new things, and explore the world through words and the imagination.

Summer is just around the corner and, before we know it, another school year will be upon us. I wish everyone a safe and happy summer vacation and I look forward to the start of another great school year in September.

—Eric Schnabl, School Superintendent

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# S-E Top 10!

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District announced its Class of 2019's top 10 students with regard to academic achievement in February. Pictured from left to right are:

#10 **Caleb Larchar**

#9 **Curtis Howard**

#8 **Hannah Lawrence**

#7 **Matt Ryan**

#6 **Andrew Schaefer**

#5 **Anna Rinaldo**

#4 **Romeo Rapp**

#3 **Owen Rodriguez**

#2 **Salutatorian Rebecca Turner**

#1 **Valedictorian Adam Aldrich**



*Congratulations on making it to the top!*

## Valedictorian & Salutatorian Announced (continued from front page)

annual Sherburne Pageant of Bands.

Adam plans to attend the State University of New York at Cortland in the fall and will major in Secondary Biology Education.

### **SALUTATORIAN Rebecca Turner**

Sherburne-Earlville High School Salutatorian **Rebecca Turner** is a model student who has dedicated herself to education, always striving for academic excellence in the most challenging courses offered by the District.

The daughter of Eric and Kathleen Turner of Sherburne, Rebecca has been involved in numerous extracurricular activities such as French Club, Varsity Field Hockey, Mock Trial, Sherburne Community Chorus, vocal/piano lessons, Jazz Band, Concert Band (Flute), Chorus, and school musicals.

Rebecca also attended Ithaca Summer Music Academy and Crane Youth Music, as well as Colleges United Field Hockey Camp at SUNY Oneonta. She has donated

more than 30 volunteer hours as a freshmen mentor, an assistant music director for the Sherburne-Earlville Middle School musical, and playing piano for various productions. Additionally, Rebecca gives piano lessons to children and assists at the ticket window for the Syracuse Opera.

After graduation, Rebecca plans to attend Endicott College in Massachusetts to study General Communications. 🐾

## National Honor Society welcomes 12 S-E students



The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District welcomed 12 newcomers to its National Honor Society during its January 24 Induction Ceremony at the S-E Middle School/High School Auditorium.

**Jessie Buruato, Makayla Cornelius, Troy Fleming, John Maltzan, Daniel Misch, Cooper Mottl, Lincoln Owen, Piper Page, Cassidy Rusweiler, Layne Sutton, Laura Tenney and Jaci Wright** were inducted as the NHS Class of 2019.

McKenzie Holmes led the audience in the Pledge of Allegiance to open the ceremony, which included a welcome address by Edward Geier and a Candle Lighting Ceremony featuring NHS character readings by fellow members **Amberlyn Robertson** (knowledge), **Brooke Symonds** (scholarship), **Taylor Heald** (character), **Kaitlyn Furner** (leadership) and **Dalton Yerton** (service).

NHS Advisor Roseanne Kantor presented membership packets to the new class at center stage with Sherburne-Earlville High School Principal Nicholas Colosi and Assistant

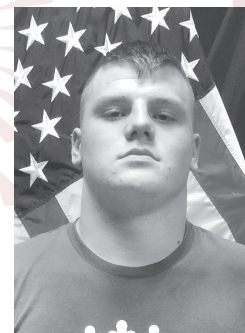
Principal Jamie Maistros.

NHS members **Mathew Ryan** and **Jade Diamond** also spoke during the ceremony. A reception followed in the Barbara Rabig Gallery just outside the Auditorium entrances.

The Class of 2019 brings NHS membership at Sherburne-Earlville to 36 students. **Adam Aldrich, Sage Ashton, Jade Diamond, Kaitlyn Furner, Edward Geier, Brooke Hailston, Patric Harter, Taylor Heald, McKenzie Holmes, Curtis Howard, Caleb Larchar, Hannah Lawrence, Trace Pierce, Romeo Rapp, Anna Rinaldo, Amberlyn Robertson, Owen Rodriguez, Mathew Ryan, Andrew Schaefer, Natalie Stewart, Brooke Symonds, Rebecca Turner, Riley Webster** and **Dalton Yerton** are also NHS members. 🐾



## TEN-HUT!



High School senior **Calib Hill** took an oath this past February to join the U.S. Army!

Calib is an all-state football player for the Marauders. We know he will serve our country well.

Congratulations, Calib! 🐾

## Billboard Artist



Congratulations to S-E HS senior **Riley Webster**, whose artwork will be featured on a State Route 12 billboard this June.

The Colorscape Chenango Arts Festival Board of Directors selected Riley's piece as the winning entry for its *Art Can Change the World* Billboard Challenge in May.

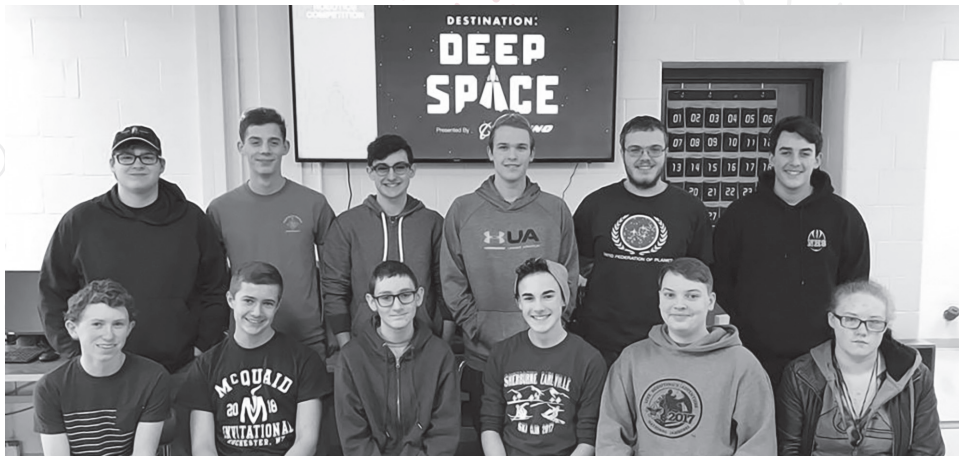
S-E HS Art Teacher Kayleigh Olive and the entire art department are proud of this young artist and all of his achievements. The rest of the SECS community is, too! 🐾

## High Society!



Congratulations to **Nathan Mizrahi, Jonathan Kent, Patric Harter** and **Molly Osborne** for their inductions to the National Technical Honor Society in March! Your S-E family is proud of all of you and your accomplishments. Keep up the good work! 🐾

## Rising to the occasion



Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville students **Wyatt Dubois, Isaac Garner, Kyler Paul** and **Conor Ryan** for their efforts as members of Chenango County's Team T-Rx 145 robotics team this year.

The boys and S-E Advisor Jon Ryan worked with students from Gilbertsville-Mount Upton, Norwich and Unadilla Valley to build and bag an entry for this year's Deep Space Challenge. The team competed at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute and

SUNY Polytechnic Institute in March.

Other student members were Norwich's Matthew Giglio, Ayden Hagar, Jonathan Matlack-Grey, Zachary Russell and Samuel Solomon; Unadilla Valley's Victoria Bullen and Deegan Chase; and GMU's Cory Wilson.

Special thanks to co-team leaders Dave Sheldon and Mike Caruso; advisors Jon Ryan, Chris Klatt (Norwich) and Will Rexroat (UV); and fellow mentors Jim Sergio, John Chrisbacher, Samantha Chamberlin and Tom Murray. 🐾

## S-E High School among best in region

Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville High School, the second-highest ranked high school in the DCMO BOCES region, according to the 2019 *U.S. News & World Report*.

