

# No Tax-Rate Increase Bond Proposal Would Continue to ENHANCE SAFETY 

## School safety continues to be a top priority for our community, and the projects included in the May 2 bond proposal would add an additional layer of safety in Fraser Public Schools.



If approved by voters, the no tax-rate increase bond would add additional security cameras at every school. It would also replace select exterior doors and frames, and classroom blinds on exterior windows. New speakers for the PA system at every school, which were recently replaced through a security grant, are also included in the bond project list.

## The remaining bond projects

 fall into three more key areas:1. Update building infrastructure, including roofs, and mechanical and electrical systems
2. Update parking lots, sidewalks, and improve site drainage
3. Replace equipment and buses that have reached the end of their useful life.
A full list of projects can be found at www.TheFraserDifference.com. If you have any questions, please contact bond2023@fraserk12.org.

## WAYS TO VOTE

## Absentee: Now through May 2

Voters can skip the line by voting absentee. Request an absentee ballot from your local clerk's office or online at www.michigan.gov/vote.

## Saturday Voting: April 29

In person at the Clerk's Office Clinton Township 8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Fraser 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Roseville 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

## Election Day: May 2

7:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
All Clinton Township voters will vote at Salk Elementary School for this election.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fraser Families,
I hope everyone took time to rest and relax during spring break. It seems like now until June 9, the school year flies by. This time of year is always filled with optimism: the days are getting longer, the temperatures are warming up, and it is time to start celebrating the hard work of our students and staff.
We recently announced our three outstanding teachers of the year: Ms. Leesa Wright at Fraser High School, Ms. Wendy Murray at Richards Middle School, and Ms. Elizabeth Schmidt at Edison Elementary. These deserving instructors were nominated by their colleagues and exemplify what it means to be a great teacher. They will be recognized at an upcoming Board of Education meeting at the county level later this month, and be on stage at commencement.
This newsletter also highlights the successes of our students in the classroom, student organizations, our music department, and winter athletic programs. These are just some of the many examples of how our students soar both in and out of the classroom. It is so important to celebrate and share these stories of our students. Fraser is a special place, and our staff continues to work hard to educate the whole child. Sharing the hard work and
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## CURRICULUM CORNER maner

As Fraser Public Schools continues its focus on literacy at the elementary level, we are excited to invest not only in professional learning, but also in supplemental curriculum materials to help our teachers implement our reading curriculum with fidelity. As has been mentioned in the Curriculum Corner throughout this year, a renewed discussion of literacy across the curriculum is a key area of focus for our teachers this year.

Using grant funds provided to local school districts to combat learning loss from the COVID-19 pandemic, Fraser Public Schools recently
purchased updated literacy materials to supplement our curriculum at the elementary level. All teachers will receive Interactive Read Aloud materials to use for daily lessons on reading skills and strategies. Additionally, we have updated our phonemic awareness and word study curriculum materials. Finally, every elementary school will receive an updated literacy library with over 1,200 titles that teachers can check out to use in their classrooms for small group instruction. The addition of these supplemental resources to our already established curriculum will ensure all teachers have what they

## Welcome New BOARD MEMBER

## Fraser Public Schools extends a warm welcome to Mrs. Rebecca Jensen, our newest Board of Education member.

Mrs. Jensen was ceremonially sworn in at the March 13 regular board meeting. She will serve as trustee and fill the vacancy created by Mrs. Linda Corbat's retirement at the end of January.
"As we have raised and taught our children, I have developed a keen interest in the education of all children, and in finding innovative ways to better serve the needs of students and teachers," she said. "My family has benefitted greatly from our time in Fraser Public Schools, and I feel that serving on the board is one way that I

can give back to the community that has given us so much."

Mrs. Jensen and her family have been in Fraser Schools since 2009 and have resided in Fraser for the past 10 years.
She is the proud parent of four Fraser High School graduates: Katie [2015], Michael [2017], Rachel [2020] and Daniel [2022]. Her youngest daughter, Amber, currently attends Richards Middle School.

