

Young Talent Nails Production of Chicago

by Gail Scott

As the curtain closed on the final performance of Hampton High School's *Chicago: High School Edition*, there was a standing ovation from the audience and cheers backstage as the actors and crew celebrated a fantastic performance. The show ran for 2 weekends, and the theater was full each night.

This has been a long awaited production for many students who have been hoping that the high school would perform this show. *Chicago: High School Edition* is

set in the roaring 20's in the legendary city of Chicago. The story tells of two vaudevilian murderesses who are locked up in jail on murderer's row. Roxie Hart and Velma Kelly become celebrity criminals.

There were more than 100 students involved in the production, including actors, stage crew, costumers, set design, hair and make-up artists, sound, lighting, property department, the student production team, and a fantastic student orchestra. Plus, many teachers and administra-

tion members were involved in *Chicago*, as well as parent volunteers. Senior Elena Orban played the role of Roxie Hart, and she said, "The musical has been one of the best things in my life. Between the friendships I have formed and the skills I have learned, I feel like I have gained so much throughout the past four years. I will carry the things I have learned with me through the rest of my life and would not trade my experience and memories from musical for

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New Sunscreen Policy at Community Pool

by June Gravitte

The Township of Hampton's Louisa Rush Swimming Pool was renovated in 2000 and is located in the township community park. The pool is open annually from Memorial Day weekend through Labor Day of each year. The 2019 operating budget for the pool is \$337,805, along with capital improvements of \$62,500, which includes a new roof for the concession stand, new diving boards, new pool shade structures and a new automated pool

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Memorial Day Tribute

by June Gravitte

A Memorial Day Remembrance Ceremony to honor the men and women who have bravely fought to defend our country will be held on Monday, May 27th at the Hampton Veterans Memorial that is located next to the Hampton Community Center. The Hampton American Legion, Post 296 is hosting the event at 10:00 a.m. rain or shine. Veterans will be participating as well as members of the Hampton Band.

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Spelling Bee Winner

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Hampton Alumni's History Podcast

by June Gravitte

2015 Hampton graduate Trevor Culley has created an interesting podcast to for history lovers. It is called "The History of Persia" and he did this in conjunction with his major at The University of Rhode Island. The podcast is dedicated to the history of Persia, and the great empires that ruled there beginning with the Achaemenid Empire of Cyrus the Great and the foundation of an imperial legacy that directly impacted ancient civilizations from Rome to China, and everywhere in between. The Podcast has gained listeners on every continent around the world. Join him on the podcast to explore the cultures, militaries, religions, successes, and failures of some of the greatest empires of the ancient world. The link is: <https://podcasts.apple.com/us/podcast/history-of-persia/id1452677220>

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Police Log


The Hampton Township Police Department is dedicated to enhancing the quality of life of our residents and guests by providing the very best in law enforcement services. The twenty-two officers and two civilian clerks take pride in serving the community in a professional and proactive manner. Thank you to the staff for helping to keep our community safe.

A summary of noteworthy incidents that occurred are listed below. These incident statistics included, but WERE NOT LIMITED TO, the following between the dates of 3/17/2019— 4/13/2019:


Dumpster Fire

 On March 13, 2019 at 4:03 p.m. Hampton Township Police responded to a business on Route 8 for a report of a dumpster fire. Upon arrival, the dumpster was fully engulfed, but was not posing any danger to the surrounding businesses. Members of the fire department responded to the scene and extinguished the fire.


Residential Fire

 On April 2, 2019 at 4:04 a.m., Hampton Township officers responded to Sample Court for a report of a residential structure fire. Upon arrival, officers evacuated the nearby residences. Fire units located an active fire in the basement of the residence and were able to extinguish it a short time later.

Traffic Stop/Warrant

 On April 2, 2019 at 8:30 p.m., a Hampton Township officer came across a vehicle that had a suspended vehicle registration. Upon initiating a traffic stop and identifying the driver, the officer discovered that the individual had an active arrest warrant. The vehicle was also found to have an expired inspection and emissions. The operator was also found to be in possession of drugs.

