

Hot Off the Pratt Press!



Presents

Pratt Elementary

PAST, PRESENT, FUTURE DAY

Thursday, June 17, 2021

8:30am-10:30am

Celebrate the End of an EPIC School Year!

Students will participate in activities with their previous year's teacher and next year's grade level teams.

Show off your grade level's spirit by wearing your class color shirt.

**** Fully remote students are welcome to attend. Please let your teacher know you will be attending and check in at the Pratt Office by 8:15am. Individual pick up times will be arranged by classroom teachers.**

Unfortunately we are unable to welcome parents and guardians as guests at this time. We apologize for this.

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| <p><u>Tuesday June 2</u> Community Forum 7:45 HS Auditorium</p> | <p><u>Monday June 14</u> BOE Meeting 7:00pm</p> | <p><u>Monday June 14</u> Flag Day Wear Red, White & Blue!</p> | <p><u>Tuesday June 15</u> Pre-K Cohort A PPF Day Wear your class shirts!</p> | <p><u>Thursday June 17</u> Pre-K Cohort B Kind-6th Grade PPF Day Wear your class shirts!</p> |
| <p><u>Friday June 18</u> NO SCHOOL Juneteenth Observed</p> | <p><u>Friday June 18</u> National Go Fishing Day!</p> | <p><u>June 20</u> First Day of Summer! Longest day of the year!</p> | <p><u>June 22</u> Last day for students</p> | <p><u>June 26</u> Graduation Day! Congratulations Seniors!</p> |


Have a Fun & Safe Summer Vacation!


****THERE WILL BE**

NO
BARKER
SUMMER
RECREATION
IN 2021

We apologize and
hope to have it
return in 2022**

Future Dates

Mid-August

2021-2022

Student placement
letters should be mailed
home around

Mid-August

September/October

Sept. 4 - 1st day of school

Sept. 15- Open House 6:00pm

Oct. 8 - Picture Day

Pre-K Registration

Now's the time to get those registration packets in for Pre-K!

Pre-K will be half days for the 2021-2022 year.

Classes are **7:50-10:30** for the AM Session and
11:30-2:28 for the PM Session.

Preference may be suggested, but there is no guarantee that you
will receive that choice.

All paperwork must be signed and turned in
for you to receive a Pre-K spot.

Phone calls do not reserve a Pre-K spot.

Olcott Yacht Club Junior Sailing Scholarship

The Olcott Yacht Club is sponsoring a scholarship for the
OYC Junior Sailing Program designed for students ages 7-18.

This program emphasizes fun, safety, sportsmanship, cooperation and competition
in the sport of sailing and is held at the
Olcott Yacht Club, Olcott, N.Y.

Session 1 - July 6 - July 16

Session 2 - July 19 - July 30

Session 3 - August 2 - August 12

Classes run Monday- Friday from 9:00 am - 4:00 pm.

The scholarship is available by completing an application (on the next page) and
a written essay expressing the student's interest in learning to sail.

The scholarship is available to non-members of the Olcott Yacht Club.

Applications are available at the Pratt Elementary Office and the
deadline to apply is **Monday, June 7, 2021.**

Additional info about the program is available on the Club website:

www.olcottyachtclub.com

OLCOTT YACHT CLUB JUNIOR SAILING SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION - 2021

The Olcott Yacht Club Women's Yachting Association annually sponsors enrollment into the OYC Junior Sailing Program through scholarships. The program is designed for students aged 7 to 18 and emphasizes fun, safety, sportsmanship, cooperation, and competition in the sport of sailing, held on Lake Ontario at the Olcott Yacht Club, 1535 Water Street, Olcott, New York.

The program is held in three sessions, Monday through Friday, 9 am until 4 pm. The session dates are:

Session 1: July 6 until July 16 **Session 2: July 19 until July 30** **Session 3: August 2 until August 12**

This scholarship is available by completing the application below and including an essay expressing your interest in learning to sail or continuing your sailing and why you would like to be considered. The scholarship is available to non-members of Olcott Yacht Club who may be currently enrolled and attend school in the following districts: Barker, Newfane or Wilson.

