

SCHOHARIE SUMMER ENRICHMENT TIMES

The BMX show was fun and cool. There were many fun but yet scary tricks. My favorite part of the show was the trick, Also known as a backflip they were so cool!

Another cool part was when Aaron jumped over 4 people. Overall the whole show was great!

A 2,500 dollar bike got crashed in the first 20 minutes of it being used. The spinning tornado of death was super cool! One of the dudes bike, AND LANDED A BACKFLIP ON A DIFFERENT BIKE!!!

By- Aden C.

On Monday our first day of SEP saw BMX bike riders in our high school gymnasium and there were three bike riders. And they did back flips and they were professionals! They were great. I loved the trick when he jumped over the teachers. The first time it was funny and fun to watch. I really enjoyed the show!

By: Kelsey F.

The bmx show was a very cool event to see. There was an entire ramp that they did cool jumps on. They did backflips. Some of them got hurt but they were okay. Their tricks were cool. One of them did a 360. I counted them doing 4 backflips in total. One of their chains broke and he got hurt but it was not bad. We went over bike safety and the key parts of the bike. The red bike was more expensive because it had certain parts that were different from the other bikes.

By Nicholas T.



MRS. HANNAN'S SECOND GRADE CLASS WEEK 1 RECAP

Week one is in the books! It was fun (Zoey G.), great (Cassidy S.), awesomely fun (Ryleigh M.), EPIC (Jase M.)! We have had so many experiences!

We got to watch a BMX show. During the show one of the performers' bike chain fell off and we felt like we wanted to help him fix it!

The performers also jumped over four people and we felt amazed and a little scared! They also did back flips on their bikes. It was crazy (Carter's face in the picture below says it all)!

We have been working hard to build a classroom community and we are proud of ourselves. We have also been reading and doing math. We are working hard to be the best almost third graders we can be!



BMX

I liked the flips that Aaron ,Andre and Danny did. They did backflips and front flips, it was really cool. Aaron did front wheelie's all around the gymnasium. It was so cool! Aaron jumped 4 teachers/people. Mrs.Tebbano, Mrs. Thomas, Andre and the speaker guy with his bike. It was awesome even though I was kind of nervous for them. Andre, Aaron and Danny all did 360s in the air only holding the handle bars! They spun they're bikes around in the air. Andre's bike chain broke so he used Danny's bike instead. Andre has never ridden Danny's bike before and he's used to the brake on his left side but Danny had his on the right side so it was completely new to Andre.

PS: Andre will always be my favorite

By Brooke H.



The other day at the Schoharie Enrichment Program we went to the high school gym to see bike riders doing amazing tricks on the bikes. Their names were Danny, Aaron, and Andre . First they practiced going up the ramp and then they started going up the ramp and doing 360s and landing it but then amazingly Aaron jumped over four people without falling on them or hitting them on a bike. That is amazing ! Then Danny got up the ramp and then Aaron jumped over him. Then everyone started screaming DO A FLIP and then Aaron and Andre did a front flip . Then Andre started going to the ramp to do a backflip. before going on the ramp Andre's bike, that was \$2500, chain broke. So then he tried Danny's bike, which he never ever rode before, and did a backflip. Then the show had to end so they all left the room and everyone clapped.

By Quinn Z.

On Monday the first day of the Summer Enrichment Program, we had an assembly and it was super cool! It was a BMX assembly. Do you know what BMX stands for? It stands for Bicycle Motocross and they did cool tricks like backflips and jumped over people. At first I was nervous because I thought someone was going to get hurt. They had great music playing.

By Molly R.



On the first day of our Summer Enrichment Program, we had a BMX assembly. Do you know what BMX stands for? It stands for Bicycle motocross. They were professional people on their bikes. Three guys were doing backflips and whenever they fell, they just got right back up. We learned about helmet safety. You have to put two fingers under the buckle to make sure it's tight enough and not too loose.They jumped four teachers with the bike. They were doing this in the gym and they were not used to doing all that in a gym .They were also doing handle bar tricks!

The assembly was loud but had good music. I really enjoyed the show!

