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*Newsletter of the Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Central School District*

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## Congratulations to GMU's Class of 2022!



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**Our Mission**

At Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Central School, we use an inclusive approach to cultivate confident individuals with the desire to take risks, value differences in others, experience new opportunities, and recognize the potential within themselves.

**Our Vision**

To provide an inclusive and equitable learning community that fosters life-long personal and academic growth for all students.

**Our Values**

- A Growth Mindset
- Essential Skills for Career Readiness
- Social-Emotional Wellness
- Inclusion and Equity
- Critical Thinking
- Meaningful Relationships

**Our Motto**

**"It's the Quality of the journey  
that counts!"**

**Superintendent's Message**

*Thank you for making the quality of the journey count!*



Congratulations to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Class of 2022, which graduated together in our auditorium June 24. On behalf of the Board of Education and the entire district staff, I would like to commend every student in our Class of 2022 and their families on a job well done!

We are very proud of our graduates and feel honored to have played a role in their personal and academic growth. Regardless of the path each has chosen to continue their life journeys, we wish all of our graduates the best of luck in their future endeavors.

Before the end of the 2021-2022 school year, we recognized the accomplishments of GMU's Class of 2022 with our Senior Walk through the hallways. In addition to celebrating our seniors, this annual event gives younger students a chance to start thinking about their future plans.

Teachers and staff found a number of creative ways to celebrate student accomplishments this year, including several on-campus events that were open to family and friends. We hope you enjoyed attending and participating in these special events and thank the community partners and businesses that sponsor one or more of the awards/scholarships our students earned.

Although school's out right now, our office staff is working through the summer to prepare for the 2022-2023 school year. If you need to reach us, our offices are open from 7:30 a.m.-4 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays during the summer. If you would like to meet with a specific staff member during the summer, we recommend calling ahead to schedule an appointment.

I would like to personally thank the entire GMU staff for their dedication during a difficult but rewarding 2021-2022 school year, as well as the parents, guardians and community members for their continued support of our students and programs. Thank you for helping us offer the highest quality of services to our students during their journeys through elementary and middle/high school at GMU!

Have a safe and restful summer!

*Annette Hammond, Superintendent  
Gilbertsville-Mount Upton CSD  
ahammond@gmucsd.org*

**Board of Education Meetings**

*All Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Board of Education meetings start at  
6 p.m.*

**2022**

July 6, Reorganization Meeting  
August 17, Regular Meeting  
September 14, Regular Meeting  
October 12, Regular Meeting  
November 16, Regular Meeting  
December 14, Special Meeting  
January 11, Regular Meeting

**2023**

February 15, Special Meeting  
March 15, Regular Meeting  
April 24, BOCES Vote  
May 9, Budget Hearing  
May 16, Budget Vote  
May 17, Regular Meeting  
June 14, Regular Meeting



## Team Bruce raises \$8,650 for cancer research!



GMU is proud to recognize bus driver Bruce Zimmer and students who raised \$8,650 during the annual St. Baldrick's fundraiser to support children's cancer research!

Team Captain Zimmer and seven GMU students shaved their heads during a March 19 live stream, one of several featuring participants from Chenango County and beyond. Zimmer also shaved off his trademark beard while helping to set a fundraising record for Team Bruce.

Team Bruce's efforts contributed to an event record of \$52,000 from 40 participants – easily surpassing last year's record of \$38,315. All proceeds benefit the St. Baldrick's Foundation, which supports more childhood cancer research grants than any other charity.

For more information on the St. Baldrick's Foundation, visit <https://www.stbaldricks.org/> online.

## Notice of Public Hearing

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Central School Board of Education will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, August 17, 2022 at 6:00 p.m., for the purpose of receiving any comments from the public with respect to the District Wide Safety Plan for 2022-2023.

To submit public comments prior to the meeting, send an email to GMU District Clerk: [jhayen@gmucsd.org](mailto:jhayen@gmucsd.org).

A copy of the proposed District-Wide Safety Plan is available for prior review from the District Clerk (request a copy by email: [jhayen@gmucsd.org](mailto:jhayen@gmucsd.org)) or on GMU's online Board of Education page under "District Documents 2022-2023" at <https://www.gmucsd.org/BoardofEd.aspx>.

## Planting the seeds of knowledge



Thanks to retired GMU teacher and local farm owner Barb Lilley for spending time with our students on National Agriculture Day (March 22)!

Barb read a story about planting seeds for food and where our food comes from, then discussed it with students in our library.

For more information on National Agriculture Day, visit <https://www.agday.org/> online.

## Campbell connects with Raiders!



GMU thanks award-winning songwriter Jared Campbell for sharing his original songs and stories of positivity and empowerment with our student body and staff on March 28!

Campbell has shared the stage with superstars such as Journey and the Zac Brown Band, and he did the same March 28 with GMU students.

Thanks to GMU Principal Heather Wilcox and Kindergarten Teacher Andrea Delmar for sharing pics, and be sure to visit our Facebook and Twitter pages to see video clips and more photos!

## GMU's 2022-23 School Budget passes

The Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Central School District's 2022-2023 Budget passed by an 84-15 vote Tuesday, May 17, 2022.

In addition to passing the District's \$10,695,500 proposed budget, GMU voters also elected Jeremy Pain, Brenda Friedel, Sarah Green and Chris Ostrander to the Board of Education.

## GMU CLASS OF 2022 AWARDS

*Congratulations to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Class of 2022 for receiving the following awards.*

### **Tammy Lynn Barnes**

Tammy will attend SUNY Oswego, majoring in Business Administration and minoring in Entrepreneurship.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship

### **Nathan Charles Barrows**

Nathan will enter the workforce.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit

### **Kadence Behnke**

Kadence will attend SUNY Oneonta, majoring in Sociology with a concentration in Pre Law.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award

### **Miranda Louise Carrabba**

Miranda will attend The University of New England, majoring in Marine Affairs.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- Morris Rotary Club Scholarship
- Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of New York
- Student Council Award
- Terence & Bridget McCusker Memorial Award

### **Skylar Andrew Clement**

Skylar will attend Alfred State College of Technology, majoring in Heavy Equipment & Truck, Diesel Technology and Auto Body Repair.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Gordon & Florence Thom Memorial Scholarship
- Christopher Fuller Memorial Scholarship

### **Angelina Faith Correll**

Angelina will attend The University at Albany, majoring in Business Administration with a concentration in Marketing.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- The Otis A. Thompsen Foundation Scholarship
- Alumni Association Scholarship
- Gordon Hughes Scholarship

### **Kailah Marie Davis**

Kailah will attend Cazenovia College, majoring in Studio Art.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award

### **Autumn Kathryn Diane Demarais**

Autumn will enter the Air Force.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit

### **Lane Dawson Dibble**

Lane has enlisted in the United States Army.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Guilford Historical Society History Award

### **Kaitlyn Angelia Finch**

Kaitlyn will attend Hartwick College, majoring in Nursing.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award

### **Amaya May Gilchrest**

Amaya will attend SUNY Delhi, majoring in Nursing.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship

### **Morgan Elizabeth Keuhn (Salutatorian)**

Morgan will attend SUNY New Paltz, majoring in Chemistry.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- 2022 Scholar Recognition Award

### **Joshua Scott Lawton**

Joshua will enter the workforce.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- The Mary Crim Special Education Memorial Award

### **Kylie Mae Lawton**

Kylie will enter the workforce.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- The Mary Crim Special Education Memorial Award

### **Brynne Elise Livelsberger**

Brynne will attend Cazenovia College, majoring in Studio Art and Arts Management.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- Alice V. Poole Memorial Award