Application must be accompanied by parent/guardian signature. Applications being considered will be asked to attend an informal orientation with their parent or guardian.

**** Application must be received by Monday, June 7th, 2021 ****

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PLEASE PRINT

Applicant Name _____ Birth date _____

Address _____

Parent or Guardian _____ Email address _____

Telephone (H) _____ (C) _____ School and Grade _____

Please Circle Session(s) Applying For: 1 2 3

"I give _____ permission to apply for this scholarship."
(Child's name)

(Signature of parent or guardian)


INSTRUCTIONS:
Describe, in your own words, your interest in learning/continuing the sport of sailing.
Essay must be legible (in any format) and signed by the applicant.

SCHOLARSHIP WINNER MUST BE RESPONSIBLE FOR TRANSPORTATION, A PACKED LUNCH DAILY, A PFD (LIFEJACKET), BACKPACK AND CHANGE OF CLOTHES.

**MAIL APPLICATION TO: LINDA ROSENBAUM
5317 WOODLAND HEIGHTS
BURT, NEW YORK 14028**

Additional program information is available on the Club website: www.olcottyachtclub.com

JUNE 2021

| Sunday | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday | Saturday |
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| | | 1 B National Say Something Nice Day | 2 Community Forum 7:45 HS Auditorium | 3 C | 4 D | 5 |
| 6 | 7 E 4 th Grade Science Assessment 8:30am | 8 F | 9 | 10 A | 11 B | 12 |
| 13 | 14 C Flag Day  BOE Meeting 7:00 | 15 D <u>Pre K Cohort A</u> Pratt Past, Present & Future Day! Wear your class colors | 16 | 17 E <u>All Grades</u> Pratt Past, Present & Future Day! Wear your class colors! | 18 No School Juneteenth observed | 19 |
| 20 First Day Of Summer! | 21 A | 22 B Last Day of School 2020-2021! | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 Graduation Day! Congrats to the class of 2021! |
| 27 | 28 | 29 | 30 | | | |

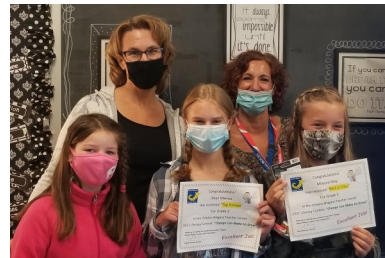
Each year, the Niagara Orleans Teacher Center sponsors a literacy contest open to students in grades Pre-K-6.

This year's theme was
“Change Can Make Us Grow”

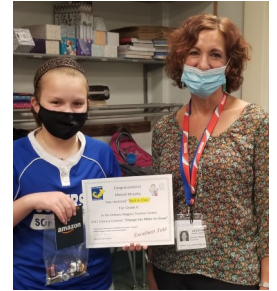
27 Pratt Elementary students were recognized for their outstanding writing. We had 4 Best in Class placements and the rest received Honorable Mention. Congratulations everyone! Keep up the wonderful writing!

Best in Class:

Olivia Silversmith, Kindergarten
Estevan Stymus, Kindergarten
Milayna May, Fifth Grade
Melodi Murphy, Sixth Grade



A. Atwater, J. Maines, M. May
Mrs. Ober, Ms. Herman

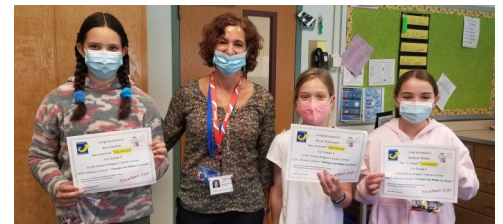


M. Murphy & Ms. Herman

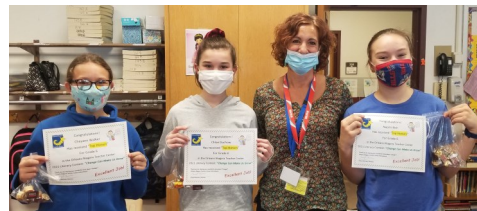
Honorable Mention:

Kindergarten:

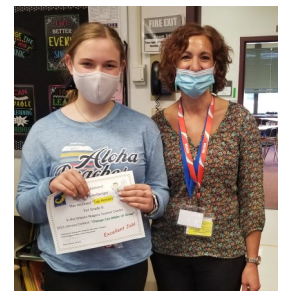
Carter Annecharico
Lincoln Atwater
Ashton Botting
Elloise Buyea
Owen Dergel
Justin Jackson
Fiona McEachern
Aubree McMaster
Annabelle Page
Danielle Raduns
Hannah Sears



A. Riches, Ms. Herman, A. Sturtevant &
A. Weller



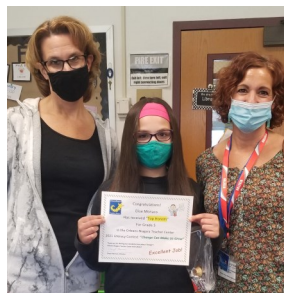
C. Walker, C. Duchow, Ms. Herman,
N. Bish
Not Shown: Mrs. Briggs



B. Dunkelberger
Ms. Herman

Fifth Grade:

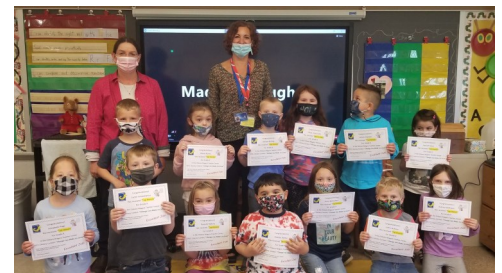
Adeline Atwater
Jillian Maines
Elise Monaco
Alina Riches
Kenzie Rose
Arnie Sturtevant
Addisyn Weller



Mrs. Ober, E. Monaco
Ms. Herman

Sixth Grade:

Naomi Bish
Chloe Duchow
Brooke Dunkelberger
Cheyann Walker
Eva Kelsey



Mrs. Weller's Kindergarten Class

Thank you to all of the teachers and students who participated in this worthy writing contest!
Congratulations to everyone who entered and to those that placed!
Thank you to Ms. Cheryl Herman who brought our students their certificates to the school!

HARD WORKER of the Month

Pratt Elementary is on the look-out for **HARD WORKERS** each month to become part of an elite group of students who strive to use positive character traits every day.

One student from each grade level will be selected by staff each month.

Those students selected will have demonstrated the designated monthly trait on a regular basis.

Each month's trait will begin with a letter from the phrase **HARD WORKER**.

May's trait is ENCOURAGING.

An encouraging student provides hope and support to others.

Encouraging students cheer on their friends, give them a smile or a helping hand when needed.

June's trait will be RESPONSIBLE.

Being a responsible student means you are taking an active role in learning by participating and trying your best. Someone who is responsible accepts the consequences of his or her own actions and decisions.

Honest (September)

Ambitious (October)

Reliable (November)

Dependable (December)

Witty (January)

Organized (February)

Respectful (March)

Kind (April)

Encouraging (May)

Responsible (June)

The following students have been selected as May's group of

HARD WORKERS

with the trait

ENCOURAGING:

Pre-K: Samson Lewis

Kindergarten: Aubree McMaster

1st Grade: Elyza Wedekind

2nd Grade: Anthony Parmley

3rd Grade: Trenton Tillinghast

4th Grade: Zoey Quiett

5th Grade: Arnie Sturtevant

6th Grade: Keagan Schaal



“**Samson Lewis** is the Pre-K Hard Worker for May!
All year, Samson has been the voice of **encouragement** for his friends in class. It is very kind the way he uses kind words to support his classmate's efforts or tries to cheer up someone who may be feeling down. We are all thankful for Samson's thoughtfulness.”
Mrs. Podgers & Mrs. Schwab Pre-K

