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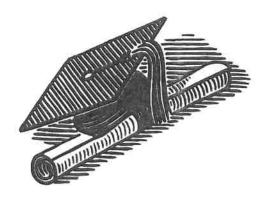
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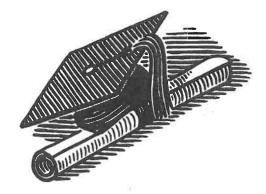


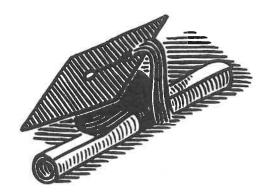
- Abraham Lincoln



# DISTINGUISHED SENIORS' ANNUAL DINNER APRIL 28, 2022







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HOSTED BY:
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"EDUCATION IS THE MOST POWERFUL WEAPON WHICH YOU CAN USE TO CHANGE

THE WORLD."

—NELSON MANDELA

# ABOUT THE DINNER

We are proud to gather this evening to honor one hundred forty-five members of Huntington High School's Class of 2022. Members of the Board of Education and Administration salute the young men and women invited here this evening who have distinguished themselves through their academic performance. It is with pride that we applaud their fine achievements and congratulate their families who share this honor.

These distinguished seniors have selected one teacher to be honored from each of the district's schools. These Honored Teachers were chosen by the students as persons who have been the most influential and inspiring on their educational journey. We congratulate these teachers as well for their contributions to the education of our distinguished seniors.

"THE WHOLE SECRET OF A SUCCESSFUL LIFE IS TO FIND OUT WHAT IS ONE'S DESTINY TO DO — AND THEN DO IT."

—HENRY FORD

# **ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS**

This evening was made possible through the efforts of many dedicated individuals.



# SPECIAL THANKS

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Chief Custodian & the

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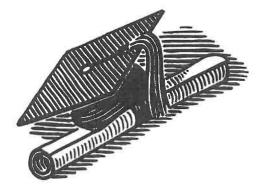
Ms. Denise Smagala



# **Richard Zboray**

Richard believes the key to his success was discovering what he is passionate about—and dedicating himself to those passions. He has most enjoyed having the opportunity to experiment with many different fields of inter-

est at a high level. Richard's most noteworthy accomplishments include being an Eagle, Scout, volunteer Firefighter, President of the Debate Club, Chief Business Officer of the Robotics Team, and Chief Business Officer of his Virtual Enterprise class. He intends to study Finance and Mathematics in the future.



# **PROGRAM**

Pledge of Allegiance
President, Student Government
WelcomeChristine Biernacki
President, Board of Education
James W. Polansky
Superintendent
Introduction of
PTA PresidentsToniann Mangan
President, PTA Council
Introduction of
PrincipalsGamal Smith
Assistant Principal, Huntington High School
Presentation of
Teacher AwardsTheadora Carnesi
President, Class of 2022
& Distinguished Seniors
Presentation of
Student AwardsBrenden Cusack
Principal, Huntington High School



"ALWAYS BEAR IN MIND THAT YOUR OWN RESOLUTION TO SUCCEED IS MORE IMPORTANT THAN ANY ONE THING."

-ABRAHAM LINCOLN

# HONORED TEACHERS

JEFFERSON PRIMARY	
Honored Teacher	Ms. Karen Fischer
	Kianna Criscuola
	Ms. Valerie Capitulo-Saide
	Ms. Jennifer Gregory
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WASHINGTON PRIMARY	Y
Honored Teacher	Mr. Jim Hoops
Student Presenters	Dylan Coleman, Emily Plachta, Henry Stein
Principal	Dr. Michelle Richards
PTA President.	Ms. Holly Zarcone
FLOWER HILL PRIMARY	• -
Honored Teacher	Ms. Tracey McManus
	Charlie Girimonti, Joseph Sclafani, Alyson Baker
	Ms. Lucia Laguarda
PTA President	Ms. Melissa Lapp
SOUTHDOWN PRIMARY	-
Honored Teacher	Ms. Christine DePetris
Student Presenters	Eliza Walther
Principal	Ms. Jill Amott-Erwig
PTA President	Ms. Sheena Fallon

"A TEACHER AFFECTS ETERNITY; HE CAN NEVER TELL WHERE HIS INFLUENCE STOPS."

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- HENRY B. ADAMS



#### William Weber

William says the keys to his success are support from his friends and family, as well as his mindset of always pushing forward and working to succeed. The most enjoyable aspects of his high school career were Varsity Swim and

football games and playoffs. His noteworthy accomplishments include All-State and All-Long Island and being on the High Honor Roll. William will be majoring in Finance in the future.



#### **Alexis Winter**

The key to Alexis' success has been her tenacity. She has endured many struggles throughout her childhood and teenage years. Her ability to overcome these strug-

gles and look ahead to achieving her goals has aided in her accomplishments. She has most enjoyed interacting with the teachers who genuinely wanted to see her succeed. This has meant a lot to Alexis.



#### Erin Ye

Erin credits hard work and having fun to the keys to her success. The support of her family, teachers and coaches was an important part of that endeavor. Erin has most enjoyed her seventh period gym class junior year, track and cross coun-

try, Word on the Street Wednesday (The Dispatch), and Natural Helpers Retreat. Highlights of Erin's extracurricular involvement include, Editor in Chief of the Dispatch, Senior Class of 2022 Officer, Science National Honor Society Fundraising and --- Coordinator. Other noteworthy accomplishments include, track Captain, going to states for NHD three times, National Merit Finalist and Valedictorian for the Class of 2022. Erin will be majoring in Linguistics and Cognitive Sciences at Stanford University.



#### Walter Vohs IV

Henry believes the key to his success was his family—encouraging and pushing him to do well in school. He has most enjoyed playing sports, making friends, and his

relationships with teachers. The highlight of Henry's extracurricular activities was winning the last six games of the basketball season to make the playoffs, and then winning the first round of the playoffs. Henry will be majoring in Finance/Business in the future.



#### Shane Walsh

Shane owes his success to hard work and determination. At times, Shane does not get the results he was expecting, but instead of giving up, he will work even harder. He has enjoyed all the different people that he has met during his time at HHS.

The highlight of Shane's extracurricular involvement was finishing third out of nine schools in the New York State Large School Division 2 Marching Band Competition in the Carrier Dome at Syracuse his Senior year. Although Shane has not yet decided on a college, he will be studying Accounting in the fall.



#### Eliza Walther

Eliza always has goals in mind; a goal to always do her best, attend college, be successful in her career. She believes that the key to her success was to always have goals that challenged her. Eliza enjoyed being a part of the girls Soccer Team for 4 years, which helped her develop friendships and school spirit. Being a Natural Helper was

very special for her as well; it was an eye opening experience to be able to help others and be helped by people who care. She notes that Huntington High School has a very supportive staff that always had her back! Noteworthy accomplishments include being President of Natural Helpers, Relay for Life Event Leader, and Section Leader in Marching Band in her Senior year. Eliza is a member of Habitat for Humanity and the Art, Spanish and National Honor Societies. She will be majoring in Sports Media at either Ithaca College or UCONN.

# HONORED TEACHERS

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	Honored Teacher Mr. Chris Hender
	Student Presenter
	Principal
	PTA President
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	JACK ABRAMS STEM MAGNET SCHOOL
	Honored Teacher
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	PrincipalMs. Donna Moro
	PTA President
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"LET US REMEMBER: ONE BOOK, ONE PEN, ONE CHILD, AND ONE TEACHER CAN CHANGE THE WORLD."

- MALALA YOUSAFZAI



#### **Alex Adonis**

The support of others, combined with Alex's drive to do his best, have been the keys to his success. He always remembers his parents telling him how important it is to go to college and get a career so he can live his life to the fullest. Alex has most enjoyed extracurricular clubs, the teachers, and the special events in his high school career. Highlights of his extracurricular involvement include joining STEM and partici-

pating in Saturday Academy courses. He especially enjoyed making "Ojo dios" for Art Honor Society's Winter Solstice sale. Although Alex is currently undecided of his college choice, he intends to major in Illustration or Animation.



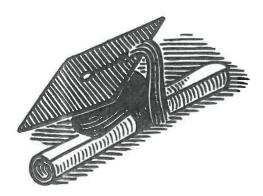
#### Jack Alba

Recognizing his strengths, keeping an open mind, and trying new things have been the keys to Jack's success. Attending HHS has been an amazing journey of growth and opportunity! The aspects of his high school career that he enjoyed most were meeting great people and making lifelong friends. He also became interested in the field of Computer Science, which he plans to study in college. Highlights of

Jack's extracurricular activities include Robotics Club, Marching Band and taking 3rd place at the NYS Field Band competition, and Sports Rocket League, where they were undefeated in their first season and took the Regional Campionship! Jack will attend Quinnipiac University and major in Video Game Design/Computer Science.



