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SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

As I write this message for the Winter edition of the Valley Views, our students are preparing to leave for the Holiday recess. We have had a very productive and positive first semester, and we are looking forward to capitalizing on that energy moving into the second.

We have a number of plans in the works both academically and operationally as we look forward to the spring. One of the primary objectives we are working toward is the addressing of some of our aging infrastructure. The most notable of these is the replacement of our current bus garage, which was built in 1946 and has far exceeded its useful life. Additionally, we are planning for major roof replacement district-wide, and various smaller items which will preserve and maintain our facilities for the next generation.

We have been blessed in our district with a wonderful campus, and we want to ensure that it is well preserved. Additionally, we want to extend the life

of our existing structures as long as possible, while increasing safety, efficiency, and providing the best learning space we can for our students.

Of course, this is still in the planning stages, and there will be much more information to come throughout the second semester as the plan becomes more clear. However, I want to stress at the outset that any plan presented to the voters in May will be put together with a focus on efficiency, practicality, and the highest return on investment possible. This is in line with our commitment to balance our students needs with the ability of our community to support those needs.

In closing, I hope that you all had a restful and enjoyable Holiday season. I thank you for your continued support, and look forward to our continued work in 2015.

Respectfully,
Ryan Dougherty, Superintendent



NV Schools: A Caring Community in Action

Making Holidays Brighter for All

A huge thank you to Natalia Conaty who, once again, coordinated this year's Adopt-A-Family efforts for the district. The Pupil Personnel Team worked with Natalia, Lisa Pomeroy and Robin Novi coordinating the gift collection in their respective buildings. Thank you to all of the district faculty, staff, clubs, churches, and Cornell University Elves who adopted our school-age children and gave them a wonderful Christmas! This is a huge effort and the families are often overwhelmed by the gifts and support they receive. It is also a true testament to the caring and giving atmosphere fostered in our school community for which we are all proud and grateful.

Many Enjoy Annual Breakfast

Each year the High School Student Council cordially invites all senior citizens living in the Newark Valley school district to enjoy a Holiday Breakfast baked and served by students and staff. This year's breakfast, held on December 23rd at the Newark Valley Fire Station, was a great success. Thanks to all for attending!



Family & Consumer Science: The Season of Giving

Family & Consumer Science students have engaged in community service projects over the past month. Our 5th grade students helped the Cornell Elves program raise \$250 to help children in need. In order to do this students created a number of Holiday treats to be sold at a fund-raising event. These included Winter Mints, Tree-shaped Sugar Cookies, brownies, and chocolate lollipops. Students learned the importance of math and measurement in the kitchen, honed their skills in reading and understanding directions and, most importantly, engaged in work aimed at making the world a better place.

Sixth grade students assisted our Middle School guidance counselor in collecting winter items for families in need. To this end, students wrote emails, created advertising posters, promoted the project in their home-rooms and on morning announcements and even did a “walk the halls” campaign, handing out informational flyers about the project. Service learning can promote a better understanding of community needs, consumerism and advocacy campaigns; students learned how many families in our community are in need and how to market a campaign so that consumers get involved.

Finally, in 7th grade, future chef An-jaleyna Rogers did her own community service project. She made and donated the now annual (and we dare say famous) Peppermint Pigs to our 5th graders’ Holiday Magic table. The 5th graders sold the Peppermint Pigs to raise money for their trip to Washington DC.

‘Tis the season of giving and, as always, I am impressed with our students commitment to service and to the greater good of the Newark Valley community.

-Jessica Williams, FACS teacher



5th Grade Students Run Holiday Sweetshop



As part of their economics unit, Mrs. Giblin’s and Mrs. Hager’s 5th grade classes participated in Newark Valley’s Holiday Magic Festival. Before the festival, students worked with parent volunteers in the kitchen to make and package holiday sweets. During the festival, students set up and ran “G & H Kids’ Sweetshop”. Each student gained knowledge and experience in running a business, customer service and community involvement. Proceeds from the event will be used to help fund their annual trip to Washington D.C.

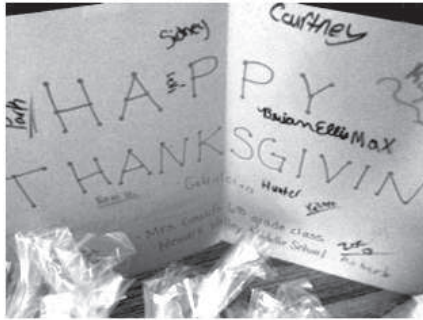


Ashley Stauder's 7th Grade ELA class constructs their own refugee camp.