The board also elected Mr. Dan Stawinski to serve as secretary.

Please join Fraser Public Schools in welcoming the newest Board of Education member, Mrs. Jensen.
need to address each student's unique needs for literacy instruction.
We will continue to gather teacher input and feedback through professional learning sessions focused on literacy as these resources are rolled out to ensure teachers have the training necessary to implement all the materials and target specific student needs moving out of the COVID-19 pandemic. Early literacy instruction is key to ensuring students' long-term educational success, and Fraser Public Schools is committed to ensuring our teachers have the training and resources to implement reading instruction in a clear, coherent manner.

## SUPERINTENDENT'S <br> MESSAGE

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achievements of our students is another way we are able to lift up and make our community even stronger. Fraser pride can be seen throughout their accomplishments. The bond election is less than a month away. I presented at the PTO and booster meetings, as well as the March Fraser City Council meeting, about this bond. Every family should have received information from their teacher or principal regarding the election and the bond projects. I encourage everyone to inform themselves on this proposal and take time to vote via absentee ballot anytime, or vote in person on Election Day, May 2.
With Fraser Pride, Dr. Wozniak

## EARLY CHILDHOOD OPTIONS FOR ALL

At the state and national levels, more and more focus is on providing early childhood learning opportunities for all children. In Fraser Public Schools, we are committed to providing an option that fits every family. All our options feature small class sizes and are open to all Macomb County residents.
For the 2023-2024 school year, Fraser will expand its Great Start Readiness Program [GSRP] at the Dooley Center. This program provides free or lowcost preschool to 4-year-old students. Classes meet Monday-Thursday from 8:35 a.m. - 3:30 p.m.

The district also offers half-day tuition preschool for 3- and 4-year-old students that meets two or three days a week.

|  | 3-Year-Old Tuition <br> Preschool | 4-Year-Old Tuition <br> Preschool | GSRP | Young 5s |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| Ages | Must be 3 by <br> December 1 | Must be 4 by <br> December 1 | Priority given to <br> students who are 4 4 <br> by September 1. If <br> space is available, <br> students who <br> turn 4 between <br> September 2- <br> December 1 may be <br> accepted. | Must be 5 by <br> December 1 |
| Schedule | Tuesday and <br> Thursday <br> 2.5 hours a day | Monday, <br> Wednesday, Friday <br> 2.5 hours a day | Monday-Thursday <br> $8: 35 a . m . ~-~ 3: 30 p . m . ~$ | Monday-Friday <br> $8: 35 a . m . ~-~ 3: 30 p . m . ~$ |
| Cost | $\$ 120 /$ month | \$150/month | Free to those who <br> qualify, otherwise a <br> sliding scale | Free for all |
| Class Size | 12 | 16 | 16 | 17 |
| Location | Dooley Center | Dooley Center | Dooley Center | Edison, <br> Eisenhower and <br> Twain Elementary <br> Schools (subject to <br> change based on <br> demand] |

Registration for all programs is currently open. If you would like more information on any of our early childhood programs, please visit dooley.fraser.k12.mi.us. To register for Young 5s, please visit www.GoToFraser.com.

## FPS Schools Join Together for Charity Week

> The Fraser High School Student Council partnered with the National Honor Society and Quill \& Scroll to host this year's Charity Week during the first week of March.

Their goal was to raise money for the Macomb Foster Closet. The Macomb Foster Closet provides much-needed clothing and essential items to children in foster care.

The students organized a variety of activities including selling t-shirts and bracelets, a "Powderbuff" volleyball
tournament, a "Shrek" movie night, a Mr. Fraser contest, a McNutrition dinner night, a basketball tournament, and a comedy night. Through their efforts, they donated $\$ 9,000$ to the Macomb Foster Closet!