Led by Principal Nicholas Colosi and Assistant Principal Jamie Maistros, SEHS ranked 367 out of 1,290 New York high schools and 4,380 out of more than 23,000 nationally. Only Bainbridge-Guilford ranked higher than SEHS among DCMO BOCES' component districts, at 262 in the state and 3,014 in the country.

DCMO BOCES is a regional educational agency that provides services in partnership with 16 local school districts. Other DCMO BOCES component districts are Afton, Delaware Academy, Downsville, Franklin, Gilbertsville-Mount Upton, Greene, Hancock, Norwich, Otselic Valley, Oxford, Sidney, Unadilla Valley, Unatego and Walton.

The *U.S. News & World Report* annually ranks high schools based on their performance on state-required tests, graduation and how well they prepare students for college. 🐾



## S-E students shine at NYSSMA Solo Fest

Congratulations to the 18 Sherburne-Earlville Central School District students who performed during the 2019 NYSSMA Solo Fest this past May at Norwich High School.

All of our participating students represented SECS D well by exhibiting professionalism and demonstrating their high levels of dedication to music.



**Clark Vischi** and **Haylie Holden** highlighted Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School's efforts by earning *Outstanding* distinctions with perfect scores in Level 1 Solo. **Emma Chapman** also received an *Outstanding*—the highest distinction one can receive—with a 27 out of 28.



Also performing for SEES were **Rose Rivenburgh** (*excellent*) distinction), **Allesandra Ingerto** (*excellent*), **Marlie Thompson** (*excellent*) and **Tomek Jusianiec**.

Sixth-grader **Savanna Born** (saxophone) and eighth-grader **Kaitlyn Webb** (flute) represented Sherburne-Earlville Middle School at the NYSSMA Solo Fest, which also featured nine Sherburne-Earlville High School students: freshmen **Kayleigh Currie** (vocal), **Rebecca Karaman** (vocal) and **Abbie Kochman** (alto clarinet); sophomores **Barb Clarkson** (vocal) and **Jessy Petersen** (vocal); junior **Laura Tenney** (vocal); and seniors **Jordan Eddy** (vocal), **Matt Ryan** (saxophone) and **Kayleigh Wentworth** (vocal). 🐾

## S-E All-County Music

Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville's representatives at the 2019 ACAMT All-County Spring Music Festival, hosted by the Sidney Central School District on March 15-16.

The event for Chenango County students featured **Kayleigh Wentworth** and **Dalton Yerton** of SEHS in the Swing Choir, which requires an audition to join, as well as several members of the S-E Middle School Band and Elementary School Choir.

Thanks to Julie Burns and Joe Roche for photos of our All-County kids on our Facebook page! 🐾

## Point of Honor



Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville's **Allie Kellogg**, who performed at the Susquehanna University Honors Band from February 15-17 in Selinsgrove, Pennsylvania.

Allie was specially selected for this event, joining other band standouts from New York, Pennsylvania and Virginia.

Great job, Allie! 🐾



*You make us proud!*

## Smart Kids!



Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville High School seniors **Adam Aldrich** and **Molly Osborne** on their selections for 2019 Scholar Recognition Awards.

Adam represented Sherburne-Earlville while DCMO BOCES Chenango Campus recognized **Molly**

during the May 8 awards ceremony at SUNY Oneonta.

Students from DCMO BOCES component schools who earn this award are asked to select teachers who have had positive impacts on their education to share the honor. **Adam** picked S-E High School Technology Teacher



Scott Bugbee and **Molly** chose DCMO BOCES' Amy Rice.

Each set of honorees received framed photos from DCMO BOCES Superintendent Perry Dewey.

Keep up the great work! 🐾

## Beautiful Minds



Sherburne-Earlville sent seven teams to the Region 13 Odyssey of the Mind competition February 16. Students in grades 4-12 represented the Marauders, and five of our seven teams qualified for the Odyssey of the Mind New York State championship March 23 at Binghamton University.

To top it all off, Mrs. Johnson's high school team earned the coveted Ranatra Fusca Award, which is given for creative engineering in their solution.

A total of 34 schools were eligible to compete in the Region 13 event, which featured students from local districts

in Chenango, Delaware and Otsego counties.

All seven of our teams preserved and promoted everything our program stands for; that is, honesty, integrity, compassion, intelligence, creativity, and friendship! 🐾

## Best in Show!



Sherburne-Earlville High School senior **Riley Webster** won the Best in Show award on the opening weekend of the Chenango Area Student Art Exhibition this past April at the Chenango Arts Council in Norwich.

Riley's drawing of a male subject with a bag over his head, titled *Have a Nice Day*, earned top honors as the best piece among those submitted by Chenango County high school artists. Riley also joined Norwich High School's Andrea Dempsey as a winner of the Lucy Funke Art Scholarship, given annually to two outstanding Chenango County senior artists.

Kayleigh Olive's art students won several awards at the CASA show. **Madisyn Stowell** took first place in photography, with **Willow Austin** taking second and honorable mention in the same category. Second-place ribbons also went to **Bailey Lagoe** (3D design) and **Romeo Rapp** (mixed media). **Katelyn Vanderwal** (mixed media) and **Raven Rivenburgh** (drawing) rounded out the SEHS awards with honorable mentions.

Additionally, **Matthew Ryan** won the inaugural Chenango Music Scholarship. 🐾

## Elementary Principal Honored!



Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School Principal Antoinette Halliday, the School Library System's Administrator of the Year!

DCMO BOCES honored Toni during its annual School Library System and Grade-Level Reading Breakfast and Awards Ceremony, held May 17 at The Canasawacta Country Club.

SEES Librarian Ted Pfohl nominated Toni for the award, which recognized her many contributions in supporting the library's efforts to improve student literacy.

Pictured: Ted and Toni pose here with SLS Coordinator Cindy Buerkle during the ceremony. Great job, Toni! 🐾



## Amazing work!





# Students flock to MakerSpace

MakerSpace is making progress at Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School.

After drawing some interest in its inaugural academic year (2017-18), every student in grades 3-5 has made it to Robert Fenton's MakerSpace room on the second level of the SEES building this year.

Defined by a green wall that doubles as a green screen for video creations, the MakerSpace room encourages exploration, creation and sharing through STEM projects (Science, Technology, Engineering Math). Students are encouraged to add personality and color to their creations, such as the one in this YouTube video (<https://youtu.be/sruqmOvgIhQ>).

Students have participated in several other projects during the 2018-2019 academic year, exploring kinetic/potential energy with rubber-band race cars; airplane flight and lift with stunt/long-distance airplanes made of paper; and thrust, trajectory and angles with homemade catapults.

Thanks to Chromebooks distributed by the district this year, MakerSpace doubled as the Coding Café from time to time. Students had a chance to use a coding program called Scratch to create video games and screensavers to share with the class.

Kids also worked with LittleBits, which are small, magnetic, connectable circuit boards, to discover how circuits work. They made digital thermometers, LEGO houses with working lights/doorbells and bubble blowers, among other items that feature circuit boards.

SEES also complemented its Science unit on structures with a Platform Competition. Students received \$15



to purchase specific supplies needed to make a weight-bearing platform. Using only craft sticks, masking tape, clips and rubber bands, our kids designed some amazing platforms; one even held more than 6,000 grams!

We can't wait to see what comes next! 🐾



## Memorial Day advance!



Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School welcomed special guests from the Sherburne American Legion Family Post 876 for its annual Memorial Day service Thursday morning, May 23.

Retired Sr. Master Sergeant Holly Crouch, an SEES Special Education teacher, and others represented the Legion during the ceremony.

