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ALTMAR-PARISH-WILLIAMSTOWN CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

GRADUATION 2023

APW Elementary Hosts Annual Flag Day Ceremony

APW Elementary School continued its time-honored Flag Day ceremony this year, inviting students and staff members to honor our veterans and the flag of the United States.



APW Elementary students Liam Mumford and Corey Gerszewski carry out the honored flag-folding ceremony as part of APW's annual Flag Day event.

On June 14 – Flag Day – students from preschool to grade six gathered together with staff in APW's Elementary

gymnasium. Joining them were a dozen community members, all of them armed service veterans and family members to APW students and staff. Veterans were escorted in by students while introduced and thanked to great applause. The school's chorus led the group in songs honoring both the flag and the gathered servicemembers.

School custodian Joe LaValley explained the symbolism within the flag-folding ceremony while students Liam Mumford and Corey Gerszewski carried out the solemn duty. Once finished, the folded flag was presented to James Forkhamer, the seniormost serviceperson in attendance, as a symbol of gratitude. The event concluded with a video presentation that honored other veteran loved ones who could not be in attendance.

"The ceremony teaches students about the United States flag and shows the history and importance to our country," said Danielle Wheeler, the school's assistant principal.

The school has held the annual ceremony for more than two decades, becoming an important part of school tradition.



Congratulations APW CLASS OF 2023



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A message from the APW Superintendent



Dr. Naomi Ryfun,
Superintendent

Dear Graduates of the Class of 2023,

By the time this arrives in your homes throughout the Altmar-Parish-Williamstown area, the commencement ceremony will already have taken place. But I want you to know what an honor it was to be able to celebrate with you on the stage as you walked across to receive

your recognition! What a joy it was to see you smile with such a sense of success and accomplishment! We are so proud of you and all that you have achieved over the years at APW.

I hope that this summer you are able to spend time with your family and friends, enjoy the extended hours of sunshine, reflect on the journey you took to get this far, and prepare for the future ahead of you.

The possibilities are endless! Continue to dream big and set goals for

yourself, taking steps each day that will lead to new doors being opened for you. If one door closes, keep believing that another will open. Keep learning throughout life, give your best in all you do, and show appreciation to those around you. Remember that you have a purpose; the world needs you to contribute your ideas, your voice, and your unique perspective.

Be on the lookout for communication from APW for opportunities to share your thoughts with us on student programming, family outreach, and community events. We invite you to be part of our continuous improvement efforts here at APW.

On behalf of all of us at APW, we wish you continued success in all your endeavors. May your futures be bright and full of opportunity. We look forward to hearing about your accomplishments in the years to come!

Warmly,
Dr. Naomi Ryfun
APW Superintendent of Schools

A Letter from the School Board President



Shawn Clark, President

We have reached the end of another school year and another group of graduates have crossed the stage and are beginning the next phase of their life.

On behalf of the Board of Education:
Congratulations to the Class of 2023!

Just because students are on summer break does not mean that things stop here at the school; Phase two of the construction project will begin soon with major renovations beginning in the auditorium and music areas of the JSHS. Finalizations of the 2022-2023 school year will be done and preparations for opening day and the beginning of the 2023-2024 school year will begin. In addition to that, we will be offering our extended school year and enrichment classes alongside our new sports camps throughout the summer months. There really is something for everyone!

As we close out this year, once again congratulations to our graduates, their families, and our 2023 retirees. Thank you for your hard work throughout the years to make APW a great and safe place for our kids to be a part of.

Shawn Clark
APW BOE President

Pre-K "Moving Up" Ceremony



The students of the APW Pre-Kindergarten class had their annual "Moving Up" ceremony, officially graduating to kindergarten! We can't wait to see all that they accomplish!

Congratulations APW CLASS OF 2023



Logan Archer
Regents Diploma



Dominique Bartle
Regents Diploma



Logan Birmingham
Regents Diploma



Kaylee Bishop
Regents Diploma



Cameron Bouchard
Regents Diploma



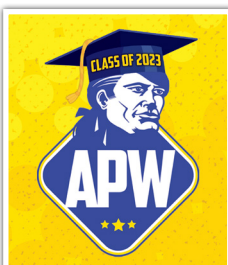
Hailey Bradshaw
Regents Diploma



Jordan Bull
Regents Diploma



Emma Burdick
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Moe Burdick
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Jan Christian Calanoc
SACC



James Carr III
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Jayden Castor
Regents Diploma



Makayla Cobb
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



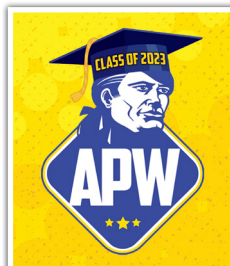
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Regents Diploma



