

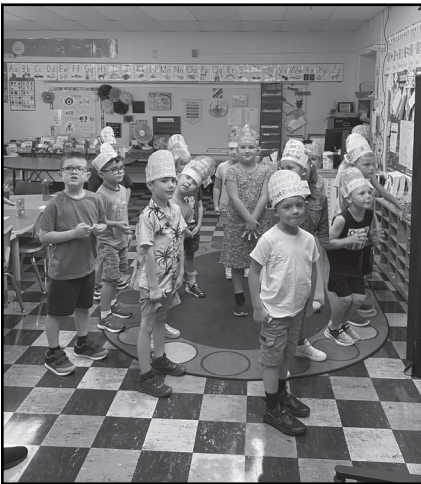
Fabius-Pompey Central School District

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Excellence in School, Community and the World.*

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BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING HIGHLIGHTS FOR AUGUST 2023

Complete minutes can be found at www.fabiuspompey.org.

- Personnel Items:

 - Approved the acceptance of the following notifications of resignation: Mary Henderson as Spanish Teacher, effective August 1, 2023; Traci Cooley as School Bus Monitor, effective August 22, 2023; Margaret Riker as Bus Driver, effective August 22, 2023; Brendon Schunck as Special Education Teacher, effective August 22, 2023.
 - Approved the appointment of Richard Lysik as Bus Driver, effective August 23, 2023.
 - Approved the appointment of Traci Cooley as Bus Driver, effective August 23, 2023.
 - Approved the appointment of Margaret Riker as School Bus Monitor, effective August 23, 2023.
 - Approved the three-year probationary appointment of Christine Lefkus as Elementary Music Teacher, effective September 5, 2023.
 - Approved the appointment of Daniel Jordan as Long-term Substitute English Teacher for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Approved the appointment of Leo Burke as Long-term Substitute Math Teacher, effective September 5 through December 22, 2023.
 - Approved the appointment of Parker Jackson as Long-term Substitute Spanish Teacher for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Approved the appointment of Josh Virgil as Equipment Manager for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Approved the appointment of Michael Wright as Bus Washer/Shuttle Bus Driver, effective August 28, 2023.
 - Approved the appointment of mentors for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Approved substitutes for the 2023-2024 school year.
- Business Items:

 - Approved the increase in school meal prices for the 2023-2024 school year as presented.
 - Approved the adoption of a resolution to confirm tax rolls and authorize the tax levy for the 2023-2024 school year as presented.
 - Approved the Tax Warrant for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Approved a Memorandum of Understanding with SUNY Oswego for the 2023-2024 school year.
 - Approved the adoption of a resolution authorizing litigation against social media companies.
- Information Items:

 - Approved a forty-week, one credit LAN Tech curriculum for high school students in grades 9 through 12.
 - Approved the Committee on Special Education student recommendations as presented.
 - Approved the District-wide Safety Plan for the 2023-2024 school year as presented.

EMERGENCY CLOSING OF SCHOOL

When circumstances require the emergency closing of school, the following television stations will broadcast the information: WSTM-TV (Channel 3); WTVH-TV (Channel 5); WIXT-TV (Channel 9); YNN (Channel 10).

Please review with your children the details of the plan that you have established in the event there is an emergency early dismissal of school.

SCHOOL TAXES

Please drop off payment in the mailbox by the District Office entrance, or enter and pay tax collector if necessary.

Please call ahead with cash payments

Monday through Friday
8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Closed on school holidays

- September 5 through October 4, 2023 - No Penalty
- October 5 through October 31, 2023 - 2% Penalty
- November 1 through November 2, 2023 - 3% Penalty
- November 3 through November 15, 2023 - Pay to County

SCHOOL CENSUS

If you are a new resident of the Fabius-Pompey Central School District, please contact the District Office at (315) 683-5301 to provide census information for our records.

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING SCHEDULE
FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR

Meetings are held in the High School Library at 6:30 p.m.