Ronaldo Arias-Alfaro





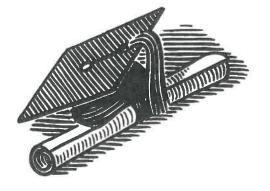
#### Nina Varvatsas

Nina believes that hard work and putting forth her best effort have been the keys to her success, this has helped her achieve her goals. Nina is excited about her future and looks forward to the new challenges ahead. She has enjoyed all the exciting opportunities that she had through Science Research. She has learned so much from her

mentors and has made great friendships along the way. Nina's noteworthy accomplishments include, being a Board Member of the Environmental Club, participating in two internships; Huntington Breast Cancer Action Coalition, and a shadow at a local Occupational Therapy Clinic. She is also a proud member of the Science and National Honor Societies. Nina is excited to be majoring in Occupational Therapy at Sacred Heart University.



Gian Vazquez





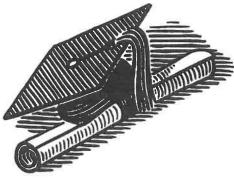
Felipe Villanueva

Felipe enjoys setting high expectations and challenging himself. He believes the keys to his success are perseverance and hard work. Despite any odds, he always tries to be the best

person he can be—for himself and those around him. Felipe has most enjoyed being able to work with his teachers and his peers. He liked making new friends and exploring all the different clubs, events and activities. He also liked going to sporting events and supporting his friends. Highlights include the opportunity to be part of Science Research and teaming up with friends, participating in Float Night, and making it onto the school website! Felipe will be majoring in Engineering in the future.



Sophia Toscano





Carleigh Tracy

The keys to Carleigh's success are time management and creating good relationships with her teachers. They have helped her and inspired her in so many ways. Carleigh has enjoyed making new friends and creating memories.

Fun times include Spirit Weeks and cheering on Huntington's sports teams. She is a member of the Key Club and the National Honor Society. She also played on the Varsity Tennis Team for the past 2 years. Carleigh will be studying Communications at the University of Delaware.



Nathali Ulloa

Nathali owes her success to keeping herself as busy and as involved as possible and thinking about the future and where she will be after high school. One of the most important aspects of high school for Nathali was being a member of the Huntington Blue Devil Marching Band. It

helped her find who she was—and how she wants to be in the future. She participated for 5 years and became one of the two Colorguard Captains. Stage Crew has also been an outlet and another home for her at Huntington, and she is proud to have served as Co-President. Nathali was also President of the Italian National Honor Society. She will be majoring in Health Sciences in the Fall—possibly at SUNY Geneseo.



# Taraina Augustin

The keys to Taraina's success are never giving up, and motivation from her friends and teachers, who have pushed her to be the best version of herself possible! She has most enjoyed taking the classes that have helped her choose her career path. Making new friends, who impacted her life in a positive way, has been one of the highlights of Taraina's

high school experience. She spent her free time being a Junior Volunteer at Huntington Hospital, participating in Marching Band and Wind Ensemble. She is a proud member of the Math Honor Society and has won Pride Awards for English, Math and Science. Taraina will be majoring in Biology at the University of Albany.



#### Cristian Avelar-Romero

Cristian credits his success to hard work, perseverance, and determination. The encouragement of his parents has been an important part of this endeavor. He works hard in and out of the classroom and uses his adversities as motivation. Cristian has most enjoyed meeting new people and forming bonds with his teachers, who make learning fun and push him to do his best. Noteworthy accomplishments include

being a part of the Varsity soccer team and going to the County Finals after 57 years! Being on the winter and spring track teams has also been a highlight for Cristian. He is a proud member of the Math, Science, English, Spanish and National Honor Societies. Although Cristian is currently undecided on a college, he plans to major in Mechanical Engineering.



# Manuel Aviles, Jr.

The key to Manuel's success has been staying true to himself. He strives to always do his own thing and not worry what anyone else is saying about him. For Manuel, the best parts of high school were lunch and special attend-

ance! The highlights of his extracurricular involvements were football seasons. Although undecided on a college, Manuel intends to study Nursing.



Alyson Baker

Alyson credits organizational skills, time management and teacher support as the keys to her success. She has most enjoyed playing on the Varsity tennis team, participating in Key Club and Interact, and spending time with friends. Noteworthy accomplishments include

Spanish, Math and National Honor Societies. She was also the CFO of Virtual Enterprise. Alyson will study Business/Management at college.



Tyler Basil

The key to Tyler's success is his unyielding resolve to keep pushing himself. He credits his determination for allowing him to persevere through AP classes and SAT preparation—even when things got tough. Tyler has most enjoyed making new

friends and working with his teachers. Making these personal connections always brought a smile to his face! While he is very proud to have succeeded in difficult classes like physics, biology and calculus—he is most proud of his art classes. He has accomplished showing some of his computer graphic art in various art shows, including one at the Heckscher Museum of Art!



Cianna Batts

Cianna owes her success to her mother! She states that her mother has been her inspiration and her guide. She taught Cianna to embrace hardships and not let them define her! Being in school has helped Cianna decide that she wants to be a teacher. Being around the staff

and students has been extremely motivating. Cianna has also been Ms. Fabela's Lab Assistant for the past 4 years. In Senior year, she became her Intern. Cianna states that she has learned so much from Ms. Fabela and that she has also inspired her to want to be an educator. Cianna plans to major in English Education at SUNY Geneseo.



#### Grace Stolfa

The key to Grace's success was balance; having the time for extracurricular activities and sports while making sure she had time to complete her school work. She has most enjoyed playing sports and meeting new people. Grace

also enjoyed being an Intern for Ms. Tedeschi because it taught her so much. Grace's most noteworthy accomplishment was being the Varsity Volleyball Captain for both her Junior and Senior years. She intends to study Nursing in the future.



# **April Swanson**

April realized how important it was to make an effort and get good grades at this point in her life as her future depended on what she did now. The most enjoyable aspects of her high school career included playing on the Soccer Team for all 4

years with her best friends, and supporting all the other sports teams by cheering them on during games. She also enjoyed getting close to her teachers and realizing how helpful and fun they can be! April's most noteworthy accomplishments are Pride Awards and being on High Honor Roll. She will be studying Pre-Med in the future.



# Theologos Tiliakos

Teddy credits his success to having great teachers who push himself out of his comfort zone. This along with balancing school and sports has taught him to remain disciplined. Forming great relationships with his teachers and friends has been a very enjoyable part of his high school

career. Teddy has also enjoyed participating in clubs and sport at Huntington. Highlights of his extracurricular involvement include, Debate Team, Robotics Team, Key Club, Chamber Orchestra, and Science Olympiad. He has also enjoyed track and field all throughout his four years at HHS. Teddy intends on majoring in Chemistry at Northeastern University.



#### Brian Sosnowski

The key to Brian's success is all about balance; being able to balance his schoolwork, sports, clubs and work all at the same time. The most enjoyable parts of Brian's high school career were meeting new people, making new friends, playing sports, and joining clubs. The

highlights of his extracurricular involvement include Key Club, Habitat for Humanity and playing on the Varsity Lacrosse team. Brian intends to major in Forensic Science in the future.



#### Francesca Stamatatos

The keys to Francesca's success were her teachers! She worked as closely as she could with them, and they have done everything to help her meet her goals. She loved

the Huntington High School community and everything it had to offer her. Francesca says that playing volleyball was the best as it introduced her to so many different people, taught her many lessons, and gave her many opportunities. Francesca will be studying Criminology in the future.



**Henry Stein** 

The key to Henry's success was choosing the right classes. He knew it was important to enroll in classes that were interesting and held his attention. He has most enjoyed

just growing up with his friends and making many memories. Henry's most noteworthy accomplishments include awards in NHD and Science Research. He is also doing an internship at Hoffman & Grayson Architecture, and he plans to study Architecture in the future.



# **Madelyn Bavaro**

Madelyn owes her success to her organization and time management skills. She has most enjoyed her AP History, AP World, APUSH and AP Government classes. These classes not only taught her to be a better writer, they have also given her a new perspective on the world that she would have never thought of before. Madelyn's noteworthy accomplishments include Head Editor and Head Photographer for

the Yearbook Club. In Senior year, she won All County Academic for volleyball and Suffolk County's Fencer's Fencer Award, which is only given to one female athlete in Suffolk County. She was very proud to receive it! Madelyn plans to study Humanities at Lehigh University.



# Matthew Beasley

Matthew attributes his success to his determination to keep his grades high. He has learned that constant studying and doing his homework helps him remain focused on each subject. At HHS, he has most enjoyed developing friendships and relation-

ships with his fellow classmates and teachers. Highlights of Matthew's extracurricular involvement include participating in Target Tour, winning an award for his National History Day documentary, and winning the County Championship in baseball. Matthew intends to major in Supply Chain Management at the University of Arkansas in the fall.



# Fiorella Benites-Arevalo

Fiorella thinks what has made her successful is the effort she always puts forth. She strives to do her absolute best without overworking or stressing herself out. Fiorella loved being able to try out different interests through the

electives offered – plus being able to further her art talent through art classes. She plans to study Psychology/Neuroscience in the future.