Vehicle Accident/DUI Arrest

 On March 3, 2019 at 1:03 a.m., Hampton Township Police were dispatched to East Hardies Road for a single vehicle accident. The responding officer observed that the vehicle in question had traveled off of the roadway,

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Boy Scout Mass with the Bishop

by June Gravitte

On Sunday, April 22nd, 2018, several Hampton middle school boys received their Ad Altare Dei religious emblems at Saint Paul Cathedral in Oakland during the annual Scout Convocation. The Convocation is a Mass celebrated with a bishop and other clergy at St. Paul Cathedral, during which the religious awards/emblems that were earned by Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts and Camp Fire members are blessed and distributed.

The "Ad Altare Dei" (AAD) is a program developed by the National Catholic Committee on Scouting (NCCS) for middle school aged Boy Scouts of the Catholic faith. Its purpose is to foster the total personal and spiritual growth of each young person by encouraging him to actively live out his Catholic Christian faith. This gives the boy the opportunity to develop his spiritual side according to the beliefs of his own religion, to be "morally straight". "The purpose of the Ad Altare Dei (to the altar of God) program is to help Catholic Youth of the Roman Rite develop a fully Christian way of life in the faith

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Real Estate News & Insights...

By **JUNE GRAVITTE**, Your Local Real Estate Representative



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Preschool Storytime: Learn, Explore, Discover!

Tuesdays, Now through May 7th at 10:15 – 10:45 a.m.

Join us for stories, songs, and music and give your child a solid foundation for their future! Storytimes aren't just entertaining, they're educational and help your child develop a love of reading and provide early learning skills that will help your child succeed in school and in life. While designed for 3 -5 year olds, all ages are welcome!

Parachute Dance Party!

Tuesdays, Now through May 7th at 11:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Moms, dads, caregivers of preschoolers. Join us as we dance, sing, jump, twirl and float away all with a colorful parachute! This is an interactive program where everyone joins in the fun! This program will be held in the Library!

Baby/Toddler Storytime: Learn, Explore, Discover!

Wednesdays, Now through May 8th at 10:15 – 10:45 a.m.

Join us for stories, movement and music geared for babies and toddlers. Storytime is a great way to introduce growing children to books, social interaction and lifelong learning. While designed for babies and toddlers, all ages are welcome!

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Murder by the Book! A Mystery Book Club!

Wednesday, May 15th, 6:30 p.m.

Join us as we discuss, *The 7 ½ Deaths of Evelyn Hardcastle*, by Stuart Turton. Books available at the library. Make new friends, discover new authors, and get a clue!

Betty's Book Buzz:

Thursday, May 16th, 1:00 p.m.

Join Betty as she gives her opinions, (both good and bad) about *Saints for All Occasions*, by Courtney Sullivan. Copies of the book will be available at the library. Make new friends, meet new books!!

Cooks-N-Books: Valerie Bertinelli!

Thursday, May 23rd, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Cooks-n-Books is a cookbook and food discussion group for people who love to cook and make new friends! No real experience or culinary expertise is needed- just a desire to share recipes and food!!

We meet in Great Room A in the Hampton Community Center. Here's what to do...

- 1) Check out a cookbook by Valerie Bertinelli from the library, find a recipe.
 - 2) Cook that dish and bring it to the group the evening of the discussion. Please bring a copy of the recipe as well.
 - 3) Sample all of the amazing recipes!
- Please note there will be a \$2.00 fee to cover the cost of supplies.

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Boy Scout Mass *(Continued from page 4)*

community. The program is organized in chapters based on the seven sacraments. The seven Sacraments are a primary means toward spiritual growth." It is one of the ways they can fulfill their Duty To God requirement. All religious emblems earned by the Scouts are formulated and administered by their own religious denomination.

