

# Principal's Report

Forest City Regional High School Ms. Cynthia Weiss May 19, 2025

#### **Outstanding Senior**

Congratulations to Evan O'Neill and Evan Burns for being named the Outstanding Seniors for the month of April.

#### **Mary Poppins**

The entire cast deserves a standing ovation for their incredible presentation.

Thank you to Mason Clark for her choreography and for securing the grant that allowed us to install broadway flooring on our stage. And a tip of the hat to Andrew Trotter, who helped with the install.

A heartfelt note: If you missed the show, you also missed Shelley Giles' final production with us. Her leadership has given hundreds of students a place to shine and her impact will echo for years to come.

# **High School Events**

Our faculty members work behind the scenes to coordinate student volunteers for our community events:

- Joanne Holgate helped organize the volunteers for the Lions Club Pancake Breakfast.
- Dan Nebzydoski and Rick Priebe motivate the Student Ambassadors and Girls' Softball team to help with our Children's Produce Market.

Melanie Zevan continues to find meaningful ways for our students to engage with the environment. From watershed studies to hands—on learning experiences, her passion and commitment make a lasting impact.

Mrs. Erdmann and Ms. Stefanov hosted an amazing PROM for 125 students on Friday, May 2<sup>nd</sup>. Mrs. Morahan worked with our SADD organization to sponsor the Fellerman and Ciarmboli Prom Pledge accompanied by PA State Trooper Brianna Hollenbeck on April 30<sup>th</sup>. In addition, Penn Dot and Eileen Miller highlighted the Paul Miller Law which goes into effect this June.

The FBLA Regional Competition was held in Hershey. Congratulations to the following two students who earned impressive awards.

- JoEllen Jones, who took 4<sup>th</sup> place and earned an invite to Nationals for "Introduction to Event Planning."
- Elle Plastaras, who earned a 5<sup>th</sup> place award in "Human Resource Management."

# **Counseling Office Happenings**

Forest City Regional hosted the Wayne County Junior Leadership Graduation on Wednesday, May 7, 2025. Alexis Baskin, Mehlayia St. Hilaire, Kyleigh Haser, Caleb Corey, and Ethan Silfee graduated with students from Wayne Highlands, Wallenpaupack, and Western Wayne

On Monday, April 28, 2025, thirty students from the class of 2026 visited King's College and participated in a College Fair.

### **Career Day**

In conjunction with NTIEC, the 2025 Career Day was held on Friday, April 25, 2025. Students in grades 9 through 12 met with representatives from the local businesses including: PA Department of Corrections, State Police, Grimm Construction, Lockheed Martin, Proctor & Gamble, Wayne County District Attorney, Wayne Memorial Health, Allied Services and Lackawanna College.

#### **Career Technology Center**

Congratulations to Blake Menotti and Michaela Reed for their commitment to their cooperative placements. Michaela received the prestigious "Earl Bishop Award" for outstanding achievement.

All eleven CTC seniors met or exceeded the competency requirements as determined by their NOCTI tests. Congratulations to Kali Babcock, Caeleb Breymeier, Jessica Curtis, Blake Menotti, and Michaela Reed for achieving an advanced score on their tests.

#### LIAA Scholar-Athletes

Laura Nebzydoski and Evan Burns were honored by the Lackawanna Interscholastic Athletic Association for their excellence in both academics and athletics.

# **Enrollment**

#### Data as of April 28:

Grade 7 - 59

Grade 8 - 60

Grade 9 - 58

Grade 10 - 61

Grade 11 – 44

Grade 12 - 59

Total Enrollment: 341

#### **Girls in STEM**

Congratulations to Ariana Priebe, Natalie Tomazic and Abby Graziano for earning a 3<sup>rd</sup> place finish out of 60 teams in a recent "Girls in STEM" competition. Under the leadership of Bill Graziano and Cathi Fedak, these students also tied for 1<sup>st</sup> place in Programming.