#### Sarah Berry

Sarah has most enjoyed being a part of the Music program here at Huntington High School. It has acted as a safe haven for her on her hardest days. It has also challenged her both mentally and technically. The highlights of her extracurricular involvements in Chamber Orchestra, Pit Orchestra, and being an intern for Music Theory

class. Sarah will be attending SUNY New Paltz and majoring in Music Therapy and Special Education.



#### **Brian Bonilla**

Brian owes his success to staying stress free by playing games with his friends. He didn't choose to participate in any extracurricular activities until the Video Game Club was created. He is very proud to

share that he and the rest of the members went to Nationals! Brian intends to study Accounting at SUNY Albany.



# Anderson Bonilla Figueroa

The key to Anderson's success has been his perseverance. He has most enjoyed learning about other countries and other cultures. Global History has been his favorite class here at HHS. Anderson will

be studying at Suffolk County Community College in the Fall.



# **Abigail Simon**

Abigail fills her schedule with activities so that she spends all her time being productive. She has most enjoyed the opportunities offered to follow both academic and artistic paths. Abigail is a proud member

of the Huntington High School Marching Band, Pit Orchestra, Key Club, and multiple Honor Societies. She is also on the Fencing Team. Although her intended major is still undecided, Abigail will attend Loyola University in Maryland.



#### **Charlotte Simon**

The keys to Charlotte's success are determination and discipline. She has most enjoyed taking fun art electives, such as Drawing and Painting, and Creative Writing. The highlight of her extracurricular

involvement has been Drama Club. Charlotte always looked forward to participating every year!



#### **Robert Smith**

Finding a balance between academics and sports has been the key to Robert's success. Time management, along with preparation, dedication and hard work have been crucial components to this endeavor. During his time at HHS, he has most enjoyed creating lasting relation-

ships with his classmates, teammates, and teachers. A couple of highlights have been interning for Mr. Graziano's Geometry class, and the Dual Language Program, which allowed him to take advanced classes. Extracurricular involvement include being a Captain for the Varsity football, wrestling, and lacrosse teams. He is a proud member of Natural Helpers, and multiple Honor Societies. Robert plans to major in Finance at Stony Brook University.



#### Chloe Schiman

Chloe's supportive family and friends have been an important part of her success. Having a good group of friends who know how to motivate her and brighten her day has been an essential part of this endeavor. She has enjoyed all school events, especially Homecoming, sports games, and World Language Week. Her favorite classes

have been Personal Law, Psychology, Criminal Justice, and Forensics. Extracurricular activities include Key Club, Habitat for Humanity, Field Hockey, and Track. She is also a proud member of the English, Math, Social Studies, Science and Spanish Honor Societies. Chloe will be enlisting in the United States Marine Corp! When she eventually goes to college, she will be majoring in Law.



# Dylan Schnitzer

Dylan owes his success to staying consistent and being ambitious. Meeting many of his high school goals was the result of working hard and striving to be the best version of himself he could be. Baseball is Dylan's favorite thing to do, and being able to play at the collegiate level and represent Huntington was great! The highlight of his high

school career was spending time, talking and working with his classmates. Dylan's extracurricular involvements include the English, Math and National Honor Societies, Habitat for Humanity and Key Club. Noteworthy accomplishments include Suffolk County Champion and All-Conference in baseball. Dylan is looking forward to majoring in Economics at Trinity College.



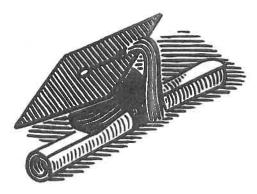
Joseph Sclafani

Joseph credits his success to his hard work, determination and loving parents! He was set to get into his dream school and he made sure he had the grades to do it. Joseph has most enjoyed spending time with his friends and

favorite teachers. The highlights of his extracurricular activities include being Captain of the Golf team, and a member of the National Honor Society, Math Honor Society and Key Club. Joseph will be majoring in Real Estate Risk Management at Penn State.



Emma Brendel





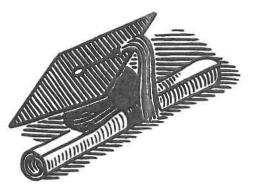
#### **Katie Browne**

Katie attributes time management as the key to her success. She has been involved in three Varsity sports, Student Government, Natural Helpers, various Honor Societies, volunteer work, and AP/Honors classes. In order to balance it all, she had to learn to budget her time and stay focused. She has most enjoyed participating in Varsity lacrosse, soccer, and basketball at Huntington. This has allowed her to

meet many people out of her friend group. In addition to sports, her noteworthy accomplishments include Student Government Officer, Scholar Athlete Award, National History Day Awards and NYS Senate Youth Leadership Award. Katie is a proud member of multiple Honor Societies and has enjoyed her volunteer work in Student Government. Katie will major in Markets, Innovation and Design at Bucknell University and is also a D1 committed athlete.

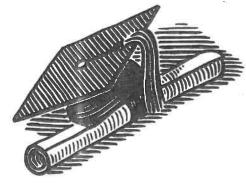


Katherine Bruno





Jake Burton





#### Hanna Carlson

The keys to Hanna's success are staying positive, never giving up, trying her hardest, and never feeling disappointed in herself. Her HHS life has been surrounded with the best people, who have given her memories she will never forget! She loves how Huntington provides a comfortable and happy environ-

ment for everyone. The highlight of Hanna's time here was when HGVS made it into the playoffs and she and her teammates were all screaming and crying with joy! Being able to play her favorite sport with her Huntington family was everything to her! Hanna will be majoring in Kinesiology/Exercise Science at Penn State in the Fall.



#### Theadora Carnesi

Teddi credits hard work, pushing herself to always give 110%, being empathetic, and treating others the way she would want to be treated as the keys to her success. She has loved making new friends from all different sports, clubs, grades and classes and creating bonds with her

teachers. She has also enjoyed her history and government classes. Teddi is a 3 sport Varsity athlete; soccer, basketball and softball. A notable accomplishment is being President of the Class of 2022! She is a proud Natural Helper, Girls State Delegate, NHD Club Treasurer, and a member of the Suffolk County Anti-Bias Task Force. Teddi will be majoring in International Relations at the United States Military Academy at West Point.



# **Brendan Rubery**

Brendan believes his perseverance to keep up with his work in each class is the key to his success. He works very hard to be the best person he can be, and having a positive attitude throughout the day is very important! Brendan has enjoyed many aspects of his high

school career. From the unique courses to the kind and friendly teachers who are always there to support the students. He enjoyed field trips and seminars and meeting new people. Highlights of Brendan's extracurricular activates include being a member of the Poetry Club and being involved with his church. Though not fully decided, Brendan is thinking of attending LIU Post.



# Kathryn Sanseviro

The keys to Kathryn's success are studying, staying focused in class, and giving herself breaks when needed. She has most enjoyed Senior year, taking different electives, and Project Adventure. Extracurricular involvements include Grandfriends, AWOD, and Habitat for Humanity. Notewor-

thy accomplishments include multiple Pride Awards and Scholar-Athlete Award. Kathryn is looking forward to majoring in Engineering at Northeastern University.



# Regan Sansiviero

The key to Regan's success is learning to balance her school work with her extracurricular activities and social life. She most enjoyed being able to participate in multiple sports while playing alongside her

friends. Noteworthy accomplishments include being a 3 sport Varsity Athlete, a Scholar Athlete, All-County Honorable Mention in Lacrosse, and Varsity Tennis All-League and All-Division. Although she hasn't decided on a major, Regan will attend Bucknell University in the Fall.



#### **Emily Roberts**

The keys to Emily's success are great teachers and taking classes she enjoys! The aspect of her high school career that she enjoyed the most was having the opportunity to be Ms. Kenny's Lab Assistant. Emily's most noteworthy accom-

plishments include interning for the Huntington Breast Cancer Action Coalition and the Human Health Exposure Analysis Resource. Although her choice of college is undecided, she will be majoring in Environmental Science.



#### **Hannah Roberts**

The key to Hannah's success has been prioritizing her future and her education. She has most enjoyed creating lasting and meaningful relationships with

people she has met at Huntington. The highlights of Hannah's extracurricular involvement include being a member of Chamber Choir, Chamber Orchestra, Jazz Band and Drama Club. She also served as an NHD officer and SNHS tutor. Hannah will be majoring in Biochemistry.



#### Mary Grace Rorke

The keys to Mary Grace's success are working hard and focusing on what she is passionate about. Her advice is to not be afraid to branch out and try new things! She has loved taking challenging courses and learning from incredible teachers. She has also enjoyed getting involved in various extracurricular activities that Huntington offers.