Additionally, over 930 hygiene items were collected by the elementary schools and H.O.S.A. students. H.O.S.A. donated 30 fleece blankets and FHS students collected items to make holiday bunny baskets. This combined effort is a shining example of our district's kindness and generosity. Fred Huebener, Macomb Foster Closet board member, gave FHS Student


Council students a tour and shared more information about how the donation will help. They will be moving in June because the school they are currently renting in Mt. Clemens is being sold. Our donation is one of their first for this new project! Fraser Public Schools will be displayed in the new building as a Macomb Foster Closet Angel for donating over \$5,000.

# Fraser Names Three Outstanding Teachers 

> Congratulations to Wendy Murray, Liz Schmidt, and Leesa Wright - our 2023 Fraser Public Schools Teachers of the Year!

The three educators were nominated by their colleagues and celebrated at a building staff meeting. They will be recognized at an upcoming Board of Education meeting and invited to be on stage at graduation.
They are now in the running for the county teacher of the year at their respective levels and will be honored at a banquet in April hosted by the MISD. Below are excerpts from the nomination forms.


Wendy Murray Richards Middle School Aside from the various roles she has held, something that makes Ms. Murray stand out is the way she makes people feel. Her easy-going nature and humor make those around her comfortable. She meets people where they are and personalizes instruction for both staff and students; and she creates an environment where mistakes are opportunities for growth, voices are valued, and anything can be accomplished.
Regardless of her role, Ms. Murray creates learning opportunities that are both meaningful and fun. Whether she is in the Media Center or in the classroom, she works to build and maintain relationships with students, making them feel cared for and valued.


## Liz Schmidt

 Edison Elementary School Mrs. Schmidt is the epitome of what all parents look for in their child's elementary teacher; she has an immense amount of passion for education, she loves herjob, and she connects with her students on a very deep level. She is an advocate for her students, in every sense of the word, ensuring their success. Mrs. Schmidt also brings a level of positive energy to her students that is unparalleled. Her classroom is an exciting place for students to learn. Mrs. Schmidt puts a great deal of time and energy into engaging her students by relating new learning to their lives. She is diligent about offering choices to her students throughout the instructional process, which she believes motivates her students and enables them to take ownership in their learning. She is highly reflective and is always receptive to adjusting her practices to meet the diverse needs of her students.


## Leesa Wright Fraser High School

The students' behavior toward Ms. Wright speaks for itself. You can see in her daily interactions with them that she is well-loved by all. She often has students visiting her to say "hello" between classes, and she always has former students - now parents with students attending Fraser High School - stopping by to see her at Meet the Teacher Night every year. Any time you pass her classroom, Ms. Wright is always engaging her students with what seems like an endless amount of positive energy. Students immediately feel comfortable in her class, describing her using words such as welcoming, understanding, and helpful. Ms. Wright works tirelessly in her free time on a regular basis to ensure that her lessons are well thought-out, engaging, innovative, and in line with the latest in educational best practices. She routinely becomes an unofficial mentor to any new teacher who joins the World Language Department and is the "go-to" for help and advice in the department for new and veteran teachers alike.

## SSLI Adventure



Salk Elementary is home to the MISD's K-3 Severe Speech-Language Impaired [SSLI] Program. SSLI students recently had a day full of adventure, which truly offered something for everyone. The day began with a morning visit to Pump It Up, an indoor play area in Shelby Township. Students explored the giant inflatable playground together. This was a welcome chance to run and play during a snowy winter week.
The adventure continued with a visit to the Reptarium, an indoor zoo in Utica. Students were able to observe reptiles on display, including many unusual creatures that were new to all. During a presentation by the Reptarium hosts, students were offered opportunities to hold, touch, or look at each animal presented, depending on each child's comfort level. Students met turtles, lizards, monitors, snakes, and even alligators as our hosts shared information about each animal. Students asked many thoughtful questions during this truly "hands-on" learning activity. The Reptarium provided SSLI students with a fun and meaningful context in which to build vocabulary and enrich language. Including a chance to hold a giant snake! Truly something for every kind of learner.

## KIDS HEART CHALLENGE

> Elementary schools throughout the district participated in The American Heart Association's Kids Heart Challenge.

