



SCS Announces Valedictorian & Salutatorian



Scio Central School is pleased to announce that the Class of 2014 valedictorian is Morgan Childs (*above left*) and salutatorian is Kayla Williams (*at top right*). The pair will address the 27 graduates and their guests at the Scio Central School commencement ceremony on June 27, 2014 at Scio Central School.

SCIO CENTRAL SCHOOL
"Experience Life Through Education"

The valedictorian and salutatorian must exemplify an academically exceptional student who has pursued a well-balanced program of studies while attending Scio Central School.

Morgan Childs is the daughter of Theresa and Bradley Childs of Scio. Morgan has demonstrated consistent dedication and effort towards her academic studies. Morgan has received numerous awards and honors throughout her years at Scio including: Academic Pins in Spanish, English, Social Studies, Visual Arts, Math, and Science; the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Medal in 2013; the Bausch and Lomb Honorary Science Award; and the New York State Education Department (NYSED) Scholarship for Academic Excellence in 2014. She was also inducted into the National Honor Society in 2013. In addition, she was a DAR Good Citizen Nominee, a Brady Academic Excellence Awards Nominee in 2014, and the Big 30 Academic Nominee in 2014.

Morgan has also been very active in extra-curricular activities and her community. She participated on varsity sports teams and she has been a volunteer recruiter for school-based American Red Cross Blood Drives and the Lions Club Journey for Sight. Morgan will be attending Saint John Fisher College in the fall to begin a post-secondary career in the field of pharmacy.

Kayla Williams is the daughter of Francis and Laura Williams of Scio. Kayla has



been the recipient of many awards for her hard work including: the Clarkson University Leadership Award in 2013; the NYSED Scholarship for Academic Excellence in 2013, Dollars for Scholars; and Academic Pins for Spanish, Music, and Visual Arts. She has also received the Administrator's ABLE Award in 2013 and she was inducted into the National Honor Society 2013. She was also a Times Herald Big 30 Nominee.

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Academic Awards Night Winners



Scio Central School held its annual Academic Awards Night June 5, 2014. The program commenced with students in grades 9-12 being recognized for their outstanding academic achievements. The high school faculty presented pins to students in twelve different areas of study.

Several college scholarship opportunities were awarded to juniors. The University of Rochester offered several scholarship opportunities. The Bausch and Lomb Award: Sydney Wight; The George Eastman Young Leaders Award: Mariah Greenman. The Fredrick Douglas & Susan B. Anthony Humanities and Social Studies Award: Clarissa Young; the Xerox Award: Daniel Duffy; each of these awards gives the student the option of applying and competing for a scholarship at the University of Rochester. Renassalear Polytechnic Institute offers a similar award and this year's winner is Caitlin Nolan. Clarkson gives two awards, the High School Leadership Award: Trevor Claypool and the High School Achievement Award: Katie Ownes. Wells College 21st Century Leadership Award went to Alexander Bender. Lawrence Tech University

awarded a scholarship opportunity to Adam Dodge. RIT also awarded two scholarship opportunities to: Caitlin Nolan and Alexander Bender.

The second half of the program recognized members of the Senior class who have shown academic excellence in their high school careers. Daren Black received The Marine Corps Semper Fidalis Award for Music, The Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete Awards were presented to Jordan Aftuck and Alexander Cornell, with Mathew Burdick receiving The Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence Award.

Dollars for Scholars awards were presented to the following: Jordan Aftuck, Brittany Clark, Matthew Ford, Tiffany Jandrew, Matthew Winchell, Matthew Burdick, Michael Fanton, Devon Green and Ryan Knapp (*see photo at top of page 3*).

Valedictorian and Salutatorian medals were presented to Morgan Childs and Kayla Williams (*see story on page 1*).

Honors Medals were presented to Morgan Childs, Tiffany Jandrew, Kasey Williams and Kayla Williams.

The Scio Lions Club gives scholarships to a Senior who has excelled in one of eleven areas of study. Alexander Cornell received Scio Lions Club Awards for Home Economics and Business. Matthew Burdick received Scio Lions Club Awards for Social studies and Computer Math. Tiffany Jandrew received awards from the Scio Lions Club in Art and Spanish. Scio Lions Club Music award was presented to Darian Black. Morgan Childs received Scio Lions Club Awards in Science, Math and English. Scio Lions Club Award for Technology was awarded to Tyson Logue. Other awards were the Arthur Cornwell Hydramec Award for Technology: Tyson Logue and the Norbert Shear Hydramec Award for Business: Alexander Cornell. The Virginia Cline Kruger Hogan Business Award: Quinton Perkins and the SCS Alumni Association award went to Kasey Williams and Matthew Winchell. The Steuben Trust Company Scholarship was awarded to Devon Green. The Alleghany County Pomona Grange #45 presented awards for perseverance to Matthew Ford.

Congratulations to all of the award winners!



Music News

The annual spring concert for grades 5-12 was held on Wednesday, May 28. The students' dedication and hard work were evident during a fantastic performance. More than 90 students participated, including five seniors who gave their last concert. Seniors honored for their years of service and participation in the music programs were Darian Black, Matt Burdick, Alex Cornell, Tiffany Jandrew, and Kasey Williams. We wish to thank them for their time and commitment. They will be missed.