Highlights of her extracurricular activities include ballet, playing the harp in the Symphony Orchestra, participating in Grandfriends, AWOD, and The Dispatch. Noteworthy accomplishments include receiving Pride Awards, being a member of multiple Honor Societies, Junior Welfare League, and being an Intern for Huntington Foundation for Excellence in Education (HFEE). Mary Grace will be majoring in Civil Engineering at Duke University.



# Cassidy Casabona

Taking diligent notes, studying thoroughly before exams, and attending extra help when needed are the keys to Cassidy's success. She also credits her family—who have a served as her personal cheerleaders—throughout high school! The most enjoyable aspects of her high school career include Homecoming

weekend, K-Factor, and being in Chamber Orchestra and a quartet. She has also enjoyed greeting the Freshman during orientation, seeing all her teachers and friends on the first day of school, and the feeling after getting a good test grade! Cassidy served as Treasurer for her Class for 4 years and, this year, G.O. President. She is a Natural Helper and has won awards for her National History Day projects. Cassidy will study Finance in the future.



#### **Gretel Cassell**

Gretel thinks that time management and organization are the keys to her success. She has most enjoyed being a student-athlete. The energy in school when seeing your teammates before a practice is unmatched—especially at Huntington! They are truly a family and it really feels that way. A note-worthy accomplishment for Gretel was never playing lacrosse

in 8th grade—yet becoming a Varsity Lax starter the following year! She is proud that, during the shortened COVID season, they made it all the way to the semi-finals. Gretel will major in Political Science at Binghampton University.



# Jazlyn Chapas-Oliva

Jazlyn credits her success to having discipline, listening attentively in class, and going to extra help when needed. She has most enjoyed participating in clubs and events, and the relationships she has made with her teachers. Being a part of the Huntington High School

Blue Devil Marching Band has been the most enjoyable of all. Jazlyn is a proud member of the HBDMB and the Science, Art, Math and Spanish National Honor Societies. Although she is still weighing her options when it comes to college choice, she plans to study Marketing.



#### **Charlotte Cheshire**

The key to Charlotte's success is unwavering support from her family, friends and teachers, as well as balance between school, art, service and other hobbies. She is happy to have had the freedom to try new things and pursue her passions. Some of Charlotte's noteworthy accomplishments include being a Youth Ambassador for Tourette Syndrome, and Ad-

ministrative Assistant, VP and then President of Key Club. She is part of the Huntington Fine Arts Portfolio program, a Counselor at Camp Alverna, and a member of the Math, Science, English, Art, Social Studies, Spanish and National Honor Societies. Charlotte will major in Fine Arts in the future.



#### John Chirico

Striking a balance between friends and schoolwork, and always staying conscientious, have been the keys to Johnny's success. He has most enjoyed being able to spend each day with his best friends! The highlight of

his extracurricular activity has been being a part of the Football team for 3 years. Johnny will be studying Journalism in the future.



#### Lucas Cirlincione

Practice and determination have been Lucas' main focuses throughout his academic journey. He knew what he needed to accomplish to achieve his goals, and he always made sure he was progressing on his path. From 9th to 12th grade, his life has drastically changed for the better. Even through COVID,

Lucas was able to create many memories meeting new people and exploring more about himself. This time will remain a part of him forever—the good and the bad. Noteworthy accomplishments include being a National qualifier and academic All-American in gymnastics. He was also a two-time All County and Academic All-American for wrestling. Lucas is also proud to say that he has 200+ hours of community service.



#### **Maximilian Rentsch**

Whether it be studying for a difficult exam or getting ready for the upcoming basketball season, hard work has allowed Max to be successful. He has most enjoyed all of the opportunities that have been presented to him. Getting a great education while

being able to volunteer and play on sports teams has made his high school experience an enjoyable one! One of the highlights of Max's time here at HHS was making the Basketball playoffs in Senior year. The atmosphere at the games with all of their friends and fans cheering them on was an unforgettable experience! Max is planning to major in Marketing in the Fall.



#### Luke Rinaldi

The keys to Luke's success are simple ones: setting goals, challenging himself, and working hard. He has most enjoyed having the freedom to explore everything HHS has to offer both academically and extracurricularly. Highlights include travelling across the State with Marching Band and Robotics and

writing for The Dispatch. Luke is also the Class of 2022's Salutatorian! Luke will be studying Biology, Biomedical Engineering or Computer Science at college.



# Yanira Rivera Ronquillo

Yanira attributes hard work as the key to her success. She has put much time into her homework and knew it would pay off. Ever since she came to the US, she was determined to show others the talents within her. Believing in herself has been her motivation throughout her four years at HHS. Mr. Corcoran and Mr. Bruckbauer have been

inspirations in her life. They have taught her so many skills, and so much about life that she will cherish always. She also credits her other amazing teachers she has had at HHS, who have all believed in her. Cross Country has been an amazing experience for Yanira, she loves to run and forming strong friendships with her teammates. Another highlight for Yanira has been, helping out many students throughout her years at HHS, in doing so, she has learned so much. Yanira intends to major in Psychology and Criminology at Creighton University in the fall.



# Allison Quinn

Allison's key to success is staying on top of her work and never doubting her ability to succeed. She has most enjoyed being a part of Huntington's music program, which has provided her with countless opportunities and

resources. Noteworthy accomplishments include winning 1st place Individual Documentary at National History Day 2020. Allison was a SCMEA and LISFA Music Festival participant. She was a violinist in six different ensembles. Allison has not decided on her plans for the Fall.



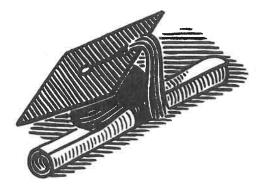
# Keylin Quintanilla Villalobos

Believing that anything is possible, being patient, and learning from others have attributed to Keylin's success. She recognizes that the more you learn, the more opportunities you will have. She is grateful for all of her amazing teachers who have supported her throughout her time at HHS. Keylin has most enjoyed the variety of after school

activities that she has participated in. Keylin serves as Vice-President in two clubs. She is most proud of helping at her church during the pandemic and being a member of four Honor Societies. Although Keylin has not yet decided on a college, she will be studying Education.



Kailey Rappel





# Caelan Clayton

The keys to Caelan's success are a strong work ethic and a great support system! She has most enjoyed spending 6 years on the Varsity Swim team, being in the Band and Pep Band, and taking AP Computer in its first year. Noteworthy accomplishments include All-County honors as a Senior and qualify-

ing for States in 100 fly. Caelan participated in SCMEA for French Horn in 10th grade and served as VP for the National English Honor Society. Caelan also served as Tutoring Coordinator for the National Honor Society. Caelan plans to major in Computer Science.



#### **Grace Colavecchio**

Grace has set herself up for success by realizing the importance of creating long and short term goals. She also credits her success to the strong relationships she has with her teachers. She has most enjoyed her Latin Internship with Ms. Fortunato. Grace considers being on the High-

steppers Kickline team as a major highlight of her extracurricular activity. She will be majoring in Political Science at Binghampton University in the Fall.



# Dylan Coleman

Dylan believes that working hard in all of his courses and participating in activities have been the keys to his success. He also credits guidance from his parents, teachers and counselors. Dylan has most enjoyed the thrill of playing a sport at Huntington. He has met in-

credible people throughout his experience that have made a huge impact on his life. He has learned things about himself that he never knew existed. He is proud of his effort with the Blue Devil Basketball team and making the playoffs for the first time since 2015! Dylan will be majoring in Business Management at Binghamton University in the Fall.



### Morgan Colleluori

Morgan owes her success to staying motivated and always working towards her goals, while keeping a good balance between her schoolwork and her social life. Morgan most enjoyed Homecoming events, being a part of Key Club, and

her Internship with Mrs. Krycinski this year. Highlights of her accomplishments include being Vice-President of Key Club, Secretary of the Latin Honor Society, Administrative Assistant for the National Honor Society, and a member of the Math, Social Studies, Science and English Honor Societies. Morgan is undecided about her plans for the Fall.



#### Olivia Conte

The key to Olivia's success was challenging herself with courses and her abilities in other aspects of high school. She knew that success isn't guaranteed, so she always worked hard to achieve her goals. She has most enjoyed making new friends

and getting to know her teachers. She liked participating in Track and having the opportunity to travel with her team. She also enjoyed Marching Band performances and competitions. Noteworthy accomplishments include getting solos in Colorguard and championship titles in Track and Field.



# **Sydney Cordeiro**

Sydney owes her success to quite a number of things; organization, time management, communication, immersion in school activities, sleeping 7-9 hours a night, and WATER! The aspects of her high school career she enjoyed the most include taking AP Physics & AP Chem in Senior year, being a Lab

Assistant for Mr. Van Bell, and participating in the musical (which enabled her to walk through the school in tap shoes)! Highlights of her extracurricular activities include 4 years of Varsity Swim, 3 years of Robotics, and 3 years of participating in the musicals. Accomplishments include being a certified, advanced open water scuba diver and diving the BDA triangle. She also had an Internship at the Bermuda Institute of Ocean Sciences. Sydney will major in Oceanic Engineering and minor in secondary teaching.