Locally the program is administered by the Catholic Committee on Scouting (CCOS) of the Diocese of Pittsburgh, under the direction of the National Catholic Committee on Scouting (NCCOS). The award is worked on in small groups facilitated by counselors trained by the CCOS. The counselors for this emblem were myself (Karen Brienza, Chaplain, Troop 195) and Steve Mitterer (Committee Chair, Troop 195) and the award meetings were held at St Catherine of Sweden Church.

The Scouts had sixteen meetings at variable intervals from May 2018 until January 2019. The program includes a workbook, discussions, service projects, guests on dedicated topics (e.g. Deacon Cliff Homer answered the boys' questions about the sacrament of Holy Orders), and a retreat with Scouts from around the Diocese at the Annual Scout Retreat.




left to right: Patrick McClelland St. Catherine of Sweden, Troop17; Matthew Zegar, St. Catherine of Sweden, Troop 17; Bishop Zubik; Brendan Cambest, St. Mary of the Assumption, Troop 195; Alex Mitterer, Most Holy Name Troop 195


Police Log

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struck a fire hydrant and a utility pole. While speaking with the operator, the officer observed multiple signs of impairment. The operator was unable to complete the field sobriety tests as had been instructed and demonstrated, and was placed under arrest for suspicion of DUI.

 On April 13, 2019 at 12:09 a.m., Hampton Township Police responded to Route 8, near Anderson Drive, for a two-vehicle accident. The responding officer observed two severely damaged vehicles with both operators standing on the side of the road. Upon speaking with both operators, one showed visible signs of impairment. The accident occurred when one operator was stopped on Route 8, in the southbound lane, waiting to turn left onto Anderson Drive when they were rear-ended. One operator was subsequently placed under arrest for suspicion of DUI. Both vehicles had to be towed from the roadway due to extensive damage.

Vehicle Accident

 On March 6, 2019 at 7:22 a.m., Hampton Township Police were dispatched to Route 8, near Anderson Drive, for a two-vehicle collision. One vehicle was blocking a portion of Route 8, and the other vehicle had been moved onto Anderson Drive. Both involved parties were transported to the hospital by ambulance and personal vehicle. Both vehicles sustained disabling damage

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Library

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Mindful Fridays!

Fridays, Starting now through May 24th at 10:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Do you have a hobby that you like but are tired of practicing it alone while watching the Hallmark Channel? Then bring your knitting, crochet, needlepoint, coloring, suduko, crossword puzzles or whatever to the library. Join a set of like minded people who are looking for quiet conversation while enjoying their favorite hobby!

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Pool

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chemical monitor. The swimming pool averages approximately 36,000 users annually. In preparation of the 2019 swimming pool season, lifeguards have been trained in CPR, AED use, first aid and rescue techniques to make the pool an enjoyable experience and safe for all. Pool officials look forward to providing the best services to all pool users, so they experience a "community" within the Hampton community. Everyone is excited with the warmer weather, fresh paint, new chairs and a clean and safe pool for this year. As part of this year's preparations, staff responsibilities continue to be to provide the healthiest, cleanest and safest envi-



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much as we respect concerns regarding preventing sunburn and its effects, we also respect the rights of others and their respiratory health concerns. We pride ourselves in delivering all our members and visitors a safe and pleasant visit. Thank you for your assistance in complying with this policy. The staff of the Township of Hampton Swimming Pool asks for your understanding, your cooperation and your patience as we together work on improving the water at the swimming pool. Wishing you many, many pool days in 2019.

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and had to be towed from the scene. The accident occurred when one vehicle was traveling south on Route 8 and was stopped to turn left onto Anderson Drive. As the vehicle began to turn, it was struck from behind.

🚓 On March 7, 2019 at 1:16 a.m., Hampton Township Police responded to Duncan Avenue for a single vehicle that had driven into a hillside. The driver was reported to have sustained injuries and was bleeding. Upon the officer's arrival, they located a vehicle into a hillside with heavy front end and undercarriage damage. The operator had visible injuries and was transported to the hospital by ambulance. The operator stated that they were driving on Duncan Avenue when an animal ran in front of the vehicle, causing the driver to swerve and lose control of the vehicle.