Collectively, Fraser schools raised over $\$ 17,500$ for the American Heart Association!

The Kids Heart Challenge is held at schools across the country, delivering heart-healthy physical activity. The program includes cardio-pumping activities that go beyond exercise and has kids pledge to be more physically active, drink more water, and do a good deed.
Kids learn about the importance of physical activity and how it helps their bodies. This is an important lifelong lesson; kids understanding heart health early can help prevent myriad health problems, including heart disease and stroke. Students also learn the importance of teamwork and helping other people, all while building their selfesteem in an exciting and active way. Program activities include:

## Kids Heart Challenge Jump:

Students compete to see who can jump the most times in a minute, while learning about how it burns calories, builds agility, and increases bone density.

## Kids Heart Challenge Hoops:

A heart-pumping basketball-based activity that challenges students to work as a team.

## Kids Heart Challenge Dance:

Students burn calories and build confidence as they collaborate and
express their creativity with dance moves to the "Cha Cha Slide" or "Space Jam."

## Kids Heart Challenge Warrior:

Students build strength and confidence as they crawl, run, and leap as they navigate the obstacle course's cones, hurdles, and balance beam.

Several FPS schools are eligible for a \$500 grant to purchase physical education equipment through U.S. Games. Funds raised by the Kids Heart Challenge support the American Heart Association's lifesaving mission, including work to keep physical education in schools, to provide access to healthy foods for kids, and to pass laws requiring CPR to be taught in schools.


## MISCA State COACH OF THE YEAR

Congratulations to the FHS Boys' Swim and Dive team coach, Danielle Woody, for being selected as the MISCA [Michigan Interscholastic Swim Coaches Association] State Swim Coach of the Year! This is Ms. Woody's fifth year coaching the team. Coaches throughout the state nominate the coach they feel is the most deserving of this award, and Ms. Woody received the most nominations.

Macomb County swim coaches also voted to select Ms. Woody as the Macomb County Swim Coach of the Year!


# Classroom Transformations Keep Edison Students Engaged 

Third-grade classrooms at Edison Elementary have been going through quite a transformation these last few months.

Students have been learning the content through engaging, hands-on activities that have had them cheering and wanting to tell someone at home about what they have learned.
Teachers Mrs. Parenteau and Mrs. Frazier have created lessons that have them teaching like a pirate and have students excited to learn more about the content. With the help of local businesses and parents, many of the supplies used for the transformations have been donated. They couldn't do this without them!

Some of the classroom transformations have included Parenteau's Place and Fra'Fra' Cafe, where students learned about different genres of books; pizzerias, where they learned about fractions while making pizzas with different toppings; McFrazier's and McP's, where students made hamburgers with the different parts of a paragraph; Starbooks Cafe, where students sipped on good books; and Discovery Park, where they became paleontologists for the day digging for fossils and learning more about the process of how plants and animals of the past are found.
"The best part of these classroom transformations has been getting to see the excitement from the students as they enter the classroom seeing us all dressed

up for the lesson. For many, this is the first thing they want to share with their parents when they get home." - Mrs. Frazier
"I like the pizzeria because we got to build a pizza with fractions, and I learned more about fractions." - Dekker K.
"I liked doing the Super Bowl activity because I got to learn about it, and I got to teach my parents about some of the facts I learned. I told them about when the first Super Bowl was." - Mila C.
"I liked the Discovery Park activity because we got to do a lot of fossil activities, and I got to learn a lot about fossils." - Zach T.
"My favorite was the Super Bowl activity because I got to learn a lot about something I have never watched." - Nathan P.
"Fra'Fra' Cafe and Parenteau's Place were my favorites because we drew about the books we were reading about, and I learned how to find the theme of that book." - Braylon B.
"The Super Bowl was my favorite because I got to watch it this year. My favorite activity from that was The Missing Mascot activity because the person I suspected was the one who took the mascot that went missing" - Ashtro C.
"I liked reading football books at our Super Bowl classroom transformation because we got to read on Epic about how the uniforms and helmets were in football a long time ago." - David D.
"I like the classroom transformations because they make learning fun, and other schools don't do that." - Keira F.
"My favorite classroom transformation was the fossil one because we got to dig up stuff and write about what we learned."

