Graduation Honors

Valedictorian

With a cumulative academic weighted average of 103.145, Cristian Malone is the Westhill High School Class of 2021 Valedictorian. Cristian has maintained an extremely rigorous course schedule throughout high school and is a member of the National Honor Society and the Tri-M National Honor Society for Music. He is a recipient of the NYSED Academic Excellence Award and earned the Old English “W” Award for his fourth year in a row. Cristian also received the Giemza-Balduzzi scholarship for students pursuing careers in science and engineering, the NYS Comptroller Achievement Award, the Most Outstanding Engineering Student Award and was a National Merit Scholarship Commended Student. Outside of the classroom, Cristian is an accomplished athlete and musician, playing a key role on the football team as an offensive and defensive lineman, participating in Jazz and Percussion Ensemble and performing with his own band at local events and venues. Cristian plans to attend the Rochester Institute of Technology in the fall, majoring in computer science with the intention of pursuing a career in biomedical technology or cyber-forensics. Congratulations to Cristian Malone for becoming the Westhill High School Class of 2021 Valedictorian.

Salutatorian

With a cumulative academic weighted average of 102.098, James Hunt is the Class of 2021 Salutatorian. James has challenged and excelled in the most difficult courses offered at Westhill High School. He is a member of the National Honor Society and the Spanish National Honor Society. He is a 2021 recipient of the NYSED Academic Excellence Award, the NYS Comptroller Achievement Award, the Old English “W” Award and the Excellence in the Study of Spanish Award. James is also a talented athlete, participating in our golf, baseball and basketball programs during his four years at Westhill High School. James was also a member of the Academic Decathlon team for four years, leading the team to a New York State Championship his senior year. James will attend Duke University in the fall majoring in computer science and engineering with the intention of working in the field of machine learning. Congratulations to James Hunt for becoming the Westhill High School Class of 2021 Salutatorian.
Westhill High School

Most Outstanding Boy and Girl

The Most Outstanding Boy and Girl is a tradition established by Westhill’s founders. Students who are named Most Outstanding Boy and Girl receive such honors because they have been identified as representing the entire Westhill High School program. They not only achieve academically, but also are involved in a variety of school activities and give service to the school. A committee of teachers, administrators, and students choose the Most Outstanding Boy and Girl.

Outstanding Girl

Makenna Robbins was selected as the Class of 2021 Most Outstanding Girl. Makenna earned an academic GPA of 95.467, having completed Honors Level, AP and OCC course work during her high school career. She will attend Hofstra University in the fall, studying Public Relations and Sustainability with the intention of working in those fields for the National Parks Service or Disney. She is a member of the National Honor Society, the National American Chemical Society, served as Vice President of the senior class and as secretary of the Yearbook leadership team. Makenna was the recipient of the NYS Comptroller Achievement Award and the Outstanding Math Achievement Award her senior year. Outside of the classroom, Makenna contributed to the Westhill Masquers Club musical productions, was a member of our varsity soccer and lacrosse teams and picked up pole-vaulting during a few indoor track seasons as well. Makenna played an instrumental role in planning and organizing the many end-of-year senior activities for the Class of 2021, helping to create a memorable finish to a challenging senior year for everyone. Congratulations to Makenna Robbins for being selected as the 2021 Westhill High School Most Outstanding Girl.

Outstanding Boy

The class of 2021 Most Outstanding Boy award recipient is Harshdeep Banga. Harshdeep graduated with a 96.467 academic GPA and will attend SUNY ESF and then SUNY Upstate Medical University to pursue a BS/MD degree with the intention of becoming a surgeon. Harshdeep completed Honors Level and AP course work during his high school career and is a member of the National Honor Society, Tri-M National Honor Society for Music, National Technical Honor Society and was awarded the NYS Comptroller Achievement Award. Harshdeep was an active member of our school community, serving as Student Council Treasurer as well as being a member of French Club, Ecos Club, Future Business Leaders and Ski Club. Athletically, Harshdeep participated in tennis, track and cross country over his four years at Westhill High School. Congratulations to Harshdeep Banga for being selected as the 2021 Westhill High School Most Outstanding Boy.
Spring Teams Earn Section III Titles