🚓 On March 12, 2019 at 5:10 p.m., Hampton Township Police were dispatched to Mount Royal Boulevard for a single vehicle accident involving a utility pole. The vehicle was reported to be smoking. Upon the officers' arrival, they located the vehicle in question resting against a telephone pole with heavy front end damage. The operator had sustained injuries during the crash, and medics responded to the scene. The operator had lost control of the vehicle around a bend in the roadway, struck a mailbox and then struck a telephone pole. The operator was transported to the hospital by ambulance and the vehicle had to be towed from the scene due to extensive damage.

🚓 On March 17, 2019 at 6:08 p.m., Hampton Township Police were dispatched to West Hardies Road, at Oak Hill Road, for a two vehicle accident with entrapment. Upon the responding officers arrival, both vehicle operators were found to be out of their vehicles. The accident occurred when one vehicle was stopped in the east bound lane, waiting to turn left onto Oak Hill Road when the vehicle was rear-ended. Both vehicles sustained disabling damage and had to be towed from the scene. One operator was transported to the hospital by ambulance.

🚓 On March 27, 2019 at 5:33 p.m., Hampton Township officers responded to Route 8 and Oxford Boulevard for a multiple vehicle accident. Upon their arrival, officers located three involved vehicles. The accident occurred when the operator of one vehicle attempted to pull out of a business parking lot onto Route 8 and was rear-ended. This caused the vehicle to cross lanes and strike another vehicle. All three vehicles sustained disabling damage and had to be towed from the scene.

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Megan Roth, a first-year student at A.W. Beattie, said her

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Mini -THON raises over \$55,000

by Gail Scott

The Hampton High School student body came together to support a great cause during their Mini THON event on March 29th. The marathon supported The Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh. Students set a goal to raise \$40,000 this year but the gathered crowd of 540 students was astounded when the total was revealed at \$55,600.39 raised.

During Mini THON, students played games such as volleyball, dodgeball, corn hole, ping pong, spike ball, zumba, karaoke, guitar hero, face painting, adult coloring books, and numerous table games in the library. Speakers from the Dunlap family, the Pilarski family, and HHS student Sam Triulzi spoke to the gathered students. Food Trucks sold dishes from barbeque to salads. Senior Sarah Schreiber, student body president for student council, said, "The night was fantastic! It was incredible to see the student body come together and support a cause greater than ourselves. Personally, for me, it was the best moment of my high school experience getting to see the students so surprised and excited about raising over \$55,000." Kevin Green is the academic advisor for student council and commented, "I am very proud of our council, the students, the HHS staff, and the Hampton community for their support and making this event possible."



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"Play Ball" at Baseball Opening Day

by Gail Scott

A parade kicked off the festivities on April 27th as the Hampton Athletic Association (HAA) held its baseball and softball opening day celebration. The weather was cold and windy but it didn't dampen the spirits of the large crowd in attendance.

The parade was led by the Hampton Fire and Police Departments as the players and coaches marched behind them. The HAA Hampton baseball and softball teams are made up of boys and girls ages 4 to 18. When the teams reached the field, the DJ announced each team onto the field. Two Pirates Pierogis attended and ran the bases and were available for pictures. Hampton student Carissa Williams sang The Star Spangled Banner.

There were a lot of activities for everyone to enjoy. Food trucks were in attendance: Kona Ice, Dolce Taqueria, Bulldawgs, The Coop Chicken and Waffles and a booth with Pasquale's Pizza. A large bake sale donated their funds to **Every Child, Inc.** which is a non-profit organization that serves children and families in Southwestern PA. There were also baskets to raffle off with different themes.

A Hit, Pitch, and Run competition went on throughout the day. Teams played all day at the baseball fields at McCully.