Other awards of the night included solo festival recognition, All-County and area All-State participation. The Telesca foodie award, the most coveted honor, was given to Alex Cornell, for his role in the rigorous development of the instrumental music program. The choir recognized several MVPs (most valuable performers) for their level of dedication and their "lead by example" attitudes. The students recognized were Leila LaJoie, Nate Benson, Lee Graham, and Annelise Benedict.

The music department wishes to thank the parents, families, and friends of our performers for their continued and unwavering support. Without you, success would not be possible. Have a wonderful summer!



Dollars for Scholars Award Winners shown left to right: front row - Tiffany Jandrew, Jordan Aftuck, Brittany Clark, and Devon Green; back row - Matthew Burdick, Michael Fanton, Matthew Winchell, Ryan Knapp, and Matthew Ford.

Living Wax Museum

Scio fourth grade students presented the third Annual Living Wax Museum in June (*see photo at right and below*). Early in the year, each student chose a famous person to research and portray for the museum. While preparing to write their speeches, students practiced important research skills such as writing questions, taking notes, finding information in a text, creating a bibliography, and sharing their information.



Many parents, teachers, and students attended the event and enjoyed seeing the fourth graders portraying their famous figures and hearing them tell about their lives.



Kids Raise \$ for Animals



Silas, Nora, Jaelynn, Alayna and Brooklyn (not shown) worked hard collecting pledges and reading over 150 books during the Hornell Area Humane Society's Annual Read-A-Thon. All of their efforts paid off as they raised over \$200 for the shelter. A big "paws up" for our top reader, Jaelynn who raised \$160! Great work everybody!

Class of 2015 Meeting







All members of the Senior Class must attend the mandatory first class meeting of the year. This meeting will be held immediately following the Fall Sports meeting on August 14, 2014 and will be held in Mrs. Dunham's room. It is imperative that you and your parents attend this meeting to discuss our first fundraiser of the year and gather ideas for your senior trip.



July 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3	4 - Happy Independence Day!	5
6	7 - BOCES Summer School begins from 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Classes will be at the Wellsville High School or Cuba Elm Street.	8	9 - Board of Education Reorganization Meeting at 6:00 p.m. in the Elementary Library.	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23 - Soccer Camp w/Coach Karns from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	24 - Soccer Camp w/Coach Karns from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	25 - Soccer Camp w/Coach Karns from 8:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.	26 - Soccer Camp w/Coach Karns from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.
27	28 - PreK Home Visits - times will be determined by teacher and parent.	29 - PreK Home Visits - times will be determined by teacher and parent.	30 - PreK Home Visits - times will be determined by teacher and parent.	31		
	**All doors, other than the front entrance, will be locked during the school day.	- Please send any website updates over the summer to Mr. Childs at dchilds@scio.wvnyric.org	- Athletic Events see "digitalsports.com"	- College visits are posted on board outside of Student Services	- Seniors are reminded to bring copies of all college acceptance letters and scholarship offers to the Student Services Office	

August 2014

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				**All doors, other than the front entrance, will be locked during the school day.		
	4	5	6	7	8	9
	11 - Doug Miller Girls Soccer Camp - Varsity 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and Modified/JV 1:00-4:00 p.m.	12 - Doug Miller Girls Soccer Camp - Varsity 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and Modified/JV 1:00-4:00 p.m.	13 - Board of Education meeting at 6:00 p.m. in the Elementary Library. - Doug Miller Girls Soccer Camp - Varsity 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and Modified/JV 1:00-4:00 p.m.	14 - Parent/Athlete sports meeting (grades 7-12) for the 2014-2015 school year at 6:00 p.m. in the High School Gym. - Senior Class Magazine Sales meeting in Mrs. Dunham's room at 7:15 p.m. (right after the sports meeting). - Doug Miller Girls Soccer Camp - Varsity 9-12 and Modified/JV 1-4	15 - Last day of BOCES summer school. - Doug Miller Girls Soccer Camp - Varsity 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and Modified/JV 1:00-4:00 p.m.	16
	18 - JV and Varsity Soccer practice begins.	19	20 - 9th grade orientation at 6:00 p.m. in the auditorium.	21	22	23
	25 - Modified soccer practice begins	26 - PreK Meet & Greet from 5:00-6:30 p.m. in Room 129.	27	28	29	30
	September 3, 2014 is the 1st day of school for the 2014-2015 school year.	- Seniors are reminded to get their Senior Portraits taken.	- Please send any website updates over the summer to Mr. Childs at dchilds@scio.wyrc.org	- Athletic Events see "digitalsports.com"	- College visits are posted on board outside of Student Services	- Seniors are reminded to bring copies of all college acceptance letters and scholarship offers to the Student Services Office

Fall Sports Meeting

All students in grades 7-12 interested in playing a fall sport MUST ATTEND the Fall Sports meeting with their parents. This meeting will be held August 14, 2014 at 6 p.m. in the Auditorium. If you are unable to attend the meeting, you will need to contact our Athletic Director, Cindy Haas at 585-593-5510 x-1390 to make other arrangements in order to complete the proper forms.

