

REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 17

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The Board of Education is pleased to provide you with the following district news.

Recognition of Haddam-Killingworth High School's Top Ten Students

At a Board of Education Session Meeting held on May 17 at the High School, the top ten students were recognized. They are as follows:

- No. 10 Elise Irwin, Killingworth
George Washington University
Elise will study International Affairs.
- No. 9 Natalie Blodgett, Killingworth
The College of William & Mary
- No. 8 Mary Coletti, Killingworth
Villanova University
Physical Therapy Studies
- No. 7 Connor McLaughlin, Killingworth
University of Connecticut
Connor will be studying Engineering.
- No. 6 Kyle Sullivan, Higganum
Dartmouth College
He will major in Economics and Environmental Science.
- No. 5 Lillian Carmichael, Killingworth
Vassar College
Lily will major in Music and Hispanic Studies.
- No. 4 Analise Bruder, Haddam
University of Connecticut
She will study Chemistry.
- No. 3 Erica Allen, Higganum
University of Connecticut
Erica plans to study Biology.
- No. 2 Joseph Bosco, Haddam, *Salutatorian*
Yale University
- No. 1 Annalise Walsh, Killingworth, *Valedictorian*
Colby College
Annalise will study Health Science.

Recognition of the Connecticut Association Of Boards of Education (CABE) Student Leadership Awardees - Cameron Garrelts and Caitlyn VonFeldt

Recognition of District Retirees

Patrice Coletti, Killingworth Elementary School
Barbara Gosin, Haddam Elementary School and Haddam-Killingworth
Middle School
Paul McCormick, Haddam-Killingworth High School
Patricia Meanwell, Haddam Elementary School
Lesley Rowe, Haddam-Killingworth High School
Art Zorzy, Haddam-Killingworth High School
Cynthia Rich, Killingworth Elementary School
Jamie DeRosa, Killingworth Elementary School

The total of years of employment equals more than 200 years! Congratulations!

Recognition of District Staff Members of the Year

Pamela Gersz, Burr Elementary School
Heather Strom, Haddam Elementary School
Deborah Conway, Killingworth Elementary School
Melissa Bennett, Haddam-Killingworth High School
Jennifer Papallo, Haddam-Killingworth Middle School
Robert Albert, Head of Maintenance for the district, was named
District Staff Member of the Year

Recognition of District Teachers of the Year

Melissa Blasiak, First Grade, Burr Elementary School
Erin Drejer, Second Grade, Haddam Elementary School
Irina Rubalsky, Music, Killingworth Elementary School
Lindsay Ramm, History/Social Studies, Haddam-Killingworth High School
Carolyn LaRosa, Haddam-Killingworth Middle School, Technology
Education, was named District 17 Teacher of the Year.

Congratulations!

Haddam-Killingworth High School Class of 2016

H-K Seniors (144) received their diplomas at the graduation ceremony, Wednesday, June 15th.

Haddam-Killingworth Middle School Class of 2020

H-K 8th graders received their certificates on Class Night, Friday, June 10th.