Although they lost their spring season last year, Westhill had the opportunity to compete in a complete season that included post season sectional play this year. The Westhill boys’ lacrosse, boys’ track and field and girls’ track and field teams all brought home Section III titles. Along with team play, Westhill also had two individual Section III Champions. Catherine Dadey and Anthony Maglisco won individual sectional titles in golf. Congratulations to all of our spring athletes!
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Grade 12
Abraham, Amani
Agostini, Paige Elizabeth
Alam, Nailah
Bang, Harshdeep Singh
Bealer, Madison Jean
Bergett, Luke Jeffrey
Blossey, Emma Margaret
Bobbett, Jack Stewart
Bolesh, Olivia Kathleen
Caputo, Kvin Nicholas
Caron, Sophia Terese
Centore, Henry Joseph
Clancy, Ryan Michael
Clayton, Kyle Thomas
Conley, Meghan Elizabeth
Curley, Raeann Brooke
Derrenbacher, Eden Clara
Desanto, Anthony John
Dorfman, Cassie Grace
Doss, Jada Opal
Felter, Aidan Thomas
Felter, Tess Elizabeth
Fitzgerald, Anne Kate
Grooms, Griffin Richard
Howard, Treasure
Hunt, James Edward
King, Benjamin John
LaParne, Katherine Grace
Locke, Kassadi
Lougen, Justin James
Madigan, Emily Drew
Malone, Cristian Michael
Markham, Ella Marie
McManus, Maggie Rose
McPeak, Katherine Anne
Niezabytowski, Cameron Scott
Nowicki, Kylie Sierra
Powers, Jackson Lewis
Rey, Isabella Marie
Rinaldi, Hailey Marie
Robb, Ava Kathleen
Robbins, Makenna Elise
Romeo, Nicholas Jay
Rubino, Christian James
Ryan, Maeve Janice
Shanahan, Madison Reilly
Smith, Hope Christina
Speicher, Cael
Tarolli, Vincent Matthew
Thomas, Madison Alexis
Vigliotti, Andrea Lynn
Wiezalis, Amanda Kelly
Wilsch, Mairead Norine
Wisner, Taryn Anne
Wright, Caleb Paul
Yeates, Jack William
Zawadzki, Jake Evan
Zollo, Brooke Olivia

Grade 11
Adams, Abigail Katherine
Allen, Brian Alexander
Balduzzi, Sarah Marie
Battista, Kaylin Amanda
Burkett, Travis Michael
Campbell, Tyler Gage
Carkner, Daniel Jeffrey
Carrock, Daniel Peter
Carroll, Delaney Rose
Castracane, Anthony Michael
Centore, Sofia Grace
Colucci, Rachel
Daday, Catherine
Dhamoon, Harsimran
Eckert, Jillian Elizabeth
Elis, Angelina Rose
Formica, Charlotte Marilyn
Fountain, Kendall Marie
Gapemeri, Emily Jo
Gorman, Emma Kathryn
Gratien, Jonathan Daniel
Greeson, Benjamin Robert
Grooms, Riley Kathryn
Heinrich, Kate Rose
Hunter, Claire Terese
Johnston, Hannah Rose
Jones, Isabella Katherine
Kenny, Brian Anthony
Kestler, Ashley Marie
Kilaru, Narmada Sai
Kirkby Jr., Rodney
Loose, Kassidy Rae
Lyons, Lauren Elizabeth
MacCaul, Kyle Matthew
Mahar, Liam Patrick
Mannion, Brady O’Brien
Mathews, Alvin
McGlynn, Ella Marie
McMahan, Claire Caitlin
McQueeney, Julia Noel
Miggiann, Abigail Chloe
Milham, Julie Pauline
Mulholland, Brandon Michael
O’Connell, Gracelyn
Ostuni, Jordyn Rae
Patrice, Colleen Theresa
Pecheny, Natalia
Pens, Quinn Maria
Rodgers, Aidan Nicholas
Rosenberger, Kyle Joseph
Russell, Julia Marie
Sampo, Isabella Grace
Satalin, John Ryan
Starowicz, Hannah Louise
Thorton, Bridget Ann
Thorton, Lauryn Kathryn
Townsend, Michael David
Vanderhoff, Hailey J.
Walsh, Abigail Elizabeth