October 3, 2023

October 17, 2023

November 7, 2023

November 21, 2023

December 12, 2023

January 9, 2024

January 23, 2024

February 6, 2024

February 27, 2024

March 5, 2024

March 19, 2024

April 2, 2024

April 17, 2024

May 7, 2024

May 21, 2024

June 4, 2024

June 18, 2024

Dates, time and location are subject to change.

Please visit the District website for updates.

www.fabiuspompey.org

FROM THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Welcome back to the students and staff! It is hard to believe that summer is done, fall is here and a new school year is well underway. We also want to extend a welcome to the new kindergarten students and their parents and along with them the students and parents in our UPK (universal pre-kindergarten), program. With special State funding available, the Board took action last spring to establish the UPK program. We hope the earlier start will help build a stronger foundation for our students' school learning experience.

During the last couple of years we have been working on building improvements and safety protocols to help keep our students safe. Part of this is a newly created position filled by Deputy William Gabriel, hired through the Onondaga County Sheriff's Department as the SPRO for our District. When you meet and talk with Deputy Gabriel, we are sure you will agree that he fits right in and is a great addition to our District.

Over the summer the Board has been busy. The facilities sub-committee has been meeting with our architect, working to develop a capital project for repairs and improvements to our buildings. More will be shared in the October and November newsletters. The policy sub-committee has been busy reviewing and revising the entire policy manual.

Please feel free at any time to reach out to any Board member with any questions or concerns, comments or suggestions. We are here to represent and serve you and our community. You can find our contact information below and on the District website.

IN APPRECIATION

In June 2023, Andrew Aiken retired as a member of the Fabius-Pompey Board of Education. In his nine years of service on the Board, Mr. Aiken worked tirelessly for the students, staff and community of the Fabius-Pompey Central School District. His service on the Board is greatly appreciated by the entire Fabius-Pompey community.



BOARD OF EDUCATION	
	Term Expires
Mr. John Repak, President (315-480-8248)	6-30-25
Mr. Eric Exelby, Vice President (315-683-9434)	6-30-26
Dr. Denise Fresina DiRienzo (315-374-0496)	6-30-26
Mrs. Holly Frazee (315-247-9522)	6-30-25
Mr. William Heselden IV (315-466-1548)	6-30-24
Mr. Donald Neugebauer (315-683-5331)	6-30-24
Mrs. Carlena Wallace (315-683-5638)	6-30-24

MIDDLE SCHOOL-HIGH SCHOOL NEWS
Jason Martin, Principal

It is with great enthusiasm that we welcome all of you back to the 2023-2024 school year! We hope that your summer was filled with fun, relaxation, lasting memories and time well spent with family and friends. For those new to Fabius-Pompey Middle School-High School, we would like to take this opportunity to officially welcome you all. Together we strive for excellence in school, community and the world with our commitment to students.

We would like to send a special welcome to our new faculty and staff members. We are very excited about the talent and passion that they bring and look forward to their contributions through our collaborative work.

We are extremely excited about the start of a new school year and the endless opportunities that await our school community. Thank you all so much for your support as we look forward to an amazing year!

HIGHLIGHTS FROM THE EMPLOYEE AND RETIREE APPRECIATION LUNCHEON
JUNE 2023

Employees and retirees of the Fabius-Pompey Central School District gathered in June to celebrate a successful school year and recognize the milestones and retirements of staff. Retiring in 2022-2023 were Michelle Goodfellow with 21 years and Nancy Winiecki with 23 years as Elementary Teachers, Pati Skeval with 21 years as Teaching Assistant, Nancy Houck with 19 years as Teacher Aide and Jennifer Hoyt with 15 years as Bus Driver. Denise McAndrew will retire in October 2023 with 19 years as Elementary School Nurse. They will be missed and are wished all the best in retirement.



STUDENT PHOTOGRAPHS USED IN PUBLICATIONS

Throughout the school year, photographs of students may be taken for use in District publications or by the local media. If you do not wish to have your child photographed, please send a note to your child's principal.

THE ARTICLE DEADLINE FOR THE
NEXT DISTRICT NEWSLETTER IS OCTOBER 6.

Please email articles to jgasparini@fabiuspompey.org.

READ THE DISTRICT NEWSLETTER ONLINE!