### **Bree Lynn MacNeill**

Bree will attend SUNY Brockport, majoring in Social Work and minoring in dance.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- The Mildred G. and Robert K. Campfield Charitable Trust Scholarship



**Ashlyn Ceirria Marron**

Ashlyn will attend Alfred University, majoring in Psychology.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- Matt O'Hara Good Citizenship Scholarship

**Ryan Allen McCall**

Ryan will be attend SUNY Cobleskill, majoring in Environmental Studies.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Gilbertsville Fire Department Scholarship
- Mt. Upton Borden Hose Scholarship

**Dylan Michael McVey**

Dylan will enter the workforce and pursue a position in fiber-optic installation.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit

**Nicole Mary Meyers**

Nicole will attend Tennessee Tech University, majoring in Business Management.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship

**Madeline Rose Pain (Valedictorian)**

Madeline will attend Villanova University, majoring in Biology on a Pre-Health Track.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- Board of Education Scholarship
- Alumni Association Scholarship

**Dalton Ryan Proskine**

Dalton will be attend SUNY Cobleskill, majoring in Diesel Technology.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- Alumni Association Scholarship

**Lauren Lee Radwan**

Lauren will be attend SUNY Oneonta, majoring in Sociology.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award

**AJ Retz**

AJ will enter the workforce and continue in costume design.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit

**Payton Samuel Talbot**

Payton will enter the workforce; he is currently working for Fast Line Performance.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Thomas and Anne McGovern Kenne Memorial Awards

**Roman Gabriel Taranto**

Roman will attending SUNY Delhi, majoring in Education.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Tyler Costello Memorial Music Award

**Cameron Teale**

Cameron will attend SUNY Delhi, majoring in Culinary.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Patrick F Kenne Memorial Award

**Daniel Adrian Tompkins**

Daniel will attend SUNY Cobleskill, majoring in Diesel Technology.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award

**Kacie Danielle Turnbull**

Kacie will attend SUNY Delhi, majoring in Veterinary Science Technology.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clark Foundation Scholarship
- Board of Education Scholarship

**Daniel Rodney Chester Wagoner**

Daniel will enter the workforce and pursue a position in auto mechanics.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit

**Cinnamon Faye Williams**

Cinnamon will enter the workforce and pursue a position working with individuals with special needs.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit

**Skye Noelle Wilson**

Skye will attend Binghamton University, majoring in Psychology.

*Recipient of:*

- Joseph G. Angelino Certificate of Merit
- Marie Stokes Gilbert Award
- Clarks Foundation Scholarship
- Larry Pearsall Memorial Award
- Tyler Costello Memorial Award
- Board of Education Scholarship
- Alumni Association Scholarship
- Gilbertsville-Mt. Upton Teacher Association Scholarship
- Town Superintendents Association of Chenango County Scholarship
- Paul L. Gambacorto Teamsters Local 317 Scholarship

## Pain, Keuhn highlight GMU's Class of 2022

The Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Central School District is proud to announce the top five academic students in its Class of 2022!

GMU's graduating class is led by Valedictorian Madeline Pain and Salutatorian Morgan Keuhn. Skye Wilson, Amaya Gilchrest and Nicole Meyers round out GMU's top five seniors, who were formally recognized for their academic excellence during GMU's Class of 2022 Graduation Ceremony on June 24.

### Valedictorian Madeline Pain

Madeline has earned the honor of valedictorian for GMU's Class of 2022 with the highest grade-point average. She has maintained an impressive GPA throughout high school – with grades at or above 90 percent – while contributing to numerous extracurricular groups and activities. These activities have included National Honor Society, Student Council, soccer, and band. A well-rounded citizen in her community, Madeline has volunteered for our annual Veterans Breakfast and Community Clean-Up. Madeline also has worked various jobs, ranging from babysitting to waitressing at a local diner. When not studying, working, or volunteering, she likes to travel and enjoy time with family. Proud of her travels, she believes it has opened her mind to other ideas and perspectives.

### Salutatorian Morgan Keuhn

Morgan has earned the honor of salutatorian for GMU's Class of 2022 with the second highest grade-point average. This exceptional student who maintains a high GPA also finds time for club organization and participation. Her accomplishments include founding the Quiz Bowl Club to help better prepare student members for national-level competition. She also has held positions in the National Honor Society and Student Government. Morgan has given back to her community as a volunteer for our annual Veterans Breakfast and Community Clean-Up as well. Over the summer, she holds a job while still finding time to enjoy time with family and friends. Her hobbies include knitting, crocheting and wearing the many things she creates.

### Skye Wilson

Skye has earned the third-highest grade-point average for GMU's Class of 2022. She has been an excellent student and contributor to the GMU community throughout high school and has held prestigious positions such as Class President and Student Council Secretary. Skye also has participated in sports such as soccer and track and field. She is devoted to volunteering and making her community a better place. Examples include donating time to our annual Veterans Breakfast and raising money for various funds and sponsorships. She has been a valuable contributor to her Mock Trial



### CLASS OF 2022 TOP FIVE SENIORS

**Valedictorian**  
Madeline Pain

**Salutatorian**  
Morgan Keuhn

Skye Wilson

Amaya Gilchrest

Nicole Meyers

team as a lawyer and while building her leadership skills as a member of Leadership Club. Skye is always willing to help fellow students, supporting them in any way she can. Her caring and hardworking personality will help her succeed in whatever she sets her mind to.

### Amaya Gilchrest

Amaya has earned the fourth-highest grade-point average for GMU's Class of 2022. Transitioning from homeschooling to public school is not always easy, but Amaya has quickly adapted while maintaining an impressive GPA. She is currently enrolled in the New Visions Allied Health Program at DCMO BOCES, learning more about the health field and preparing for a future in nursing. An accomplished student with a strong work ethic, Amaya also has helped make GMU and her community better. Examples include working with horses through Northfield Farm, volunteering as an assistant to vets and vet-techs in her local Veterinary Clinic, and supporting youth at her local church.

### Nicole Meyers

Nicole has earned the fifth-highest grade-point average for GMU's Class of 2022. Always ambitious and determined, she consistently has produced exemplary work in and out of school. She has performed extremely well this school year in her TC3 college courses for Academic Writing/Approaches to Literature and Chemistry and Biology. Alongside her impressive academic accomplishments, Nicole participated in Mock Trial, National Honor Society, and Leadership Club (serving as president). Outside of school, Nicole has shown a big heart by helping support others in the greater community. Examples include volunteering at a soup kitchen in Norwich and working at her aunt's ice cream shop during the summer.

May the quality of your journey here help you soar into the next exciting, new chapter of your lives.

## Congratulations!



## END OF YEAR AWARDS

### GRADE 7



Congratulations to GMU seventh-graders who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year. Award-winners were recognized during a special ceremony on Monday afternoon at the auditorium.