Grade 10
Abdefallah, Gisele
Ajagbe, Oluwafeyisore
Alt, Leonard
Antoine, Olivia Maive
Bealer, Morgan Sierra
Bendall, Katherine Jill
Bergett, Alexis Rose
Bistrovic, Sydney Elise
Bleskoski, Julianne Terese
Bolesh, Ashley Susan
Bryant, Keegan Michael
Brzostowski, Mikayla Rose
Caccamo, Mackenzie Erin
Carter, Ashley Knobel
Centore, Bohdan Patrick
Clos, Mallory Margarete
Colon, Gisselle Anais
Conley, Shannon Marie
Cotrell, Abigail Mae
Covin, Alexander
Curtis, Julian
Cusimano, Zantana Lorraine
Czaplinski, Kalista Jane
DeFabbio, Michael
Derrick, James Robert
Dillabough, Karly
Donadio, Alexandra Elizabeth
Donegan, Ryan Flaherty
Dwyer, Megan
Feliu, Kaelin Grace
Freeman, Alyvia Noelle-Joy
Galante, Joseph
Gilhooley, Rachel Louise
Gilmartin, Luke
Gonella, Olivia
Goode, Aidan William
Graf, Simon Michael
Heise, Mackenzie Grace
Holowinski, Olivia Marie
Hopkins, Ileana Elizabeth
Horner, Lizzie
Hynes, Lee Michael
Kelly, McKenna Eileen
Kerr, Aidan Jay
Kinsella, Lilyanna
Klamm, Domenica Marie
LoFaro, Nicole
Lowery, Adelaide Margaret
Lubel, Margaret Anna
Markham, Iris Mary
McGann, Karlie Elizabeth
McQueeney, Lia Clare
Miliello, Samuel
Militi, Vittoria
Naughton, Ryan
Nicoll, Bailee
Nowicki, Justin Jacob
Osorio, Anthony
Pagano, Anthony Christopher
Pawelczyk, Amanda
Piedmont, Aiden Allen
Polcaro, Elizabeth
Popp, Abigail Rose
Richardson, Brady Stephen
Richmond, Olivia Jean
Robinson, Janiah Jada
Roesch, Teresa
Rogers, Sean Patrick
Rose, Kennedy Elizabeth
Rosenberger, Anna Kerr
Roth, Charlotte
Ryan, Aidan Christopher
Schmitz, Hannah Elizabeth
Scrimale, Nicoletta Rose
Sisson, Caitlin Kelly
Snyder, Mary Katherine
Starowicz, Emmet
Stephenson, Sean Michael
Stewart, Sincere Jamir
Taber, Bradyn Shea
Terrinoni, Natalie Marie
Thabet, Ilham
Thomas, Brady Charles
Trzonkowski, Mark Joseph
Varco, Enzo Giuseppe
Vaughan, Abbey
Walker, Delaney Jean
Young, Devin Thomas

Grade 9
Allahar, Gabrielle
Allen, Bridget Claire
Altheblah, Ayesha
Altheblah, Hasan
Amorese, Vincent Stefan
Battista, Megan Elizabeth
Borne, Gavin Reed
Burdick, Bryce Griffith
Caloia, Cade Anthony
Campanella, Jack Salvatore
Carfagno, Sophia Ann
Carroll, Alden
Cotrell, Catherine Grace
Curriden, Morgan Cameron
DeMore, Charles
Deno, Peyton James
DeSanto, Emma
Dimovski, Sofia Maria
Edlund, Shamus Vincent
Enriquez, Grace Isabel
Falcone, Taylor Kathleen
Finnerty Jr., Sean Peter
Formica, Lauren Elizabeth
Goodness, Hannah Grace
Gratien, Joshua Daniel
Gray, Gracelyn
Grosh, Adriana Jane
Herrera, Elle Madison
Ireland, Mason Alan

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All 20-21 Westhill Teams Earn NYSPHSAA Academic Honors

At the end of each sports season, the New York State Public High School Athletic Association (NYSPHSAA) honors those teams and individuals that excel in the classroom. Those student-athletes, teams and schools work very hard throughout the year and deserve to be recognized for their academic success. To receive Scholar-Athlete team recognition, the team’s average GPA for 75% of the roster must be greater than or equal to 90.00. If a team does not meet the Scholar-Athlete Team Criteria, the individuals on that team with a 90.00 or above GPA are considered an Individual Scholar-Athlete.