- Dakota B.
"I enjoyed making pizzas in our classroom because it went with our fraction unit."
- Oliver H.


## 5th Grade Adopts a River Otter



Emerson 5th-grade students recently wrote persuasive essays to try to convince their classmates to adopt a particular animal from the World Wildlife Fund. Each student chose an animal and wrote an essay, finding at least three persuasive reasons as to why the animal needs our help.

The students shared their essays with their classmates and voted. The animal that won was a North American River Otter. Three students wrote about this animal - Lily Fedorczak, Ivy Kennedy, and Emily Salisbury - and convinced their classmates to adopt one!

Izzy Miller, Aaliyah Mazure, and Caleb Dixon also persuaded Ms. DuFresne to make an additional donation to help a Vaquita. This project was informative, fun, and let the students help different animals. Awesome job to all 5th graders!

# CULINARY STUDENTS ARE A CUT ABOVE 

## Fraser High School culinary students competed March 5-6 in the ProStart Competition at Blue Water Convention Center in Port Huron.

The statewide competition brings together ProStart students and schools from across Michigan for two days of showcasing their talents in the hospitality industry.

Fraser students competed in the categories of Culinary-Nutrition-Knife Cuts, ServSafe Quiz Bowl, and Tabletop Design-Cake Decorating, with over 300 competitors from 25 different schools, career centers, and academies.

The following students were on the Fraser team: Lorens Lleshaj, Yostena Akladyous, Alisa Harris, Evan Sanders, Jordyn McDonald, Iman Moses, Fjolla Blakas, and Madelyn Benson.

Fraser Nutrition team placed 4th out of 10 schools! Congratulations to team
captain Evan Sanders, Iman Moses, Jordyn McDonald, and Lorens Lleshaj.

Jordyn McDonald won 1st place in the Ready Set Go competition and placed 4th in the Knife Skills competition out of 40 students!



## THINKING ABOUTENERGY at Twain



Twain 4th graders in Mrs. Albrecht's and Ms. Offer's classes participated in the Think! Energy Program, provided by DTE and Consumers Energy. The students learned ways to use energy and water more efficiently, which could save money on their parents' bills.

Students learned basic energy concepts and received materials from the National Energy Foundation, a nonprofit educational organization. The materials included a Family Activity Guide and a Take Action Kit with high-quality, energy-efficient products for their families, such as indoor and outdoor LED bulbs, high-efficiency showerheads, faucet aerators, insulation for hot water pipes, and more!
"It was so fun and entertaining! I really liked it when I was picked to demonstrate the 'Human Power Plant.' I also learned that we lose money when we keep a charge cord plugged in without a phone. I did not know this - until now." - Nellie B.

This program was a wonderful experience for our students. It also gave the 4th graders an opportunity to be leaders in their home and community. What an "electrifying" day!

## Going Green, the Only Scene

The Richards Middle School Green Team has been busy! After a few years' hiatus, the team is back up and running. Mrs. Descamps is the current sponsor.

Over the last few months, they have been tackling many of the Macomb County Green Schools Initiatives. They meet monthly after school for planning and activities. One of the biggest tasks accomplished was getting the school's recycling program back up and organized. Richards now has a system to collect plastic water and juice bottles from the cafeteria for recycling. Paper collecting is once again happening in the classrooms and offices.


During a recent meeting, the Green Team invited a guest speaker from GFL to share about all things recycling. The team learned about some of the

advancements and changes in recycling and why recycling is so important.

Most recently, the Green Team held a Coin Wars for Endangered Animals. They were able to collect money to "adopt" a capuchin monkey from the World Wildlife Foundation. Additional funds will be used to fix up the RMS native plant garden.