SEES Science/Social Studies Teacher Frank Busce and Sherburne-Earlville High School senior Adam Aldrich played Taps while the American flag in the courtyard waved in the blue sky.

The SEES student body sang patriotic songs, and fifth-graders shared the history of the day with everyone in attendance. 🐾

## S-E Elementary celebrates ACES!



Physical education teachers Mary Thomas and Courtney Cunningham helped S-E Elementary School celebrate ACES (All Children Exercise Simultaneously) on Friday, May 10.

Mary led students in large-group fitness activities during the program, which also featured dancing and singing in the SEES gymnasium and cafeteria.

Everyone then gathered in the gym to watch Courtney's fitness drummers perform three songs for their classmates and teachers, who clapped and moved to the rhythm of the drums.

ACES, the signature program of the Youth Fitness Coalition, Inc., takes place in May as part of National Physical Fitness and Sports Month. 🐾

## SEES gets visual!



Sherburne-Earlville welcomed Colgate University's Njeri Jennings and retired educator Maggie Fitzpatrick in March to present Visual Thinking Strategies to elementary students.

In collaboration with Colgate's Longyear Museum of Anthropology and Picker Art Gallery, trained volunteers visit classrooms once a month to view images in a peer-group setting. Students take a moment to look at each picture, then answer the following questions:

- What's going on in this picture?
- What do you see that makes you say that?
- What more can you find?

The best part is that there are no wrong answers. Students listen to each comment and then discuss them as a group. 🐾



## Cooking up some fun!



Sherburne-Earlville's Master Marauder Cooks had a recipe for success this past weekend during the Jr. Iron Chef competition at SUNY Cobleskill.

Accompanied by Home and Careers teacher Karen Mulligan, S-E Middle School students **Nick Wentworth**, **Aaron Beach**, **Batya Mizrahi** and **Tatum Costantini** battled 13 other teams from across the state.

Golding Middle School's Wrap Stars finished with 444 points to win the competition, which featured students from Chenango, Delaware, Fulton, Herkimer, Montgomery, Oneida, Otsego, Schenectady, Schoharie and Sullivan counties.

Our Master Marauder Cooks produced a delicious hash casserole and earned 326 points from the six judges. Congratulations on a job well done! 🐾



## Thank you, farmers!



The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District thanked more than 30 local farmers March 22 with its second annual Farmers Appreciation Breakfast at the S-E Elementary School cafeteria.

We invited all local farmers (dairy, beef, vegetable, crop, maple syrup, Christmas tree, etc.) to enjoy a free breakfast with friends and neighbors on what turned out to be a snowy morning.

The buffet featured yogurt products donated by Chobani, scrambled eggs, breakfast sausages, hash browns, pancakes, maple syrup, fresh fruit, milk and coffee. Students learning the ukulele from music teacher Jeff Lyons performed during the event as well.

Sherburne-Earlville Elementary School Assistant Principal Jeffrey Morris organized the breakfast with help from the Fifth Grade Student



Council, members of our Sherburne-Earlville FFA chapter, and our wonderful cafeteria staff.

Check out the video of our live stream on our Facebook page, which also has more than a dozen photos from S-E's second annual Farmers Appreciation Breakfast.

Once again, "Thank you, farmers!" We truly appreciate everything you do for our community! 🐾



## French Club dines at Lewis'



The Sherburne-Earlville Middle School French Club got together for its annual dinner at Lewis' Restaurant in April.

Seventh- and eighth-grade club members enjoyed a delicious French meal beginning with escargot and ending with deep-fried ice cream à la mode française!

Students also played a numbers game in which winners received a French prize and received French Club T-shirts and sweatshirts.

C'est magnifique! 🐾

## MS Spirit Week Smiles



## A MOST excellent field trip!



Sherburne-Earlville seventh-graders took a field trip to the Milton J. Rubenstein Museum of Science and Technology in Syracuse in March.

Students spent the day engaging in hands-on activities related to science and social studies. One of their favorites was an interactive gravity exhibit, using a trampoline to experience what it feels like to be weightless on the moon.

They even had some time in the giant playhouse, reminding all of us—students included—that they're still kids! Special thanks to Jennifer Eselin for sharing pictures. 🐾

## THAT'S EN



## Exploring the possibilities!



A group of Sherburne-Earlville Middle School students showed off their stuff April 10 during the STEM Exploration Showcase at SUNY Polytechnic.

Seventh-graders **Batya Mizrahi** and **Tatum Costantini** went to work in the Balsa Bridges category, building structures that held 600-times their own weight.

Classmates **Brayden Smith** and **Sean O'Connor** joined forces with sixth-grader **Drew Westervelt** in the



SumoBot competition, and sixth-grader **Riley Jones** entered the Catapult competition.

Representatives from colleges across New York state with technology-related programs were present to talk to students during the Showcase, which drew more than 400 middle and high school students interested in the fields of technology and engineering.

Special thanks to S-E Technology teacher Scott Bugbee for photos from the event. 🐾



# ENTERTAINMENT!



Congratulations to our talented Sherburne-Earlville Middle School students for their outstanding production of *Alice in Wonderland Jr.* in January.

The SECS D community packed the MS/HS Auditorium for both weekend performances to watch this 11-scene musical directed by Julie Burns, with choreography by assistant director Tobie Hess.

## Our Cast . . .

*Ace of Hearts*.....**Emily Lawrence**  
*Alice*..... **Sophia Kaskov**  
*Caterpillar*..... **Lydia Larchar**  
*Cheshire Cat*..... **Ryker Fuller,**  
**Trinity Thornton,**  
**Haleigh Fisher**  
*Daisy* ..... **Savanna Wilkinson**  
*Iris* ..... **Pasley French**  
*Dodo Bird*..... **Adam Paliana**  
*Door Knob*..... **Zachariah Carter**  
*Four of Hearts* ..... **Kandy Hicks**  
*King of Hearts* ..... **Gaven May**  
*Lily*..... **Kandy Hicks**  
*Mad Hatter* ..... **Owen Brown**  
*March Hare*..... **Aydin Gunther**  
*Matilda* ..... **Ryker Fuller**  
*Petunia*..... **Emily Lawrence**  
*Queen of Hearts* ..... **Mia Currie**  
*Rose* ..... **Madisyn Barnes**  
*Sea Creatures* ..... **Emily Knapp,**  
**Kaydance Knochenmus,**  
**Emily Lawrence, Neveah Mathis,**  
**Ella Price, Cali Woodcock**

*Three of Hearts*..... **Ella Price**  
*Tweedle Dee* ..... **Owen Brown**  
*Tweedle Dum* ..... **Kelsi Courtright**  
*Two of Hearts*..... **Kaydance Knochenmus**  
*White Rabbit*..... **Claire Barth**

## Our Student-Assistants . . .

*Acting Director* .... **Kayleigh Wentworth**  
*Artistic Directors*..... **Victoria Norris,**  
**Julia Romanowski**  
*Costume Director*..... **Stephanie Harter**  
*Helpers*..... **Wesley Fisher,**  
**Ashley Ryan**  
*Musical Director* ..... **Rebecca Turner**  
*Stage Crew Director* ..... **Dalton Yerton**  
*Stage Crew* ..... **Raidyn Barnes,**  
**Lilly Bigger, Lilly Cox,**  
**Stephanie Harter, Jordan Kaskov,**  
**Kathryn Hoke, Riley Jones,**  
**Victoria Norris, Julia Romanowski,**  
**Kayleigh Wentworth, Dalton Yerton**



