



The Good News

October 2023

- The Juniors edged out the Seniors for the coveted Golden Eagle Award to cap off Homecoming Week at IHS! The Juniors came from behind by winning the Float Competition and Tug of War at the Friday Pep Rally. The IHS football team also won big, 35-3, over Eastridge.
- Brookview Reading Intervention teacher Jamie Juliano, IHS custodian Joe Barber, Colebrook third-grade teacher Miriam Johnson and Iroquois secretary Susan Glastonbury are the first four staff members to be highlighted in our new STAFF SPOTLIGHT feature.
- Helmer Nature Center held its 41st annual Fall Harvest Festival and despite the rainy weather, a good time was had by all! Thank you HNC Director Karen Mazzola, Events Coordinator Nicole Raisanen and all of the volunteers who made the day possible.
- Southlawn first-grade teacher, Mrs. Jamie Willman, was honored as a recipient of the Golden Apple Award from WROC-TV, Channel 8. Mrs. Willman is in her 13th year teaching in our district. She was nominated by the Horowitz family, which has a current and former student in her class.
- Congratulations to Alex Anderson. The IHS senior is one of 1,514 students nationwide to be a Coca-Cola Scholar Semi-Finalist. Alex was selected from a pool of more than 103,000 applicants. He and his sister, Madison, who graduated last June, are the only IHS students to ever earn this distinction in the 36-year history of the program. Scholars are selected based on academics, leadership and service to their school and community!
- IHS students Genevieve Heiermann, Juliana Lanz and Cooper Petzing along with West Irondequoit resident Isaac Aymerich have qualified for the MASSA Golds Sailing Regatta on Oct. 28-29 in Maryland! After earning the top spot among western New York teams, they will compete against top sailors from New York, New Jersey, Delaware, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia. Good luck!