The team is currently working on activities to promote the EPA's Fix a Leak Week [to promote water conservation] and the upcoming Earth Day. The Macomb County Green Schools application was sent out a few weeks ago and they are excited to be involved once more.

## 2nd Grade Goes Camping

Second-grade students at Eisenhower Elementary recently transformed their classroom into a campground!


While camping, they wrote the steps of how to make s'mores, fished for sight words, read around a campfire and in a tent, built an aluminum foil boat, mapped using coordinate directions, and wrote postcards to send to their families from camp.

In addition to being a funfilled day, students learned the skills of planning, cooperation, resourcefulness, and connection. As a special treat, students enjoyed the s'mores!

# MSBOA STATE Solo and Ensemble Results 

> Congratulations to the Fraser High School band students that participated in the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association State Solo and Ensemble Festival on March 18 at Chippewa Valley High School.

Eighteen events qualified at the District Solo and Ensemble Festival, with a total of 17 events participating in the State competition.

Fourteen events received "Superior" First Division ratings, equivalent to the overall grade of an "A," and two events received "Excellent" Second Division ratings. The soloists in grades 10,11 , and 12 compete at a sequenced proficiency level, which include performing a solo piece, memorized scales, and sight reading music they have never seen before. The proficiencies get increasingly more difficult as they progress by grade. For the proficiency ratings, a "Superior" First Division is a score of 85 to 100 , and an "Excellent" Second Division is a score of 70 to 84 .

Included in the State competition were four chamber ensembles, each comprised of nine to 20 students. The Flute Choir, Brass Ensemble, Saxophone Ensemble, and Percussion Ensemble received First Division ratings. Their talent, hard work, and dedication are exemplary! Congratulations to all the Fraser band students for their many accomplishments!

## FIRST DIVISION RATINGS

Noah Pashby
Tenor Sax - Proficiency 1 = 95
Declan Johnston
Piano - Proficiency 2 = 95
Jacob Paradowski
Trumpet - Proficiency $1=93$
Declan Johnston
French Horn - Proficiency $2=92$

## Matthew Cobus

Euphonium - Proficiency $1=89$
Paige Teer
Flute - Proficiency 1 = 87
Cydnee Cox
Flute - Proficiency $2=85$
Jude Johnston
Snare Drum, 9th Grade Solo
Aneko Nichol, Olivia Deir, Katelyn Frazier, Nic Durnell, and Alexis Mulka -
Percussion Quintet
Anna Colley, Ari Lulgurah, and Theresa Moronczyk -
Woodwind Trio

## Flute Choir

[12 students)
Brass Ensemble
[12 students)
Percussion Ensemble
[13 students)
Saxophone Ensemble
(11 students)
SECOND DIVISION RATINGS
Keith Kanne
Snare Drum - Proficiency $3=82$

## Anna Colley

Flute - Proficiency $2=80$

# DECA Triumphs at State Competition 



Fraser DECA [Distributive Education Clubs of America] competed in the State Competition at Huntington Place in Detroit. This was Fraser's best showing yet at the State level. Michigan DECA is an association of high school students who are planning careers in marketing, finance, hospitality, and management.

Congratulations to Sophie Meyer and Analu Jahi, who both won State Champion for their events. Sophie won in Business Finance and Analu won in Food Marketing. Both students will represent Michigan in Orlando at the International Competition at the end of April.

Congratulations also to the following students who placed in the top 10 of their events at the State Competition. Hilary Dubay and Jostena Akladyous placed in the top 10 for Hotel \& Lodging and received the Role Play Medal. Noah Tonn, Casey Savoie, and Jacob Dolezel placed in the top 10 for Teamwork \& Leadership. Noah and Casey received medals for finishing in the top five. Aneko Nichol placed in the top 10 in Personal Finance and received the Role Play Medal. Nouri Hollins placed in the top 10 for Personal Finance.
As a chapter, Fraser DECA was also awarded the THRIVE Award for all accomplishments in community service and ethical leadership, and the Gimme 5 Award for Chapter growth.

