

Quirk's Players seniors to be honored Saturday

Saturday's final performance of *Thoroughly Modern Millie* will also mark the end of the line for a group of talented senior performers as well as the presentation of the Jacalyn Stewart Memorial Award For Achievement in Musical Theatre. First established in 2004 in honor of the former G. Ray Bodley High School Principal, an avid supporter of the arts, the award is given annually to the top seniors in Quirk's Players.

Last year Brad Crofoot and newcomer Nikki Baker-Lanning were the recipients of this prestigious award, while Mitchell Lalik and Alexis Pawlewicz took home the honors in 2013. This year's winners will be announced during the intermission of the Saturday evening performance of *Thoroughly Modern Millie*.

Jacalyn Stewart Award Winners:

2004 - Mitchell Orkis & Kerri Caltabiano



Kassandra McCann and Nathan Deavers received the prestigious Jacalyn A. Stewart Memorial award in 2012 from Mrs. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Vinciquarra, left, and her son Glenn Stewart, right. This year's winners will be announced on Saturday night.

2005 - Joseph Clark & Julia Schroeder

2011 - Tommy Butler & Clarissa Bawarski

2006 - Alyse Fitzsimmons & Keith Cardinali

2012 - Nathan Deavers & Kassandra McCann

2007 - Amber Whelsky & Ryan Webb

2013 - Mitchell Lalik & Alexis Pawlewicz

2008 - Nicholas Pike & Sarah Arnold

2014 - Brad Crofoot & Nikki Baker-Lanning

2009 - Carmelito Deleon & Devon Niccoli

2010 - Travis Cowart & Silvana Castelluccio

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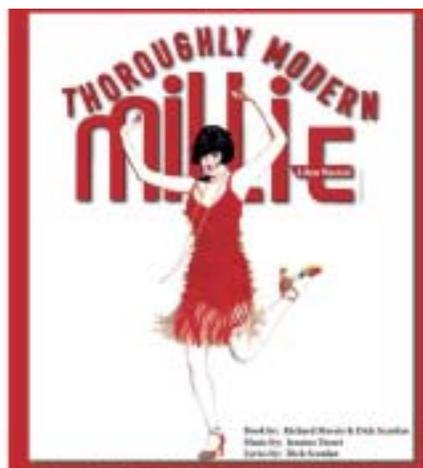
Meet the Cast: Thoroughly Modern Millie

Alex LaRock

This is Alex's fourth year as a Quirk's Player. She has starred in several productions such as *Damn Yankees*, *Hello Dolly* and *The Pink Panther*. She will take the stage this weekend as Miss Flannery, a tap dancing office worker at Sincere Trust. Her favorite part of *Thoroughly Modern Millie* is all the dancing.



It's showtime!



Quirk's Players

present:

Thoroughly
Modern Millie

Fri. March 6

@ 7:30 pm

Sat March 7

2 pm & 7:30 pm

GRB Auditorium

Opinion

The finish line is just ahead; don't stumble now

By Breanna St.Onge

It's crunch time for this year's graduates, and the members of the Class of 2015 are starting to get antsy. We all want our graduation to be here as soon as possible to get a chance to explore the world on our own and to have the best summer of our lives before we head out into the real world.

However, the most important time of the year is closer than we think. Finals, regents exams, projects that count for a huge part of our grades will soon be here and draining us of precious sleep and energy.

With the finish line now so clearly in sight, it is crucial not to lose track of what is important and for now, that is staying focused even with the excitement of graduation coming up.

Caps and gowns have been ordered, senior pictures are already to



prepare for our tests and our final projects will start being handed out.

We just have to hang in there for a few more months and then we'll have our reward. We'll all get our chance to walk across the stage and look back and can say to ourselves, we did it.

So hang in there seniors! Just 114 days until we all take our long awaited stroll across that big stage, shake everyone's hand and get our well deserved diplomas.

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printed in our 2014-2015 year books, and the senior dinner dance and trip are being planned. It is easy to get caught up in the chaos of it all, but too high of a percentage of our senior class has caught the second wave of senioritis that they may have missed in the beginning of the year.