Visit the Fabius-Pompey website at www.fabiuspompey.org and find us at the bottom of the District flyout menu.

BREAKFAST MENU FOR
OCTOBER 2023
(subject to change)
Grades K-12 \$1.55

Monday - French toast or bagel with cream cheese.

Tuesday - Bagel with cream cheese and sausage.

Wednesday - Breakfast pizza or bagel with cream cheese.

Thursday - Pancakes and sausage (ES) or bagel with cream cheese and sausage.

Friday - English muffin with egg and ham or sausage and cheese or bagel with cream cheese.

Cereal, toast, fresh fruit and yogurt are available daily at ES and MS-HS.

All breakfasts include milk and juice. Students must take a fruit or vegetable.

LUNCH


Sandwiches available daily:
Peanut butter and jelly, tuna, ham, turkey, cheese and egg salad (subject to change)

Salad bar available daily at MS-HS
Hummus or legumes

Fresh fruit, vegetables and milk are available with lunch daily at the ES and MS-HS.

Gluten-free options are available daily.

LUNCH MENU FOR OCTOBER 2023
(subject to change)
Grades K-5 \$2.75 / Grades 6-12 \$2.85

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
2 Pizza crunchers Marinara Fruit and milk	3 Brunch for Lunch French toast sticks Syrup Hash brown Sausage Fruit and milk	4 Popcorn chicken (ES) Mashed potatoes Fruit and milk Falcon Bowl (MS-HS) Fruit and milk	5 Pizza Tossed salad Fruit and milk	6 Rib-b-que Tater tots Fruit and milk
9 <i>Indigenous Peoples' Day</i> <i>No School</i>	10 Hot dog or Chili dog Cheesy bean dip Fruit and milk	11 Chicken nuggets Corn Fruit and milk	12 Pizza Tossed salad Fruit and milk	13 Mac and cheese Broccoli Fruit and milk
16 Cheeseburger or Hamburger French fries Fruit and milk	17 National Pasta Day Baked ziti Tossed salad Fruit and milk	18 Mozzarella sticks Marinara Fruit and milk	19 Pizza Tossed salad Fruit and milk	20 Popcorn chicken Corn Fruit and milk
23 Meatball sub Green beans Fruit and milk	24 Taco Meat, lettuce, cheese and salsa Black beans Fruit and milk	25 Chicken patty Carrots and dip Fruit and milk	26 Pizza Tossed salad Fruit and milk	27 Fish nuggets Corn Fruit and milk
30 Rib-b-que Sweet potato wedges Fruit and milk	31 Happy Halloween Boo burger Finger fries Fruit and milk 			Milk 75¢ Snacks 75¢ Ice Cream 75¢

For a complete meal, you must take a minimum of three items. One item must be a fruit or vegetable.

Mrs. Marion Carr, Cafeteria Manager, can be reached at (315) 683-5327 or mcarr@fabiuspompey.org.

STUDENT CHARGES

The District offers a variety of healthy, economical meals for all students. It is understood that there are times when a student will forget lunch money. If a student has a balance of three charges, parents will be contacted. Long-term circumstances can be addressed through the Free and Reduced Price School Meals/Milk program or a confidential meeting with a District administrator. If a student needs to charge, arrangements can be made through the cafeteria manager or a District administrator.

ONLINE PAYMENT FOR LUNCH ACCOUNTS

Payments for lunch accounts can be made online at myschoolbucks.com. A student ID number is necessary to make a payment and can be obtained from the cafeteria.