This year all of the Westhill athletic teams earned NYSPHSAA Academic honors. These teams include: boys’ cross country, girls’ cross country, boys’ soccer, girls’ soccer, volleyball, football, girls’ swimming and diving, girls’ tennis, boys’ tennis, boys’ basketball, girls’ basketball, girls’ indoor track and field, boys’ indoor track and field, ice hockey, boys’ swimming and diving, boys’ lacrosse, girls’ lacrosse, baseball, softball, girls’ golf, boys’ tennis, boys’ outdoor track and field and girls’ outdoor track and field.

Westhill student athletes are committed in the classroom and on the athletic fields and courts. Congratulations 2020-2021 student athletes on your successes in the classroom!
Onondaga Hill Middle School

Doug Hutson Leadership Award

Congratulations to Joseph Pirong and Jocelyn Caputo who were awarded the Doug Hutson Leadership Award at 8th Grade Moving Up Night. The Doug Hutson Leadership Award was established to honor Mr. Hutson, retired principal of OHMS, who dedicated nearly 20 years of service to the Westhill School District. Each year, one 8th grade boy and one 8th grade girl are selected according to the established selection criteria; which includes standing up for others, making good choices and treating each other with respect and compassion. Congratulations, Joseph and Jocelyn!

Tara McMahon Award

The Tara McMahon Award was established to honor Tara who was a well-known student who passed away in 2016. One 8th grade boy and one 8th grade girl is selected each year to honor Tara. The criteria include, a passion for music, caring and compassionate and includes peers in activities. This year’s winners are Morgan Heise and Abdel Aboushanab. Congratulations!

Kathy Tompkins Positive Spirit Award

The Kathy Tompkins Positive Spirit Award has been established by retired and current staff members of Onondaga Hill Middle School to honor the enduring legacy of Kathy Tompkins. As a beloved teacher and friend, she inspired those around her, especially young singers and theater lovers during her 24 year career as music teacher at Onondaga Hill Middle School. Mrs. Tompkins was known by all for her kindness and compassion, as well as her tenacity in inspiring students to shine. The criteria include; views each day with a positive attitude, motivates those around him/her with spirit and enthusiasm, treats others with respect and compassion and shows an interest in/appreciation for music and the arts, especially theater. This year’s winners are Owen Mulholland and Emily Rienhardt.
Word Artists

Mrs. Feyerabend’s 5th grade artists designed and scratched inspirational words on scratchboards with an emphasis on patterns and borders. This collection of charming wall hangings was created by Grace Stroman, Schuyler Auringer, Fiona Starowicz, Rider Mercurio, Bilal Abraham and Scott Martin. Well done, 5th graders!

Monsters vs. Aliens!

The 6th graders in Mrs. Feyerabend’s art class had just enough time to complete one last project before the 24th of June, so Monsters vs. Aliens was the answer! The artists built an armature using foil and wire, which was followed up with a layer of plaster, then paint, resulting in a pretty remarkable collection of creatures. Plaster was new to most of the students, so that made this project even more interesting. Shown here with their creations are Zoe Zuckerman, Mary Kinney and Arianna Hemingway.

Final Art 8 Project

What a way to end a career with this amazing group of 8th grade artists! These marvelous students are working on “Pop Art Paper Mâché” sculpture.

Shown here are:
Lauren Kimball, modifying a pair of sunglasses for her papier-mâché goldfish.
Ari Bressler, mixing paints to apply to her basket, which is home to her papier-mâché “marshmallow peep”.
Caleigh Kelly is painting a huge DD iced coffee.
Cecilia Rumschik is painting a large bunch of cherries.
Max Griffin is working on his very sturdy truck, complete with headlights (LED candles).
Colin Kelly is busy painting his Brisk iced tea.
Jose Lopez is constructing a huge watch.