It is time for us to buckle down, especially with spring break only a few weeks away, and when we come back it will all be review to

Easter Fact of the Day

The most popular color of peeps is yellow.



What's happening at G. Ray Bodley High School?

The **Senior Class** officers meet every Monday after school in room 125 and all seniors are welcome to attend.

Physicals for spring sports will be available today. Students are reminded to be on time for their appointments.

French Club, German Club and Spanish Club students are reminded that window painting and snow sculptures have been rescheduled for Tuesday, March 10 from 2:30-4 pm. Sign up with your LOTE teacher.

Any boys who missed sign-ups for **Outdoor track** should see Mr. Wasacz in room 101. Any girls who missed sign-ups should see Ms. Sharkey in the back gym.

For anyone interested in trying out for **JV or Varsity baseball**, please sign up with Mr. Tombs in room 233 during the day. He will also be in room 233 after school until 2:45 every day.

Anyone interested in playing **football in the fall** should come to an important meeting after school on Tuesday, March 10 in Mr. Rothrock's room 209.

A representative from **Cayuga Community College** will be in the guidance office on Friday, March 13 at 8:30 am to meet with interested students.

What's for lunch?

Today: Fish sticks with a roll, baked beans, broccoli and mixed fruit cup.

Monday: Cheeseburger on a bun with corn, carrots and chilled peaches.

Book now for the prom and dinner dance!

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In the News

Spring forward with a pair of new movies

With the upcoming spring ahead of the clocks on Saturday hopefully it helps to also spring these next two new movies being released this Friday to the top of the charts along with it.

Anyone can relate to this film because we have all had some form of unfinished business in our lives, as do the characters in the new film *Unfinished Business* which is coming out in theaters for the first time today. World known famous actors Vince Vaughn, Dave

Franco and James Marsden play the role of three businessmen whose work takes them on a trip to Europe. Unfortunately their travel goes disastrously wrong and takes a turn for the worst. This leaves them to decipher whether this business trip was for the better or worse for their small-business while they continue to attempt to patch together and close the largest business deal of



their career.

This film is rated R for those who are concerned due to acts of inappropriate language and behavior.

The next film takes the new spring ahead a little too literally and takes place in the future. With that being said *Chappie* is also being released today. The setting takes place in the future where technology flourishes and the government is able to create a mechanical police force. Now individuals who would normally fulfill the job do not have to put their lives at risk daily and the other positive side to having these new law enforcing machines was that they did not need sleep nor require to be paid in any way.

The negative side is that those who previously had the job are not pleased with being put out of work and will do what it takes to redeem their place in the work force as they were. One individual does so by taking one of the police droids and programming it to feel and think for himself. However when word of this gets out authorities see him as a threat and will stop at nothing to ensure that Chappie is the last of his kind. This film is also rated R due to graphic content and language.

Hopefully these films will jump right to the top of the charts and don't forget to set your clocks forward this upcoming weekend.

Compensate for the lost hour with these tips

It is everyone's favorite time of year again. This weekend it is time to set the clocks forward and lose an hour of sleep. Sounds fun, right? To most people, losing an hour of sleep is tragic. Here is how to get better rest at night, even after losing that hour.

1) Turn your electronics off

While it may seem like an unheard of concept, you will be able to sleep better at night without your phone buzzing or your television blaring. Technology is what keeps you awake at night. It prevents you from getting a deep rest. Cell phones are just such a distraction when it is bed time. The games, the texting, the social media it is all keeping you awake. Shut it off for a few hours. Trust me, you can handle it.

2) Get into something comfortable

It can be easy to fall asleep with jeans on after a long day. You will sleep much better if you are wearing comfortable clothing. Also, sleep in

your bed rather than on a couch or on the floor if you can help it. After all, it is the best place to be.

3) Stay awake from too many liquids in the evening

This one is pretty self-explanatory. More drinks equals more trips to the bathroom. Need I say more?