Scio Varsity Sports Banquet

By Cindy Haas, Athletic Director

On Monday, June 9, more than 50 varsity athletes and their families gathered to celebrate the success achieved by the Scio sports teams this school year. Most Valuable and Most Improved Player Awards were given for each of the varsity programs, along with Coach's Awards and Special Recognition Awards for our 19 graduating varsity athletes. Our coaches recognized the many athletic accomplishments that were achieved by our teams, including four Allegany County League Champions (Boys Soccer, Cheerleading, Baseball and Softball), as well as two #1 seeds this year, by the Boys Basketball and Baseball Teams.

Thank you to our Scio Sports Boosters Club -- under the leadership of Cathy Farwell and Loren Knapp -- for all their support, hard work, and dedication this school year



THE GLASS FAMILY was inducted into the Scio Sports Boosters Hall of Fame. Shown left to right in photo are: Dave Glass, Lori Hennessey, Corrine Glass, and Ken Glass.

to our Scio Sports teams and athletes. Best SUCCESS as you leave SCS, and THANKS of luck to our seniors, we wish you MUCH for all the great memories!



SCS MOST VALUE PLAYER AWARD RECIPIENTS are shown left to right: Morgan Childs, Caitlin Nolan, Kristen Bowker, Sydney Wight, Kristopher Francisco, Devon Green, Trevor Claypool, Jordan Aftuck, and Matthew Ford.



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Kayla also participated in many extra-curricular activities such as Yearbook, History Club, STEM Club and Varsity Club. She was also enrolled in the New Visions Program; an honors-level program for students who plan to attend college and study in a health-related field. Kayla will be attending Jamestown Community College in the fall to pursue a degree and become a Nurse Practitioner, specializing in the field of Endocrinology.

Congratulations to you both and good luck in your future endeavors!

Jump Rope For Heart Event at SCS is Huge Success!

On Friday, February 14, our grades 4-8 students jumped all over heart disease and stroke by participating in Jump Rope For Heart. The students set a new SCS record raising \$4,400 for the American Heart Association (AHA), which funds research, programs and education to fight heart disease and stroke, our nation's No. 1 and No. 3 killers.

We had 36 students who raised at least \$50 for the AHA and earned a JRFH T-shirt including: fourth graders Lily Babbitt, Ricky Matthews, Joey Nickerson, Trace Woodruff, Lorlei Bloom, Brooke Budinger, Cory Field, Jayden Hitchcock, Trenton Jefferds, Allison Sumeriski, and Tierney White; fifth graders Alea Comstock, Blaze Dryer, Ariana Fields, Cheyenne Layman, Lauren Cicirello, Preston Kinnicutt, Emily Stilson, Josh Walsh, and Mya White; sixth graders Colten Alsworth, Analiese Babbitt, Kirsten Budinger, Gwen Lamphier, Ashlynn Scotchmer, and Caleb Webster; seventh graders Dyanna Coble, Nick Darling, Mackenzie Desotell, Kaitlyn Foster, Zach Howard, Carter Scholla, and Alyssa Trebik; eighth graders Kiera Hutchison, Ethan Jandrew, and Anya Matthews.

The TOP EIGHT FUNDRAISERS this year were: eighth grader Kiera Hutchison and sixth grader Colten Alsworth (both raising \$166); fifth grader Blaze Dryer (\$153.00); seventh grader Mackenzie Desotell (\$131); seventh grader Alyssa Trebik (\$119); fourth graders Trenton Jefferds and Jayden Hitchcock (both raising \$118); and seventh grader Carter Scholla (\$111).

"I'm so pleased with the success of this year's event," said Mrs. Cindy Haas, Jump Rope For Heart coordinator. "We all had a lot of fun, and the kids enjoyed learning about the importance of physical activity and how they can play a role in saving lives."

A BIG THANK YOU to all the students, teachers and staff, and the Scio Community for their generous support of this annual event!



SPECIAL AWARD RECIPIENTS pictured left to right: Kristopher Francisco, Devon Green, Brady Cumpston, Alex Cornell, Morgan Childs, Matthew Winchell, Matthew Ford, Daniel Owens, and Darian Black.



MOST IMPROVED PLAYER & COACH'S AWARD WINNERS shown L-R: Caitlin Nolan, Brooke Allen, Victoria Thompson, Mariah Geenman, Devon Green, Trevor Claypool, Jordan Aftuck, Matthew Ford, Matthew Burdick, and Darian Black.



Teen Book Festival

Thirteen Scio students attended this year's Teen Book Festival in Rochester. The festival (the largest of its kind in the world) is an opportunity to meet and talk with more than 30 authors of popular teen books. Our Scio students were excited to meet the authors and have their books signed by Jay Asher, Ellen Hopkins, Laurie Halse Anderson, E. Lockhart and more superstars of the book world.



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First Graders Love to Think and Play!

On Tuesday, June 3, the SCS first grade students traveled to the Rochester Museum of Play. It was a great day to explore, play and discover just how fun it is to use our brains to be creative thinkers! Thank you to all of our chaperones for making this trip a success!