6th Graders Share Random Acts of Kindness

In November, Mrs. Gould's 6th grade homeroom decided to spread some Thanksgiving cheer to the residents of Bridgewater Nursing Home in Binghamton. After getting "RAK'ED" (Random Act of Kindness), Mrs. Gould was inspired and wanted to pay it forward. Her students thought making cards and providing small treats (snack mix, cookies, and chips) would bring a smile to the residents of the nursing home. They couldn't have been more correct! The week of Thanksgiving, Mrs. Gould dropped off the cards and goodies to her father who is a Respiratory Therapist at the nursing home. He reported back



that everyone was so touched and thrilled that a 6th grade class would think of them. The snacks were a big hit, and not a crumb was leftover!



Congratulations Honor Society Members

The Newark Valley chapter of National Honor Society held its annual induction ceremony on December 3rd. We welcomed new members: Samantha Benjamin, Halley Hill, Kaylee Oliver, Katie Pirger, Kayla Stewart, Andy Tavelli, Cassidy Tobey, Jordan Burlingame, Madeline Byrne, Anna D'Arcy, Meagan Diego, Christopher Dutcher, Sullivan Harris, Jessica Fitzgerald, Amy Giblin, Hannah Luszczek, Kristen Martin, Ryan Mathers, Noah McMullin, Palmer Perkins, Griffen Pompilio, Briana Sokol, Kylieray Stephens, Bryanna Thomas, Emma Willard, and Kyle Williams. These members were chosen by the NHS committee as students who not only meet the academic standards of a minimum cumulative average of 90, but also those standards of character, service, and leadership. Congratulations to all members and their families for this wonderful achievement.

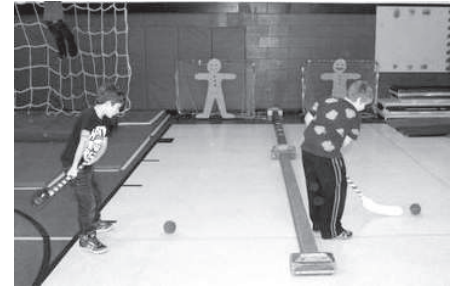
MS Teachers Clean Up



Middle School teachers picked a beautiful day in November to clean-up our adopted stretch of Route 38! This was a great opportunity for our staff to get out and support the community. The High School team is next up for spring cleaning!

NTH PE Combines Seasonal Fun with Fitness

Two boys from Mrs. Frye's class attempt to score a goal on the gingerbread goalie with the candy cane sticks in the holidays stations at PE in the elementary school.



8th grade Thinks About Food and Consequences

As the Common Core Curriculum calls for a shift to increased emphasis on non-fiction, 8th grade ELA students are learning all about how our food is produced and how our food choices impact the environment, our economy, and our personal health. They are reading the Young Reader's Edition of Michael Pollan's *The Omnivore's Dilemma*, and learning about the Industrial Food Chain, Industrial Organic Food Chain, Local Sustainable Food Chain and the Hunter/Gatherer/Gardener Food Chain. This has generated some interesting discussions in class! In addition to absorbing the content of the book, they are learning to identify author's/speaker's purpose, create a claim statement and



support it with relevant textual evidence, and evaluate an argument. Additionally, they will write a position paper and present to classmates and hopefully grow

into responsible, educated consumers who more fully understand the importance of what they buy and eat.

— HIGH HONOR ROLL - 10 WEEKS —

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GRADE 12

Jessica Delo
Tyrone Ferguson
Micah Gorsline
Acala Hill
Phillip Lindhorst
Rebecca Miles
Katie Pirger
Dylan Williams

GRADE 11

Meagan Diego
Christopher Dutcher
Palmer Perkins
Allison Riegel
Emma Willard
Kyle Williams

GRADE 10

Joshua Blazey
Thomas Durand
Aaron Gorsline
Kaya Luciani
Madelyn Meagher
Hannah Morse
Justin Post
Layna Pratt
Morgan Sherwood
Thomas Shofkom
Jennifer Waterman
Hannah Williams

GRADE 9

Phillip Babey
Lindsey Diego
Laura Durand
Farrah Fiacco
Jordan LaBounty
Daniel Lindhorst
Sean McCann
Amanda McNally
Mark Morykan
Anna Simmons
Paityn Smith