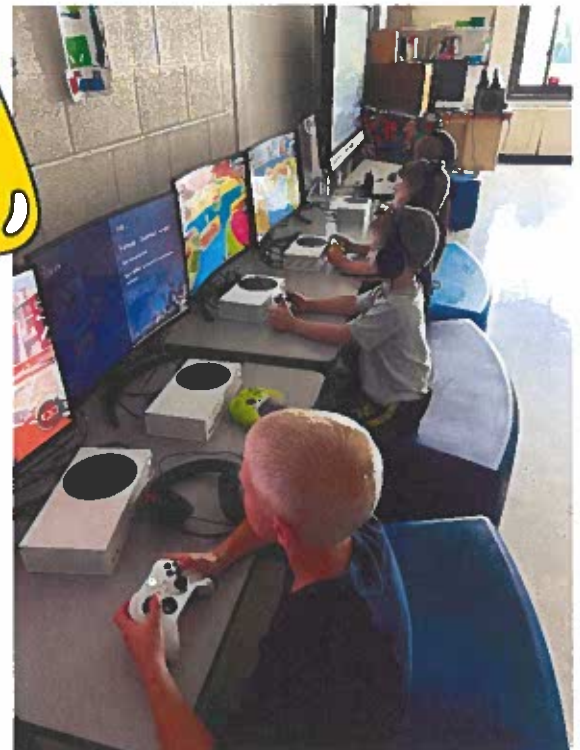
By: Natalyah D.

Gaming and Coding



We enjoy our time in gaming! It is exciting (Norah F.), awesome (Zoey G.), entertaining (Ryleigh M.), and EPIC (Jase M.)! Our gaming teacher is Mr. Toro! He is kind (Carter J.), caring (Kolton R.), and the best (Cassidy S.)! When you need a game or don't know what to do Mr. Toro will always help you! We get to play things like Minecraft. If you don't want to play with the electronics he always makes sure you are taken care of. He has tons of puzzles and games that he will play with you! During gaming sometimes you don't know what to do. Our classmates help each other to learn and Mr. Toro teaches us new things! We love summer enrichment gaming!

Mrs. Hannan's Class



PE Fitness and Fun



Mrs. Hannan's Second Grade Class
Gym and Gaming Report

Gym is fun (Cassidy S.), awesome (Jase M.), and exciting (Ryleigh M.)! Gym class helps you get muscles, it helps you get stronger and run faster! Our gym teacher is Mr. Monescalchi. He is FUN (Ryleigh M.), nice (Norah F.), kind (Zoey G.), funny (Karter F.), and helpful (Jase M.). If anyone gets hurt or sad Mr. M helps them to feel better (Kelton M.). Mr. M teaches us new games to play and makes sure we know the right way to do things. We love summer enrichment gym classes!

Playground Fun



Minekill State Park Pool

We went swimming yesterday and it was super fun. We played a lot of games and kept jumping in the pool over and over. There are three different pools and one is a diving pool. I didn't get to go on the diving board but it more fun when its summer and when your with your friends and we go to the pool once a week. We get about two hours of free swimming and the younger classes can do lessons it was a fun day and a good time to hang out with friends.

By Mathew T.



Last week on July 12, 2023 the fourth to eighth grades went swimming at Mine kill state park. It was a ton of fun. I got to see my friends in the fourth grade and in the other fifth grade class. The water was perfect, not too cold, not too hot. I loved jumping off the diving board. I loved how it was hot so it was the perfect day to go swimming. It was so fun. I am looking forward to this Wednesday July 19, 2023 I can't wait to see what it is like this Wednesday.

By Annabel A.



On Wednesday, July 12th we went to the Mine kill state park pool. It was actually really fun to swim around the pool with the class. They had two diving boards with a pool 13 feet deep, the deepest pool that isn't the diving boards is 5 feet deep just wish they had deeper pools. Some people just sat around not really swimming, which I don't get, a lot of people tried to race each other and just did a lot of tricks on the diving board. Personally myself I went on the diving board a lot because it's just cool to jump off and do tricks. It was a lot of fun and I can't wait to go again.