#### **Behnke, Payton**

- National Association of Secondary Principal's Citizenship Award
- President's Education Award Gold Certificate
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 7
- Excellence in English 7
- Outstanding Effort in Technology 7
- Excellence in Science 7
- Outstanding Achievement in Careers 7
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

#### **Carney, Shane**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Leadership Award
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Effort in Technology 7
- Catskill Review Publication

#### **Cuozzo, Morgan**

- Participation in Modified Soccer

#### **Davis, Alexis**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Citizenship Award
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Junior Choir Member
- Outstanding Effort in Technology 7
- Participation in Modified Soccer

#### **DeGroat, Devin**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll

#### **French, Taylor**

- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 7
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

#### **Irons, Desirae**

- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level I Outstanding
- Outstanding Junior Choir Member
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Indoor Track

#### **Kendall, Brandon**

- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

#### **Mantellassi, Mia**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 7
- Excellence in Science 7

#### **Nober, Raymond**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Effort in Technology 7

#### **Norton, Peyton**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Leadership Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Excellence in English 7
- Outstanding Achievement in Math 7
- Outstanding Achievement in Careers 7
- Participation in Modified Soccer, Basketball, & Track & Field

#### **Vaccaro, William**

- President's Education Award Silver Certificate
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- Excellence in Science 7
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo

#### **Wilber, Rashaun**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll

#### **Wilber, Raven**

- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

### GRADE 8



Congratulations to GMU eighth-graders who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year. Award-winners were recognized during a special ceremony on Monday afternoon at the auditorium.

#### **Barnes, Jeffrey**

- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Modified Basketball

#### **Beach, Samuel**

- Butternut Valley Grange Award
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll

#### **Carpenter, Jenna**

- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 8
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

#### **Davis, Ryan**

- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Ensemble
- Excellence in Theatre Arts

#### **Dibble, Alice**

- Butternut Valley Grange Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 8
- Excellence in English 8
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 8
- Otsego All-County Junior Chorus
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level II Excellent
- Outstanding Junior Choir Member

- Excellence in Theatre Arts
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Softball

**Drapaniotis, Ioannis**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll

**Favinger, Andrea**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Leadership Award
- Boots Bernholtz Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 8
- Excellence in English 8
- Excellence in Science 8
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 8
- Outstanding Achievement in Careers 8
- Outstanding Achievement in Math 8
- Otsego All-County Junior Band
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo Level II Excellent
- Outstanding Concert Band Member
- Participation in Modified Cross Country, Basketball, & Track & Field

**Furgison, Alexia**

- Participation in Modified Basketball

**Hills, Katelyn**

- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo Level II Excellent
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Featured Role

**Howard, Bailey**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo

**Keuhn, Kyle**

- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

**Lindroth, Jade**

- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

**Lockwood, Madison**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Modified Soccer, Basketball & Softball

**Lytle, Cecilie**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Citizenship Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Social Studies 8
- Excellence in Science 8
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 8
- Outstanding Achievement in Careers 8
- Otsego All-County Junior Band
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo Level II Excellent
- Outstanding Concert Band Member
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Track & Field

**Marron, Mackenzi**

- President's Education Award Gold Certificate
- Healthy and Physically Active Student Award, presented by New York State Association of Health
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Excellence in English 8
- Excellence in Science 8
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 8
- Outstanding Achievement in 8th Grade Computers
- Participation in Modified Basketball

**Nolan, Kira**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 8

**Odell, Trenton**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Leadership Award
- Healthy and Physically Active Student Award, presented by New York State Association of Health
- Participation in Modified Basketball

**Page, Dylan**

- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll

**Perrine, Lillian**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Participation in Modified Basketball

**Plows, Alivia**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Modified Soccer

**Quiter, Kelsey**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Modified Basketball

**Rasmussen, Dannaka**

- President's Education Award Silver Certificate
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Excellence in English 8
- Excellence in Science 8
- Outstanding Achievement in Math 8
- Otsego All-County Junior Chorus
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

**Retz, Latham**

- National Association of Secondary School Principal's Citizenship Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll



- Otsego All-County Junior Band
- Outstanding Concert Band Member
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

#### **SanSoucie, Blake**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

#### **Smith, Paige**

- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

#### **Vitek, Alivia**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Modified Basketball

#### **Williams, Kaylin**

- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo
- Participation in Modified Soccer & Basketball

#### **Yasser, Adam**

- Boots Bernholtz Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Excellence in Science 8
- Outstanding Achievement in Math 8
- Outstanding Achievement in 8th Grade Computers

### **GRADE 9**



Congratulations to GMU freshmen who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year. Award-winners were recognized during a special ceremony on Monday evening at the auditorium.

#### **Cornell, Ariana**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Otsego All-County Junior Chorus
- Otsego All-County Junior Band
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level V Gold
- NYSSMA Vocal Duet Level II Outstanding
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Featured Role
- Participation in Modified Soccer

#### **Correll, Avriel**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 1
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Otsego All-County Junior Chorus
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level IV Outstanding
- NYSSMA Vocal Duet Level II Outstanding
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Leading Role
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Basketball

#### **Covington, Quinn**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Global History 1

#### **Demmon, Kyra**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Leadership Award
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- Otsego All-County Junior Chorus
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball & Softball
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports

#### **Downey, Serenity**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

#### **Eastman, Brendon**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Otsego All-County Junior Chorus
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level III Excellent
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Ensemble

#### **Gardner, McKinley**

- President's Education Award Silver Certificate
- Excellence in English 9
- Participation in Varsity Basketball & Baseball

#### **Gee, Kaleigh**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 1
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Supporting Role
- Excellence in Theatre Arts

#### **Lindroth, Skylar**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- The Unpaid Intern Art Award
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Participation in Modified Soccer

#### **Lund, Emma**

- Outstanding Participation in Global History 1

#### **Nichols, Paige**

- Participation in Varsity Soccer

#### **Pain, Noah**

- Outstanding Participation in Global History 1
- MAC All-Star - Cross Country - 1st Team
- Participation in Varsity Cross Country, Basketball, & Indoor Track
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports

#### **Peck, Emma**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll

- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Excellence in English 9
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 1
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Otsego All-County Junior Band
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo Level V Silver
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Ensemble
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball, Indoor Track, & Track & Field
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons

#### **Simonds, Chase**

- Participation in Varsity Basketball & Baseball

#### **Sorochinsky, Alyssa**

- President's Education Award Gold Certificate
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Global History 1
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 1
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 1
- Otsego All-County Junior Band
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball, & Track & Field
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons

#### **Turnbull, Lindsay**

- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Supporting Role
- Participation in Varsity Basketball

#### **Vaccaro, Trista**

- Excellence in CAD Engineering
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball & Track & Field

### **GRADE 10**



Congratulations to GMU sophomores who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year. Award-winners were recognized during a special ceremony on Monday evening at the auditorium.

#### **Barnes, Mackenzie**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Exceptional Writing & Analysis in English 10
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 1
- Outstanding Work in Furniture & Design
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Varsity Basketball
- Tri Valley All-Star - Soccer - Honorable Mention

#### **Breslau, Thomas**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Global History 2

#### **Clement, Alexis**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 1

#### **Cotten, Leah**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Leadership Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 2A
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 2
- Highest Achievement in English 10

#### **Gager, Taylor**

- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in Global History 2
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 1
- Exceptional Writing & Analysis in English 10

#### **Hartwell, Devon**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Exceptional Writing & Analysis in English 10
- Outstanding Symphonic Band Member
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball & Golf
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- Tri Valley All-Star - Basketball - Honorable Mention
- MAC All-Star - Golf - 2nd Team

#### **Livelsberger, Natalie**

- President's Education Award Gold Certificate
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Highest Achievement in English 11
- Academic Achievement in Earth Science
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 2
- The Intrepid Experimentalist Art Award
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team

#### **MacNeill, Kyle**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award

#### **Stone, Andrew**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Leadership Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 1
- Outstanding Work in Furniture & Design

#### **Williams, Morgan**

- President's Education Award Silver Certificate
- Participation in Varsity Soccer



## GRADE 11



Congratulations to GMU juniors who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year. Award-winners were recognized during a special ceremony on Monday evening at the auditorium.