Everyone on the team made Fraser proud and worked hard throughout the school year for their accomplishments.

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## State Vocal Music Results

> Congratulations to the three Fraser High School choir students who participated in the Michigan School Vocal Music Association State Solo and Ensemble Festival on March 17 at Eastern Michigan University.

All events received First Division ratings, equivalent to the overall grade of an "A." The soloists competed at a proficiency level, which includes performing two solos, one in a foreign language. If the students receive a First Division rating at the District level, they can compete at the State level. One of the pieces can be the same as the District event, but they must prepare a new piece for the State level. The pieces should still be contrasting in style and in two different languages. The first solo is the same as District Solo \& Ensemble, but they must prepare a new piece
for State Solo \& Ensemble and perform for a judge at sight reading, singing music they have never seen before. Solos are out of 90 points and sight readings are out of 30 for a total score of 120.

Congratulations to Natalie, Rebecca, and Samantha for their many accomplishments!

## First Division Ratings:

Natalie Watson, Senior - Solos:
84; Sight Reading: $26=110$
Rebecca St.Onge, Senior Solos: 87; Sight Reading: $24=111$
Samantha Walzak, Freshman Solos: 90 [perfect score]; Sight Reading: $18=108$


## PLANNING AHEAD

APRIL 12
SAT Testing at FHS
APRIL 13
SAT Testing at FHS
APRIL 13
Gleaners Mobile Food Pantry
FHS [Klein Side], 9:00 a.m.
APRIL 17
PSAT Grade 10 Make-Up at FHS
APRIL 17
School Board Meeting
IDEA Lab, 7:00 p.m.
APRIL 18
Early Release - All Levels

APRIL 18
PSAT Grade 9 Make-Up at FHS
APRIL 20
Elementary Band Concert
FHS Gym, 7:00 p.m.
APRIL 20
M-Step Grade 11 at FHS
APRIL 21
M-Step Grade 11 Make-Up at FHS
APRIL 21
Cabaret
FHS Auditorium, 6:00 p.m.

APRIL 22
Cabaret
FHS Auditorium, 6:00 p.m.
APRIL 24
M-Step Grade 11 Make-Up at FHS
APRIL 25
SAT with Essay Make-Up
Grade 11 at FHS
APRIL 26
Workkeys Make-Up
APRIL 27
Gleaners Mobile Food Pantry
FHS (Klein Side), 9:00 a.m.
MAY 1-5
AP Testing at FHS
MAY 1
Emerson Vocal Music Concert FHS Auditorium, 7:00 p.m.

MAY 2
Salk Vocal Music Concert
FHS Auditorium, 7:00 p.m.
MAY 3
Edison Vocal Music Concert
FHS Auditorium, 7:00 p.m.
MAY 4
Disney Vocal Music Concert FHS Auditorium, 7:00 p.m.
MAY 4
Gleaners Mobile Food Pantry
FHS [Klein Side], 9:00 a.m.
MAY 5
FHS Early Release -
District Provided
Professional Development
MAY 5
Prom

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## Boys Basketball

The Boys Varsity 2022-23 season was filled with learning curves and growth. With only two seniors and one returning starter, they had many new faces eager to compete and improve.

Their record was not as successful as they would have liked, but they never quit. This group of young men worked hard each day. They have potential to move forward but must continue to improve in the offseason.
"The two seniors, Aidin Quinn and John Willaert, were a pleasure to coach. These young men were great leaders and will be successful in their future endeavors with the quality of characteristics they displayed," commented Coach Matt Lockhart.


## Boys Swim and Dive

The Fraser Boys Swim and Dive team ended the 2023 season with a bang, completing their most successful season in school history. The team finished with an overall dual meet record of $6-1$. Their impressive performances earned them 1st place at the Tower Relay meet, 1st place at the Macomb County Championships, and a solid 2nd
place finish in the MAC Red Conference. The boys broke eight school records throughout the season! Additionally, 11 swimmers and divers qualified for the Division II State Meet - the most in Fraser Swim history.