4) Take time to relax before bed

Read a book, take a warm bath, draw or do another activity that will calm you down before bed. Anything that relaxes you and gets your eyes tired is a good thing to do shortly before heading to bed.

5) Go easy on the naps

It is 100% okay to take a nap during the day every now and then. However, do not take them too close to your bedtime or for a really long period of time. While you may feel rested at the time, you will not be able to sleep at night and that will catch up with you the next day.

There you have it. It is going to be tough losing that hour this weekend. But just think: you will get it back

in November! Sweet dreams.

By Lexi Abelgore



Mark your calendar!

**Bodley's Got
T★LENT**

Wednesday, March 18,
6:30 pm GRB Auditorium

**The Red Raider Den
is now open for business!
stop by for a snack
during bells 8 and 9**

April Fact of the Day:

April 7th is No Housework Day.

On April 8, 1974 Henry "Hank" Aaron hit his 715 home run beating Babe Ruth's record.

Tech. talk

Self-driving cars could be headed our way soon

Just like our phones, cars are getting “smarter” as we head into the next few decades. Newer 2015 car and truck models already have a few futuristic element add-ons like auto stop fail safes, sensors for almost every part inside the car, and now mobile wifi. (I KNOW, RIGHT)

But what can this mean 20 or 30 years down the road? Well there are endless possibilities. Cars are becoming more and more hands free and self driving, but this can worry some drivers on whether it is all safe. Can a self drive car really be the future, or can it be an

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accident waiting to happen? Some estimate we may be able to own the self driving car during the year 2018, and google could be at the helm. In 2010, Google revealed that they had been working on a self-driving car After 300,000 testing miles later, Google now thinks that they will be able to bring self-driving technology to the market by 2018. Although Google is not the only company with this in mind, (other contenders are Toyota, Audi, and BMW) they are most likely going to sell the technology to car manufacturers.

This can only lead to more questions, like how complex is the technology needed to creating this? The Google self driving car is actually pretty simple. The car simply uses a combination of sensors like lasers, radar, and GPS, to get around. This allows the car to synthesizes all this data in real time. The cars “artificial intelligence” is used to make decisions while it is moving, but there are current draw backs.

For example because the car’s “eyes” can not register some elemental traffic objects, it can not register stop signs and traffic lights.

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The car also may not register any pedestrians on the roadways. The car can not compensate for weather hazards, which is bad. For example the weather could be a pure white out, and the car could not compensate for ice conditions and other drivers out on the roads. The car would be cruising down Route 48 into Fulton, following the speed limit to the dot on icy roads. This, of course, is obviously not safe and anyone who drives will agree. But with a few minor bugs here and there with the overall design of the car, they mostly will be hammered out before mass production. (...right?)

The bottom line is that cars are advancing into the new age and we as a group must choose to go with the tides of the metaphorical wave and embrace anything new because that is human nature. Do you think the idea of cars driving themselves and people is a good or bad thing? Do you think that the bugs in the self driving cars will be fixed before release, or will they be rushed to meet the demanding public?
By Jackson Truong

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Raider?”**



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Raider Sports

Raider bowlers take aim at NYS title this weekend

Most of the winter athletes at G. Ray Bodley High School have already turned their attention toward next season, or the upcoming spring campaigns. But for a select group of Red Raiders this weekend will bring a competition of the highest level.

The Section III Champion Fulton boys bowling team will hit the Lanes at Strike n' Spare in Mattydale on Saturday, looking for a shot at the NYSSPHSAA title, while Kendra Tryniski will take part in the girls team competition on Sunday.

Coach Mike Tryniski's boys ran away with the Section III title in early February, finishing some 467 pins ahead of runner-up Cicero-North Syracuse on the day. Kyle Denson, Shawn Walberger and Bailey Raponi all placed within the top 10 individually, with Denson finishing third with a 1256 pin showing while Walberger was fifth at 1247 and Raponi claimed eighth with a total of 1186 pins.