This class jumped right in and every one of them worked diligently right up to the very last moment. Great job artists, these students will be missed!
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Grade 8 High Honor
Aboushanab, Abdelmeguid
Ajagbe, Oluwafeyisike Oluwatofunmi
Alt, Mailie Mae
Antoine, Ava
Baty, Ava
Bergett, Grace
Burkett, Samantha
Burns, Phoebe
Caputo, Jocelyn
Cardoso, Anthony Carlos
DeLine, William
Detor, Claire Ann
Dorfman, Molly Claire
Esposito, Stephen Gabriel
Fitzgerald, Nora Mary
Gedney, Ellianna Kathleen
Gorman, Emma
Gumaer, Phoebe
Hange, Georgia Anna
Heise, Morgan Lindsay
Henesey, Luke
Holowinski, Aubrey
Joyce, Camaryn
Kelly, Caleigh Grace
Kimball, Lauren
Klamm, Jeremiah James
Kodoe, Godwin Yayra
LaReau, Abigail
MacBain, Sydney
Mathews, Camryn Jaye
McCann, Julie
Medeiros, Sydney
Metzgar, Julian
Mulholland, Owen
Murphy, Emma
Pawelczyk, Ashley
Popp, Edward Thomas
Ramsing, Cadence Marie
Rienhardt, Emily
Rodriguez, Olivia Victoria
Rose, Conor James
Rosenberger, Kara
Sheridan, Riley
Sipley, Laney
Starowicz, Avery Grace
Tarolli, Evangelina Grace
Taylor, Emily
Thabet, Ramzi
Thabet, Sabri
Valenti, Sophia Ann

Grade 8 Honor
Abdeljafara, Amana
Abhedrabah, Razan
Allen, Tate
Balduzzi, Emily
Bova, Michael James
Cowin, Timothy
Cusimano, Rocco Nicholas
Eldred, Zane
Ferrer-Menendez, Emma Lira
Getz, Austin William
Goral, Kaylee Ann
Goral, Mya
Hayes V, Robert
Herring, Quinn
Jetter, Siena
Kelly, Colin William
Mattox, Aliyah Elizabeth
Merrick, Blake Thomas
Pichoske, Thaddeus
Pirong, Joseph Michael
Robinson, Omar
Roesch, Elizabeth Rose
Sampo, Anthony Richard
Scalan, William
Scheel, Nicholas
Shiel, Colin Ryan
Sisack, Emily
Stanton, Laura Rose

Grade 7 High Honor
Aguayo, Isabella Amada
Amidon, Aiden Christopher
Anderson, Elizabeth Helen
Bruzdzinski III, John Francis
Cognato, John Michael
Czaplicki, Benjamin Charles
Downs, Blake Aaron
Eckert, Anna Mary
Ganley, Caroline Eloise
Goode, Delaney Christa
Goode, Hadley Martha
Goodness, Jackson Edward
Gorman, Grace Mary
Hayes, John Edward
Holleran, Liam Daniel
Holstein, Eric Vaughn
Hunt, Thomas John
Jackson, Anna May
Kenny, Ronan Padraig
Kenny, Tiernan Eoin
King, Kayleigh Joan
Lopez, Collin Ramiro
Mondo, Andrew Jacob
Napolitano, Stella Camille
Olesh, Anita
Pens, Kellen Shepherd
Pope, Sienna
Prince, Elias
Rice, Lorenzo
Roach, Meara Jade
Ryan, Molly Kathleen
Sadowski, Andrew James
Sainsbury, Claire Elizabeth
Sainsbury, Ryan Edmund
Scarfino, Dominic Francis
Schmitz, Lily Marie
Sommer, Adele Kathryn
Soule, Madelyn Rose
Sparks, Olivia Michelle
Speer, Trinity
Swierk, Paige Marie
Thabet, Layal Adam
Thabet, Rudayna Nagib
Turner, Braelyn Elizabeth
Tyszka, Alexander Raymond
Vaughan, Margaret Colleen
Ward, Alexis Veronica
Wilson, Carter Wayne
Wright, Reagan Cathryn
Young, Katherine Rose