## Behind the Scenes . . .

### Adult Assistants

Katie Barth, Coral Dennison,  
 Sarah Fisher, Desiree Fuller,  
 Melanie Fuller, Ryan Hess,  
 Dana Kaskov, Courtney Kimble,  
 Roberta Kerwin, Terry Rounds

### Elementary School Helpers

**Lillie Hess, Austin Hess,**  
**Evelyn Kaskov**

### Hair/Make-Up Stylists

**Anna Frost, Molly Osborne,**  
**Jessy Petersen**

### Sound/Light Technician

Nova Friar

## Special thanks to . . .

- SEMS Principal Jolene Emhof and the rest of the SECS D Administration for their continued support
- Scott Horton and the SECS D Custodial Staff for handling our many messes
- The Barth, Fisher, Fuller, Hess, Kaskov and Kerwin/Dennison families for their time and extra work
- Nova for going above and beyond
- Mrs. Barth's and Mrs. Hess' elementary students for creating the beautiful flowers
- Parents for sharing your students
- And, of course, our wonderful students for always doing your best! 🐾

# 70<sup>th</sup> Sherburne



# Pageant of Bands



# Class of 2020 Senior Portraits

## Submission Requirements

To create a visually pleasing and consistent senior section in the yearbook, the *Archivon* staff would like to share the submission requirements that all seniors must follow when choosing a portrait to submit.

Prestige Portraits by Lifetouch is the official school photographer. All seniors will receive a letter in the mail from Prestige Portraits with information. If you would like a photo taken for the yearbook only and are not interested in ordering any photos, you may do so during photo days in September or November.

If you choose to have your portrait taken by a company other than Lifetouch, please make sure you share these guidelines with the photographer and request that they submit your photo on a disk, or via email.

- **Submit photo:** on disk, or via email [yearbook@seonline.org](mailto:yearbook@seonline.org)
- **Image specifications:** 300dpi, TIFF or JPEG
- **Photo size:** if you submit a printed photo, 5x7 is appreciated; wallet-size will work
- **Head size:** make sure there is room all the way around (head does not meet top of photo)
- **Background:** preferably a solid background
  - The *Archivon* staff is aware that outdoor photos are very popular, however the photos in the book are not that large and nature (branches, leaves, etc.) can be distracting to your photo. A tree trunk or the side of a barn would work best if you'd like to go with an outdoor pose.
- **Poses:** Head-and-shoulder poses
  - No extreme head tilts or angles, dramatic poses, double exposures or other distracting items in the photo
  - No hands
  - No props or pets
- **Images must be received by Friday, November 22.**
  - Submitted by email ([yearbook@seonline.org](mailto:yearbook@seonline.org)) or to S-E Yearbook Adviser, 13 School St., Sherburne, NY 13460

If you have any questions or concerns, please call (607) 674-8424 or email [yearbook@seonline.org](mailto:yearbook@seonline.org).

Remember, you don't have to order a package to have a photo in the yearbook. There are FREE options. Students can see Ms. Czachowski in Room 237. 🐾

## Teens at work



Left to right, back row: Jeanne Behret (staff), Anna Frost, Max Collins, Jonah Smith, Madison Camenga, Betsy Loomis (advisor); Front row: Destiny Dunn, Maddy Brissette, Dalaney Parker, Megan Furner

A group of Sherburne-Earlville High School students participated in the Teen Institute Summit this past March at Sidney Central School.

Sponsored by Heart of NY Teen Institute, S-E joined 13 other schools for the program, which trains and empowers high school-aged youths to work together to develop action plans that positively address specific challenges in their schools and communities. The program seeks to reduce the frequency of underage alcohol/tobacco/drug use and other self-destructive behaviors.

The summit attracted roughly 130 students, 21 advisers, two Teen Institute volunteers and four staff members. 🐾

## Did you catch this?



S-E senior **Adam Aldrich**, our Class of 2019 valedictorian, finished programming his *automatic fisherman* using vex robotics in January. Adam programmed his device to fish at

a depth of 20-25 feet. Great job, Adam! Here's hoping this turns into a whale of a story! 🐾



## Art trip



Sherburne-Earlville teachers Kayleigh Olive and Jonathan Sherry took students on a field trip to Munson Williams Proctor Art Museum in Utica in March.

The S-E group had a chance to interact with Tommy Brown, a classically trained photographer who has several works hanging in the museum's gallery. Mr. Brown is the father of SEHS junior Liv Brown.

Thanks to Mr. Sherry for sharing photos and special thanks to Munson Williams Proctor Art Museum and Mr. Brown for sharing their time. 🐾

## Student takeover



Student-centered learning allows the students to take part in the decision-making, lesson planning and the implementation of learning activities in the classroom. This is exactly what happened in Mrs. Thorpe's English 12 class in March.

After recently attending a poetry workshop, Sherburne-Earlville High School senior **Mike Giglio** asked if he could share what he learned with his peers. Mike planned the lessons and set expectations, then led his class in writing poetry, reading aloud and participating in a poetry fusion activity.

The experience allowed Mike to pursue his passion while his peers became invested in the lessons. Great job, Mike! 🐾

## Civics duty



Jonathan Sherry's Civics class would like to thank Sherburne-Earlville's School Resource Officer, Sergeant Ted Ellingsen, for dropping by in March.

Sergeant Ellingsen appeared as a guest speaker on the Second Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, which reads, "A well-regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free State, the right of the people to keep and bear Arms, shall not be infringed."

We appreciate the expert insight from Sergeant Ellingsen, a veteran of the Chenango County Sheriff's Office, and look forward to more from the man who helps keep SECS D a safe place to learn. 🐾

## Sherburne-Earlville FFA making strides



The Sherburne-Earlville FFA has been super-busy in its first year as an official organization.

In May, the Maple Team attended the NYS FFA Convention and **Daniel Misch** placed sixth in the Agriculture Education CDE.

Vice President **Ed Geier** traveled to Albany in March for the New York Senate

Maple Day, speaking with senators and assembly members to promote maple production in the state. Ed was announced on the assembly floor and even had a photo

opportunity with Senator Seward.

Also in March, Mr. Gager from Keystone Precision Equipment and Mr. Magrath from Earlville Land Surveying taught our Ag Mechanics and Agriscience class all about surveying! Students got their hands on some of the most prestigious surveying equipment in the industry.

**Daniel and Ryan Jones** also showed off their FFA jackets following the District 4 FFA Competition on February 14 at Delaware Academy. Ryan won the Senior People in Agriculture competition and Daniel placed sixth in the Employment Skills/Job Interview competition.

What a great way to represent Sherburne-Earlville FFA! 🐾



## Seed Money



The Sherburne-Earlville FFA received a \$300 donation from Farm Credit East, ACA during an awards dinner January 16 at the organization's Cooperstown office.

Students interested in agricultural-finance careers receive invitations to represent their schools at the awards dinner. **Wayne Furner** (left) accepted the donation to the Sherburne-Earlville Central School District from Farm Credit East Vice President Craig Pollock.

Farm Credit East donated money raised during its annual charity golf tournament to each of the 27 National FFA Organization chapters in its service area, S-E included!

Farm Credit East is part of the Farm Credit System, a nationwide agricultural network providing credit and affiliated services to those in agriculture and related industries across the United States. For more information, visit their website at <https://www.farmcrediteast.com/>. 🐾



## Sweet Reward!



Sherburne-Earlville senior **Edward Geier** received a \$1,000 grant from Rabo AgriFinance in January for his maple-syrup production business, which doubles as his Supervised

Agricultural Experience as a member of the National FFA Organization.

The grant is specifically designed to help students enhance their SAEs, which must be completed to maintain FFA membership. Each member is required to create and operate a business related to agriculture, work at one, or conduct a research experiment. Upon completion, FFA members must submit a comprehensive report regarding their career-development experience.