“I have chosen **Aubree McMaster** to be the Hard Worker in kindergarten for the month of May. She is always there for a friend and **encourages** them when they need support. Aubree enthusiastically cheers on her friends and is always willing to lend a helping hand when needed. Great job Aubree!”
Mrs. Weller Kindergarten

“Our first grade **encouraging** student is **Elyza Wedekind**. Elyza comes in every morning with a great big smile and greets all her friends with kindness. She is always looking to help a friend in need and has encouraging words to say to everyone. She always puts forward her best effort and keeps up the positivity. Keep up the great work, Elyza!”
Miss Hinton 1st Grade

“**Anthony Parmley** is my choice for hard worker for May for the trait, **encouraging**. Anthony is one of the kindest kids I have ever met. He is constantly offering words of encouragement to his classmates. He offers to help in any way that he can, tells others when they have done a good job, and helps friends when they are feeling down. Anthony has also written some amazing notes of appreciation to staff members.”
Mrs. Nestoros 2nd Grade

“I am nominating **Trenton Tillinghast** for the month of May. He **encourages** his classmates daily. Trenton compliments his peers on ideas and classwork they share. He always finds something positive to say. His encouragement throughout the year has been such a joy to witness. Thank you Trenton for being a great classmate!”
Mrs. Pavlock 3rd Grade

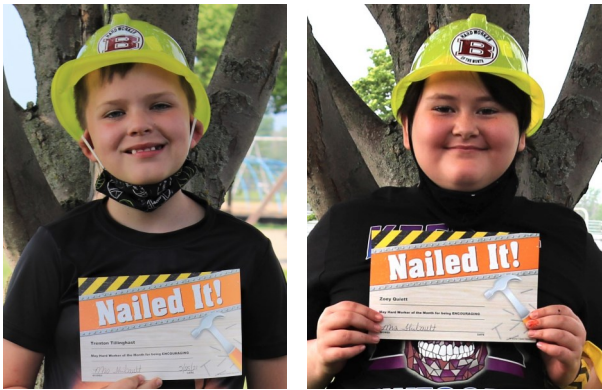
“**Zoey Quiett** is our fourth grader Hard Worker of the month. She always exhibits the trait of **encouraging!** Whether it be helping a classmate who needs some extra help answering a question or a teacher struggling with technology, Zoey is there with a kind word, smile on her face and a helping hand. We celebrate Zoey as our Hard Worker for May.”
-Mrs. Dissek & Mrs. Evans 4th Grade

“When a classmate or friend is in need of encouragement, **Arnie Sturtevant** is your go-to girl! She is eager to help her peers (and teachers!). Her smile and cheerful attitude are sure to brighten your day! Arnie uplifts everyone around her with both her words and actions. **Encouraging** is only one of the many Hard-Worker characteristics that Arnie Sturtevant exhibits on a daily basis! Your teachers couldn't be prouder of you Arnie!”
5th grade teachers

“The 6th grade team is happy to have **Keagan Schaal** as our May Hard Worker of the Month. Keagan has a great personality and is always kind and **encouraging** to others! Selfless, caring, and hardworking are just a few ways to describe what a great student he is. Keagan is kind to all and offers a helping hand to any student or teacher in need. He consistently completes his assignments on time and is a student that his peers look up to. Great job Keagan!”
6th grade teachers



1st Row L-R:
Samson Lewis, Pre-K
Aubree McMaster, Kindergarten
Elyza Wedekind, 1st Grade
Anthony Parmley 2nd Grade



2nd Row L-R:
Trenton Tillinghast, 3rd Grade
Zoey Quiett, 4th Grade



3rd Row L-R:
Arnie Sturtevant, 5th Grade
Keagan Schaal, 6th Grade