District Phone Numbers	
Bus Garage	(315) 683-5278
Committee on Special Education	(315) 683-5465
District/Business Office.....	(315) 683-5301
District Office Fax	(315) 683-5827
Elementary School Fax	(315) 683-5680
Elementary School Nurse.....	(315) 683-5197
Elementary School Office	(315) 683-5857
Middle School-High School Cafeteria.....	(315) 683-5327
Middle School-High School Fax	(315) 683-5569
Middle School-High School Guidance Office.....	(315) 683-5460
Middle School-High School Nurse.....	(315) 683-5214
Middle School-High School Office	(315) 683-5811

WE PROUDLY INTRODUCE THE NEWEST MEMBERS OF OUR FABIUS-POMPEY COMMUNITY

Dan Jordan

Hello! My name is Dan Jordan. I am teaching 9th grade English this year. I have taught for 7 years in several states and cities, most recently in Syracuse. I have an undergraduate degree from the University of Delaware and a master's degree from the University of Maryland. I moved to Syracuse last year from Connecticut with my family. I recently had a baby so I don't have any free time... but when I used to have free time, I enjoyed hiking with my 3 year old, cooking, and reading. I am really excited about getting to know the students and this welcoming community!



Christine Lefkus

Hi Falcon families, I am the new elementary music and chorus teacher, Mrs. Lefkus. I have taught grades PK-6 for the past 10 years, but I came to Fabius-Pompey because I am looking for a warm community to really call my home. I do think of my students as my kids, but at home I have my own two kids, plus my husband, and two dogs. I love musicals, Disney music, animals, plants, audiobooks, and making cupcakes. I am really looking forward to learning all about Fabius-Pompey and being a part of your community! Follow me on Instagram @musicalefkus to see what's going on in the music room and to ask any questions you have for me! See you soon!



Alexa Ricci

Hello! I am thrilled to introduce myself as a new addition to the Fabius-Pompey staff. My name is Alexa Ricci and I teach 4th grade. It is an absolute pleasure to be a part of this warm and welcoming school community. I recently completed my master's degree in childhood education at Oswego, after completing my undergraduate degree in applied mathematical economics, which I also pursued at Oswego. Originally from Victor, NY, I made the move to Syracuse a few years ago. In my leisure time, I enjoy baking, spending time with friends and family, traveling, and sports. I'm excited about exploring this area and getting involved in community events in the future. My commitment lies in inspiring a love for learning and helping students reach their full potential.



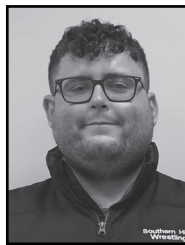
Jay Lang

I am the new STEAM/Technology Coordinator for the district. In this newly created role, I will oversee the STEAM curriculum, manage the technology budget and inventory, establish a student LAN Tech program, and teach computer science. I'm thrilled to join this community after spending the past 19 years teaching Math and Computer Science at Jamesville-DeWitt HS. Prior to my teaching career, I worked as a software engineer. During my time at J-D, I actively participated in the Technology Committee, served as the Coding Club advisor, and coached Esports. I am actually the last person in my household to come to F-P; my wife, Hillary Lang, has been teaching English at the MS/HS for the past 17 years. Our twins, Walter and Evelyn, are currently in 3rd grade, as well. Outside of school, I enjoy drumming and training for ninja warrior competitions. I'm excited about this opportunity and am looking forward to a fun and productive year!



Leo Burke

I am a 2023 graduate of Cortland State University and was a member of the varsity wrestling program. I started my journey at Fabius-Pompey last fall when I was lucky enough to be brought on as the varsity wrestling coach for the Southern Hills program. I spent my summer working as an assistant golf professional at The Pompey Club where I was able to meet many members of the community. Currently, I am also coaching the Southern Hills JV football team. I am very excited to continue my relationship with the community as a long-term substitute.



Madison Lyon

Hello F-P! My name is Madison Lyon and I'm one of the new 4th grade teachers at the elementary school. I grew up in Tully just a few minutes down the road. I was lucky enough to participate in a few intense soccer games under the lights at Fabius. I have remained in the area my entire life. I went to Cortland State for my undergrad in early childhood/childhood education, and received a master's degree in Teaching Students with Disabilities. During my time at Cortland, I was able to play on the women's lacrosse team. I'm very excited to get started at F-P and be able to be a part of this community. It's great to be a part of a team again and I look forward to meeting many of you along the way.



Tiffany Pilcher

I am the new Food Service Helper. I live on Pompey Hill and I love to cook for people. I am a grandmother of seven.