# **Ryan Porzio**

Ryan owes his success to his time management skills. Completing and handing in all assignments on time has helped him understand the curriculum better and aided in his success. Ryan has enjoyed building long lasting relationships with his peers and teachers. He stated that

he has learned so much in the past four years and credits the positive learning environment that HHS has provided him. Playing football and lacrosse all four years of high school has been a highlight for Ryan. He has also enjoyed Virtual Enterprise in his Senior year. Additionally, being an Officer for the Italian and National Honor Societies has been very important to him. Ryan will be studying Business Administration at Washington and Lee University.



### **Ainsley Proctor**

Ainsley credits her success to her amazingly supportive teachers that are always rooting for her success, as well as all of her friends that push her to do better! Ainsley has most enjoyed attending home Football games, going to Semi-finals with her Lacrosse team and Counties with

her Swim team. She has also enjoyed the new friendships she has made along the way. Highlights of Ainsley's extracurricular involvement include Captain of the Swim team, playing Varsity Lacrosse, being Vice-President of National Honor Society, coordinating the PS I Love You Day, Tutoring Coordinator for Math Honor Society, Attendance Officer for Key Club, and Natural Helpers. In addition, Ainsley is a proud member of many Honor Societies. Although she is currently undecided on a major, Ainsley will be attending Wake Forest University in the Fall.



#### **Carl Pulizzotto**

Carl owes his success to help and pressure from his peers, extra help sessions with his teachers, and using his Study Hall time wisely! He has most enjoyed "hands on" classes, such as Art and Wood Shop. Carl's noteworthy accomplishments include years of Scouting, which made him who he is today. He credits

playing Golf and Lacrosse for teaching him priorities and how to manage his time. Carl's intended major is Technical Education. He will attend SUNY Oswego in the Fall.



#### Lucas Petrizzi

Lucas believes that hard work has been the key to his success. While playing Varsity football and wrestling, he has learned a few things; one being that success doesn't come easy and another is that hard work is the best way to achieve success. What he has most enjoyed about high school has been socializing and building relationships. He

always liked walking the halls with friends. Making new friends either in class or on sports teams have been a highpoint for him. Highlights of Lucas' extracurricular involvement include playing Varsity football for the last three years and being Captain in Senior year. Another highlight has been Varsity wrestling all four years and being a Senior Captain. Although Lucas' college choice is currently undecided, he intends to major in Finance.



#### Tallulah Pitti

The key to Tallulah's success is organization and time management. Staying on top of her work is much easier when assignments are clearly laid out and ensures she is putting all of her effort into everything she does. The most enjoyable times were going to football games and Bonfire the night before Homecoming. She loved meeting new people

in her classes and sports. Noteworthy accomplishments include making it to the County Tournament for singles and being awarded All-County Honors in Tennis, and Captain of the Varsity Tennis team. Her Lacrosse team made it to the semi-finals and All-Tournament in Lacrosse. Tallulah is the Vice-President of the Interact Club, which participates in various community service projects. She will be majoring in Data Science.



# **Emily Plachta**

The key to Emily's success is credited to quite a few things; going the extra mile, character, late nights, amazing friends and wonderful family! She lives by advice from her Coach: "To be extraordinary, you have to put in that "extra"!" She has most enjoyed meeting new people and all the different and unique opportunities that Huntington offers, such as Environmental Engineering and Spanish culture and

language. Emily's most noteworthy accomplishments include Science National Honor Society President, All-League Conference and County Basketball player, All Division Conference and County Soccer player, 1,000 basketball career points, Math-Con alternate finalist, and Suffolk County All-Star Basketball Team Captain. Although Emily hasn't decided on a college yet, she will be majoring in Engineering.



#### Alec Cordeiro

Alec says the key to success is "Never doubt your work, even if the work you do is wrong. You can learn from it and evolve as an individual." He has most enjoyed the various science and math classes he has taken, as well as Latin, which has been enjoyable and helpful in all different school subjects. Alec's extracurricular involvement include

being a Huntington Robotics team member in 9th & 10th grade, and travelling throughout Scotland, Wales, Ireland and England with Mrs. Fortunato's Latin class. He was also a part of Columbia University, Summer Immersion: Physics & Special Relativity. Alec plans to major in Astrophysics/Applied Space Physics at Embry Riddle University.



#### Kianna Criscuola

Kianna credits her success to being curious and asking questions. Taking challenging classes that she is passionate about has given her the opportunity to learn about a variety of different areas. This, along with finding a balance between extracurricular and social life, has aided in her success. Kianna has most enjoyed her AP Bio, AP Envi-

ronmental Science and AP Drawing classes. Her internship with Mr. Cohen's Biology classes and Lab Assistant with Mrs. Byrnes have been highlights at HHS. Her extracurricular involvement include Varsity volleyball, Co-President of Natural Helpers and VP of Science National Honor Society. She is most proud of receiving the All County Academic Award for volleyball. Kianna intends to major in Environmental Science or Ecology.



#### Luca D'Anna

Luca believes the key to his success was befriending smart people! He has most enjoyed being a part of the Fencing team and participating in Science Research. The highlight of his extracurricular involve-

ment was being on the Fencing Team for 4 years. Noteworthy accomplishment was becoming the Captain! Luca plans to major in Coastal Environmental Studies at Stony Brook University.



# Rachel Deegan

The key to Rachel's success has been managing her time and schoolwork well and putting in lots of hard work. She has most enjoyed meeting new people throughout her high school career and growing as a person! Extracurricular highlights include

being a member of the Science National Honor Society as well as the National Honor Society. One noteworthy accomplishment was being a Scholar Athlete. Although Rachel has not yet chosen a college, she plans to major in Pre-Med in the future.



#### Nicolas DiPietro

The key to Nick's success is his unending drive! He has most enjoyed having the freedom to take high level electives as well as AP courses during his time at Huntington. Nick's greatest accomplishment during his high school career was the work he did with Buffalo Field

Campaign. He went to Montana to help conserve the bison and roam the mountains. Nick's intended major is Wildlife Ecology and Conservation Sciences at Washington State University.



#### Kevin Drake

The key to Kevin's success was definitely his teachers and all of his friends. His experience is owed to all of his peers who always made every day a great time! Kevin has most enjoyed playing sports and all his teammates

and coaches. His favorite classes were history and Mr. Malizia's physics class. Kevin's extracurricular involvements include playing baseball, basketball, golf and football for 2 years. He plans to major in Financial Economics in the future.



#### Jack O'Brien

Jack attributes his success throughout high school to hard work. He has always tried to find a healthy balance between out of school activities and his homework. Jack has enjoyed the wide variety of electives to choose from. This has helped him figure out what he is most interested in. Playing sports at Huntington has been a highlight for Jack.

One of his most memorable accomplishments is being an All-Division Lacrosse player. Other noteworthy accomplishments include HOBY Youth Leadership Program, Football All-Star Game, and Scholar Athlete Award. Jack will be majoring in Marketing at York College of PA.



#### Evan O'Connell

Evan believes that staying well versed with academics and creating a large support group of friends are the keys to his success. He has let his experiences shape him and has used many opportunities to learn about his strengths and weaknesses. Evan has enjoyed being a transfer student from NYC and seeing everyone's unique background. He

states that the support and experiences he has had here at HHS are hard to match compared to his other academic years. Evan was a DECA member in his former high school and gravitated toward Virtual Enterprise. He completed community service and was an Intern with an engineering department over the summer. He intends to major in Construction Engineering and Management at Virginia Tech.



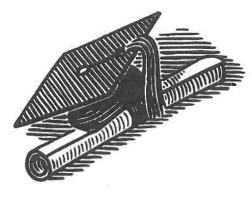
#### Caroline O'Rourke

The keys to Caroline's success are time management, organizing and prioritizing. She has most enjoyed the useful and engaging electives that Huntington offers and has found them to be very beneficial. The highlights of

her extracurricular involvement and noteworthy accomplishments include 4 years of Varsity Track, CEO of a nationally qualifying VE company, and being a member of the Science and National Honor Societies. Caroline will study Kinesiology and Pre-Physical Therapy in college.



**Allison Neber** 





Margo Nitekman

The key to Margo's success is managing her time and getting involved with clubs and extracurricular activities. She has most enjoyed building friendships with her classmates and growing up with them! Margo loved learning

about being a part of the business world through Virtual Enterprise. This experience potentially lead her to her intended major, Marketing. Margo will be attending college at the University of Pittsburgh.



Kiana Nosile

Kiana's motivation for success is her family and her future. Everything she accomplishes and wants to accomplish is to make herself, as well as her family, proud. She has most en-

joyed meeting new people and having the opportunity to interact with her teachers and school officials. She has especially enjoyed her track career! Noteworthy accomplishments include Pride Awards, Honor Rolls, and many other achievements. She is proud to continue her Spanish language extracurricular career. Kiana will be majoring in Criminal Justice at St. John's University in the Fall.



