

# Superintendent Zipp's...

Week in Review (5/1-5/5)

Character Word of the Month- REAL LOVE



The poster features a dark red background with a gold border. At the top right is a gold 'C' logo. The word 'CHOOSE' is in white, followed by a large 'L' and 'VE' where the 'O' is a heart shape. Below this, 'WEEK' is written in white. At the bottom, 'MAY 8TH-MAY 12TH' is written in white. A white wavy line separates the top text from the bottom text.

In honor of those that lost their lives last year on May 14, 2022 and to give back as a school community we ask that we come together as a district and "Choose Love".

Students will pledge by coloring cut out hearts to hang around the school.

Friday, May 12th will be "Choose Love" Day. Please wear Buffalo gear or Red/White/Blue to show your support. The district will hold a dress down for staff with donations being used to give back to the Buffalo community. We want to come together as a Warrior community to honor and pay tribute to the lives lost on May 14th 2022.

Care for your Mental Health...

May is Mental Health Awareness month. To celebrate, the Cheektowaga Youth and Rec. Department is offering a FREE workshop focusing on coping skills offered to the community free of charge! This workshop is taught by our certified Mental Health Counselor.

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Ages: 10 - 16  
Wednesday, May 17  
@ Alexander Community Center  
275 Alexander Ave.  
6:00 - 7:30 pm  
**FREE ADMISSION**  
\*Pizza included\*

"The greatest wealth is health.  
Take care of your mind as much as  
you take care of your body."



**SHOW CARE FOR YOUR MENTAL HEALTH  
TO REGISTER CALL 716-897-7207 OR  
VISIT CHEEKTOWAGAREC.ORG  
[8315]**

## Rich in History...

The History of Western New York students checked out the architecture in Buffalo City Hall and downtown Buffalo before they headed to the History Museum. It was a great adventure!!!



## Attention Parents of 8th Graders...FUTURE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Any 8th grade student interested in construction or building management, electrical systems or automotive repair can apply for The P-TECH B.U.I.L.D. Program offered at BOCES. This 5 year program starts in 9th grade and will lead to a FREE Associates Degree from SUNY Erie. Students in this program will earn college credits while in High School, graduate with industry credentials, earn a rigorous technical endorsed Regents Diploma and have opportunities to career pathways in highly-demanded STEM fields. If any students are interested, please reach out to their School Counselor, Kristin Dudas ([kdudas@ccsd-k12.net](mailto:kdudas@ccsd-k12.net)), as soon as possible for an application.



## BeeBots with Mrs. Ozimek's class!



## Hot Air Balloons Activity in the 3rd Grade!



## Let it Rain...

The fourth graders were assessed on their knowledge of various art mediums and elements and created these fun "Rain" projects.



3rd and 4th grade students reading with kindergarteners  
during the After School Program!





Bowling during Physical Education! 🎳🎳🎳





## May the 4th Be with You...

The Force is Strong with these young Padawans! In UPK Gross Motor, we learned the ways of the JEDI with our "Lightsaber" Training and Space Ball games. Happy "MAY THE 4TH BE WITH YOU" Day!









Ms. Stroud's and Mrs. Stark's students created a Memorial Day display for the Union East Hallway



Congratulations to the Character Education students of the month for April!

