



## Senior Spotlights

ACCEPTED TO  
POST-SECONDARY  
PROGRAMS

**Brandon Armacost:**  
Jamestown Community  
College

**Erynn Dickerson:**  
Hope College;  
Pennsylvania College of  
Technology

**Kaylynn Dowell:**  
Pennsylvania College of  
Technology

**Caitlyn Freelove:**  
Jamestown Community  
College

University of Pittsburgh  
at Bradford

**Kierra Green:**  
Pennsylvania College of  
Technology

**Kalli Hanchett:**  
Thiel College;  
Indiana University of  
Pennsylvania  
Mansfield University



3D Mixed Media:  
Watercolor with  
shaped wood frame,  
by Senior Artist  
Karina West

# The Senior Splash

December 2018

Information for Seniors and their families regarding Senior-specific events and deadlines.

## DETAILS and DEADLINES

### IF YOU ARE GOING ON THE SENIOR TRIP

Contacts: Miss Smith  
rsmith@oswayo.com  
and Mr. Smelko  
jsmelko@oswayo.com

\***December 7: Sorting and Delivery** of Fruit and Cheese; if you could not participate sufficiently in the Fruit and Cheese Sale, you have a payment due of \$100 by December 14.

\***December 19: The Soup Supper** fundraiser has been combined with the Candy Cane Lane Bake sale (December 1), with each student to participate in one or both so each student's contributions total \$50. Students who do not participate in either fundraiser must pay \$50 by January 25. For the **Soup Supper**: Bring soup or supplies or work a shift.

**Please pay your fundraiser balances;** ask Miss Smith to see if and what you owe.

**If you decide not to go on the trip,** let Miss Smith know **before** she pays any deposits or buys tickets, or you will be responsible for money even if you do decide later not to go.

### YEARBOOK: SENIOR SECTION and SENIOR TRIBUTES

Contact: Mrs. Poirier  
lpoirier@oswayo.com

Please submit two Senior Portraits plus a baby or child photo by or before **December 7**.

Please submit any Senior Tribute information by or before **December 7**, or at least **reserve your space** by then.

Photos may be hard-copy or digital. Please do not submit screen-shots or PNG; the resolution is not usually good enough.

### CAREER EXPLORATION REQUIREMENTS FOR GRADUATION

Contact: Mrs. Poirier  
lpoirier@oswayo.com  
and Mrs. Perkins  
jperkins@oswayo.com

Career Exploration is now a required portion of the school curriculum. A **job shadowing** experience during the senior year is a required part of Career Exploration and a required part of the Senior Career Project, which is now a graduation requirement. Don't procrastinate! See Mrs. Perkins to arrange for job shadowing.

### GUIDANCE

Contacts: Mrs. Gross (n.gross@oswayo.com) and  
Mrs. Perkins (jperkins@oswayo.com)

Don't forget the **FAFSA** (Free Application for Federal Student Aid)!! Mrs. Perkins is happy to help—just make an appointment. Also, there will be a representative from PHEAA here on **January 9th** to help families complete the FAFSA.

Keep up-to-date with **transcripts** and **college application deadlines!** Again, Mrs. Perkins will guide you through the process.

Start looking for **scholarship opportunities**.

### OTHER REMINDERS

Christmas Concert is December 18.  
We do have school December 21.

## SENIOR MOMENTS



Senior guys "sharing" one chair . Front: David Duell and Aric Sturdevant. Second "row": Mark Olmstead, James Nellis, Shawn Jones (hiding), and Hunter Turk. Back: Michael Welch, Aaron Hemphill, Kamron Siebert, and Alex Lamb.



While volunteering their time at the Yellow Ribbon Middle School Halloween Dance, Erynn Dickerson (above left) and Kierra Green select songs from a dance playlist.



Keith Lamb (left) and Ryan Dynda enjoy the Thanksgiving dinner put on by the Middle School staff.

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*Dr. Hartzell*