Grade 7 Honor
Alogaily, Sultan Abdulrahman
Amorese, Gabriel Paul
Buckley, Grace Marie
Buell, Addison Ann
Burke, Kiley Reagan
Campanella, Tyler David
Carroll, Miles Alexander
Carruthers, Adelynn Grace
Curtis, Fenris Takahiro
D’Agostino, Elizabeth Mary
Drumm-O’Brien, Emma Lynn
Franco, Mason Richard
Gilhooley, Brendan William
Hayes, Selina Kathryn
Hoffman, Sophia Rose
Kincaid, Cormac James
Kohanski, Adriana Julia
Langham, Allison McKinlea
May, Ella
McKeon, Hunter Robert
Militi, Eva Concetta
Mullen, Eileen
Ortiz, Leila Susan
Perry, Alexa Jordyn
Petrone, Calvin Daniel
Ramos, Carlos
Richardson, Carter William
Rudiger, Abigail Leyden
Satalin, Erin Elizabeth
Shephard, Madicine Lyn
Shepherd, Ellis Jaxon
Sierotnik, Christopher John Jr.
Somers, Adelynn Rose
Stroman, Peter Edward
Vitale, Dominic James
Wilbur, Jena Marie
Grade 6 High Honor
Allen, Max Murphy
Altheblah, Brahim Akram
Bagnell, Tatum Claire
Bruzdzinski, Lottie Rose Elizabeth
Cardoso, Nicolas Zanaga
Choe, Austin Jongwoo
Conroy, Mackenzie Anne
DeLine, Lucas Adam
DeMore, Lucy Kathleen
DeTomaso, Giana Grace
Detor, Mary Katherine
Finnerty, Ryan Fahey
Gallardo, Isabella Maria
Gehm, Tyler Joseph
Hemingway, Arianna Diana-Rayne
Henesy, Matthew James
Hern, Louis Christopher
Hodkinson, Anna Genevieve
Ide, Caitlin
Jackson, Jake Thomas
Johnston, Liam Patrick
Kelly, Claire Elizabeth
Kelly, Teagan Tomol
Kimball, Samantha Emily
Kinney, Mary Grace
Kodoe, Andrea-Ann Kafui
Krenrich, Kaillinn Ann
Lasher, Sophia Rose
MacLachlan, Thomas Edward
McGann, Sean
McNeilly, Hazel Lynn
McRae, Ayanah
Montalto, Adelina Theresa
Moore, James Patrick
Murphy, Kaylin Grace
Nagraj, Mariana Rose
Pawelczyk, Allison Grace
Rogers, Reagan Elizabeth
Rouse, Brielle Charlie
Scarlone, Charles Edward
Sobotka, Mariusz Corliss
Soul, Eva Marie
Spasevski, Ivana
Thabet, Dhuha Ibrahem
Thabet, Edhem Abdullwhhab
Vashchishin, Samuel
Walker, Elyse Rhiannon
West, Emma Rose
Wilmot, Owen
Young, Daniel William
Young, Trevor
Zuckerman, Zoe Rose

Grade 6 Honor
Abdallah, Sadeen Omran
Alberts, Adeline Rose
Allen, Brooke Catherine
Austin, Nevaeh Marie
Boston, Adaoma Nancy
Chandler, Samantha Lin
Clarry, Bryson Eli
Collins, Aiden Michael
Columbus, Kailyn Brianne
Conley, Colleen Mackenzie
D’Agostino, Claire Catherine
Edlund, Kiera Ann
Ellis, Christine Elizabeth
Enright, Aaliyah Rosemary
Frasier, Jackson Robert
Gillis, Hannah Eileen
Goldman, Chase Andrew
Gray, Owen Benjamin
Hall, Ethan Matthew
Heald, John-Paul Joseph
Hornig, Grace Margaret
Johnson, Sophia Anne
Judge, Charles Michael
MacMaster, Natalie
Marshall, Ava Mary
Mersfelder, Tyler William
Murphy, Lucy Nicole
Northrup, Jolynn
Par, Tluang
Pease, Logan Edward
Plochocki, Thomas Alexander
Primiano, Eulalia Mary
Rowley, Nevaeh Marie
Ryan, Eliette Jade
Shephard, Mathew George
Taylor, Addison Marie
Terek, Aiden John
Thompkins, Amora
Wallace, Ashton
White, De’Kota Marcel
Williamson, Cayden Edward

Spanish Spelling Bee

This past May, the 8th graders of Profesora Maglente had their own Spanish spelling bee with 90 students participating. Words were chosen from 7th and 8th grade vocabulary topics for the first round, written portion. From there, the top 14 spellers stayed during lunch and competed in the oral portion of the bee. Students had to spell the Spanish words out loud using the pronunciation of the Spanish alphabet, including accent marks! The winning word was QUINIENTOS which means five hundred. These 3 students won Panera and Amazon gift cards. Here are the top three winners! ¡Buen trabajo a todos! ¡Felicidades!