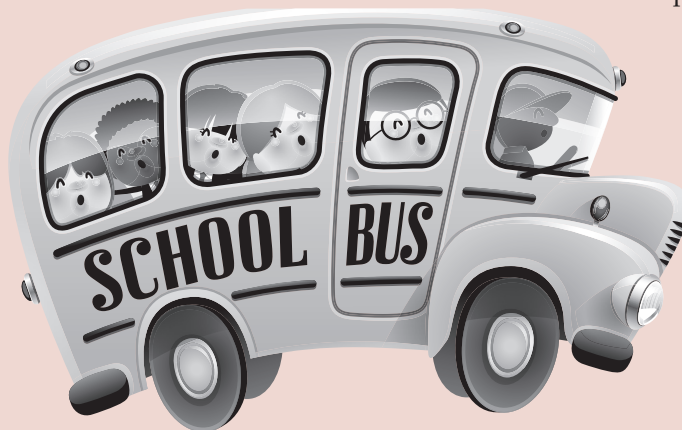
Edward, who is S-E's Agriculture Education Club Vice-President, was selected from more than 2,100 applications nationwide to receive the grant. He used the money to buy a new evaporator to help his business produce a cleaner syrup.

Way to go, Ed! 🐾

## We're Hiring!

### Become a School Bus Driver!

- Free Class B driver's training.
- Training provided/no experience required.
- Must be 21 years of age.
- Must have a valid Class C driver's license.
- Starting \$16.50/hr. with great health benefits.
- Starting \$ 20.00/hr. for sub bus drivers.
- Must enjoy working with children.



Apply in person at the Sherburne-Earlville CSD Office, visit our website at [www.seonline.org](http://www.seonline.org) or call us at (607) 674-7377 for more information.

# Good sports!

## BOYS BASKETBALL

Congratulations to **Hunter Lane**, who became a 1,000-point varsity boys basketball scorer this season. Hunter reached the milestone February 1, when he scored a varsity-best 38 points during a 73-64 victory on Senior Night.

## BOWLING

Our varsity bowlers completed successful seasons this past winter, placing multiple student-athletes on the Center State Conference All-Star teams.

The Marauders boys went 16-0 overall and 10-0 in division matches during the regular season, qualifying for the Section 3 Class C-D Tournament for the 12th year in a row. After finishing third during sectionals at Pin O Rama Lanes in Utica on February 10, S-E won the CSC Tournament at King Pin Lanes in Rome on February 15. S-E defeated all 10 CSC boys teams with a three-game total pinfall of 2,759. **Trace Kane** rolled a 246 to tie Little Falls' David Cook for high game.

**Trace** (184 average), **Wyatt Youngs** (183), **Joey Youngs** (172) and **Nick Fontaine** (168) earned CSC All-Star accolades, with honorable mentions going to teammates **Jacob Jenkins** and **Gabe O'Dell**.

The Marauders girls followed a 10-1 season (6-0 atop CSC Division II) with sectional and conference championships. **Dalaney Parker**, **Alexis Fowlston**, **Sierrah Davis**, **Jade Diamond**, **Katie Knapp** and **Olivia Fehlner** won the program's first Section 3 C-D girls title at Flamingo Lanes in Syracuse, then combined for 2,377 pins in the CSC Tournament at King Pin Lanes.

**Olivia** averaged 238 at the CSC event, rolling the high game (261) and the high series (714). Olivia, who also had

the highest game (260) and series (680) in the CSC this past season, averaged 186 overall. She joined **Dalaney** (166) and **Jade** (123) on the CSC All-Star Team, which included honorable mentions **Alexis** and **Sierrah**.

## FOOTBALL



Congrats to Marauders senior offensive lineman/linebacker **Calib Hill** for making the New York State Sportswriters Association's 2018 Eight-Man Football All-State Team! Calib was one of 24 eight-man football players selected to the prestigious all-state team, which featured 10 boys from Section 3.

## SWIMMING



Congratulations to senior **Caleb Larchar** for breaking the Sherburne-Earlville varsity boys swimming record in the 100-yard butterfly

January 25 during the Center State Conference Championships at Rome Free Academy. Caleb finished second overall in the event with a time of 59.97 seconds. **Gavin Lopata** (Class of 2015) set the record of 1:00.04 as a junior during the 2013-14 swimming and diving season.

Caleb also helped S-E set a school record in the 200-yard medley relay on January 25. He joined **Matt Ryan**, **Conor Ryan** and **Ian Wilson** for a third-place time of 1:51.86 at the league championships at Rome Free Academy.

In February, the Marauders placed second at the Section 3 Class C Championships, marking the program's best finish at the meet. Mathew paced S-E with a runner-up finish in the 100-yard butterfly, completing the event in a season-best time of 1:00.13. Caleb finished .8 seconds behind for third in the same event.

## VOLLEYBALL



Our varsity volleyball team qualified for sectionals this winter and opened with a 25-15, 25-14, 25-20 sweep of Camden. **Abbie Eaves**, **Paige Losee** and **Marilyn Loisel** had seven kills apiece, **Brooke Smith** amassed 18 assists, and **Desiree Owen** finished with six aces to lead S-E. **Makayla Cornelius** contributed five aces for the Marauders.

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## Colgate Kids Day!



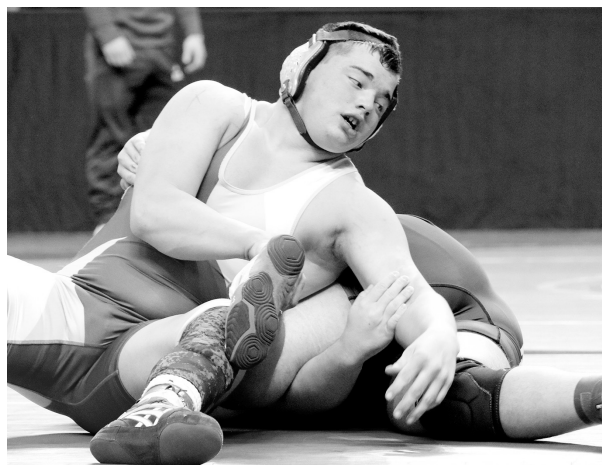
Colgate University hosted Kids Day for six local elementary schools, including Sherburne-Earlville, on January 9.

Our SEES students were on their game, waving pom-poms and cheering for the Raiders women's basketball team almost the entire afternoon. We also sang the national anthem (again), jumped rope at halftime (again) and ate lots and lots of pizza (again).

Brookfield, Hamilton, Madison, Morrisville-Eaton and Whitesboro also joined in the fun as Colgate cruised to a 60-49 win over Lafayette. 🐾



### Sports summary (continued from page 19)



#### WRESTLING

Sherburne-Earlville junior wrestlers **Morgan Lakin**, **Ethen Eldred** and **Alex Thompson** earned seeds for this year's Section 3 Division II Championships at Onondaga Community College's SRC Arena. All three were seeded third in their respective weight classes—**Morgan** at 145 pounds, **Ethen** at 170 and **Alex** at 220.

**Alex** went on to win the overall sectional title at 220 pounds en route to his first state tournament appearance this past February at the Times Union Center in Albany. **Alex** finished 2-2 at

the state tournament for a 19-6 overall record.

Earlier in the season, **Morgan** won the 145-pound championship with a second-period pin during the Section 3 Class D Tournament at Cooperstown. **Ethen** finished as runner-up at 170 pounds for the Marauders, who also had quarterfinalists in **Tegan Campbell** (160) and **Chyle Foster** (170).