Konnor Corbett
Local



Kristin Crow
Regents Diploma



Ethan Cronk
Regents Diploma



Kristi Cross
Regents Diploma



Kenley Curtis
Regents Diploma



Martin Daniels III
Regents Diploma



Emma Derby
Regents Diploma



Adrianna Drake
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Ronald Dupont III
Regents Diploma



Alexis Fentress
Regents Diploma



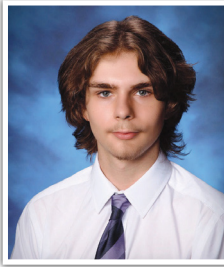
Congratulations APW CLASS OF 2023



Jeffrey Forkhamer
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Olivia Froats
Regents Diploma



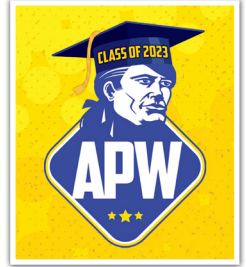
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Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Sabrina Gamble
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Sawyer Garrett
Regents Diploma



Nathaniel Geller
Regents Diploma



Zachary Grinnell
Regents Diploma



Pedro Guadalupe
Regents Diploma



Skylar Halstead
Regents Diploma



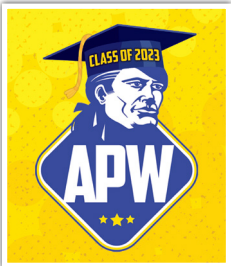
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Regents Diploma



Jackson Harding
Regents Diploma



Richard Haynes III
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Allison Hilton
Regents Diploma



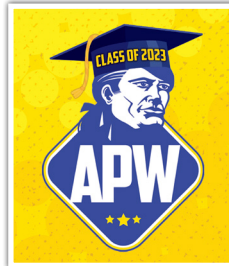
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Regents w/
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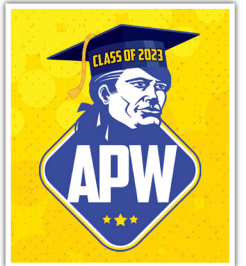
Summer Holmes
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Amalie Jacobsen
Certificate of Attendance



Devin Jobson
Local



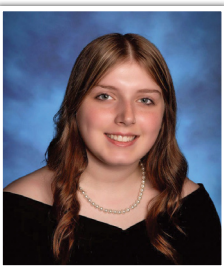
Colten Johnson
SACC



Raegan Johnson
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Cole Joyner
Regents Diploma



Jennifer Kazmirski
Regents Diploma



Hailey Kennedy
Regents Diploma



Christa Koagel
Regents Diploma



Tyler Kowanes
Regents Diploma



Congratulations APW CLASS OF 2023



Megan Leemann
Regents Diploma



Zachary Losito
Regents Diploma



Chayse Madore
Regents Diploma



Sylvia Manor
Regents Diploma



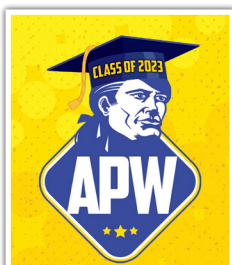
Mikayla Mattison
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Chad McCullagh
Regents Diploma



Kobie Measheaw
Local



Hunter Middleton
Regents Diploma



Shawn Miles Jr
Regents Diploma



Abigail Moss
Regents Diploma



Timothy Muckey
Regents Diploma



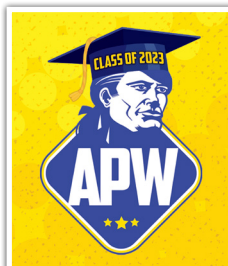
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Regents Diploma



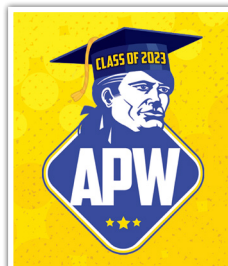
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Regents Diploma



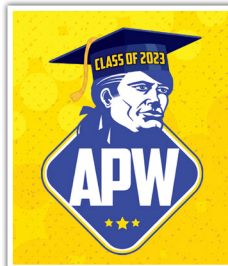
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Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Bruce Pitre
Regents Diploma



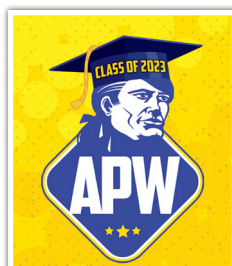
Jace Quaife
Regents Diploma



Journey Race
Regents



Alexander Richards
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Kaley Roach
Regents Diploma