First Place - Julián Metzgar
Second Place - Claire “Olivia” Detor
Third Place - Ava “Luna” Antoine
Students of the Month

May
5th Grade: Averie Cognato comes to school each day with a smile on her face. She is a hard worker who always gives 100%. Averie is kind to her peers and cooperative with her teachers. Most importantly, she demonstrates many of our P2 strengths on a daily basis.

6th Grade: JoJo Northrup is a new student to OHMS this year. She comes to school everyday with a smile and is ready to do her best. She has a true love for learning and is always optimistic, even when faced with a challenge. JoJo loves to tell creative jokes to make others laugh. She truly brightens each day here at OHMS!

7th Grade: Claire Sainsbury is such a delightful, organized and creative person to work with! She was instrumental in designing, painting and constructing many of the background scenes for “Sage” the musical. Claire is a very caring and thoughtful person who truly exemplifies Student of the Month.

8th Grade: Teddy Popp is a hardworking student who has been very successful this year. He has a great sense of humor and appreciates the good he sees in other people. Teddy is also kind and empathetic, and he makes any group better by being a part of it because he listens and works well with everyone.

June
5th Grade: Joe Marinelli is an overall nice young man. He works well with his peers and is accepting of others. Joe’s sense of humor and creativity make him fun to have in class. He also enjoys sharing personal stories which helps him to connect with others on a deeper level. On a daily basis, Joe invests time and effort into every assignment.

6th Grade: Dan Young is a leader in and outside of the classroom. He positively supports his peers and models integrity. He demonstrates bravery through his willingness to participate in the classroom and is an excellent friend who is always looking out for others.

7th Grade: Trinity Speer is responsible, works hard and is a very dedicated student. She is kind to her classmates and teachers and is always very respectful. Trinity is an important part of the OHMS family.

8th Grade: Julie McGann is a great leader in class and has an excellent work ethic. She is always willing to put her best effort into anything and everything that she does. Her positive attitude and optimism are rare but contagious to those around her. Julie is also a very talented artist. Keep up the good work, Julie!

Westhill Welcomes New Superintendent

The Westhill Central School District would like to extend a warm welcome to its new Superintendent of Schools, Mr. Stephen Dunham.

Prior to joining Westhill, Mr. Dunham served as Director of Secondary Education and Middle School Principal in the West Genesee School District. He was previously an Assistant Principal and 6th grade social studies teacher at West Genesee. Mr. Dunham earned his Bachelor’s Degree from Ithaca College, his Master’s Degree from Le Moyne College and his Certificate of Advanced Study from SUNY Cortland.

Mr. Dunham has been working closely with Mr. Barduhn to ensure a smooth transition into his new role. We are very excited to have him as our Superintendent of Schools. Welcome aboard, Mr. Dunham!
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Marion Parsons Achievement Award

The Marion Parsons Achievement Award is awarded to a boy and girl in the fourth grade class that exemplifies the qualities Mrs. Parsons held most dear to her. Having a high moral character, being a well-developed citizen, achieving scholastically across the year and having a set of diversified interests all make students eligible for this award. This award recipient is determined through a collaboration between the fourth grade teachers and the administrator at Cherry Road School. This year’s winners are Brynna Sisack and Nicholas Ellis.

Ron Hill School Spirit Award

The Ronald Hill School Spirit Award is awarded to a separate fourth grade boy and girl that demonstrate exemplary character traits that Mr. Hill exemplified while principal at Cherry Road. Some of these traits include kindness, patience, empathy, a sensitivity towards fairness, a willingness to help others, being able to persevere when presented with challenges, as well as demonstrating a good sense of humor. This award recipient is also determined through a collaboration between all fourth grade teachers and the administrator at Cherry Road School. The 2020-2021 school year winners are Madilin Speer and Cassius Robinson.
Congratulations, Retirees!

Maggie Feyerabend, Kathy Hall, Casey Barduhn, Tina Shepardson, Jann Dingman, Mike Leuze and Greg Dennis

Missing: Dawn Casazza, Dan Kantak, Laurie Mollin, Carmela Raphael and Lisa Sammon