GRADE 8

Ivan Aylesworth
Benjamin Baker
Jazmine Chase
Hannah Clark
Jonathan Delles
Alissa Franco
Emily Holt
Kiley Kerns
Kristina Knight
William Knight
Bethany Lindquist

Victoria Mellem
Gabriel Perkins
Brandon Rinkavage
Madison Sherwood
Natalie Shofkom
Marissa Silba
Tyler Stevenson
Alexis Williams
Micah Williams

GRADE 7

Marissa Berghorn
Colin Creeley
Regan Lanning
Kayla Malarkey
Courtney Maule
Sarah Mertson
Joshua Post
Matthew Waterman
Corey Young

GRADE 6

Maris Aylesworth
Timothy Bishop
John Boldis
Emma Clark
Felicia Fiacco
Rosaria Hines
Derrick Kalpokas
Kaila McNally
Renee Riegel
Brenton Rosenberg
Avigail Strohmeier
Allison Walker
Allie Wandell
Leah Williams
Leeanne Yammine

GRADE 5

Piper Davis
Phaedra Day
Graciella Gardner
James Keener
Molly McCloskey
Alisha Westfall

GRADE 4

Karli Berghorn
Katie Berghorn
Layla Etienne
Clara McCloskey
Virginia Mertson
Emma Miller
Joseph Sherwood
Isabella Shiel
Angelina Sloughter
Logan Smith

GRADE 12

Maxwell Andersen
Autumn Bean
Alanna Biata
Tara Birkmeyer
Lillie Caskey
Cody Cornell
Vincent Darpino
Joshua Felicetti
Kalei Fenn
Cole Ford
Hunter French
Brittney Gradel
Dakota Hatton
Mikayla Heiss
Haley Hill
Michael Hyde
Ashley Kassapian
Britany Kelley
Rebecca Miller
Jade Myrick
Kaylee Oliver
Christy Oralls
Hunter Osborn
Molly Rogers
Jasmine Rosenberger
Carlton Snapp
Anthony Spirito
Samuel Stewart
Cassidy Tobey
Karissa Umiker
Aryana Wing
Cassidy Yetter
Cayleen Young
Christina Zurzuski

GRADE 11

Jordan Brodfuehrer
Jordan Burlingame-Ortloff
Madeline Byrne
Devon Cardone
Anna D'Arcy
Davis Eastman
Jessica Fitzgerald
Amy Giblin
Alissa Goodrich
Madison Howland
Hannah Luszczek
Kristen Martin
Ryan Mathers
Noah McMullin
Griffen Pompilio
Sierra Post
Amber Smith
Briana Sokol
Kyliray Stephens

GRADE 10

Joanna Logerfo
Marisa Longo
Kiera Malarkey
Tyler Maule
Mya Milewski
Zachary Miller
Ilya Moroz
Jacob Payne
Holly Pianosi
Daniel Popp
Anna Raymond
Alicia Scales
Alyssa Sepelak
Lauren Shrauger
Cherish Simmons
Barak Steika
Collin Wing

GRADE 9

Robert Beck
Austin Bennett
Julie Brown
Becca Bushong
Melinda Byrne
Sydney Dean
Chandler Guiles
Jaysen Jester
Ashlee Marsh
Patrick Pennay
Kelly Perkins
Jacob Snapp
Quartus Steika
McKenzie Swansbrough
Lauren Tijerina
Joshua Updike
Autumn Wales

GRADE 8

Amber Bean
Kyle Coffin
Daniel Cowulich
Stephen Cowulich
Cayliegh Craft
Justin Demmer
Taylor Edwards
Shelby Frink
Emma Gregrow
Devon Hack
Madison Hartenstein
Kaitlyn Howarth
Debra Judson
Simon Keller
Brady Mason
Serina Milewski
Davis Morais

Sophia Nash
Tressa Nechwedowich
Evan Powell
Kyle Pratt
Tia Quick
Faith Stoughton
Julianne Summerfield

GRADE 7

Clinton Baker
Caden Bennett
Gavin Blee
Ronan Dougherty
Elizabeth Ferguson
Hayden Flesher
Gregor Geisenhof
Cassidy Hoffmier
Jordan Johnson
Michael Kasper
Katelyn Maine
Ashleigh Miller
Emma Morgan
Andrew Obregon
April Simmons
Mara Skellett
Nathan Sokol
Alexander Umiker
Brice Wager
Alison Wales
Piper Workman