See more Opening Day photos by Gina Marie Photography at www.thehamptonnews.net



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Charity Basketball Game

Hampton Middle School hosted a charity basketball game with students vs staff on April 11th. The event raised \$3,015.70 to benefit the Progeria Research Foundation and the Zdinak family.



Roth

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passion for artwork has paid off in the career center's Advertising Design program. Roth earned 1st place in the Advertising Design competition. She had three hours to make six sketches and one final logo for a fictitious company in her competition.

"It was a good surprise," Megan

said. "I didn't see everyone else's work, so I had no idea how I did. I only saw the girl next to me, and I didn't know if mine was better. Everyone was cheering. It was amazing to win."

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Police Log

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🚔 On March 27, 2019 at 10:12 p.m., Hampton Township officers responded to Middle Road, at McNeal Road, for a disabled tractor trailer. Upon arrival, they located a tractor trailer that was hung up on a guide rail. The operator stated that they were following their GPS and attempted to turn right onto McNeal Road, when the right rear set of tires struck the guide rail, causing it to get caught up. The County DPW was notified and had to respond to cut the affected guide rail in order for a tow truck to remove the tractor trailer.

🚔 On March 29, 2019 at 1:44 a.m., Hampton Township Police responded to Wildwood Road for a report of a single vehicle over a hillside. The accident occurred when the operator attempted to navigate a sharp bend in the roadway and lost control of the vehicle, which traveled across the roadway and over the hillside. The vehicle came to rest on a large pile of rocks and sustained disabling damage. The vehicle was towed from the scene and there were no injuries reported at the time of the accident.

🚔 On April 2, 2019 at 2:38 p.m., Hampton Township Police responded to Route 8 and McNeal Road for a two-vehicle collision. There were no injuries reported at the time of the collision. Both involved vehicle sustained disabling damage and had to be towed from the scene. The accident occurred when one operator, who had been traveling west on McNeal Road, failed to stop at a steady red traffic signal, entered the intersection at Route 8 and struck the other vehicle.

🚔 On April 8, 2019 at 4:00 p.m., a Hampton Township officer was in the area of Middle Road, at Cedar Ridge Road, when he observed a two-vehicle accident. One vehicle turned directly in front of the other, which

resulted in the collision. One vehicle also struck a utility pole and knocked over a stop sign. Duquesne Light Co. and Penn-Dot were notified of the property damage. Both vehicles sustained disabling damage and had to be towed from the scene.

🚔 On April 20, 2019 at 8:45 p.m., Hampton Township Police were dispatched to Wildwood Road, near Lucy Drive, for a vehicle that struck a utility pole. Upon arrival, officers spoke to the operator, who had sustained a minor injury as a result of the collision. The accident occurred when the operator was momentarily distracted while driving and struck the utility pole. Duquesne Light Co. was notified of the property damage. The vehicle had also struck a fire hydrant and Shaler Hampton Water Authority was notified. The vehicle sustained disabling damage and had to be towed from the scene.

Traffic Incident

🚔 On March 12, 2019 at 1:00 p.m., a Hampton Township officer came across a vehicle that was over an embankment near East Bardonner Road. The vehicle operator stated that they were attempting to back out of a parking space when their vehicle went over the embankment. The vehicle became stuck, was

partially blocking East Bardonner Road, and had to be removed from the hillside by a tow truck.

DUI Arrest

🚔 On March 6, 2019 at 9:42 p.m., a Hampton Township officer observed a vehicle traveling on Middle Road at a speed that was well below the speed limit. The officer observed multiple traffic violations and initiated a traffic stop. Upon making contact with the operator, the officer detected the odor of an alcoholic beverage emanating from the vehicle. The operator showed visible signs of impairment. The operator was observed to be unsteady on his feet upon exiting the vehicle and was subsequently placed under arrest for suspicion of DUI.