#### Zoe Dumas

Zoe credits the wonderful District teachers with helping her turn her effort and hard work into great success! The aspects of her high school career that were most enjoyable were being a part of two choral groups, Chamber Choir and A Cappella. Zoe feels Chamber Choir is like a family, and she made an important connection with Ms. Gar-

barino, who helped her conquer her fear of auditioning so she can do what she loves most; SING! She has most enjoyed A Cappella because of the many friends she has made. Extracurricular involvements include Key Club, Class of 2022, and being a member of the English, Italian, Tri-M, and National Honor Societies. Zoe will major in Elementary Education in the future.



**Finley Dunn** 

Building relationships with classmates and being there to lift each other up are the keys to Finley's high school success. She has most enjoyed special school events like Spirit Week and Homecoming throughout the years. Her most noteworthy accom-

plishment was being selected to have her photography displayed at the Huntington Arts Council. Although she has not chosen a college yet, she plans to major in Journalism.



#### Jennifer Escobar

The keys to Jennifer's success are her diligence, positive mindset, and most importantly, the support of her mom! She has most enjoyed having the opportunity to take classes that interest her and challenge her as a student.

Jennifer is a member of the Spanish, Math and English Honor Societies. She has been on the High Honor Roll for all 4 years of high school and was named a National Hispanic Scholar. Jennifer will major in Accounting at LIU Post.



# Naysa Escobar-Rizo

Naysa owes her success to her amazing teachers that have helped her throughout her school career. They gave her confidence and pushed her to be the best she could be. She most appreciates the support of her amazing family, especially her little brothers, Felipe and Lucas, along with Mr. Gilmor. Naysa prides herself on the 21 extracurricu-

lar activities that she has participated in. She has most enjoyed AWOD, Grandfriends, Natural Helpers, ETC, student teaching and volleyball. Naysa's noteworthy accomplishments branch from Virtual Enterprise where she placed top 10% in the Nation for the elevator pitch for Hometown, led the team to top 10 on Long Island and became a National Business Plan Competition qualifier, while also winning top 10% for the website design. Naysa intends to major in Business Management/Marketing.



# **Molly Fallon**

The great and supportive teachers at Huntington, who have always done their best to make themselves available for extra help, have definitely contributed to Molly's success. Meeting new people has made high school especially enjoyable! She feels that Huntington provided her with the opportunity to be a part of a community with a variety of students—which allowed for meeting many new people. Molly has

participated in numerous clubs and teams over the past 4 years that allowed her to explore different interests. Mock Trial, tennis, Honor Societies, Key Club, and more have all contributed to not only her success as a student, but as a person. She will be majoring in Marketing/Sports Management.



#### **Maria Flores**

Success has come to Maria because of the endless support from her friends, teachers and especially, her family, who she promised to make proud! That promise has driven her to succeed. Her science courses hold a special place in her heart and she has

always enjoyed the orchestra all throughout high school. Maria is especially proud of all the Pride Awards she has received. Noteworthy accomplishments include Honor Roll for the majority of her high school career. Although Maria's college choice is currently undecided, she intends to major in Bioscience.



#### Jason Mizwa

Jason credits hard work as well as balancing academics, social life and other obligations to achieve success. Jason transferred to Huntington at the beginning of Senior year and has formed close relationships—which makes him

happy! Highlights of Jason's extracurricular involvement include Art Honor Society, Women's Empowerment, GSA, and Et Cetera. He has also received High Honor Roll throughout his education. Jason will be attending SUNY Purchase and intends to pursue a degree in the Arts.



# Caitlin Murtagh

Hard work and determination have helped Caitlin succeed. Utilizing extra help and having good relationships with her teachers has played an important part in achieving her goals. Caitlin has most enjoyed Robotics, Chamber Choir, Key Club and Student Government at

HHS. She has really enjoyed her internship with Ms. Furman, along with her Virtual Enterprise experience Junior year with Poseidon. Highlights of her extracurricular involvement include Target Tour, K-Factor and her Internship for Sports Marketing. Noteworthy accomplishments include Pride Awards in multiple areas. Caitlin will be studying Marketing/Sports Marketing in the future.



#### Ella Naima

Ella is a person who refuses to settle! She has always been her own worst critic; pushing herself has led her to think differently and do things differently. Ella values the expe-

riences that she has learned from, which has helped her develop into the person she is today. Ella's noteworthy accomplishments include being President of the Art Honor Society and having her artwork displayed at the Huntington Arts Council. She is currently employed at Claytime—helping others express themselves through their creativity. Ella plans to major in Biology at the University of Florida.



# **Cameron McNulty**

Cameron's key to success is being a very driven student and striving to work hard. He appreciates his friends and family who have helped him all along the way. He also credits the many Huntington High School staff members that pushed him

to do better and have helped him throughout his high school career. His most note-worthy accomplishment was consistently being on the Honor Roll and High Honor Roll through all 4 years of high school. Cameron intends to study Business at Suffolk Community College for 2 years—then transfer to St. John's University for his Bachelor's Degree.



#### **Matthew Mead**

Matthew owes his success to his diligence and his ability to make the most of each class. He also credits the constant support of his teachers and friends. Matt has most enjoyed being a part of the Lacrosse program and Fencing Team. The opportunity to be around so many amazing people, making wonderful memories and taking life lessons from these experiences has been invaluable. The highlight of Matt's

extracurricular accomplishments include receiving All-League honors for fencing as well as placing 9th in the County finals. He is very proud to have received a Scholar Athlete Award. Matt will major in Accounting at Plymouth State University.



#### Matthew Minicozzi

Matthew believes the key to his success was staying on top of all his work, a strong work ethic, and feeling determined to succeed in every task he undertakes. He always kept in mind that his future would be impacted by everything he did. Matt enjoyed making friends and

having fun throughout high school. Becoming very social helped to build his character. Highlights of his extracurricular activities include being a member of the Italian and National Honor Societies. Noteworthy accomplishments are becoming an Eagle Scout, maintaining a high GPA, and being the Captain of the Varsity Tennis team. He is planning to major in Criminal Justice at St. John's University.



#### **Erik Flores Reyes**

The key to Erik's success has been hard work and motivation. He states that, as an immigrant, it has been hard for him to assimilate to a new school environment; but his dream is to achieve the best he can. Erik has learned so much from the challenges he has faced along the way. He knows that being kind and helping others is an

essential part of his success. Erik has most enjoyed being part of the Class of 2022. He loves being surrounded by such an awesome and diverse group of people and he has made a lifetime of memories. Highlights of his extracurricular involvement include being a Natural Helper, a member of United Amigos and the New World Club. He has learned that being a leader means being a friend who provides support. The Intern Program was an incredible experience for Erik because he was able to help a wonderful group of kids who were new to the Country. Erik intends to study Biology at Morrissey College of Arts and Sciences at Boston College.



#### Keira Francis

Keira owes her success to determination and grit! She also credits building relationships with faculty, staff and other students. The aspects of high school that she has enjoyed the most were Debate Club and serving as VP this year, the Freshman year Fashion Show, and developing friendships. Noteworthy accomplishments include placing in Regional and National competitions with Highsteppers and being

the Chief Business Officer of VE and placing Top 10 on Long Island and being Nationals Qualifiers. She is also proud to be a female Boy Scout and earning Life Rank, OA member, former SPL, and NYLT trained. Keira plans to major in Business/Marketing.



# **Alexander Frawley**

Alex says the key to his success was having great teachers and friends who help him work hard and push himself. He has most enjoyed meeting new people and taking classes he is interested in, such as Virtual Enterprise. Alex's

most noteworthy accomplishment was being the Captain of the Robotics Team for two years. They were able to successfully raise funds and build an award winning robot! Although he has not decided on a college yet, Alex plans to major in Finance and Computer Science.



# **Eudy Furcal Rodriguez**

Eudy owes his success to his family. They have always encouraged him to try as hard as he could in school so he could get the best grades possible. The wonderful teachers Eudy has had throughout his high school expe-

rience have made it truly enjoyable! Noteworthy accomplishments include multiple Pride Awards—proving that all his hard work paid off. Eudy intends to major in Mechanical Engineering in the future.



#### Madeleine Gabriel

Madeleine credits her success to her amazing, kind and caring teachers as well as her supportive family. She has most enjoyed getting to know her teachers on a more personal level and making new friends. Madeleine's noteworthy accomplishments include organizing K-

Factor since Freshman year and winning the cheesecake fundraiser for Habitat for Humanity two times! She will be studying Finance/Accounting in the future.



#### Aryanna Galloza

Aryanna says she used to be shy – but she believes that her effort to participate more in classes and asking for help when needed were the keys to her success! The parts of her high school career that were most enjoyable

were making new friends and being a lab assistant for her favorite teacher! Aryanna took 2 AP classes and picked different electives in order to help her figure out what she wants to do in her future. Her plans are to major in Criminal Justice or Business at Suffolk Community College.