### **Bonczkowski, Hannah**

- RIT Innovation and Creativity Award
- Clarkson University Achievement Award
- Le Moyne Heights Award
- Rotary Youth Leadership Award
- Glimmerglass Opera Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Exceptional Writing in English 11
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Otsego All-County Senior Chorus
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level VI Gold
- Zone 8 Area All-State Women's Chorus
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Ensemble
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball & Softball
- Outstanding Offense WCDO Award (GMU vs. Morris)
- Outstanding Defense WCDO Award (GMU vs. Schenevus)
- Tri Valley All-Star - Soccer - 2nd Team
- Tri Valley All-Star - Basketball - 1st Team
- MAC All-Star - Softball - 2nd Team
- All-State Basketball Team Selected by the NY State Sports-writers Association
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- Section IV Character Counts Recognition Award
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons

### **Cherry, Mackenzie**

- George H. Ball Community Achievement Awarded by Keuka College
- Wells College 21st Century Leadership Award
- President's Education Award Silver Certificate
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

### **Davis, Carly**

- Elmira College Key Award
- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Chemistry
- Consistent Effort in Algebra 2A Award

### **Demmon, Corbin**

- University of Rochester Bausch and Lomb Science Award
- Clarkson University Leadership Award
- Butternut Valley Grange Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll

- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Highest Achievement in English 11
- Outstanding Achievement in Chemistry
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball & Track & Field
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- The Section IV Character Counts Award
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons

### **Finch, Brennan**

- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Participation in Varsity Cross Country

### **Hammond, Kendra**

- George H. Ball Community Achievement Awarded by Keuka College
- Butternut Valley Grange Award
- 2022 Student Sage Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Basketball

### **Held, Fiona**

- University of Rochester Fredrick Douglas & Susan B. Anthony Award
- Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute Award
- RIT Computing Award
- 2022 Student Sage Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 3
- Participation in Varsity Soccer

### **Hitt, Erin**

- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Indoor Track

### **Joslyn, Ethan**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll

### **Lent, Teeghan**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in US History & Government
- Outstanding Achievement in Computer Applications
- Outstanding Achievement in Living Environment
- Creativity in STEAM
- The Overtime Art Award
- Otsego All-County Senior Chorus
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Supporting Role
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Indoor Track

### **Lund, Kross**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in US History & Government

**Manwarren, Dante**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Work in Furniture & Design
- Otsego All-County Senior Band
- NYSSMA Instrumental Solo
- Zone 8 Area All-State Band

**Palmer, Aubree**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in US History & Government
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Basketball

**Perrine, Megan**

- Wells College 21st Century Leadership Award
- University of Rochester-George Eastman Young Leaders Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Basketball
- All Purpose WCDO Award (GMU vs. Morris)

**Plows, Bianca**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Soccer

**Stachura, Kristian**

- NY Boys State Representative
- Outstanding Participation in US History & Government
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Participation in Varsity Basketball, Indoor Track & Track & Field
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports

**Stensland, Ivy**

- Chatham University Rachel Carson Healthy Planet Award
- National Association of Secondary School Principals Leadership Award
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Indoor Track

**Stockdale, Ella**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Exceptional Writing in English 11
- Participation in Varsity Soccer & Indoor Track

**Wilcox, Kali**

- George H. Ball Community Achievement Award
- President's Education Award Gold Certificate
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Consistent Effort in Algebra 2A
- Outstanding Achievement in Accounting

**Wilson, Brian**

- University of Rochester Xerox Award for Innovation & Information Technology
- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2022 Musician of the Year
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball, & Track & Field
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons

**GRADE 12**

Congratulations to GMU seniors who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year. Award-winners were recognized during a special ceremony on Monday evening at the auditorium.

**Barnes, Tammy**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball, & Track & Field
- Section IV Character Counts Recognition Award
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports

**Behnke, Kadence**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Indoor Track

**Carrabba, Miranda**

- National Association of Secondary School Principals Leadership Award
- Office of the State Comptroller Student Achievement Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation in College Government
- Outstanding Achievement in Algebra 2B
- Sustained Excellence in Approaches to Literature
- Exceptional Achievement in Academic Writing
- Outstanding Participation in TC3 Biology
- Most Dedicated Leader in Leadership Club
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Excellence in Theatre Arts

**Correll, Angelina**

- Office of the State Comptroller Student Achievement Award
- Healthy and Physically Active Student Award, presented by New York State Association of Health
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Discussion in Genocide



- Sustained Excellence in Academic Writing
- Right-Hand Woman for Yearbook
- Outstanding Symphonic Band Member
- Participation in Varsity Soccer

#### **Davis, Kailah**

- Rumery Art Award
- Outstanding Discussion in Genocide
- Consistent Effort in Algebra 2A
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Otsego All-County Senior Chorus
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level III Outstanding
- Outstanding Senior Choir Member
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Leading Role
- Excellence in Theatre Arts

#### **Demarais, Autumn**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll

#### **Dibble, Lane**

- New York Attorney General's Triple "C" Award
- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Participation in Varsity Basketball

#### **Finch, Kaitlyn**

- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Indoor Track, Track & Field
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports

#### **Gilchrest, Amaya**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Career & Financial Management
- Outstanding Senior Choir Member

#### **Keuhn, Morgan**

- Class of 2022 Salutatorian
- National Association of Secondary School Principals Citizenship Award
- Office of the State Comptroller Student Achievement Award
- Healthy and Physically Active Student Award, presented by New York State Association of Health
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 3
- Consistent Effort in Pre-Calculus
- Outstanding Achievement in Career & Financial Management
- Outstanding Participation in Government & Economics
- The Great Grandma Art Award
- Outstanding Symphonic Band Member

#### **Livelsberger, Brynne**

- Butternut Valley Grange Award

- Office of the State Comptroller Student Achievement Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Pre-Calculus
- Outstanding Achievement in Career & Financial Management
- The Don't Forget Us When You're Famous Art Award
- Outstanding Participation in Government & Economics
- Highest Achievement in Approaches to Literature
- Highest Achievement in Academic Writing
- Most Inquisitive in TC3 Biology
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Excellence in Theatre Arts

#### **MacNeill, Bree**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Discussion in Genocide

#### **Marron, Ashlyn**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Exceptional Achievement to Approaches to Literature
- Participation in Varsity Basketball
- Tri Valley All-Star - Basketball - Honorable Mention

#### **McCall, Ryan**

- New York State Attorney General's Triple "C" Award
- President's Education Award Silver Certificate
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team

#### **McVey, Dylan**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in Varsity Basketball
- Tri Valley All-Star - Basketball - 1st Team

#### **Meyers, Nicole**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Sustained Excellence in Academic Writing
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant

#### **Pain, Madeline**

- Class of 2022 Valedictorian
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Participation and Achievement in Spanish 3
- Outstanding Participation in College Government
- 2022 Drum Major
- Participation in Varsity Soccer

#### **Proskine, Dalton**

- Butternut Valley Grange Award

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team
- Student-Athlete who participated in three Varsity Sports
- Tri Valley All-Star - Basketball - 2nd Team
- Section IV Character Counts Recognition Award
- NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete for the Fall, Winter, & Spring Sports seasons
- Participation in Varsity Soccer, Basketball, & Baseball

**Radwan, Lauren**

- Participation in Varsity Indoor Track

**Retz, Alivia**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll

**Talbot, Payton**

- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Outstanding Achievement in Accounting
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team

**Taranto, Roman**

- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Excellence in Theatre Arts
- Participation in Varsity Indoor Track & Track & Field