S-E also competed in the Center States League Tournament in Dolgeville. **Ethen** won the 170-pound crown with a second-period pin and **Morgan** dropped a decision in the 145-pound final. **Chyle** contributed a fourth at 170, and **Selina Moore** took sixth at 113.

#### SCHOLAR-ATHLETES

Congratulations to the following Sherburne-Earlville students who earned Scholar-Athlete awards from the New York State Public High School Athletic Association for the second quarter. These student-athletes have

achieved an academic average of 90-percent or higher for the quarter while participating on a winter sports team.

- Boys Basketball: **Troy Fleming**, **Owen Rodriguez**, **Aiden Slater**.
- Girls Basketball: **Maria Albertina**, **Sage Ashton**, **Tessa Cole**, **Kaitlynn Furner**, **McKenzie Holmes**, **Amberlyn Robertson**, **Jaci Wright**, Team Award.
- Boys Bowling: **Trace Kane**, **Brian Kochman**, **Gabe O'Dell**.
- Girls Bowling: **Sierrah Davis**, **Jade Diamond**, **Dalaney Parker**.
- Cheerleading: **Abby Fontaine**, **Shyanne Horton**, **Bailey Mizrahi**.
- Swimming: **Rebecca Karaman**, **Caleb Larchar**, **Joshua Larchar**, **Peter Peschel**, **Anna Rinaldo**, **Mathew Ryan**, **Amon VanAlst**, **Riley Webster**, Team Award.
- Volleyball: **Morgan Boldt**, **Makayla Cornelius**, **Zoe Kellogg**, **Katie Keyes**, **Alison Smith**, **Brooke Smith**, Team Award.
- Wrestling: **Morgan Lakin**, **Selina Moore**. 🐾

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## S-E to honor first Athletic Hall of Fame class

A standout runner, a prolific basketball scorer and two cross country teams will be honored during the first Sherburne-Earlville Athletic Hall of Fame Induction Ceremony on June 18.

Sherburne-Earlville's inaugural Athletic Hall of Fame class features former Section 4 champion runner Rob Baker (Class of 1987), former boys basketball star Bob White (Class of 1972), and S-E's 1989 and 1990 Class C-D state champion boys cross country teams.

Inductees will be honored at 6:00 p.m. June 18 in the S-E Middle School/High School Auditorium. S-E's Athletic Awards Night for students will follow the Induction Ceremony.

Future Athletic Hall of Fame inductions will take place every other year, meaning the next class will be honored in 2021. The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District will induct its next Wall of Fame class in 2020 and ensuing even-numbered years.

### CLASS OF 2019

#### Rob Baker

Sherburne-Earlville's Rob Baker won Section 4 titles in consecutive academic years, taking the Class C 3,200-meter run crown in 1985-86 and the overall sectional 3,200 championship in 1986-87.

Rob closed his senior season as Sherburne-Earlville's Athlete of the Year in 1987, following a 10th-place finish in the 3,200 at the state meet.

Also a bronze-medal winner in the 1986 Empire State Games, Rob went on to compete in cross country, indoor track and field and outdoor track and field for the United States Naval Academy.

#### Bob White

Sherburne-Earlville's Bob White was tough to stop on the basketball court during an era marked by major events in American history.

Bob started his scoring tear in 1969, the same year Richard Nixon became our president, Neil Armstrong took the

first steps on the moon, and some of the top rock musicians in the world came together for Woodstock.

By the end of his senior season in 1972, Bob had amassed 1,626 varsity boys basketball points, which still stands as the second-highest total in Chenango County history.

#### 1989-1990 Boys Cross Country

Sherburne-Earlville's 1989 boys cross country team won Susquehanna League, Section 4 Class C-D and New York State Public High School Athletic Association Class C-D championships.

Coached by LeRoy Hodge and Bob Marano, the team featured student-athletes Shane DuBois, Tim French, Paul Johnston, Aaron Jones, Paul Jones, Shane Kellogg and Matt LoPiccolo.

Joe Kmetz joined the squad in 1990 and helped S-E to the same string of championships en route to a fourth-place finish in the Federation meet. 🐾

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## Two S-E seniors win track titles

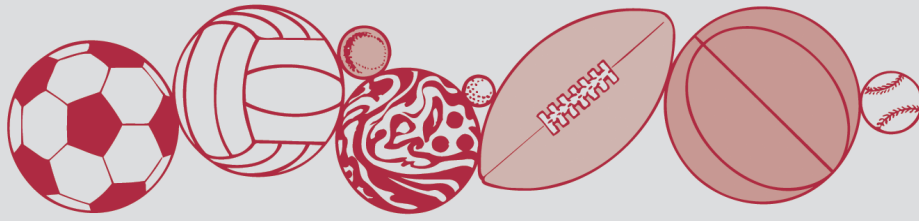


Congratulations to Sherburne-Earlville seniors **Amberlyn Robertson** and **Owen Rodriguez**, who won championships May 23 during the Section 3 Class B2 Track and Field Meet at Canastota High School.

**Amberlyn** took two events, placing first in the 200-meter run in 26.38 seconds and finishing on top in the 400-meter run in 58.99 seconds. She was the only girl to beat the 1-minute mark in the 400.

**Owen's** title came in the 400 hurdles, crossing in 57.07 seconds to win by more than two seconds. Owen also placed fourth in the 100 hurdles (16.37) and sixth in the long jump (18 feet, 11.5 inches).

Eighth-grader **Lily Stoddard** contributed a second in the girls discus (103-6), finishing just three inches behind Cazenovia junior Claire Edwards. 🐾



## Important S-E sports information!

Interscholastic sport participation is available to all Sherburne-Earlville Central School District students in grades 7-12. Participation by a student in athletics involves a certain degree of physical risk or injury. All athletes must be medically cleared before the beginning of practice each season.

### The following summarizes our requirements:

**Physical exam:** Completed by the student's primary care provider or the school health care provider. This is valid for a period of 12 continuous months from the date of the exam and must be accompanied by a signed and completed Health History form. A copy of the exam must be on file in the Health Office.

**Accident reports:** Should a student-athlete sustain an injury during participation of the sport, an accident report must be completed. Students must notify the coach when an injury occurs. If a health care provider removes the athlete from participation due to an illness/injury, the student must submit a written note from the health care provider. Likewise, once the student is able to return, a written release must be obtained from the health care provider and submitted to the school's Health Office.

**Concussions:** All students participating in a contact/collision/impact sport must take the concussion baseline test. The student and a parent are required to sign the written consent

form to participate in the concussion management program. This is offered to sixth-graders this spring.

**Rescue medication:** Students requiring "rescue" medication (e.g. Albuterol, EpiPen, etc.) must provide the medication in its original, labeled container and submit written permission from a parent/guardian and a health care provider.

**Family ID:** Sports registration is done through an online program called Family ID, which keeps track of your student's information. Registration opens 30 days before the first day of a sport's practice. For instructions, registration or more information, visit <https://www.secsd.org/FamilyIDInstructions.aspx> online (Athletics > Family ID Instructions). Registered students will be contacted by their coaches before the start of the season.

**Permission forms:** Health Appraisal, Health History, Medication Authorization and ImPACT permission forms are available online at <https://www.secsd.org/HMSHealthOffice.aspx> (Departments > Health Office > Middle and High School Office).

**Important:** Students will not be permitted to practice until all required forms and the Family ID registration have been submitted. For more information, School Nurse Kathy Steward at 674-7314 or Athletic Director Brad Perry at 674-8433. 🐾

## Hitting the peak



Looks like some of our Sherburne-Earlville middle and high school students had a blast during a February visit to Greek Peak Mountain Resort.