# Sophia Matheus

The key to Sophia's success has been loving herself and appreciating who she has become over the past couple of years. She thanks her friends who stuck with her through this journey, as well as her sister for being supportive and inspirational! Sophia has most enjoyed meeting new people and having great teachers like Ms. Buchalter,

Ms. Blackburn, Ms. Quintero & Ms. Mo. They taught Sophia to be true to herself—and their influence allowed her to excel! Their lessons will stay with her forever. Sophia spent a lot of time interning and working with kids, teaching them the beauty of music. She enjoyed travelling to Germany and getting to perform lead roles and sing solos. The trip was life changing! Sophia will major in Sociology and Music at SUNY New Paltz or Fordham University at Rosehill Campus.



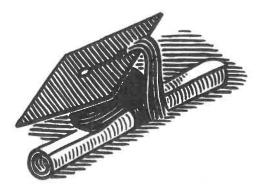
#### **Grace McCallion**

Grace owes her success to being goal-oriented; focusing on her future success and creating relationships with teachers and peers that will help better herself. She has most enjoyed being on the Varsity swim team and making new friends throughout high school. She will always cherish being able to see the people she loves every day. Watching the people that she has

known since elementary school grow into adults has been something she will always treasure. Although Grace had not yet decided on a college, her intended major is Nursing.



# Aidan McNulty





#### Sofia Marchetta

Time management and prioritizing her schoolwork and extracurricular commitments are what Sofia credits as the keys to her success! She has most enjoyed Science Research, Science Olympiad building season and study

sessions, LISEF and tutoring. Sofia's most noteworthy accomplishments include earning a Science Pride Award, AWOD trips and training sessions, Science National Honor Society plant sale prep, and playing Volleyball. She will be majoring in Pre-Med – Global Health & Health Policy in college.



# **Jake Marques**

Jake credits the support he received from his family, friends and teachers as the keys to his success. These are the ones that were there for him in good and bad times, when he needed it the most. Jake most enjoyed developing relationships with teachers and getting to know people

he never would have thought he'd get along with. His most noteworthy accomplishment was attaining Honor Roll in every quarter of his high school career. Jake is still undecided as to where his future will take him!



# John Marziliano

John's approach to success is being able to balance his school work with his social life and sports. He remains consistent no matter what is going on in his life. Keeping busy and forming great bonds with his

classmates has been an important part of that endeavor. John has most enjoyed playing football at Huntington, especially his Senior season. Making great friends throughout high school and forming special relationships with coaches has been a true highlight. A highpoint for John was being a starting Center on the Football team all four years of high school. Other noteworthy accomplishments include achieving High Honor Roll for all four years. John is also a proud member of Science, Math and National Honor Societies. John plans on majoring in Finance/Business.



#### Collin Garcia

The key to Collin's success was the help he received from some of his favorite teachers; Mr. Schwendemann, Ms. Morell, Ms. Biagi and Mr. Witt. The things he most enjoyed during his high school career were having classes with his friends, labs in science class, funny teachers, and not having much homework! The highlights of Collin's extracurricular

involvements include being a member of Key Club for 2 years, Track team for 5 years, and playing on the Football team for two years. Collin will attend SUNY Farmingdale in the fall and plans to major in Criminal Justice.



# **Enrrique Garcia**

Enrrique credits his success to his teachers and parents, who motivated him to keep going. Noticing their hard work and dedication towards his life made him realize that he needs to take advantage of this opportunity. He is grateful to have had teachers who are so passionate about their jobs. His most

enjoyable aspect of high school has been playing on the soccer team at Huntington. The highlight of Enrrique's extracurricular involvement was making the County Finals in soccer. Involvement with DECA has been a most enjoyable experience as well. Although Enrrique has not decided on a college as of yet, he will be majoring in Engineering.



# **Emily Geller**

The main contributor to Emily's success was finding a healthy balance between maintaining her grades and allowing herself to continue doing things she enjoys. She has enjoyed getting involved in the school and community, making new friends and becoming close with her teachers. Highlights of her extracurricular activities include

home football games, Homecoming, and spirit weeks. Noteworthy accomplishments were many; going undefeated in three Mock Trial seasons, winning Most-Valued Litigator and interning with Mr. Palacios at his immigration law firm. Emily also completed the Dual Language program, served as President of the National Honor Society, and received multiple NHD awards. She will major in Political Science in the fall.



# **Ashley Genao**

Ashley's family is her motivation to succeed. Their love and support, especially on her worst of days, lifted her up and helped her become the best version of herself! Ashley states

that she truly enjoyed all aspects of high school, but her most favorite was being a part of the Music Department. It is where she found a place that felt like home. She is honored to have been a part of many extracurricular activities at HHS. The highlights include Chamber Choir, Mock Trial, and volunteering at the Huntington Community First Aid Squad. Ashley will major in Political Science & Psychology and minor in Business.



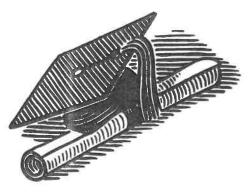
#### **Charles Girimonti**

Organizational and time management skills have been the keys to Charlie's success. Planning out how to accomplish the most in one day to the best of his ability leaves him proud of his work! He continually tries to improve from the day before. During his time at HHS, he has most enjoyed developing relationships with students outside of

an educational setting, teachers outside of the teaching period and coaches off the court. Among Charlie's noteworthy accomplishments are HFEE Youth Board Member, Mercy College Summer Business Program, Student Internship, Math Honor Society Treasurer, AP Scholar with Honors, three year Varsity basketball athlete, All Academic Varsity Basketball Award, and multiple Pride Awards. Charlie intend to Co-Major in Business Analytics and Economics at Villanova University.



Jacqueline Gonzalez-Alvarez





#### Jillian LoTurco

The ongoing support from her parents and teachers has been the key to Jillian's success. They have continually instilled in her the personal confidence that she needed to be successful in all aspects of her life. Jillian has enjoyed a variety of experiences that Huntington has provided, which has allowed her to make lifelong friendships. Those experiences include, traveling to Peru with Ms. Tedeschi and being a

part of the Huntington Highsteppers. One highlight for Jillian was advancing to Nationals with her Virtual Enterprise class as Chief of Human Resources. Mock Trial also provided many highlights as each of her four seasons, they were championship contenders. Jillian intends on majoring in Business at The University of Virginia.



# **Christopher Maichin**

The key to Christopher's success has been a continued drive to become a better version of himself. He strived to strengthen the relationships with those around him and always reminded himself that there's always something you don't know! Christopher enjoyed many aspects of his high school career; keeping old and making new friends, great relationships with teachers, interning with Ms. Desiderio. His

extracurricular involvement and noteworthy accomplishments encompass both academics and athletics. To name a few; Mock Trial Co-President, NHD Co-President, and SS Honor Society President. Christopher is also a proud member of the Spanish, Science, English, Math & National Honor Societies, VE and Mock Trial. He served as JV and Varsity Lacrosse Captain, was All-League Midfielder and the team were League Champs for the 2021 season. Christopher will major in Government at Colby College.



# Victoria Mangan

The key to Victoria's success is time management.
Throughout high school, she has learned to manage dancing competitively, two internships, a job, sports and clubs along with her school work. The most enjoyable

part of high school has been taking different courses in order to figure out what she wants to study in college. One of Victoria's noteworthy accomplishments was taking on two internships in the business world to prepare her for college. She will be majoring in Finance at Indiana University.



#### Liam Lennon

The key to Liam's success was taking advantage of all the outstanding academics, sports, and community service opportunities HUFSD has to offer. He most enjoyed Sports Management and Virtual Enterprise classes that focused on business. Liam also enjoyed going to the

County Finals with the Soccer team. His extracurricular involvements include Spanish and National Honor Societies, and joining Habitat for Humanity. Noteworthy accomplishments include Seal of Bi-Literacy and getting a World Language Pride Award. Liam will major in Business Management/International Business at SUNY Geneseo.



#### Harris Levinson

Harris says that the key to his success was having confidence in himself and a good mentality. He believes that if you get hung up on one bad grade, you will never progress! Harris most enjoyed seeing his friends, extracurricular activities, and the classes where everyone was dedicated and eager to learn.

His noteworthy accomplishments include qualifying for the National Championship for the EGF eSports Team in the club's inaugural year! Harris will be majoring in Data Science/Data Analytics.



#### Adrianna LoScalzo

Adrianna credits her success to her organizational skills. Being organized has allowed her to balance and manage her academics and extracurricular activities. She has most enjoyed the

wide variety of electives and extracurricular opportunities that Huntington provides which allow students to express themselves. Noteworthy accomplishments include, receiving High Honor Roll every quarter in high school and being the CFO of National Qualifying VE Firm. She is also a proud member of Math, Italian, and National Honor Societies. Although she has not yet decided on a college, Adrianna plans to study Accounting in the fall.