5th grade

Sadia Sedak

Alex Malkowski

6th grade

Sophia Wojcicki

Camden Sanders

7th grade

Sophia Hunt

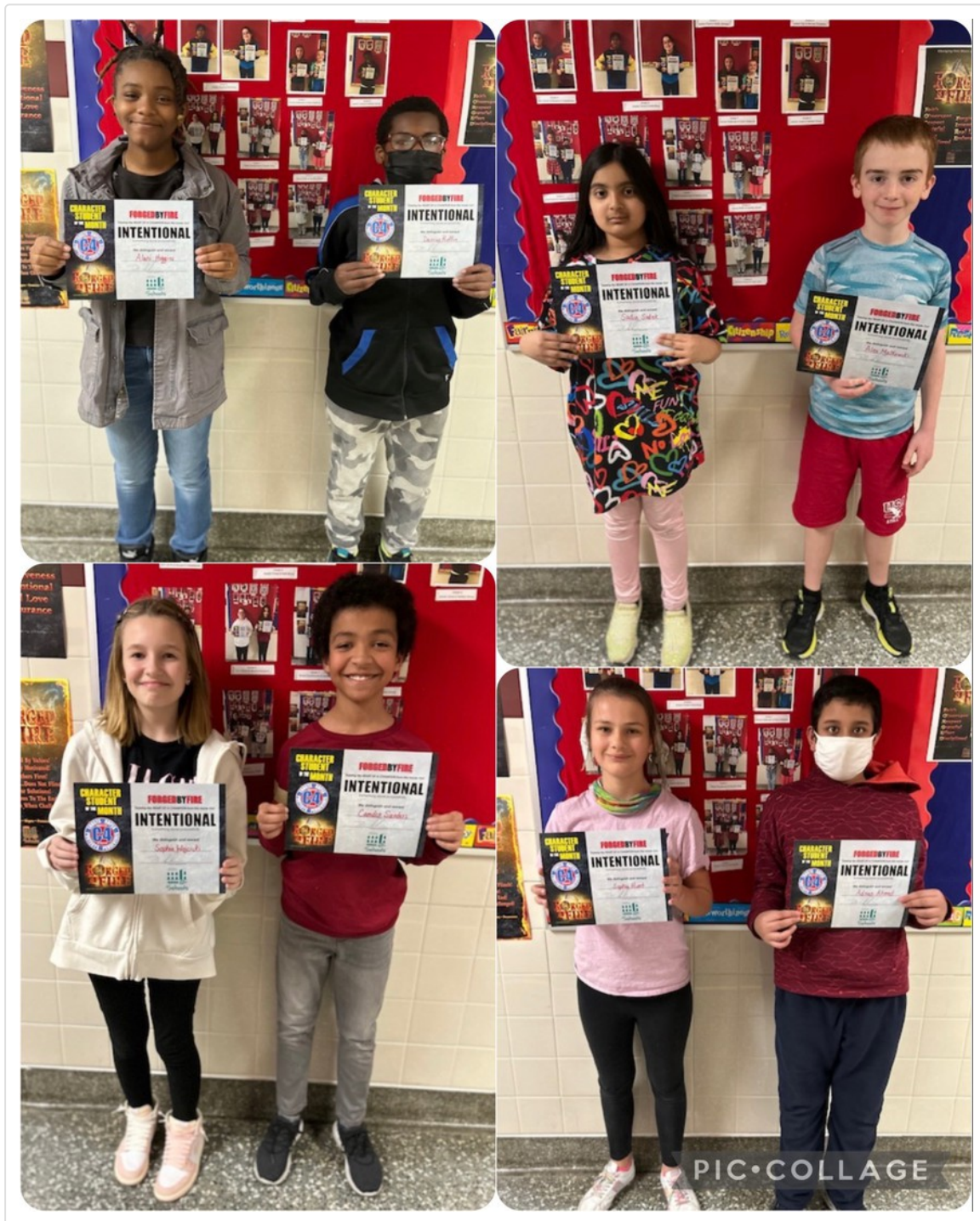
Adnan Ahmed

8th grade

Alani Huggins

Darrius Ruffin





Congratulations to our Way To Go Nominations in the Middle School!

Ms. Braddock's Class, Mrs. Maloney, Mrs. McGill, Mr. Buscaglia, and Mr. Hess



## Practice Makes Perfect...

The 7th Grade is learning how to draw portraits! Before they start their final project, they have been working studiously on a practice packet full of tips and tricks for drawing every part of the face.





## What is your Perspective...

This week in art....

- 8th graders learned about 1 point perspective
- 6th graders tackled a monochromatic painting project using designs they created with either organic or geometric shapes.



## Pace Yourself...

On Thursday, students ran the PACER test which stands for Progressive Aerobic Cardiovascular Endurance Run. The objective of the PACER is to run as long as possible while keeping a specified pace. Students run back and forth across a 20-meter space at a pace that gets faster each minute.

The following pictures are the students who received the highest scores in Miss Barbati's and Mr. Haberl's P.E. classes.