GRADE 6

Andrew Ace
Brianna Beebe
Cameron Carrier
Morgan Cwynar
Jacob Downey
Joshua Duke
Charlotte Dunn
Megan Felicetti
Jillianne Hanson
Kayla Hill
Isaac Lindridge
Collin McCall
David Mincher
Dawson Moncalieri
Mackenna Nechwedowich
Madison Peabody
Steffi Schanbacher
Lindie Short
John Simmons
Stephanie Updike

**HONOR ROLL -
10 WEEKS**

GRADE 5

Emmett Armbruster
Riley Babcock
Taylor Benjamin
Madison Bigelow
Matthew Bigelow
Patrick Bishop
Hannah Ferguson
Natalie Graham
Kathryn Greene
Hannah Holt
Chase LaBounty
Alexander Lindquist
Paige Little
Chyanne Murphy
Gabrielle Pettit
Jonathan Sherwood
Ashleigh Turnbull
Jadyn Vanzile
Rachael Walker

GRADE 4

Michelle Brooks
John Fiacco
Jasmine Graham
Dellione King
Logan Klinge
Kyra Maine
Mackenzie Malone
Troy Middendorf
John Mincher
Hailey Moncalieri
Samuel Morgan
Sarah Raymond
Owen Sailus
Kathryn Simmons
Austin Smith
Corbin Swindler
Ryli Titus



GRADE 12

Henry Armstrong
Riley Ayers
Samantha Benjamin
Kassondra Elliott
Travis Ford
Trenton French
Molly Graves
Dexter Hamilton
Nathan Holt
Nicholas Holt
Devan Kalpokas
Haleigh Karschner
Kyle Martin
Alexander Matrazzo
Blake Novi
Brandon Ogden
McKayla Parkin
Michael Persons
Elizabeth Poirier
Victoria Raupers
Tyler Rypkema
Kayla Stewart
Andy Tavelli
Michael VanRiper
Dawn Walters
Damion Wilcox
Jonathan Williams

GRADE 11

Joshua Babey
Amanda Barros
Renee Bartholomew
Sean Bigelow
Megan Botzenhart
Kyle Bussing
Connor Coleman
Jordan Crispell
Mackenzie Cron
Paul Evenson
Sullivan Harris
Cassie Hollenbeck
Katie Jobson
Joshua Kline
Austin Klinge
Jesse Lovejoy
Catherine Lyke
Madison Obregon
Peter Ortu
McKayla Pado
Michael Polhamus
Bryana Thomas
Alex Wilcox
Quiashawn Williams

MERIT ROLL - 10 WEEKS

GRADE 10

Katelin Brown
Caitlyn Chase
Andrew Coleman
Hailey Dalton
Thomas Davey
Evan Engelhard
Kyamesha Ford
Kyla French
Kayla Hart-Cummings
Evan Heater
Heather Kaczynski
Ruby Kidwell
Robert Marshall
Montana Mead
Shane Moshier
Shiley Rozelle
Gianno Silba
Brett Stewart
Steven VanPatten
Hendrix Welfel
Renee Wilcox
Hannah Willard
Chad Wright

GRADE 9

Susan Armstrong
Molly Baker
Tyler Beebe
Christian Caskey
Ryan Crispell
Jordyn Doncaster
Ciarra Gee
Stefan Geisenhof
Taylor Gregrow
Collen Hills
Hunter Hoffmier
Paxton Jobson
Taylor Kalpokas
Shawn Key
Jesse Kline
Paige Klinge
Yana Moroz
Alexis Mounts
Elizabeth Persons
Logan Sweet
Haley Tennant
Tyler Vallequette
Amber Wales
Michael Williams

GRADE 8

Jessica Akers
Madyson Colby
Tylor Cummings
Dominick Dryer

Trevor Gerdus
Megan Gilbride
Jason Graham
Taylor Hartenstein
Aaron Hathaway
Arianna King
Nathan Medina
Trentyn Rupert
Jasmine Seymour
Sophie Stewart
Jared Titus
Katerina Vattiato
Storm Wilcox
Elizabeth Zimmer

GRADE 7

Samantha Allen
Kelsey Bean
Ethan Bigelow
Kenneth Boyce
Evellinna Brich
Brandon Christian
Aryana Ferguson
Deeken Frost
Joree Gregrow
Zachary Kwiatkowski
Riley Malone
Kimberlee Mertson
Michael Morse
Tucker Pettit
Preston Schrader
Noah Shiel
Zachary VanOrder