Stephanie O'Neil

I'm so happy to be working in my home district after three years of school secretary experience in Liverpool. I am very thankful for the warm welcome I have received so far, and even though it's only been a little over a month I am really enjoying this job. Outside of work, I enjoy being outside, gardening, visiting farmers markets, and hanging out at home with my family and pet cat.



Karissa Graham

Hello! My name is Karissa Graham, and I am the new Assistant Principal in the Middle School-High School. Before coming to Fabius-Pompey, I taught at Cincinnatus since 2019, where I completed my administrative internship. I taught health for 8 years, including New Vision Allied Health. I am a graduate of Ithaca College with a bachelor's of science in athletic training/exercise science, and I worked as an athletic trainer for 11 years at Solvay and Marcellus schools. I am also a New York State paramedic and worked for WAVES ambulance in Camillus. I live in Cortland with my husband Ron and our son Andrew, who is 6 years old. I love to ski, travel and watch Duke basketball and Denver Broncos football. I'm excited to be a Falcon and I appreciate the warm welcome I've received.



Sasha Rasmussen

Hello! My name is Sasha Rasmussen and I am the new Fabius-Pompey Elementary Principal. I have lived in the Syracuse area my whole life and graduated from Jamesville-DeWitt High School. I attended Niagara University and Syracuse University for my teaching and administrative degrees. I am certified in Childhood Education 1-6, Spanish 5-12, English as a Second Language K-12, School District Leader and School Building Leader. I began my career as a first grade teacher for the Syracuse City School District and moved into leadership as an instructional coach. Then I was Elementary Assistant Principal in Hannibal for three and a half years before joining the Fabius-Pompey community. My husband and I live in Fayetteville with our three daughters and two miniature dachshunds. I am thrilled to grow and learn alongside all of you!



Maggie Sayles

My name is Maggie Sayles. I taught for 7 years in the Syracuse City Schools. I attended Fabius-Pompey and graduated in 2011. I enjoy spending time with my two dogs Tyson and Ryder and being outdoors with my friends and family.



Parker Jackson

I graduated from SUNY Geneseo with a bachelor's degree in psychology in 2022. During the following year I substituted in the Fabius-Pompey and ESM School districts. In that time I spent a month as a long-term special education substitute at Pine Grove, ESM's middle school. I also subbed in every grade level that year. I then spent my summer as a teacher aide at Crown Road BOCES in the SKATE program. I hope to be a great asset to the F-P community that I grew up in.



Laurie MacPherson

I am so happy to join Fabius-Pompey as a teaching assistant. I live here in the district and my daughters are F-P students. This is my third year working in education after having spent many years working in libraries. I enjoy reading and gardening and I like to keep busy volunteering in the community. I'm looking forward to getting to know all of the children and I anticipate a great year!



Susan Horst

My husband and I have lived in the district for 30 years. Our 4 children graduated from F-P and 3 of our grandchildren are currently attending the elementary school. I was the preschool teacher at A Time to Grow for 17 years, and I'm so excited to be helping out in the UPK classroom.



Sarah Tavoraro

My family and I moved to Pompey in early 2022 from North Syracuse, and I grew up in Lafayette. I've always loved the small town communities. I went to Alfred University for child psychology and got my master's in education at Syracuse University. I spent the last 7 years teaching both special education and general education for Syracuse City Schools. I am so happy to be both a staff member and parent in the Fabius-Pompey school district!



COUNSELING OFFICE NEWS

by Mrs. Barnum and Mr. Piorkowski, School Counselors

Visit the Counseling page on the District website at www.fabiuspompey.org for updates and information.

More information on the following events will be forthcoming soon:

PSAT – October 25, 2023

This is a practice test for the SAT, which ALL juniors should take. The PSAT will be given electronically this year on the students' school-issued Chromebooks. It provides information to students about academic areas of strength and those that may need improvement. All juniors will receive an informational brochure in class and they can sign up for the PSAT in the Counseling Office.

Pre-ACT

This is a practice test for the ACT (college admissions) test. The test is given in school and provides information about academic areas that may need improvement. The ACT also includes an interest inventory about possible career areas. The fee is approximately \$14 and all sophomores will receive an informational brochure in class. Fee waivers are available upon request.