The trip, which was open to all S-E MS/HS students, is one of several sponsored by the SEHS Student Council throughout the year. 🐾



## New color guard uniforms



## True colors shining through!



Sherburne-Earlville's Winter Color Guard team saved its best for last this season, closing its 2019 campaign with a season-high points total March 30 during the Mid York Championships at Cicero-North Syracuse High School.

The Marauders' nine-student team performed in front of a huge crowd and amassed 73.16 points with its best performance of the season.

Team members **Alyssa Adsit, Myah Baker, Cheyenne Cox, Brooklyn Francis, Mekhi Francis, Nevaeh Graham, Kelsey Miller, Chasity Perkins** and **Abby Young** represented the S-E community with tremendous pride this season.

We would like to thank Director Cindy Lenning and her dedicated instructional staff of Dave Leblanc, Patti Shepardson and Annelise Vasti. Special thanks to Joe Roche for sharing photos from the season finale, which are posted on our Facebook page.

The S-E Color Guard programs—both marching band and winter guard—are always seeking students to join their teams. Students should visit Mr. Roche or Ms. Czachowski for more information. 🐾



## Measles information you may want to know!



Due to the current increase in measles cases in the United States, below is some information that may be helpful:

Measles is an acute viral illness characterized by a prior fever, cough, coryza (cold symptoms), and conjunctivitis, followed by a maculopapular (red bumps on red skin) rash. The rash spreads from the head to trunk to the lower extremities. Measles is usually a mild or moderately severe illness; however, measles can result in complications such as pneumonia, encephalitis, and death. **Most adults in the U.S. are at low risk for measles.**

From January 1 to May 10, 2019, 839 cases were reported the CDC. Even in previously healthy children, measles can cause serious illness requiring hospitalization.

- One out of every 1,000 measles cases will develop acute encephalitis, which often results in permanent brain damage.
- One or two out of every 1,000 children who become infected with measles will die from respiratory and neurologic complications.
- Subacute sclerosing panencephalitis (SSPE) is a rare, but fatal degenerative disease of the central nervous system characterized by behavioral and intellectual deterioration and seizures that generally develop 7-10 years after measles infection.

**Certain adults (age > 18) are considered to be at high risk for either acquiring measles and/or transmitting disease to vulnerable persons. (Vulnerable persons are infants,**

**poorly nourished young children, or those with weakened immune systems-HIV/AIDS).**

### High risk adults include:

- Students at post-high school educational institutions
- Healthcare personnel
- International travelers to any country outside the United States

High-risk adults need written documentation of two doses of MMR vaccine (each dose separated by at least 28 days), or other evidence of immunity.

### Other presumptive evidence of measles immunity includes:

- Birth before 1957
- Laboratory evidence of immunity
- Laboratory confirmation of disease

*Healthcare facilities should consider vaccination of healthcare personnel born before 1957 with two doses of MMR who lack laboratory evidence of immunity or laboratory confirmation of disease.*

**If a person's measles immunity is unknown, providers should vaccinate with MMR, unless there are contraindications.**

**Routine measles vaccination for children is a key public health strategy to reduce measles deaths. The measles vaccine has been in use for over 50 years. It is safe, effective and inexpensive. It costs approximately one US dollar to immunize a child against measles.**

We hope that you find this information helpful. Additional information can be found at [cdc.gov/measles/hcp](https://cdc.gov/measles/hcp). 🐾

For Immediate Release

## STAR changes may adversely affect homeowners



Changes in this year's New York State budget may cause some homeowners to lose their School Tax Relief (STAR) Exemption, depending on the taxpayer's income level. Beginning this year, the income limit for the Basic STAR exemption is now \$250,000. The state Department of Taxation and Finance is sending letters to homeowners affected by this change to notify them they will automatically be registered for the STAR credit, as long as the State can verify income. If the income cannot be verified the letter sent will ask for more information from the property owner in order to become registered for the Star Credit.

Until now, all homeowners with incomes under \$500,000 were eligible to receive a STAR exemption. Under Gov. Andrew Cuomo's new state budget, homeowners will continue to receive the exemption as long as their annual household income is less than \$250,000.

"Property taxpayers should be extra vigilant this year to insure they do not lose out on their eligibility for STAR benefits due to all the changes the Governor has implemented to the pro-

gram to shift STAR from a property tax reduction on your school taxes to a tax credit check you receive in the mail," stated Michael J. Borges, executive director of the Association of School Business Officials of New York.

Switching from an exemption to a credit affects those whose taxes are paid through an escrow account. An exemption versus a tax credit will affect the homeowner's monthly escrow payment amount.

"It's important for taxpayers who are being removed from this exemption to contact their escrow companies," Rochelle Harris, president of the New York State Assessors Association, said. "This action could adversely affect property owners who aren't prepared for this change."

The New York State Assessors Association represents more than 800 assessment professionals across the state. It provides educational opportunities and advocates on behalf of its members at the state and local levels. More information is available at [www.nyassessor.org](http://www.nyassessor.org).

Contact: Rochelle Harris,  
[mcassessor@hotmail.com](mailto:mcassessor@hotmail.com)

## S-E's SBHC welcomes nurse practitioner



Sherburne-Earlville welcomed Cady Burcham to the district in March as she joined Bassett's School-Based Health Center as a nurse practitioner.

Cady hails from Tennessee, where she grew up, earned multiple college degrees and worked as a medical professional before coming to New York.

Cady owns degrees from Freed-Hardeman University (BS) and the University of Tennessee (Doctor of Nursing Practice) and has experience as a Registered Nurse in a cardiac care unit and as a Pediatric RN.

Cady became a certified Pediatric Nurse Practitioner while working full-time as a Pediatric RN at LeBonheur Children's Hospital in Memphis.

Cady will work with fellow nurse practitioner Casey Coon at the SBHC and spend three days a week at the High School (M,W,F) and two days a week at the Elementary School (Tu,Th).

Make Cady feel welcome with a big smile and a "hello" when you see her! 🐾



## SECS D 2019-20 Budget Passes

The Sherburne-Earlville Central School District confirmed that its 2019-2020 Proposed Budget and a proposition to purchase vehicles both passed after Tuesday's voting at Sherburne-Earlville Middle School/High School.

Additionally, Ryan Hess earned election to the Board of Education. Hess will serve a three-year term ending June 30, 2022.

Visit the SECS D Business Office page online at <https://www.secsd.org/BusinessOffice.aspx> to view the 2019-2020 Budget Newsletter and Budget Postcard. 🐾

## Tools for Schools

Our Price Chopper Tools for Schools program is alive and well!

Participants earn points for Sherburne-Earlville schools every time they purchase a Tools For Schools product. Schools then use the points to purchase items they need.

The district has a longstanding tradition of using these points to benefit its school libraries. This year's points will give the elementary, middle and high school libraries a total of 17 new books and several new sets of headphones at no cost to the district.