**Teale, Cameron**

- Outstanding Senior Choir Member

**Tompkins, Daniel**

- 1st Quarter Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter Honor Roll
- Participation in GMU Clay Raiders Trap Team

**Turnbull, Kacie**

- President's Education Award Gold Certificate
- Office of the State Comptroller Student Achievement Award
- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Discussion in Genocide
- Consistent Effort in Algebra 2B
- Outstanding Participation in US History & Government
- Exceptional Achievement to Approaches to Literature
- Most Dependable in Physics
- Most Dedicated Leader in Leadership Club
- Otsego All-County Senior Chorus
- NYSSMA Vocal Solo Level VI Gold
- Zone 8 Area All-State Women's Chorus
- Outstanding Performance in a High School Musical Ensemble
- Excellence in Theatre Arts

**Wilson, Skye**

- 1st Quarter High Honor Roll
- 2nd Quarter High Honor Roll
- 3rd Quarter High Honor Roll
- Outstanding Symphonic Band Member
- Chenango County Mock Trial Participant
- Participation in Varsity Soccer

## Seven join National Honor Society



Congratulations to GMU's newest National Honor Society members, who were inducted May 5 during an after-school ceremony at the auditorium.

The NHS Class of 2022 featured **Mackenzie Barnes, Leah Cotton, Amaya Gilcrest, Devon Hartwell, Brynne Livelsberger, Natalie Livelsberger, and Kali Wilcox**. NHS President **Madeline Pain** and Vice President **Skye Wilson** led the candlelight ceremony that recognized each newcomer for Scholarship, Service, Leadership and Character.

The seven inductees joined 16 existing members in the GMU chapter of the NHS. In addition to Pain and Wilson, other NHS members are **Hannah Bonczkowski, Miranda Carrabba, Angelina Correll, Carly Davis, Kendra Hammond, Fiona Held, Morgan Keuhn, Ashlyn Marron, Dylan McVey, Nicole Meyers, Megan Perrine, Dalton Proskine, Lauren Radwan, and Kacie Turnbull**.

## Four GMU student authors published!



Congratulations to GMU students **Shane Carney, Alexis Clement, Andrew Stone** and **Jacob Favinger**, whose literary works were published in the Catskill Area School Study Council's 2021-2022 editions of the Catskill Review and Kites and Kings!

Shane, Alexis and Andrew submitted poems titled "I AM FROM" for the Catskill Review, a regional creative writing publication. Jacob submitted a fiction piece for Kites and Kings, the the CASSC's annual collection of student prose, poetry and artwork.

Great job to all of our published students! You can read all of their published works on our website at <https://www.gmucsd.org/>.



## GMU honors the best of 21-22!

Congratulations to GMU Teacher of the Year Elisa Heggenstaller and Staff Member of the Year Issy Clapp, who highlighted our annual awards ceremony at the auditorium in May. The all-school event recognized the best of GMU's faculty and staff during the 2021-2022 school year, as voted on by peers.

Heggenstaller is an elementary school teacher who created the Sit Often And Read (SOAR) and Read Often And Review (ROAR) programs for our first- and second-graders, respectively. She can be easily identified by the whipped cream/slime remnants in her hair and the dinosaur costumes she uses to engage and educate students.



*Thank you for your dedication!*

Clapp is a special education and counseling secretary known for her unparalleled institutional knowledge and work ethic. She regularly provides refuge for students and staff when they need a break and can make anyone feel good about themselves in a heartbeat. A true "School Mom," Clapp will even sew for you and share snacks!

Clapp also was honored for what will be 35 complete years with the district on September 1, 2022. Other service milestones celebrated during the ceremony were as follows:

- 10 years: Joe Storzinger, Bus Driver; Heather Wilcox, Principal
- 15 years: Alicia Cummings, Teacher; Tim Ditters, Bus Driver; Becky McMullen, Teacher
- 20 years: Larisa Waghorn, Teacher; Pam Welch, Aide
- 25 years: Alan Digsby

See photos on our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/GMUCentral!>

## Senior Keuhn, mentor Talbot honored



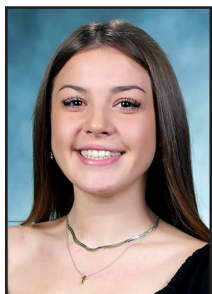
Congratulations to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton senior Morgan Keuhn and mentor Lynne Talbot, who were honored May 11 during the 2022 Business and Education Partnership Scholar Recognition ceremony!

Graduating students and teachers in the DCMO and ONC BOCES supervisory areas were recognized for excellence during a YouTube presentation that featured live, remote look-ins with each pair of award recipients. Students are selected based on scholarship, leadership and school/community service. Each student scholar nominates a mentor who has had a significant and beneficial influence on their education.

Click <https://youtu.be/qVROlwaY-CE?t=2468> to watch a replay of the awards presentations on YouTube. Morgan and Mrs. Talbot are honored just after the 41-minute mark.

## SENIORS OF THE MONTH

### Madeline Pain, March 2022



Congratulations to Madeline Pain, GMU's Senior of the Month for March 2022!

Described by her peers as academically motivated, strong-willed, social, and extremely expressive, Madeline has been an active participant and leader in an abundance of clubs and activities here at GMU. Teachers and students alike have noted Madeline's expert fashion-sense and extensive shoe collection, which make her an in-house fashionista.

Madeline has been a member or officer of National Honor Society, Student Council and Leadership Club. She also is an active musical participant in band and marching band, and she works as a waitress after school and on the weekends.

Her love for athletics and fitness prompted her participation in soccer, basketball, and softball for numerous years at GMU, and she continues to play travel soccer throughout the year. Madeline also handled the scorebook for the varsity boys basketball team, even traveling with them to keep stats and support her peers and her younger brother, Noah.

Madeline is a strong, social individual who loves life and has a caring and driven nature. She has a giant heart, supports her friends and family, and always ensures that those around her are cared for. Madeline's ability to overcome challenges by adapting and persevering will serve her well in the future. She already has been accepted into several colleges and plans to either major in biomedical engineering or enroll on a pre-medical track.

We wish Madeline the best of luck in all of her future endeavors!

### Brynne Livelsberger, April 2022



Congratulations to Brynne Livelsberger, Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Senior of the Month for April 2022!

Brynne joined the GMU Family in her junior year and was a natural fit with our community. She has embraced new experiences and persevered through the challenges of learning a new school, meeting new teachers, and making new friends – all while filling her academic schedule with required and advanced classes.

Brynne also has taken advantage of several club and extracurricular opportunities at GMU. She is an active member of our undefeated Mock Trial team and the Gay-Straight Alliance at GMU, demonstrating leadership by example to her peers and underclassmen alike.

Described as friendly, helpful, caring and positive, Brynne is known for her wittiness, sense of humor, and vast knowledge of Uno rules. GMU's faculty and staff appreciate her respectfulness, work ethic and ability to make everyone feel welcomed and included.

Brynne is remarkably creative and incredibly talented in the arts. One look at her art projects or sketchbook makes it clear that she has a natural gift for the arts, one that will carry her far. Brynne offers a unique perspective on the world and challenges around her, and she uses those experiences to inspire her work and showcase her abilities.

Brynne is looking forward to embracing her creative side as an art major this fall at a college to be determined. Wherever she goes, Brynne will undoubtedly become a positive influence in her next community and certainly an exceptional GMU representative.

We will miss Brynne's light, positivity and kind-hearted nature at GMU, but we wish her all the best!

### Miranda Carrabba, May 2022



Congratulations to Miranda Carrabba, Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Senior of the Month for May 2022!