Kolby Robinson
Regents Diploma



Trinity Romig
Regents Diploma



Kiara-Marie Royle
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Sarah Ruffos
Regents Diploma



Joseph Salazar
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



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Blaine Saucier
Regents Diploma



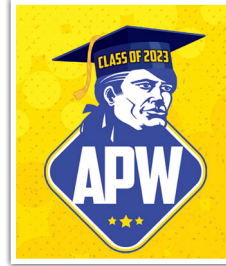
Jacob Simmons
Regents Diploma



Charley Skellington-Bice
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Austin Smith
Regents Diploma



David Smith
Regents Diploma



Tequila Smith
Regents Diploma



Angel Snyder
Local



Skyler Solinsky
Regents Diploma



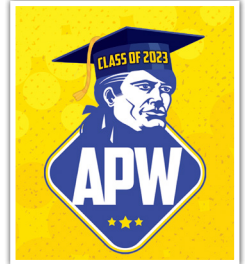
Madison Spicer
Regents Diploma



Nicholas Tibbles
Regents Diploma



Tiera Torres
Regents Diploma



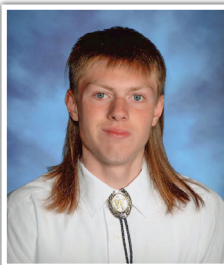
Tyler Walrath
Local



Anastacia Watson
Regents Diploma



Stella Waybright
Regents Diploma



Alexander Wejko
Regents Diploma



Wyatt Welytok
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



Harley West
Regents w/
Advanced Designation



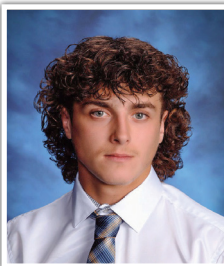
Hannah White
Regents Diploma



Jacquelyn Wiggins
Regents Diploma



Kailey Wright
Regents Diploma



Derrik Zender
Regents Diploma



CLASS OF 2023 AWARD WINNERS

LOGAN ARCHER

APW Alumni Award
APW Civil Service Award
Brig. Gen Dr. Ravindra Shah Memorial Scholarship
Dr. Manjula Ravindra Shah Memorial Scholarship

CAMERON BOUCHARD

Class of 1989 Scholarship

JORDAN BULL

Howard L. & Marion J Allen Scholarships

EMMA BURDICK

APW Alumni Award
Fulton Savings Bank SUNY Oswego Scholarship
Howard L. & Marion J Allen Scholarships

MOE BURDICK

APW Honor Graduate

MAKAYLA COBB

APW Alumni Award
APW Honor Graduate
Class of 1978 Memorial Award
Class of 2022 Salutatorian Award
Dorothy P. Bristol Memorial Award
Ed Hogan Wildlife Scholarship (Envirothon)
FitzPatrick Constellation Scholarship
Steven Ernest Esposito Memorial Scholarship
Susan Cooper Fassler Prize

KONNOR CORBETT

Perfect Attendance Award

KENLEY CURTIS

Amanda Hutchinson and Jeremy Spencer Memorial Award
Doris Gates-Bristol Memorial Award

MARTIN DANIELS

APW Alumni Award
APW Honor Graduate
Casey J. Brouse Memorial and
APW Dollars for Scholars Scholarship
Gerald H. Haynes Memorial Award
Heather Costello Bartman Scholarship
Howard L. & Marion J Allen Scholarships
Nancy Wart Memorial Award
Steven Ernest Esposito Memorial Scholarship

OLIVIA FROATS

APW Alumni Award
APW Faculty Association Scholarship
Howard L. & Marion J Allen Scholarships
Oswego County Counselors' Association Education Award

DAMIAN GALL

Ashbel Upson Ballister Award
David Antoski Memorial Award

SABRINA GAMBLE

APW Honor Graduate
The Pearl Clark Extraordinary Award

SAWYER GARRETT

Amelia Michelle Wade Memorial Scholarship (Character)
APW Alumni Award
APW Honor Graduate

Ed Hogan Wildlife Scholarship (Envirothon)

Grant Decker Scholarship

Jeremy Spencer Memorial Award

Pulaski Lodge #415

The Fulton Companies Scholarship Dollars For Scholars

ZACHARY GRINNELL

Class of 1989 Scholarship

Fulton Savings Bank Cayuga Community College Scholarship

RICHARD HAYNES

APW Chorus Dedication Award
APW Drama Excellence Award
APW Honor Graduate
APW Music Excellence Award
Christopher Town Memorial Award
Class of 1967 Memorial Award
David L. Bahrs Memorial Award
Rochelle Nicolette Perry Memorial Scholarship in Engineering
Rodney W. Jennings Memorial Scholarship