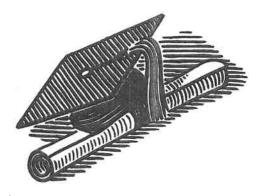


Lianette Gonzalez-Cortes





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Caroline Gorecki

The key to Caroline's success was building relationships with teachers and her peers. She believes that creating a comfortable environment can elevate your learning experience. She has most enjoyed the independence students are given in high school, and being able to choose her own extracurricular activi-

ties. One highlight was being on the Volleyball team for 4 years. Caroline is also proud to have served as a volunteer for Seasmart, a charity that advocates for the education of current ocean issues. This was a stepping stone to her choice to be a Marine Biologist. Caroline's intended major is Marine Sciences at Florida Atlantic University.



# Kevin Granados-Lopez

The key to Kevin's success has been his dedication to his work through all the years of high school. He makes sure to advocate for himself and to ask for help when he needs it. Kevin also makes an effort to

recognize and help others that are in need! His noteworthy accomplishments include being on the Honor Roll and a member of the National Honor Society.



#### **Theodore Gress**

The keys to Theodore's success have been paying attention in class, doing all his work, and listening to his teachers. He has most enjoyed meeting his class-

mates and seeing his friends succeed. Theodore was always happy to be able to help and support them. A noteworthy accomplishment was winning the Suffolk County Championship in baseball. Theodore will study Accounting in the future.



**Brooke Haas** 

The keys to Brooke's success were being surrounded by a positive friend group and all of her teachers. What she has enjoyed most was making many

memories with her friends. One of Brooke's noteworthy accomplishments was being on the Honor Roll. Brooke has not decided what she will major in come the Fall.



# **Matthew Lange**

Having a determined mindset with goals to achieve and consistent hard work have been the keys to Matthew's success. He has most enjoyed having the freedom to socialize with his friends and the outgoing staff. One of the highlights of Matt's

extracurricular involvement include participating in K-Factor and seeing the genuine joy on the childrens' faces! Another highlight was participating in the Intern Program and working one on one with Ms. Biagi. Matthew will study Finance in the future.



#### Jonathan Larice

Jonathan believes the key to his success is perseverance and repetition. He has most enjoyed the growth he has made, along with his peers, over the past 4 years. Highlights of Jonathan's extracurricular activities include

being a part of the Swim Team since 7th grade. A noteworthy accomplishment was placing 2nd at States in his Senior year. Jonathan will study Finance in the future.



# Sophie Laserson

The key to Sophie's success is to try as hard as she can, no matter how difficult the class is. No matter what, she always did the best job that she could possibly do. The most enjoyable

part of high school was growing more as a student—and gaining the responsibilities that came with it. As the responsibilities grew, the more mature she felt. What she could achieve seemed limitless! Highlights of her extracurricular activities include numerous community service projects through Key Club and the National Honor Society. A noteworthy accomplishment was being the CEO of Virtual Enterprise, which is something she'll never forget. Sophie will be majoring in Business Management at Boston University.



#### James Kretschmer

The key to success for James has been his willingness to ask for, and accept, help from peers and those around him. He states "They say it takes a village, and I'm glad to be proof that the village is there!" James has most enjoyed making new friends and finding out more about what the world has to offer. He is proud to have learned and

matured as an individual—and to have gained the trust of those around him. Noteworthy accomplishments include becoming the Fencing Captain, receiving multiple Pride Awards and maintaining High Honor Roll. James will major in Marine Biology at Nova Southeastern University.



#### Alexandra Kustera

Ally believes the key to her success is not being afraid to try new and unfamiliar things. She has truly enjoyed participating in the ESports video program and

being on the Fencing team. Ally's noteworthy accomplishments include being the Runner-Up Sabre County Champ for fencing and being a part of the UCLA Game Lab Summer Program. She will major in Interactive Entertainment & Simulation Sciences at USC.



#### Lauren Landolfi

The key to Lauren's success throughout high school has been figuring out her source of motivation. This was vital in order for her to remain on task, while keeping her spirits up throughout each year. Her most enjoyable part of high school has been music. Whether it be Marching

Band, Pit Orchestra, Wind Ensemble, Jazz Ensemble or just regular Band classes, music became the most enjoyable part of her time at HHS. Highlights of Lauren's extracurricular involvement include her time as a Section Leader within the Blue Devil Marching Band. This role gave her a great feeling of accomplishment and leadership throughout her final season of Marching Band. Other noteworthy accomplishments include her role as Secretary in Tri-M and Vice President of the HHS Band. Lauren will be majoring in Criminology and Cybersecurity at George Mason University.



#### Dianna Harris

Dianna owes her success to the support and help from her family, especially her mom. Her mom has sat with her through the scariest and hardest times of her life. She would not be standing here today without her. "I love you, Mama!"

Dianna has most enjoyed finding an amazing group of friends. Thank you to Sophia Matheus for being such an amazing figure in her life and for sticking with her until the end! Highlights of Dianna's extracurricular involvement include joining the Robotics Club freshman year, this was the foundation that set me on the course to a career in Robotics! Dianna will be majoring in Aerospace Engineering at University at Buffalo.



#### Sean Hassett

The key to Sean's success has been his selfmotivation and knowing what he wanted to do in the future. He has most enjoyed making friends and playing sports during his time at HHS. The high-

light of his extracurricular activity was playing on the Varsity tennis team for 4 years. Sean will be majoring in Sports Management at the University of South Carolina.



#### Samuel Hebert

Sam credits his success to the support of his family and friends. They have allowed him to grow as a person as well as a student. This, along with the help of his teachers, who have motivated and challenged him each and every day, has aided in this endeavor. Sam feels that the fac-

ulty and staff makes HHS unique from other schools. He has most enjoyed the wide variety of courses and electives that are available to choose from. These courses have helped him decide what he would like to do in the future. A highlight of his extracurricular involvement is Marching Band. Sam feels it is unlike any club or extracurricular activity in that everyone really becomes a family. Although Sam's college choice is currently undecided, he intends to major in Political Science.



# **Lauren Holly**

Lauren believes the key to her academic success was wanting to learn and understand more everyday. She also owes her success to a strong drive to do well and accomplish great things. Lauren has most loved all of her experiences with the Blue Devil Marching Band. It gave her many wonderful learning opportunities as a musician, a person, a

leader and a friend. She has never felt more welcome anywhere! Noteworthy accomplishments include Captain of the Varsity Field Hockey team, Section Leader of the Front Ensemble, and President of the Tri-M Honor Society. She feels lucky to have been a Natural Helper, and for being nominated and receiving many musical awards. Lauren will study Mathematics and Statistics in the future.



#### **Alexis Kaloudis**

Alexis credits her family, friends and teachers for her success. While being genuine and working hard is very important, Alexis always made sure to be interested in what she was learning. She has most enjoyed spending time with friends,

taking interesting classes and having excellent teachers. Noteworthy accomplishments include being Treasurer of the Key Club, President of the Latin Honor Society, and Dance Captain of the Drama Club. She also participated in Huntington Youth Writes and was an NHD award winner, a Girl Scout and a member of the Chamber Orchestra. Alexis is still undecided about her future plans.



# Jasjeet Kaur

Finding a balance between schoolwork and having fun has been the key to Jasjeet's success. Making meaningful connections between her favorite pastimes and schoolwork has contributed to this endeavor. Aspects of her high school career that she has enjoyed the most have been the staff at HHS,

friendships she has made along the way and engaging in classes and extracurricular activities. Highlights of Jasjeet's extracurricular involvement are participating in Marching Band and Drumline, playing softball and being friends with Erin Ye and Cassidy Casabona. Although Jasjeet has not decided on a college as of yet, she will major in Biology.



#### Shannon Kehoe

The keys to Shannon's success have been being able to balance schoolwork and extracurricular activities while still having an outside high school experience. Shannon's most favorite aspect of high school was playing on the volleyball team and being able to watch her friends grow and succeed in a sport that she loves. Noteworthy accomplishments include 1,149 career assists on Huntington's Volley-

ball team, Multiple All-League and All-County honors, Varsity Rookie of the Year, and Suffolk County Coaches Association Maura Stouter Award for Volleyball Passion. Shannon was an assistant with the METRO Special Olympics games, a High Honor Roll student and a member of the Irish National Volleyball team. While undecided on a major, Shannon will attend Canisius College in the Fall.



#### Noa Kimmelman

Noa credits her success to the support of her family and friends and her determination to improve herself for the future. She has most enjoyed being able to take part in charitable school events and watching the growth of her close friends and peers. Noa's most noteworthy accomplishments include being a member of multiple clubs

and honor societies which created events to bring joy to the school and the whole community. She will major in Management at the University of Delaware



#### Paul Knieriem

The key to Paul's success has been knowing when he needs to ask for help. He has most enjoyed getting to work with teachers that understand their students. The highlight of his extracurricular involve-

ment was being a part of the Varsity Lacrosse team. Paul intends to study Finance in the future.