Miranda joined the GMU community at the beginning of her junior year and has since become an influential leader of the student body. This passionate, open-minded student is a driving force behind various new clubs and extracurricular activities, and her work ethic and empathy have been commended by several GMU staff members.

Miranda transferred from neighboring Morris, where she participated in Drama Club and Spanish Club. Her work in the latter led to a two-week trip to Ecuador, where she volunteered at local afterschool programs for needy children in Quito. Miranda also traveled the world and enriched her education as a Rotary Youth Exchange student, spending the 2019-2020 school year in Brazil. Her participation in the program helped Miranda become a Rotarian and a Rotary Exchange Ambassador.

Miranda has continued her educational, extracurricular and leadership growth at GMU, where she serves as president of three clubs – Women for a Change, Leadership, and Theater. Also the National Honor Society treasurer, Miranda is a member of the Gay-Straight Alliance and Student Council; has been a lawyer and a witness for Mock Trial; and was a founding member of our Academic Quiz Bowl Team that competed at SUNY Oneonta this spring.

Miranda also has taken time outside of school to organize events for students at GMU and the surrounding community,

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### *Seniors of the Month, cont.*

organizing daily announcements during Women's History Month and, most recently, spearheading efforts to open a Sensory Walk on GMU's Nature Trail in celebration of Earth Day. Miranda also has a deep passion for dance – a major part of her life since age 6 – and specializes in Irish Step Dancing.

Miranda aspires to be a marine biologist and has committed majoring in Marine Affairs at University of New England. It is clear from her tenacity, dedication and worldly outlook that Miranda will be successful in achieving her dreams and becoming an exceptional representative of GMU alumni.

Congratulations, Miranda!

### **Nicole Meyers, June 2022**



Congratulations to Nicole Meyers, Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Senior of the Month for June 2022!

Nicole joined the GMU community at the beginning of her ninth-grade year and quickly became a positive member of the student body. She has pushed herself to take challenging courses, maintain active involvement in GMU athletics, and work various jobs outside of school hours. Nicole is often recognized for her bright personality and contagious laughter.

Before attending GMU, Nicole was a member of the nearby Morris community, where she discovered her love for soccer. She went on to excel as a dedicated member of the Lady Raiders teams, and quickly became a leader. Nicole took time during practices to talk with her teammates who struggled with a skill or drill, and she always maintained a positive attitude on the field. Unfortunately, Nicole tore her ACL during her junior soccer season, which essentially ended her athletic pursuits in high school. Still, she continues to enjoy an active lifestyle.

Nicole has formed countless bonds with students and staff at GMU. She is an enthusiastic participant in various clubs and activities who is often commended for her tenacity and desire to turn in excellent work. While Nicole has exceptional abilities and strengths, she knows when to ask for assistance – a skill that many struggle to master. Outside of school, Nicole has maintained balancing her school work and extracurricular activities all while working two jobs in surrounding areas.

Nicole plans to major in Business Management at Tennessee Tech University. With Nicole's spirited, caring personality and drive, there's no doubt she will succeed in her endeavors. We wish the best of luck to Nicole and all of our 2021-2022 Seniors of the Month!

### **Mock Trial Team caps terrific season**



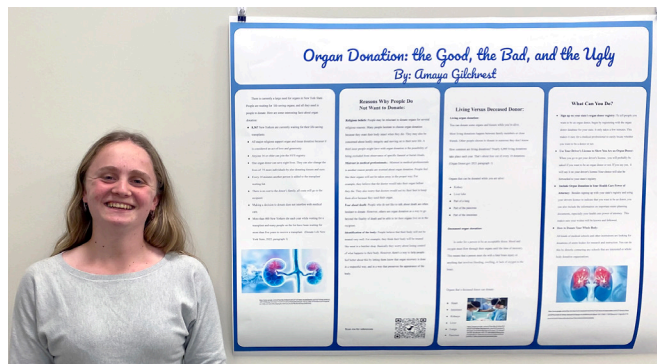
Congratulations to our Mock Trial Team on a successful season that ended with a runner-up finish in the Chenango County Championship!

The team of **Hannah Bonczkowski, Miranda Carrabba, Avriel Correll, Kailah Davis, Brennan Finch, Kaitlyn Finch, Kendra Hammond, Brynne Livelsberger, Nicole Meyers, Emma Peck, Kristian Stachura** and **Skye Wilson** placed second in the county finals following an undefeated regular season.

"These students worked very hard giving up their Saturday mornings and Monday evenings, and most of them were involved in many other activities as well," team advisor Raquel Norton said. "I'm so proud of their accomplishments and honored to be a part of an amazing program!"

Great job, Raiders!

### **GMU senior shares vision**



Congratulations to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton senior Amaya Gilchrest on her poster presentation for the DCMO BOCES New Vision Program in May!

Amaya was among the area students in Allied Health and Law and Government classes who spent several months researching a topic of personal interest to create an informative New Vision poster. She presented her poster, titled "Organ Donation: The Good, The Bad, and The Ugly," to the public during today's afternoon session at Morrisville State College's Norwich campus.

Great job, Amaya!



## GMU'S CLASS OF 2022!

Congratulations to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Class of 2022, which graduated together June 24 during an in-person ceremony in the auditorium!



*Tammy Lynn Barnes  
Nathan Charles Barrows  
Kadence Cindy Behnke  
Miranda Louise Carrabba  
Skylar Andrew Clement  
Angelina Faith Correll  
Kailah Marie Davis  
Autumn Kathryn Diane Demarais  
Lane Dawson Dibble  
Kaitlyn Angelia Finch  
Amaya May Gilcrest*

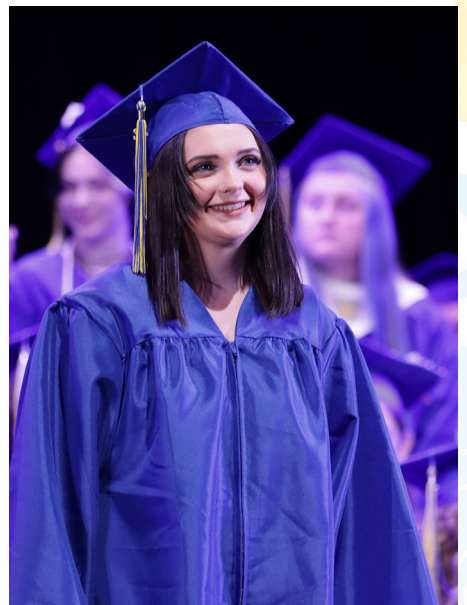
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Joshua Scott Lawton  
Kylie Mae Lawton  
Brynne Elise Livelsberger  
Bree Lynn MacNeill  
Ashlyn Ceirria Marron  
Ryan Allen McCall  
Dylan Michael McVey  
Nicole Mary Meyers  
Madeline Rose Pain  
Dalton Ryan Proskine*

*Lauren Lee Radwan  
Allivia Josephine Retz  
Payton Samuel Talbot  
Roman Gabriel Taranto  
Cameron Jacob Teale  
Daniel Adrian Tompkins  
Kacie Danielle Turnbull  
Daniel Rodney Chester Wagoner  
Cinnamon Faye Williams  
Skye Noelle Wilson*

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## 2022 GRAD WALK





## PROM





## FLAG DAY





## SENIORS vs. STAFF VOLLEYBALL





## ROAR SLIME





## PAGEANT OF BANDS

### Raiders band members on Cloud Nine!

Gilbertsville-Mount Upton won NINE awards at the 2022 Sherburne Pageant of Bands on June 4, placing first in EVERY event it entered and sharing the Overall Achievement and Outstanding Band Director awards with Worcester!