GRADE 6

Gabriel Armstrong
Taylor Blinn
Aidan Cabrera
Emma Graves
Ashley Holt
Brooke Judson
Adam Keller
Kelsey Kerns
Leila King
Kamden McCall
Dominick Morse
McKenzie Pado
Andrew Post
Rayne Reynolds
Eugene Scales
Shaelyn Searle
Connor Spoonhower
Joseph Woodmansee
Chloe Yetter
Connor Yetter
Sidney Yurko

GRADE 5

Megan Boyce
Mark Davey
Jules Etienne
Hunter Gorsline
Haylie Hammond
Aden Hollenbeck
Justin Hopkins
Emma Kelley
Jason Knight
Logan Mann
Noah Martin
Christian Pado
Luke Rinkavage
Ethan Skeide
Amber Slavik
Makayla VanOrder
Austin Weeks
Darrah Wright

GRADE 4

Lillian Austin
Dean Belden
Daniel Boldis
Kylee Carrier
Daniel Cieri
Justin Coleman
Maxwell Flesher
Alexus Haines
Daniel Hall
Jenna Hanson
Mason Hulbert
Anvil Illsley
Caleb Karp
Cassidy Kunze
Ashley Moncalieri
Kasey Murphy
Faith Payne
Lia Quick
Christa Schanbacher
Kathryn Schanbacher
Brianna Searle
Jaden Short
Landon Spoonhower
Jonathan Umiker
Sandra Vaughn
Evan Wolfer
Mason Woodman
Brandon Yurko

Exceptional Senior Football Players

Vinnie Darpino, Dexter Hamilton & Blake Novi played in the Ernie Davis Classic Exceptional Senior Football game on December 1st.



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NV Students Participate in Music Abroad Program

Last summer, two Newark Valley band students travelled across Europe performing with student musicians from all over the Northeast United States. Mikayla Heiss and Acala Hill were selected to participate in the American Music Abroad Red Tour, a program that performs choral and band music in multiple European countries each summer. Participating in this tour requires an advanced level of musicianship and responsibility, as they represented not only our school but our country. Mikayla and Acala embraced this unique honor and shared some of their fond memories from the experience:

"Our trip to Europe this summer was an experience that neither of us could forget. We remember listening to the chorus's songs echoing off of the stain-glass windows of the many churches we happened to perform at. At one of these performances, the local townspeople were so grateful of our performance that they raised money in order to buy the entire Red Tour (70 kids in all) ice cream. Europe is famous for its gelato ice cream; in particular "spaghetti ice cream"- composed of vanilla ice cream and strawberry sauce, resembling marinara sauce on top. It was a unique experience to have a merging of chorus and band members assisting to set up for each concert. It taught us the pain of carrying cymbals and bells like ants burning under the scorching European sun as we trekked across the square in Schönbrunn palace. At the end of the tour we were working like a well-oiled machine. However, not all of our days were spent preparing for concerts; we had plenty of free time to do whatever we wanted, provided we were in groups of three. Our group in our free time climbed an alp, zip-lined in a playground, frolicked in funhouses, and made new friends. To this day we can remember our experience in Europe as we hum the tunes we played months ago. We would like to thank our music teacher Ms. Preston for her encouragement and guidance through the process."

Congratulations to both girls and thank you for being such excellent representatives of our community.

Student Mentors Building Connections



On Thursday, December 4th, the Cardinal Mentors met in the high school cafeteria with their 8th graders for a period of fun and games and getting to know one another.

Eighth graders were grouped with their mentors and participated in two different "getting to know you"

activities. One activity was the M & M game. The 8th graders were given a spoonful of M & M's and each color corresponded to a different topic. For example, a blue M & M was your most memorable moment. Students went around the table and had discussions based on a variety of topics.

The second activity involved discussing something good that has happened since the start of the school year. This was more challenging than it sounds! Everyone had an opportunity to share their good moment with one another.

Mentors also checked in with their mentees about report cards, classes, attendance and school activities. The goal was to make a connection with their group members. We plan to build on this connection throughout the year with other activities.