Congratulations to Hunter Lemmon, 10th grade, who was named as Macomb County Boys Swimmer of the Year!


## Competitive Cheer

This year, the Fraser High School Competitive Cheer team moved into the MAC White League after two winning seasons. In their first league meet, they finished in 2nd place, and in their 2nd league meet, they broke the school record for total score and had the best Round 3s in Fraser history. The team finished 3rd overall in the MAC White, proving they belong in the new league.

On February 10, they won 1st place in Division 1 at the Tower Invitational, beating our rival, Chippewa Valley.

The week of District Competition, the team battled illness. They made necessary changes to keep the mandated number of 12 students in all three rounds. Unfortunately, on the day of the District Competition, an unforeseen incident occurred that was out of their control. With little time to make changes safely, they had to drop below the mandated number, forcing them to compete with eight students in all three rounds and take a 10 -point penalty. The team rose to the occasion and adjusted to the necessary changes, but unfortunately, with the 10-point penalty and appearance of less people on the mat, they were not able to secure the top four spot like they had hoped. The returning athletes are determined to do well next year.


Girls Basketball
The Lady Ramblers are entering the home stretch of their season where they strive to continue playing competitive basketball as they head into the State Tournament. Despite a roster consisting of three freshmen, one sophomore, six juniors, and one senior, the young Ramblers are on the verge of their first winning season since the 2018-19 campaign. Currently the Ramblers stand at 11-8 overall and finished league play at 6-4, which is good for 3rd place in the MAC Gold. A solid team commitment in the offseason assisted in helping this young team gel together quickly and buy into a fresh style of play that fits their individual and overall team skill set. With 10 players projected to return next season, along with talented rosters on both the freshmen and JV teams, the Lady Ramblers have a bright future ahead. The goal is to consistently play for winning seasons and compete for championships.


Wrestling
The goal for the 2022-23 wrestling team was to be competitive this year. After graduating over 60\% of the 202122 team, this was a rebuilding year. The team took 3rd in the MAC White competition, just missing a share of the title. They won the District Meet and finished with a 15-9 record. Expectations are high going into next season; our young wrestlers made great improvements over the season. Go Ramblers!

#  <br> Dinner \& Show featuring The Fraser Jazz Ensemble \& The Fraser Singers <br> Dinner prepared by the <br> Fraser Culinary Arts Department <br> April 21 \& 22, 2023 <br> Dinner at 5:30, performances to follow. 

Tickets are $\$ 25$ on sale now through April 10, 2023

Seating is limited
For tickets contact Mr. Charland nicholas.charland@fraserk12.org 586.439.7329

Fraser Performing Arts Center 34270 Garfield Rd. Fraser, MI 48026

# Please join us for an evening of FRIENDS, FOOD, and FUN at...  FUNDRAISER to help support 



Friday, April 28, 2023
7:00 p.m. @ Vintage House Banquets \& Catering - 31816 Utica Rd., Fraser, MI 48026
(Dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m.)


For additional information RE: tickets, sponsorship opportunities, donations, etc., contact: Carissa - (586) 843-9797; Email - fabcboard@gmail.com


## K-12 District



May 9 - 11, 2023 FHS Media Center

## Show Hours:

Tuesday, May 9, 2023 • 7:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 10, 2023 • 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 11, 2023 • 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

## Opening Reception:

Tuesday, May 9, 2023 • 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.


ENTRY FORM
If paying by check (payable to Fraser Educational Foundation), complete form and mail to the address below. Or, click here to register and pay online.

| Captain | Address | Phone | Alumnus (Year)/Staff/Parent |
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| Player 2 | Address | Phone | Alumnus (Year)/Staff/Parent |
| Player 3 |  |  |  |
| Player 4 | Address | Phone | Alumnus (Year)/Staff/Parent |
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Mail form and entry fee to: Fraser Educational Foundation, Attn: Kristin Sommer, 33466 Garfield Rd., Fraser, MI 48026