Remember to check the link to Counseling on the school website for updates and information.

2023-2024 SAT TEST DATES

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline/Late Fee Applies
August 26, 2023	July 28, 2023	August 15, 2023
October 7, 2023	September 7, 2023	September 26, 2023
November 4, 2023	October 5, 2023	October 24, 2023
December 2, 2023	November 2, 2023	November 21, 2023
March 9, 2024	February 23, 2024	<u>Starting in March 2024</u>
May 4, 2024	April 19, 2024	<u>SAT Exams are</u>
June 1, 2024	May 17, 2024	<u>Digital</u>

Go to www.collegeboard.com to register and for further information.

2023-2024 ACT TEST DATES

Test Date	Registration Deadline	Late Registration Deadline/Late Fee Applies
September 9, 2023	August 4, 2023	August 18, 2023
October 28, 2023	September 22, 2023	October 6, 2023
December 9, 2023	November 3, 2023	November 17, 2023
February 10, 2024	January 5, 2024	January 19, 2024
April 13, 2024	March 8, 2024	March 22, 2024
June 8, 2024	May 3, 2024	May 17, 2024

Go to www.act.org to register and for further information.

College Admission Visits

All high school students should take advantage of college admissions visits to Fabius-Pompey. Visits are posted outside the Counseling Office, on our website and through ParentSquare.

College Applications

Seniors are meeting individually with their counselors in September to discuss graduation requirements, future plans, how

to file college applications, asking for recommendations, complete their resume, etc. The following guidelines contain suggestions for students and parents to follow during this busy time. For an appointment, contact the Counseling Office at (315) 683-5460 or email jbarnum@fabiuspompey.org, dpiorkowski@fabiuspompey.org or lwindhausen@fabiuspompey.org.

CONTINUE WITH A CHALLENGING PROGRAM FOR YOUR SENIOR YEAR!

- Ask for teacher recommendations *early*. Remember to thank those teachers.
- Consider taking/re-taking the SAT or ACT, colleges may require. Check the admissions requirements on their websites for this information.
- Begin work on applications.
- Check scholarship websites.
- Meet with your counselor as needed.
- Continue college visits.
- Your College List: Narrow this early in the fall, determine which colleges you will apply to.
- Financial Aid Forms: File FAFSA, TAP and CSS Profile forms (beginning October 1).
- Review which colleges are visiting Fabius-Pompey and meet with admissions personnel.
- File the NCAA form for Division I and II schools for athletics, if necessary.



CONCERTS, MUSICALS AND DRAMA SHOW 2023-2024

Mark your calendars for these upcoming concerts and musicals:

November 1, 2023	MS-HS Chorus Concert
November 8, 2023	MS-HS Band Concert
November 17-18, 2023	High School Drama
December 15-16, 2023	Middle School Musical
January 17, 2024	MS-HS Chorus Concert
January 22, 2024	MS-HS Band Concert
March 8-9, 2024	High School Musical
April 4, 2024	MS-HS Band Concert
April 11, 2024	MS-HS Chorus Concert
June 3, 2024	MS-HS Band Concert
June 5, 2024	MS-HS Chorus Concert

♪ **We hope to see many of you there!** ♪

HEALTH OFFICE NEWS

by Mrs. Feeney and Mrs. McAndrew, School Nurses

*Mrs. Denise McAndrew, Elementary School Nurse
dmcandrew@fabiuspompey.org
(315) 683-5197*

*Mrs. Patty Feeney, Middle School-High School Nurse
pfeeney@fabiuspompey.org
(315) 683-5214*

Health Examinations

Health examinations are now required by New York State for all students entering the school district for the first time and when entering grades Pre-K, K, 1, 3, 5, 7, 9 and 11. The examination must be completed by a New York State licensed physician, physician assistant or nurse practitioner. Our school physician will be available for examinations.

ATTENTION: Parents of 6th, 7th and 12th Graders!!!