🚔 On 3/08/2019 at 11:41 p.m., a Hampton Township officer initiated a traffic stop on a vehicle in the area of East Hardies Road and East Bardonner Road. Upon making contact with the operator, the officer detected the odor of an alcoholic beverage emanating from the vehicle. The officer also observed what appeared to be vomit on the door of the vehicle. The operator was asked to submit to field sobriety tests, which they were unable to complete as had been explained and demonstrated. The operator was subsequently placed under arrest. end



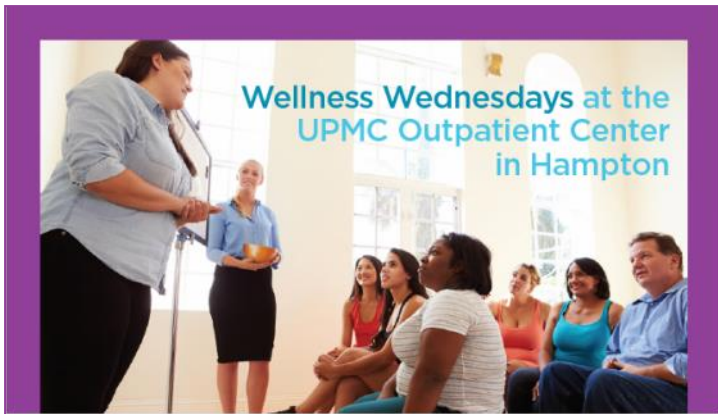
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District Receives Technology Leadership Award

by Gail Scott

The Hampton Township School District was honored as the recipient of the prestigious District Team Leadership Award for 2019. Each year, the award is granted by the Consortium for School Networking (CoSN), and honors school district leadership teams for their transformative impact on student learning with technology.

Hampton was invited to present information at the 2019 CoSN, Envision 2030, Annual Conference in Portland, Ore on April 1-5. Members of the district leadership team accepted the award on Hampton's behalf. The team members who attended the conference were District Superintendent Dr. Michael Loughead, Assistant Superintendent, Dr. Rebecca Cunningham, Director of Technology, Dr. Edward McKaveney, and Director of Curriculum, Instruction and Assessment, Dr. Jacquelyn Removcik.

Rech Commits to Akron

Congratulations to Sarah Rech who signed a Letter of Intent to University of Akron to play lacrosse for the Zips. Sarah will study business and marketing. Good luck Sarah!



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Four Students Named to Honors Band

Congratulations to Sam McGowan (6th grade), Heidi Tong (7th grade), Judy Tong (7th grade), and Jordan Dilley (8th grade), students at Blessed Trinity Academy, on being named to the Diocesan Honors Band. They performed in March at North Catholic High School at a special concert for all those chosen. Heidi, Judy, and Jordan were also named to the All-Star Band which performed at Central Catholic on April 28th.



2019 National Merit Scholarship Winners

Congratulations to Hampton High School Seniors Grace Kang and Tejas Badgular for being named 2019 National Merit Scholarship winners! Grace was awarded the National Merit PPG Foundation Scholarship, financed by PPG in Pittsburgh. Scholarships are awarded to exceptionally-able young men and women who are residents



of selected communities where PPG maintains manufacturing or distribution operations, or who are children of PPG employees. Tejas was awarded the National Merit Emerson Electric Co. Scholarship, funded by Bristol-Myers Squibb Foundation, Inc. The scholarship is awarded to outstanding sons and daughters of Emerson employees. Both Grace and Tejas have indicated they intend to pursue higher education in Computer Science upon graduation from Hampton High School in June.