Outstanding Record for 2014 Girls Cross-Country

The Girls' Cross-Country team achieved a 22-1 IAC league record, were the IAC South Division and the NV-Bob Greene Invite Champs, and the IAC League and Section IV Class C Runners-up. With a very young team consisting of three 8th graders – Sophie Stewart, Marissa Silba, Colleen Riegel, two 9th graders – Anna Simmons, Jordan LaBounty, one sophomore – Anna Raymond, one junior – Bryanna Thomas, and two seniors – Kaylee Fenn and Kayla Stewart, the team was state-ranked by season's end and had their best performances at the championship races. Despite having limited depth this year, the team just missed winning Sectionals by 6 points. Kaylee Fenn's best season of her career, along with gutsy performances by Anna, Jordan, Bryanna, and Colleen, were instrumental in the team's success this year.

For the first time in school history, NV had two 8th graders qualify for the NY State Championship meet. Sophie's outstanding race that took 3rd at the Section IV Championships paved her trip to States. Marissa, ranked 9th going into Sectionals, ran incredibly to take the 5th and final spot for States and joined Sophie on the 1st Team Section IV Class C All-Star team. They then performed very well at States, placing better than their ranking.

Leading the team all season long was senior Kayla Stewart. In just her 3rd year of running, she won every IAC race, the Owego Invite, the IAC South Division Championship, was the repeat IAC League Champion, thereby extending NV's streak of having the IAC individual girls' champ to 9 years and earned her 3rd trip to States by placing 2nd at Sectionals. At States, she began the 3.1 mile race ranked 30th

but focused with a race plan that maximized her strengths. At the 2-mile mark, the designated "go" point, she was 21st at the bottom of a gradual but unrelenting half-mile hill. Upon cresting the hill, she was 14th, having blown past the previous week's Section IV Class C winner, and finished the race in 12th. Kayla is a 1st Team Section IV and a 3rd Team NY State Class C All-Star.

The team would like to thank everyone who donated time and energy in helping to make this such a successful season.

the IAC South division and NV-Bob Greene Invitationals. This would set up a huge Section 4 Championship meet race in which the Cardinals entered the competition seeded 3rd behind Watkins Glen and Oneonta. Not to be denied, the team would run their best race of the season winning Sectionals by a mere 4 points. All 10 cardinals who ran at the Sectionals played a role in the team's success. At the New York State Championships meet, the team entered as the 7th ranked team and would again run a very good race placing 6th overall.



Boys Cross-Country Sectional Winners

The Boys Cross-Country team completed another outstanding year in 2014 capping off an undefeated season (23-0) with its 1st Sectional title in 4 years and 7th in the last 10 years.

When the season began, the team had set the goal of winning the Section 4 title that had barely been out of their grasp the past 3 years (the team placed 2nd in 2011, 12 and 13), along with having another undefeated dual meet season. The team knew that these were lofty goals, but attacked the season with vigor.

As the season progressed, the team went undefeated and would record championships in

The Cardinals, 19 members strong, spent the whole season running with a pack-like mentality that led to several runners leading the team at different races. In the end, the top 10 boys who competed at the Sectionals were Josh Blazey, Collin Wing, Kevin Basel, Chris Dutcher, Sam Stewart, Mark Kemmerer, Henry Armstrong, Zach Miller, Nick Miller, and Ryan Mathers. Sophomore Josh Blazey was named a 2nd team IAC and Section 4 Class C All-Star and was the Cardinals' top finisher at the State meet. The Boys team also earned the New York State Public High School Athletic Association Scholar-Athlete Team Award.

The team would like to thank all of those who helped them to be so successful this season.

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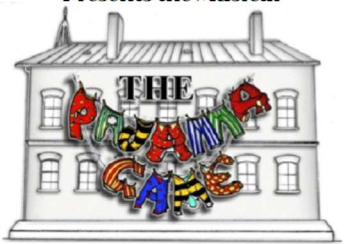
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Friday February 13, 2015
 And
 Saturday February 14, 2015
 7:00pm

New Mural in MS Gym

Students in Ms. Johnson's 7th grade Art Enrichment class have recently repainted the mural in the Middle School's upper gym. Learning digital design and editing skills, Brad Scymanski, Dakota Clark and Piper Workman each created a separate design for the space, and then worked together to create a Power-Point to present their ideas to Mr. Schaffer. Students learned about successful presentation techniques and public speaking skills as they shared each proposal with Mr. Schaffer, discussing options, and highlighting the positive points of each plan. The students then recreated the selected design, spending weeks painting a full scale mural on the wall of the Middle School's upper gym. Their hard work and skill has been admired by many - stop by and see this impressive work of art the next time you visit our school.

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