New York State immunization requirements for students entering the 6th, 7th and 12th grade:

- All students entering the 6th grade in September 2021 are required to have one dose of Tdap vaccine (Tetanus toxoid, reduced Diphtheria toxoid and acellular Pertussis vaccine).
- Also mandated for 6th grade students: Two doses of the varicella vaccination or proof of having the disease as documented by your health care provider.
- All students entering 7th and 12th grades must be fully vaccinated against meningococcal disease. The requirement is as follows:
 - One dose of meningococcal vaccine is required before 7th grade. If your child had the first dose as a 6th grader, then another dose is not required until 12th grade.
 - Two doses will be required before 12th grade. Most students entering 12th grade received their first dose when they were younger and are now due for their second dose or booster.

Please contact your health care provider regarding these immunizations and send in documentation to either school once done. If you have questions, please contact your school nurse. We appreciate your cooperation with this mandate. Thank you.

ALL REQUIRED PAPERWORK MAY BE SUBMITTED ANY TIME. THE DUE DATE IS SEPTEMBER 29, 2023.

**WHEN YOUR CHILD WILL BE ABSENT FROM SCHOOL,
or will be arriving late,
please call or email the Health Office.**

Fabius-Pompey Middle School-High School

Grades 6-12
(315) 683-5214
pfeeney@fabiuspompey.org
rlangey@fabiuspompey.org

Fabius-Pompey Elementary School

Grades K-5
(315) 683-5197
dmcandrew@fabiuspompey.org

Elementary Parents:

**Please use PickUp Patrol to manage your
child's late arrivals, absences and early dismissals.**

FABIUS-POMPEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT ATHLETIC HALL OF FAME

The Fabius-Pompey Central School District is working toward inducting athletes, coaches, teams and individuals to the Fabius-Pompey Central School District Athletic Hall of Fame. The purpose is to motivate current athletes, connect the past to the present and develop pride in the rich traditions of Fabius-Pompey Athletics. In addition, the Hall of Fame will recognize and honor the accomplishments of athletes, teams, coaches and individuals who continually strived for excellence during their time here at F-P.

Athletic Hall of Fame induction ceremonies are held annually. Athletes, coaches and other individuals will be inducted in even years (2024, 2026, 2028), and teams will be inducted in odd years (2025, 2027, 2029). An induction ceremony will be held every spring.

The Hall of Fame committee is seeking nominations for consideration for future inductees. Nomination forms can be found on the Fabius-Pompey website at www.fabiuspompey.org under Athletics. Nominations are due no later than February 1 for inductions for the current year. Please send completed forms to:

Timothy Wilcox, Physical Education Department
Fabius-Pompey Central School District
1211 Mill Street
Fabius, NY 13063

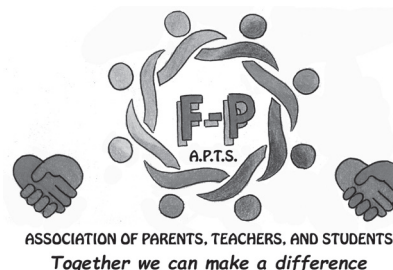
Or email form to twilcox@fabiuspompey.org

A.P.T.S. NEWS

by Mrs. Schroeter, Corresponding Secretary

www.f-p-aps.org

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Kelly Schroeter, Corresponding Secretary - correspond@f-p-aps.org
Kelly Kirkeby, Recording Secretary - secretary@f-p-aps.org



During the 2023-2024 school year, A.P.T.S. looks forward to helping fund teacher appreciation events, scholarships for high school graduates, Inside Outside Tea, Wellness Day, fun days, After Prom and many more activities that benefit our students and our community! Fundraisers during the year will include SaveAround books, Little Caesars pizza kits, Delta Sonic car wash tickets, Holiday shops and Square 1 Art.

Meeting dates for the year are listed below. Meetings are held at 6:30 p.m. on Zoom, and the last meeting in June will be held in person. All are welcome!

2023-2024 meeting dates: October 10, 2023, November 14, 2023, December 5, 2023, January 16, 2024, February 13, 2024, March 12, 2024, April 9, 2024, May 14, 2024, June 11, 2024 (in person).