The list of GMU's Pageant of Bands awards is below. For a complete awards list, visit Sherburne-Earlville's Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/SherburneEarlvilleCSD>.

### GMU SPOB AWARDS

- **Overall**

Albert Whitney Overall Achievement (HS): Tie, GMU and Worcester

- Frank Miller Outstanding Band Director: Tie, Will Gilchrest (GMU) and Andy O'Dell (Worcester)

- **Class C**

Best in Class: 1, GMU

Concert Band: 1, GMU

Jazz Band: 1, GMU

Small Ensemble: 1, GMU

Color Guard: 1, GMU

Drumline: 1, GMU

Parade: 1, GMU





## WAKING UP SLEEPY HOLLOW





## ATTENTION FALL SPORTS ATHLETES!

If you are a GMU student who is planning to participate in a Fall Sport, you must have a current physical and complete all of the required GMU Athletic paperwork before you can participate.

Your last physical must be on or after August 22, 2021. If you are enrolled in the School-Based Health Center at GMU, you can get a sports physical right on campus during the summer. Just call 607-783-2250 on Wednesdays during the summer or 844-255-7242 on other weekdays to make an appointment.

If you have not received the required paperwork to participate in Fall Sports, all of the forms are posted on our online Athletics page under Sports Forms at <https://www.gmucsd.org/Athletics.aspx>. Hard copies are also available in the Main Office at school.

Fall varsity sports will begin August 22. Fall modified sports will begin August 29.

Please note that varsity boys' soccer, modified boys' soccer and cross-country will be merged with Unadilla Valley this fall. Information regarding practice times and locations will be released closer to the first day of practices.

Student-athletes and their families are responsible for their own transportation to and from practices before school starts. Once the 2022-2023 school year has started, GMU will provide transportation to and from all practices.

For more information, please email Greg Bonczkowski at [gbonczkowski@gmucsd.org](mailto:gbonczkowski@gmucsd.org).

## GMU seniors sign to play college sports!



Congratulations to GMU seniors **Kaitlyn Finch** and **Ashlyn Marron**, who signed letters of intent in May to compete for college athletic programs!

Friends and family gathered to celebrate these college-bound Raiders during a joint-signing ceremony after school in the GMU gymnasium.

Kaitlyn signed with Hartwick College for Indoor and Outdoor Track and Field. She was a three-year member of GMU's varsity soccer and outdoor track programs, with two varsity seasons of indoor track as well. Kaitlyn was leaning toward a career in nursing.

Ashlyn signed to play basketball for Alfred University and plans to major in Psychology. Her athletic resume at GMU includes three varsity basketball seasons, two varsity softball and two varsity soccer.

Congratulations, Kaitlyn and Ashlyn!

## Thank you, track and field seniors!



The GMU-UV track and field team celebrated Senior Day before an April meet against Afton/Harpursville, Delaware Academy and Walton.

Congratulations to seniors **Tammy Barnes**, **Kaitlyn Finch** and **Roman Taranto** of GMU, as well as UV seniors **Ben Gorrell** and **Chloe Patrick**!

Thank you for your dedication to our track and field program and best wishes in the future!



## Parade honors girls' track and field team!

Unadilla Valley and Gilbertsville-Mount Upton honored their Section IV Class D champion girls' track and field team with a parade on June 21.

Escorted by the Unadilla Fire Department, UV team members traveled by bus to the GMU campus to pick up their Raiders teammates—**Tammy Barnes, Kaitlyn Finch, Emma Peck, Alyssa Sorochinsky** and **Trista Vaccaro**.

The Gilbertsville and Mount Upton fire departments joined the parade at GMU, then toured Gilbertsville and Mount Upton, headed up Route 8 to South New Berlin and New Berlin, and turned around at T's Diner en route to Unadilla Valley for a special presentation at the UV track.

## ALL-STATE FOR HANNAH B!



Congratulations to GMU junior **Hannah Bonczkowski** on her All-State selection for the 2021-2022 girls' basketball season!

Hannah earned an all-state honorable mention in Class D from the New York State Sportswriters Association. She is GMU's first all-state girls basketball player since the NYSSWA started compiling teams in 2005.

The Bonczkowskis now have two All-State players in the family as her brother, 2021 GMU graduate Gavin Bonczkowski, received Class D boys' basketball honorable mentions in 2020 and 2019.

Way to go, Hannah!

## Thank you, baseball seniors!

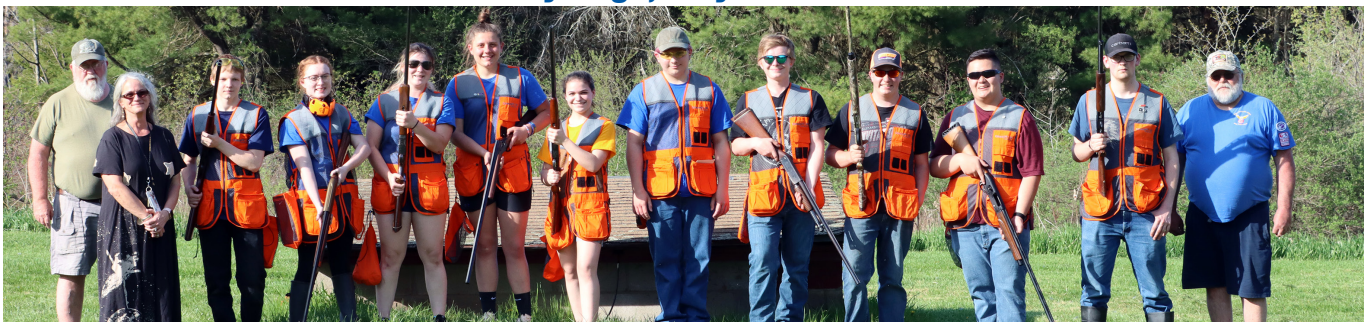


Unadilla Valley/Gilbertsville-Mount Upton honored senior baseball players during May's Senior Recognition home game against Delhi.

We thank GMU's **Dalton Proskine** and UV's **Ben Gorrell** and **Travis Knapp** for their dedication and commitment to our combined baseball program and wish them nothing but success in the future.

Special thanks to Coach Knapp and Coach Alford, as well as all of the family members and friends who attended the ceremony and game.

## Way to go, Clay Raiders!



Congratulations to SEVEN Clay Raiders who competed in the New York State High School Clay Target League Trap Shooting Tournament at the Bridgeport Rod and Gun Club in June!

GMU seniors **Brynne Livelsberger, Ryan McCall, Dalton Proskine, Payton Talbot, and Daniel Tompkins** joined junior **Kendra Hammond** and freshman **Skylar Lindroth** at the state tourney.

"These young people have come a long way from our very first practice four years ago," Clay Raiders coach Jim Butler said. "Most of them started when the program started here at GMU. And now, as seniors, this was their very last event as a Raider. We wished them luck and REQUIRED them to have fun!"



## On patrol in Albany!



GMU's Safety Patrol took a trip to Albany in June and did a lot, but the highlight had to be meeting New York State Governor Kathy Hochul in person!

Check out some of the terrific pics from this day to remember on our Facebook page, courtesy of Safety Patrol chaperones Shari Bennett and Lisa Ruland!

## Summer Reading Challenge underway!



GMU's 2022 Summer Reading Challenge invites all incoming students to grades K-6 to read (or be read aloud to) for at least 20 minutes a day, five days per week during the summer.