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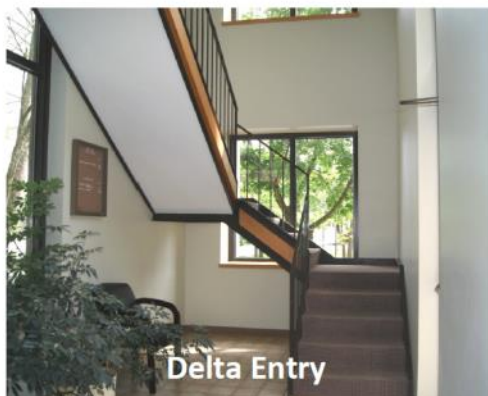
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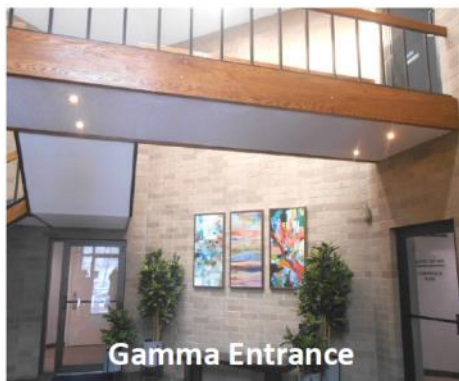
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Boy Scout Troop 17 Celebrates 90 years

by Tina Harper

To recognize and appreciate Troop 17's longevity, activity, and camaraderie, a celebration for the 90th anniversary will be held Saturday, May 25th, 2019, 11 a.m.-4 p.m. at Parkwood United Presbyterian Church on Mt. Royal Boulevard, Allison Park. Troop 17 alumni Scouts and Scouters are invited to the celebration. Please RSVP to the committee address below.



Patch designed by Christian Harper

The Scouts are planning the 90th anniversary celebration, including hosting activities where current and alumni Scouts can test their scout skills and engage in friendly competition. There will be fire-starting, monkey bridge, 3-man sling shot, tug-of-war, and much more.

We'd like to honor the oldest living Scout or Scouter connected to Troop 17. If you think you're it or know someone who might be, please contact the committee.

Troop 17 90th Anniversary celebration committee: troop17is90@gmail.com.

Blessed Trinity Academy Teacher Wins Golden Apple Award

Each year the Diocese of Pittsburgh recognizes teachers who are not only outstanding in the classroom but also serve the larger community with the Golden Apple Award. This year Blessed Trinity Academy's Mrs. Marjorie Heasley, a 2nd grade teacher, will receive this prestigious award. On May 28, six educators will be recognized with the Golden Apple as well a monetary prize. The award was created 28 years ago and is sponsored by the Donohue Family Foundation. Although Mrs. Heasley was initially shocked she won the award, parents and students will tell you that there is no one more deserving. Her kind heart, patience, creativity, and love of her students make her the perfect recipient of this honor.