To sign up for this free program, visit <https://www.pricechopper.com/tools-schools/> online and enter the school code of your choice:

- Elementary ..... #16851
- Middle School ..... #16853
- High School ..... #16852



## Drama Club production "Our Town"



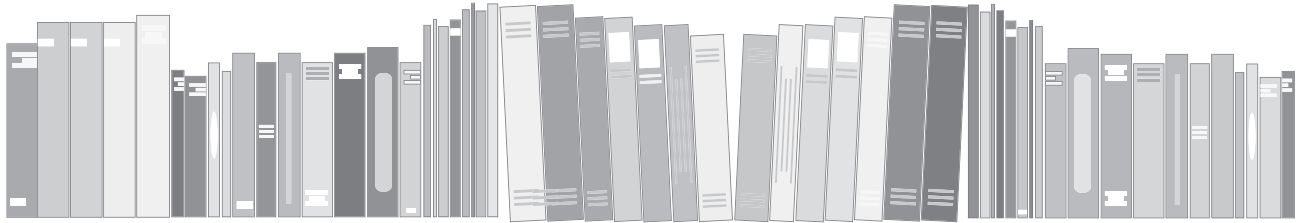
## Music in our Schools Month concert



## All-County Chorus

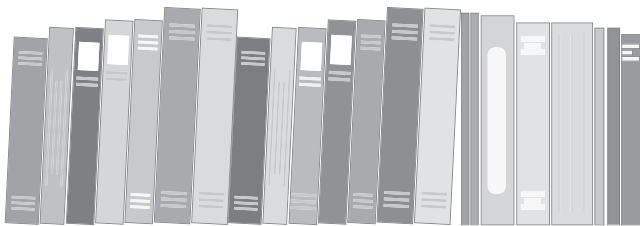


# Why Can't I Skip My 20 Minutes of Reading Tonight?



## 90<sup>th</sup> percentile

Student A reads 20 minutes each day—  
3,600 minutes in a school year  
1,800,000 words per school year



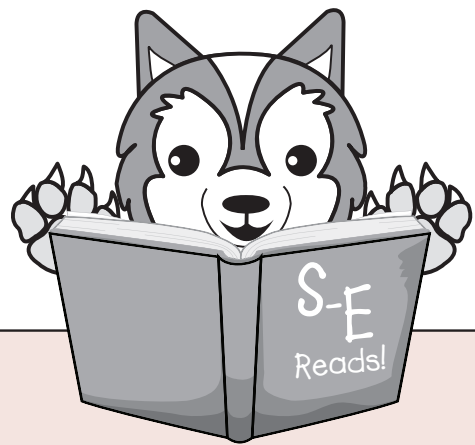
## 50<sup>th</sup> percentile

Student B reads 5 minutes each day—  
900 minutes in a school year  
282,000 words per school year



## 10<sup>th</sup> percentile

Student C reads 1 minute each day—  
180 minutes in a school year  
8,000 words per school year



By the end of 6th grade:

- Student A will have read the equivalent of 60 whole school days.
- Student B will have read only 12 school days.

Which student would you expect to have a better vocabulary?

Which student would you expect to be more successful in school . . . and in life?

(Nagy & Herman, 1987)

# SHERBURNE-EARLVILLE COMMUNICATIONS

To help parents and community members know the best way to communicate with the school, we have created a chain of command guideline that should be a helpful resource. By contacting the following people in the order listed, your questions and concerns can be dealt with more efficiently.

For Questions About	1st Contact	2nd Contact	3rd Contact	4th Contact
<b>Academics</b>	Teacher	School Counselor	Building Principal	Superintendent
<b>Athletics</b>	Coach	Athletic Director	Superintendent	
<b>Behavior</b>	Teacher	Asst. Principal	Building Principal	Superintendent
<b>BOE Policies</b>	District Clerk	Superintendent	Board of Education	
<b>Budget</b>	Asst. Supt.	Superintendent		
<b>Building Use</b>	Head Custodian	Building Principal	Asst. Supt.	Superintendent
<b>Cafeteria</b>	Cafeteria Mgr.	Asst. Superintendent	Superintendent	
<b>Classroom Procedures</b>	Teacher	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Co-Curricular</b>	Advisor	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Facilities</b>	Head Custodian	Asst. Superintendent	Superintendent	
<b>Health Office</b>	Building Nurse	Building Principal	Superintendent	
<b>Scheduling</b>	Teacher	School Counselor	Building Principal	Superintendent
<b>Special Education</b>	Teacher	Building Principal	CSE Chairperson	Superintendent
<b>Transportation</b>	Bus Driver	Trans. Supervisor	Building Principal	Superintendent

## Important Contact Numbers

<b>Superintendent</b> .....	<b>674-7330</b>
Assistant Superintendent.....	674-7365
District Clerk.....	674-7330
<b>Head Custodian</b> .....	<b>674-7329</b>
<b>Transportation Supervisor</b> .....	<b>674-7353</b>
<b>Food Service Director</b> .....	<b>674-7323</b>
<b>Athletic Office</b> .....	<b>674-7375</b>
<b>High School Office</b> .....	<b>674-7380</b>
High School Principal .....	674-7380
High School Assistant Principal .....	674-7380
<b>Middle School Office</b> .....	<b>674-7350</b>
Middle School Principal .....	674-7350
Middle School Assistant Principal .....	674-7350
<b>MS/HS Nurse</b> .....	<b>674-7314</b>
<b>MS/HS Attendance</b> .....	<b>674-7325</b>
<b>Elementary Office</b> .....	<b>674-7336</b>
Elementary Principal.....	674-7336
Elementary Assistant Principal .....	674-7336
<b>Elementary Nurse</b> .....	<b>674-7389</b>
<b>Special Education Office</b> .....	<b>674-7347</b>
Special Education Director.....	674-7347

## Board of Education

### Meeting Schedule 2019-20

The Sherburne-Earlville Board of Education adopted the following board calendar for the 2019-2020 school year during its regular meeting May 13, 2019.

<b>July</b>	<b>December</b>	<b>May</b>
2 Org. Mtg.	9 Regular Mtg.	11 Regular Mtg. and Budget Hearing
15 Board Retreat	<b>January</b>	19 Vote on Budget (No Regular Mtg.)
<b>August</b>	6 Regular Mtg.	
12 Regular Mtg.	27 Regular Mtg.	
26 Regular Mtg.	<b>February</b>	
<b>September</b>	10 Regular Mtg.	
16 Regular Mtg.	<b>March</b>	<b>June</b>
<b>October</b>	2 Regular Mtg.	8 Regular Mtg.
7 Regular Mtg.	23 Regular Mtg.	22 Regular Mtg.
21 Regular Mtg.	<b>April</b>	
<b>November</b>	20 Special VOTE Mtg. (BOCES Budget/BOE Members w/ reg. mtg.)	
4 Regular Mtg.		
18 Regular Mtg.		

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# SHERBURNE-EARLVILLE CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

## MISSION STATEMENT

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## VISION STATEMENT

- 🐾 To achieve excellence by providing a rewarding and challenging environment.
- 🐾 To raise tolerance levels on the part of all students and staff that will result in a safe, non-threatening, healthy environment.
- 🐾 To promote positive relationships between and within the school and community.

### TO ACCOMPLISH THE MISSION AND VISION, SECSD WILL ADHERE TO THE FOLLOWING:

- 🐾 The UPK-12 instructional program comes first.
- 🐾 We will develop and use a comprehensive curriculum, common assessments, and exit outcomes.
- 🐾 We will have an accurate, annual assessment of each student's capabilities.
- 🐾 We expect all staff to live up to the beliefs of the District.
- 🐾 We expect that all staff engage in professional development.
- 🐾 We will set goals and measure the progress of District programs on a yearly basis.
- 🐾 We will treat people with dignity.
- 🐾 We will not tolerate racial, ethnic, gender, or religious stereotyping or discrimination.
- 🐾 We will not allow an individual to interfere with the educational process.
- 🐾 We will reexamine the stated Mission, Vision, and Beliefs every five years.

## BELIEF STATEMENTS

- 🐾 School needs to challenge every individual.
- 🐾 Learning is a lifelong process.
- 🐾 Education enables individuals to achieve personal success in a changing world.
- 🐾 The uniqueness of every individual is valued and developed.