7th grade, Robert Swiatkowski - 98



5th Grade, Ryan Preischel - 72



6th grade, Fernando Colon - 93



8th Grade, Aidan Guadagno - 140



6th grade, Aileen Davis - 60



5th grade, Michael Zukowski - 74



6th grade, Isabella McPherson - 69



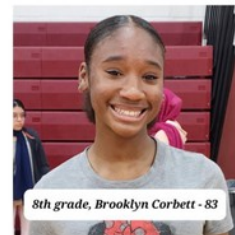
7th Grade, Sophia Hunt - 76



7th grade, Herick Fuentes De La Cruz - 94



5th grade, Brooklyn Barker - 89



8th grade, Brooklyn Corbett - 83



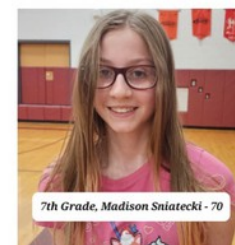
6th grade, Skylar Barrett - 69  
Mr. McCann's Class



5th grade, Brooklyn King - 73



6th grade, Christian Haven - 90



7th Grade, Madison Sniatecki - 70

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## Shaping Up...

5th graders used their knowledge of color theory to paint shapes that will be cut out and reassembled for a collage project.



Students visited Get Air to celebrate their hard work and dedication in the Third Quarter!





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Class of 2023 Chicken BBQ...Purchase tickets In Person or Online!



## CCSD Budget Vote & BBQ

Cheektowaga Central School District Class of 2023 will be sponsoring a chicken BBQ.

**Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup>**

**Budget Vote 12 noon – 9pm**

**BBQ 12:00pm - 6:00pm**

Tickets are ONLY \$ 15.00



Dinners will include:

Half of Chicken  
Potatoes  
Cole Slaw  
Dinner Roll

Carrubba's Garlic Butter Dipping Sauce

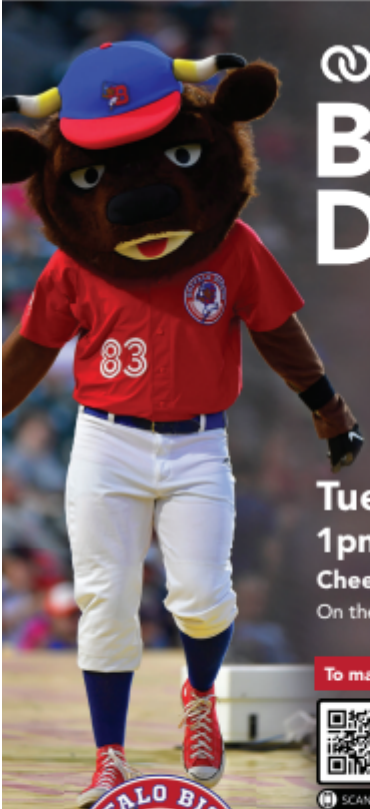


**Tickets are now available at all school offices & the district welcome center. They can also be bought while waiting in line for student pick up starting May 1st.**

Scan me for  
online orders







**ConnectLife**  
**Blood Drive**

1 pint of blood can save up to **3 LIVES**

**Tuesday, May 16**  
**1pm - 6pm**  
**Cheektowaga Central High School**  
On the ConnectLife Bus at 3600 Union Rd.

**To make an appointment:**

Scan QR Code  
Select your appointment time, then log in or add your information.  
Sponsor code: **001100**

OR Visit [ConnectLifeGiveBlood.org](https://ConnectLifeGiveBlood.org)  
or call 716.529.4270.

**SCAN ME**

**BUFFALO BISONS**

All May blood donors will receive a pair of flex tickets to a Bisons home game.

## Feedback Needed-Parent Survey

We are always seeking ways to better meet the needs of our students. Thank you for joining us in this important work. Please take a few minutes to answer this survey and give us your feedback so that we can better meet the needs of our students, families, and community.



Please click on the link below or scan the QR code

[DTSDE Parent Survey](#)

**Next Week is....Teacher Appreciation Week!!**



## Looking into next week...

**May 8th-May 12th-** Teacher Appreciation Week

**May 10th-** AP Biology (12:00pm)

**May 11th-** AP World History (8:00am)

**May 11th-** High School Honor Society Ceremony at 6:00pm in the Auditorium

**May 12th-** Senior Class Day Awards & Picnic at 9:00am in the Auditorium

**May 12th-** "Choose Love" Day- Wear Buffalo gear or Red/White/Blue

## HAVE A GREAT WEEKEND!

Scott Zipp  
Superintendent





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