Mrs. Weidman invited all PK-2 classes to her classroom before the end of the 2021-2022 school year to introduce the challenge, partake in a summer read-aloud, and color bookmarks to take home. Students in Grades 3-5 received packets from their classroom teachers.

Students must record their daily reading on the two enclosed calendar pages, and return the calendars on the first day of school to Mrs. Weidman. Students who complete the challenge will be rewarded with a special reading celebration in September!

We hope to have lots of readers participate! If you have any questions, please email Mrs. Weidman at [lweidman@gmucsd.org](mailto:lweidman@gmucsd.org).

## Celebrating Grades PK-6!



Congratulations to GMU students in Grades PK-6 who earned awards during the 2021-2022 school year! Award-winners were recognized during our Rockin' Raiders program finale June 17 at the GMU Auditorium.

You can see the PowerPoint presentation featuring all of our PK-6 award-winners by visiting <https://www.gmucsd.org/protected/ArticleView.aspx?iid=5AUYYY&dasi=332I> online, and be sure to check out our Facebook page for more photos!

## Technology class stayed busy!

Thanks to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Technology teacher Ken Held for sharing photos of some projects that were completed in class during the 2021-2022 school year!

The chest and desk pictured below were two of the many projects students finished. Technology students also worked on foot stools, bird houses, electronics, circuit boards, wiring, soldering, motors, wood burning, weight supports, engraving, routing, signs, coffee tables, end tables, butcher blocks, bed frames, cutting boards, snowmen, Christmas trees, technical drawings, CAD drawings, slide shows, video projects, machine skills, written reports, and more.

Additionally, the CAD class earned college credit through Tompkins Cortland Community College. Great job, Raiders!





## Spring Choral Concert is a hit!



Thanks to all who attended our Spring Choral Concert in May, presented by the GMU Music Department!

Directed by Anne Monaco and accompanied by Winnie Sortman, our fourth-graders, Elementary Chorus, Junior High Chorus and Senior High Chorus took center stage at the auditorium for a show to remember!

Check out some pics from the evening, which ended with an ice-cream social for all, thanks to the GMU Booster Club.

## Delicious days for Moms and Dads!



GMU celebrated parents in May and June with some extra-special days in the cafeteria!

Mrs. Delmar's and Mrs. Dickey's kindergarten classes hosted "Muffins with Mom" in May to celebrate Mother's Day. Mothers, grandmothers, aunts and guardians were invited to campus to enjoy muffins with their kindergarten kiddos, who also delivered flowers and cards to their special guests.

"Desserts with Dad" followed to highlight Father's Day in June. Students enjoyed snacks during some quality time with their dads, grandpas & other father figures.

Visit our Facebook page to see pics from these tasty treat days for GMU parents!

## A sticky situation!



Thanks to everyone who participated in our Class of 2023 duct-tape fundraiser!

Students donated a dollar per strip of duct tape, which was used to stick Assistant Principal Kevin Walsh to the cafeteria wall Friday, April 8.

Judging by the amount of tape, it looks like we raised some pretty good coin!





## Recyclin' Raiders win again!



Congratulations to Gilbertsville-Mount Upton's Recyclin' Raiders, who swept both regional crowns in the 2022 Otsego County Conservation Association's Plastic Film Recycling Challenge!

GMU second-graders recycled 226 pounds of plastic film to win the ES championship, and Raiders' sophomores brought in 187 pounds for the MS/HS victory. GMU classrooms competed head-to-head for a special in-school prize, but those totals also went up against Morris, Richfield Springs and Worcester classrooms. Overall, GMU recycled 1,519 pounds of plastic film from December to April – an average of 4.7 pounds per student!

OCCA Program Director Jeff O'Handley and Otsego County Solid Waste Department Recycling Coordinator Shane Digan presented certificates and reusable shopping bags to our winning classrooms during last Friday's Rockin' Raiders program in the auditorium.

Technically, this marks the third straight year our Recyclin' Raiders and team leader/advisor Ashley Hughes have won a title during this challenge. After sweeping ES and MS/HS championships in 2019, the Recyclin' Raiders won the ES division in 2020. COVID-19 then canceled the 2021 challenge.

Remember, it's never too early to start collecting clean, dry plastic film items at home for next year's contest! Examples of plastic film are bread bags, bubble wrap, cereal bags, dry cleaning bags, grocery bags, ice bags, newspaper sleeves, plastic casings/shrink wraps, produce bags, salt bags, wood-pellet bags, and Ziploc-style re-closeable bags—all of which also can be recycled through OCCA and participating grocery stores.

## Sensory Walk stimulates senses!



Thanks again to GMU's Leadership Club for creating a Sensory Walk on our Nature Trail! Our students had a blast with the interactive walk, designed to promote learning by stimulating all five senses.

Check out our Facebook page to see lots of photos!

## Student artists featured in exhibitions!

Congratulations were in order for two of GMU's most talented artists in May!

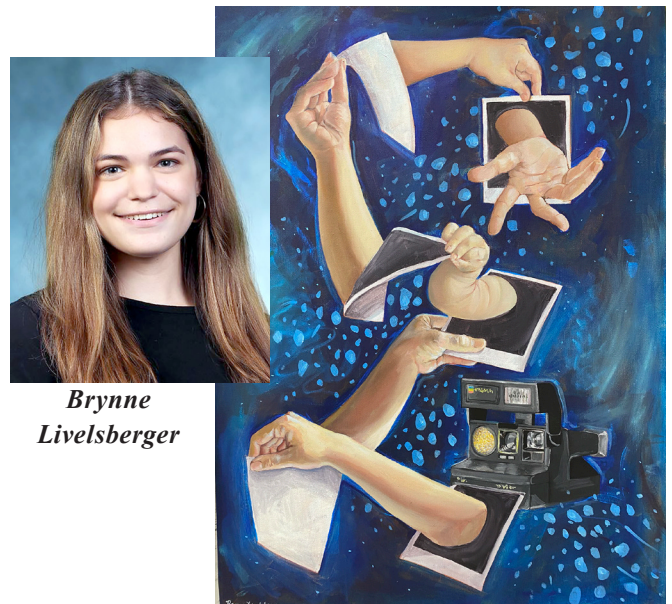
Seniors **Brynne Livelsberger** and **Kailah Davis** both made a splash at local art galleries. A handful of their best works were selected and featured in Bainbridge at the 14th annual Jericho Arts Council student exhibition!

Even more exciting were their recent submissions to the Young at Art! Regional Youth Art Contest at the Fenimore Art Museum in Cooperstown. This exhibition was on display in the Fenimore's Community Gallery and featured artwork from 84 students representing 10 local school districts.

The two submitted original pieces based on the exhibition theme "Memory." Brynne's "Photographic Memory" won a prize for the best representation of the theme. Kailah's "A Shattered Mind" received an honorable mention.



*Kailah Davis*



*Brynne Livelsberger*



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## **Mission, Vision, Values**

**Gilbertsville-Mount Upton Central School**  
2022-2023 School Year

### **OUR MISSION**

We support everyone's journey to become the best version of themselves by:

- fostering an equitable, inclusive and student-focused environment
- providing opportunities for academic and community engagement
- empowering individuals to embrace their potential

### **OUR VISION**

To have a nurturing school community that provides opportunities for lifelong personal growth.

### **WE VALUE**

- A Growth Mindset
- Critical Thinking Skills
- Essential Skills for Career Readiness
- Social/Emotional/Behavioral Wellness
- Meaningful and Healthy Relationships
- A Safe School Environment

*"It's the Quality of the journey that counts!"*