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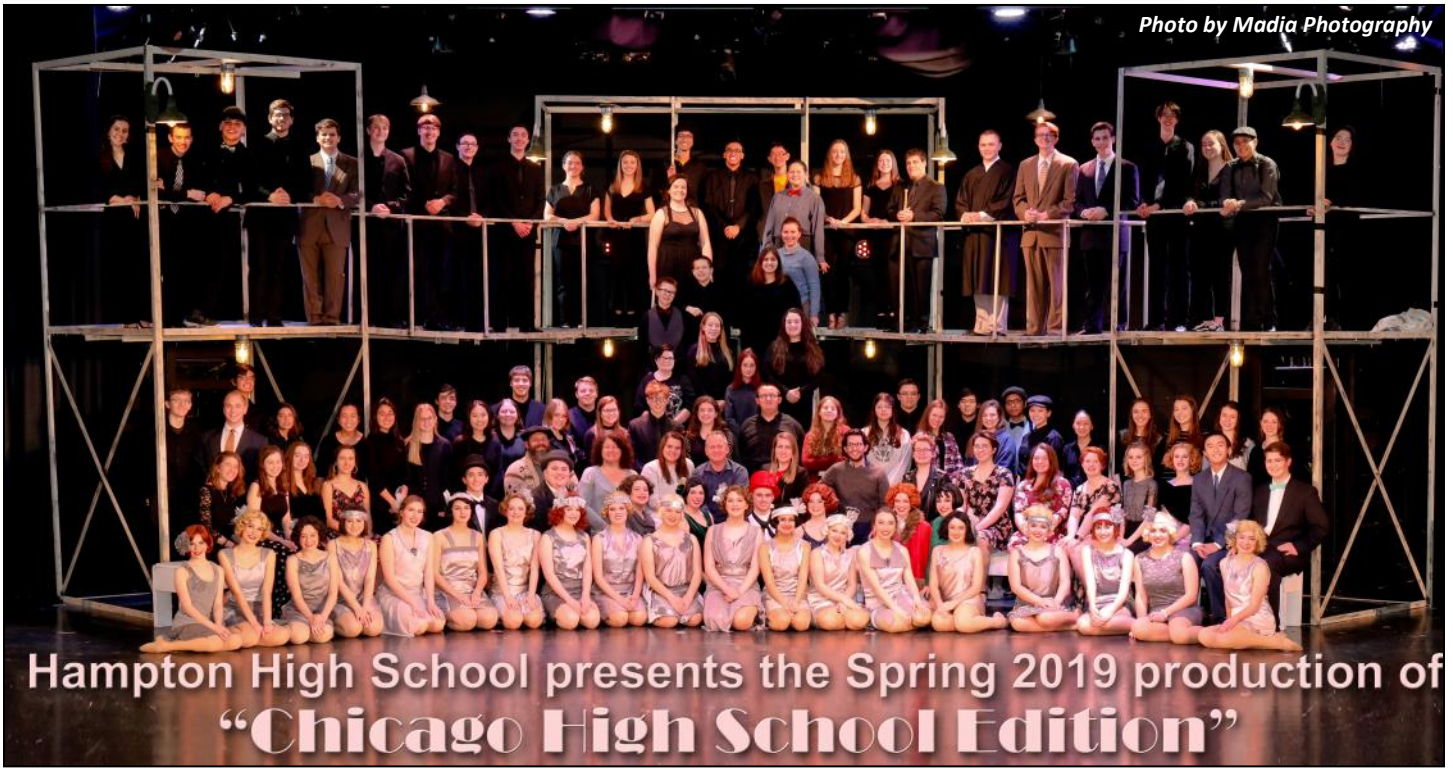
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the world." Elena will be attending the University of Pittsburgh in the fall studying Nursing. Senior Jason Hunkele was very involved in the musical as an actor and he said, "In no other setting can I act like a complete idiot in front of hundreds of people, and it's considered relatively normal. I'll miss it more than anything." Jason will be attending The Ohio State University in the fall pursuing a degree in

Engineering. Mama Morton was played by senior Isabella Voinchet and she said; "Being in musical was the absolute best part of my high school experience. I have learned so much! I conquered my fears, faced challenges, took risks, and found the best version of myself. But best of all, I found my family through musical. The cast, crew, pit, costumers, everyone - they are all wonderful, talented people. It's really hard to leave this wonderful

community, but I am beyond thankful for the experiences it has given me." Isabella plans to attend The University of Pittsburgh and major in Writing and Studio Art.

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Vehicle Accident No Entrapment	6
Wires down or on Fire	1
Total Incidents for the Month	24
Total Incidents for 2019	108

Noteworthy incidents and events:

- NHVFD was dispatched to the report of a dumpster on fire at a business on Rt. 8. Crews used water and foam in order to extinguish the fire.
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State Rep. Lori Mizgorski to Host Off-Site Shredding Event on Saturday, May 18th

State Rep. Lori Mizgorski will host a free off-site mobile paper shredding event on Saturday, May 18th from 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon in conjunction with Hampton Township School District Recycle Rama. The event will take place at the Hampton High School parking lot located 2929 McCully Road, Allison Park, PA 15101. Limit 2 bags or boxes. For more information, please call the office of State Rep. Lori Mizgorski at 412-487-6605.



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A recent poll by the National Recreation and Park Association (NRPA) concluded over 85% of Americans believe access to locally grown fresh produce, including farmers markets, is important. The Hampton Township Farmers Market allows consumers to have access to locally grown, farm fresh produce, and homemade or fresh baked goods.

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