By: Cody D.

On Wednesday July 12 we went to Minekill pool! At the pool there was a diving pool with 2 diving boards, but we could only jump off one. There were girls and boys locker rooms, in the girls one there were lockers that you could pay a quarter and when you opened the locker. When it was the end of the day you would get your money back. There was a swimming lesson area and a normal pool 4 to 6 ft deep in the diving pool it was 13 feet deep!

By : Quinn Z.

Discovery Tuesday at Schoharie Library



Schoharie Mohawk Institute for Science and Technology

SMIST

We use our Phones, TV's, and computers every day. They help us learn how to fix our technology or keep us entertained for hours. The circuit boards in your phones or anything close to them control your phone, but do we know where this comes from or how it's made? In the summer enrichment program, a few people from SMIST visited the program. The middle school students were able to build a light fixture called a Blink board. This board included a Circuit board, 3x Led lights, 3x Control buttons, 3x resistors, and a 3C battery. These parts that were used were melted with a pen like iron called a Soldering Iron. This iron melts metal onto a circuit board. This iron is one of the main tools used to put together all of the wires on a circuit board.

Soldering is one of the most important parts of technology and not many people acknowledge that. One fact about soldering is that it is very close to welding, instead of building something big like a car frame, soldering creates an electric connection on circuit boards, motors, and batteries. Technology like phones and computers use this tool to build and without them they wouldn't be created.

By: Sebastian Clemente



On Tuesday we soldered a LED blink board for a STEAM lesson. We soldered resistors to a metal board and soldered little LED lights to the board also. We learned about the soldering iron and safety while using a soldering iron. We learned that the soldering iron gets to 700 degrees. We did some wood burning as practice to get a hang of the soldering iron.
By Ren W.



4 people named Juliette, Laurine, Krystal and Joyce told everyone about different and unique dances. The dances were really really weird for me because I have never seen this type of music and dance before. I was laughing a little because the movements and dances were new to me. The dancers were awesome, they showed us the dances and steps to the dance. Teachers from each class called up one of their students to go up there and dance with Juliette, Laurinne, Krystal and Joyce. It was really funny! Some kids barely moved and some danced their hearts out. The dancer's told us about Korean bands like Bad Bunny, Black Pink and Red Velvet. They didn't say BTS though.

By: Brooke

Reaction Dance Company

The dancers' names were Juliette, Laurianne, Krystal, and Joicy. I really liked the dances that they did. They were in the K-pop finals. They finished 4th in the US final. They also always said to finish with a pose!
By: Arrietta K.



Today we had a Reaction Dance Company from NYC. Their styles of dance were: Kpop, HipHop, Reggae, Salsa and merengue. Aden and I went up and did one of the dances with them. I don't remember the name of the dance but we did tho! The dancers had super good sync and teamwork! Overall the RDC was pretty good!

By: Aden and Lane

Today we saw Reaction Dance Company at summer school. The four girls came here from New York City, and showed us five fun dances. The styles were K Pop, hip Hop, Reggae, Salsa, and Merengue. That means we visited Jamaica, India, Korea, and the U.S.

Some of our friends helped demonstrate the dances. It was fun to watch!

By: Emily and Bella

Haiku about the Dance Assembly
by Ms. McKenney's Class

Hip Hop is the best
Reaction Dance Company
Extraordinary



PRINCIPAL'S MESSAGE

Our Schoharie Summer Enrichment Program 2023 is off and running. As you can see our summer program has been very successful. We have a total of 160 students in our program this year. Writing newsletter articles and journaling are two of the many academic activities that students will be taking part in this summer. In the first issue of Schoharie Summer Enrichment Times, a number of students have contributed articles, photographs, editing, typing, and comments.

Thank you to everyone who contributed in making these first two weeks such a success, especially our custodial staff, food services, transportation department, Summer Enrichment staff, Schoharie Administrative Assistants, Schoharie Business Office and Schoharie Administrative Team.

I'm looking forward to four more weeks of program fun and learning! Stay tuned for the next issue of our newspaper on August 4th.

Marcella Tebbano
Summer Enrichment Program Principal



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