COMMUNITY NEWS AND EVENTS

F-P SPORTS BOOSTERS NEWS

by Mrs. Clarkson, Secretary

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OUR MISSION. To support Fabius-Pompey's sports programs by providing equipment, tools and opportunities that might not otherwise be available from the school district.

FALL SOCCER CONCESSION STAND. Home game concession stands are the primary fundraiser for the Fabius-Pompey Sports Boosters and are staffed by volunteers selling donated items.

- **Volunteers needed to Work the Concession Stand During Home Varsity Soccer Games.** Parents, grandparents, family and community members, as well as middle and high school students are encouraged to help in the concession stand. Sign-up sheets can be found at www.fpsportsboosters.org.
- **In Kind Donations Needed for Concession Stand.** Please consider donating full-size candy bars, soda cans, individual-sized bags of chips, bottled water and Gatorade. Donations can be dropped off at the Fabius-Pompey Middle School-High School office.

MORE WAYS TO SUPPORT SPORTS BOOSTERS:

- **NYC BUS TRIP.** Fabius-Pompey Sports Boosters will host a one-day fundraising bus trip to NYC on Saturday, December 9. The bus will leave Fabius very early morning, return late night same day. Drop off and pick up in NYC near Bryant Park. Cost will include bus transportation only. Participants would be on their own all day and will need to arrange their own meals and activities in NYC. Check out the Fabius-Pompey Sports Booster Facebook page and website for full details, or email us at our address above.
- **ENGRAVED PAVERS.** Purchase an engraved paver to add to the patio in front of the concession stand. A terrific way to commemorate a special event, student athlete, graduating senior or alumni class, and support Sports Boosters! Visit www.fpsportsboosters.org for an order form.

NEW MEMBERS NEEDED. Fabius-Pompey Sports Boosters is looking for new members. Please consider giving your time for this worthy cause. We hold one short meeting each month during the school year, and you may help out as much or as little as you would like. In particular, we are looking for a new webmaster to update and maintain the www.fpsportsboosters.org website. Questions? Reach us at our email, website or Facebook addresses above.

NEXT MEETING. Our next meeting will be held Tuesday, October 10, at 6:30 p.m. at the concession stand behind the Fabius-Pompey Middle School-High School.

The Fabius-Pompey Outreach Food Pantry is located at the Fabius Community Center, Main Street, Fabius. The Food Pantry is open 3 to 6 p.m. on the following Thursdays: **October 5 & 19.** In an emergency call (315) 677-3590.

The Food Pantry at the Delphi Falls United Church is open 10 a.m. to noon on the following Saturdays: **October 7 & 21.**

To donate unopened, unexpired food items, look for bins at local churches and Post Offices. Our mailing address is Fabius-Pompey Outreach, P.O. Box 251, Pompey, NY 13138.

Please visit our website at www.fpoutreach.org for information and updates. *Thank you!*

Rides for medical appointments are available to those residing in the Towns of Delphi Falls, Fabius, LaFayette, Pompey and Tully. If you are unable to drive or arrange transportation, call **FISH (Friends in Service Here)** at (315) 696-8659. Volunteers drive **9 a.m. to 4 p.m., Tuesday and Thursday.** Call at least three days prior to your scheduled medical appointment.

Don't have time to make dinner before trick or treating? We have you covered! Come visit the **Fabius Fire Department** on **Main Street** in the **Village of Fabius** on **Halloween, Tuesday, October 31.** We will have treats for the kids and coffee for the adults. **Starting at 5:00 p.m.,** we will be selling hamburgers, hot dogs and drinks. Cash only.



Mark your calendars for the **Holiday Bazaar** at **Immaculate Conception Church**, to be held **Saturday, November 18**, from **9 a.m. to 2 p.m.** There will be baked goods (cookies, cakes and pies!), vendors, a white elephant table, Chinese auction, 50/50 raffle and much more. Be sure to come for coffee and donuts in the morning and soups and sandwiches for lunch!

Falcon Proud signs are on sale NOW at a DISCOUNT!

\$10.00 cash

Contact Mrs. Cuipyllo at tcuipyllo@fabiuspompey.org