LEANNE HILTON

APW Alumni Award
APW Civil Service Award
APW Honor Graduate
The Ecker and Faulkner Memorial Scholarship Dollars for Scholars

COLE JOYNER

APW Alumni Most Improved Award

HAILEY KENNEDY

LaRock Scholarship

CHRISTA KOAGEL

APW Alumni Award
APW Alumni Congeniality Award
Doris Murray Memorial Award
Oswego County Mutual Insurance Company and
APW Dollars for Scholars Scholarship

MEGAN LEEMANN

APW Honor Graduate
International Wire and APW Dollars for Scholars Scholarship

ZACHARY LOSITO

Howard L. & Marion J Allen Scholarships
Joseph Murray Memorial Award

CHAYSE MADORE

Ed Hogan Wildlife Scholarship (Envirothon)

MIKAYLA MATTISON

APW Alumni Award
APW Art Award
APW Civil Service Award
APW Honor Graduate
Ed Hogan Wildlife Scholarship (Envirothon)
Elston A. Ecker Scholarship
Heather Costello Bartman Scholarship
Lynn Phillips Memorial Award
Sharon White Memorial Scholarship Dollars for Scholars
The Pearl Clark Extraordinary Award

JULLIANA PHILLIPS

2022 Scholarship for Academic Excellence
Acoustic Mega Jam/ Joe Battles and
APW Dollars for Scholars Scholarship

APW Band Booster Award

APW Honor Graduate

APW Marching Band Award

Class of 2019 Scholarship

Dora Bristol Memorial Award

Ella Hanrahan Ballister Award

Jeremy Spencer Memorial Award

Student Government School Service and Leadership Award

Susan Cooper Fassler Prize

The Pearl Clark Extraordinary Award

ALEXANDER RICHARDS

APW Honor Graduate

KOLBY ROBINSON

Grant Decker Scholarship
Jeremy Spencer Memorial Award

TRINITY ROMIG

APW Honor Graduate

JOSEPH SALAZAR

2022 Scholarship for Academic Excellence

APW Band Award

APW Honor Graduate

JACOB SIMMONS

C. Rex Crosby Award

CHARLEY SKELLINGTON-BICE

APW Alumni Award
APW Civil Service Award
APW Honor Graduate
C. Rex Crosby Scholarship
Edick-Hamlink VFW Post 369 and
APW Dollars for Scholars Scholarship
Student Government School Service and Leadership Award

AUSTIN SMITH

Howard L. & Marion J Allen Scholarships

SKYLER SOLINSKY

Class of 2013 Scholarship

MADISON SPICER

Amelia Michelle Wade Memorial Scholarship (Medical)
APW Honor Graduate

Edward and Pamela Polgean and

APW Dollars for Scholars Scholarship

Marie Phillips Memorial Award

Nancy Wart Nursing Award

Robert J Kilts Memorial Scholarship

ALEXANDER WEJKO

2022 Scholarship for Academic Excellence

APW Honor Graduate

Class of 2022 Valedictorian Award

Valedictorian Award

HARLEY WEST

APW Honor Graduate

JACQUELYN WIGGINS

Amanda Hutchinson and Jeremy Spencer Memorial Award
APW Alumni Award
Ella O. Phillips Memorial Award

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Registration Open for APW UPK Program

Now is the time to register for 2023-24 Universal Pre-K!

UPK at APW offers the following great features:

Half-Day Program: Both AM and PM sessions offered!

Included Meals: AM UPK served breakfast,

PM UPK served lunch!

Transportation Provided!

Same School Calendar as APW CSD!

Child Requirements:

Must be living with a legal parent/guardian
in the APW School District

Must be 4 years old on or before Dec. 1, 2023

Cannot be 5 years old or older on or before
Dec. 1, 2023

Contact Susan Thorp, District Registrar to register your child today!

APWRegistration@apw.cnyric.org • (315) 625-5275

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MELLOW
TINTS THE
WESTERN SKY,
PROUDLY STANDS
OUR ALMA MATER
A.P.W. HIGH.
SING THE CHORUS.
LIFT IT UPWARD
IN HER PRAISES VIE.
HAIL TO THEE,
OUR ALMA MATER,
A.P.W. HIGH**

Kindergarten Registration still open!



*Get your child ready
for a great year!*

Register online at
APWSchools.org or contact
the district registrar below:

Susan Thorp – District Registrar
APWRegistration@apw.cnyric.org
(315) 625-5275

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