Also contributing to the victorious total were 12th place finisher Ryan Denson (1136) and Bryce Guernsey, (1115) who finished 18th in the field of 184 bowlers.

For Kendra Tryniski, Sunday marks her last appearance as a Red Raider bowler, and the Valpariso, Indiana bound senior hopes to make the most of it.

"I'm really happy that I made it in my senior year," the recent Channel 9 Athlete of the Week commented. "It's an honor as always and I know it's going to be really fun."

This will mark her third trip to the NYSSPHSA Championships, but her first as a member of the Section III All-Star team. In 2012 and 2013 she competed along as part of the Section III champion Red Raider girls teams. Last year her teammates Mikayla Guernsey and Kate Ely were both members of the overall championship side, so there will be a little more pressure on Sunday as Section III enter as the defending champions.

Guernsey, in fact, claimed first place honors on the day, and in so doing became the school's first bowler to finish that high at the NYS level.

Tryniski, who finished second overall in the recent Section III Tournament, qualified by virtue of a strong senior campaign that saw her record a 217 average. She is one of six girls competing for Section III, and the top five scores will be used to calculate the overall finals.

When she takes to the lanes on Sunday it will be within the familiar confines of Strike n' Spare Lanes in Mattydale, the same bowling alley that hosts all of the Section III and OHSL matches. She does not see this as a

distinct advantage, however, noting that there will be a different oil pattern than she is accustomed to, and the fact that, "Strike n' Spare is so big and they have so many bays, the lanes play a little bit different."

Track & field season about to commence

Although you certainly cannot tell from the weather outside, spring sports are almost underway at G. Ray Bodley High School and there are athletes all over who are ready to get their head in the game. Many of the sports have a lot of self-publicity, but one team that doesn't always get recognized is the boys and girls varsity track and field team. In the beginning of the season there are dozens of people who sign up and show up for the first week. But by the time the first few meets come around, the team numbers have dwindled.

Some meets we even have difficulties putting together relay teams for certain events.

Anyone boys interested in joining this fun filled team should pay a visit to Mr. Galek in the science department while girls should see Ms. Sharkey in the third gym to sign up.

In order to qualify to compete at the first, or any meet, you must have an up to date sports physical and at least 10-12 practices with the team, during which you are present the entire time and have completed the given workout.

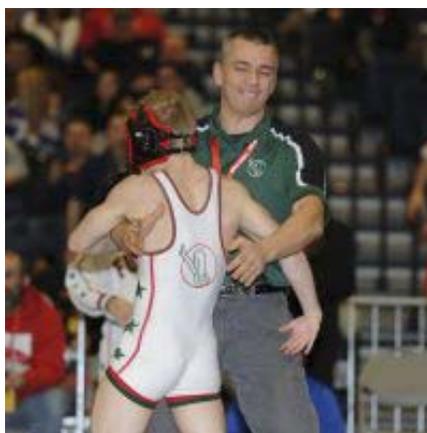
There are separate workouts for the distance runners, sprinters, jumpers, and throwers. Although, it is more beneficial for the team to attend all practices to best prepare for the meets and the events people will be competing in.

As with any team, unsportsmanlike conduct will not be tolerated and anyone exhibiting this type of behavior will be terminated immediately. It is unfair to those on the team who are willing to work their hardest and put forth their best effort when others on the team do not cooperate and take away from practice time. We ask as a team that if you or your friends are serious about this sport then to please work your hardest, show up to practice, and respect those around you.

When we all work together it is sure to be a great season and it is certain that all of us have the ability to improve our skills.

By Breanna St. Onge

Wrestling boss wins Coach of the Year honor



Varsity wrestling Coach Jeff Waldron, shown here with senior Joey Abalgore, was recently honored as the Coach of the Year for Division I. A longtime member of the Raider wrestling staff, Waldron led Fulton to the Section III Division I title at the recent championship meet. (photo from cny-wrestling.com)

Send us your pictures of the Red Raiders in action

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What did you think of the preview of *Thoroughly Moddern Millie*?



"It was pretty good."

Devon Russell



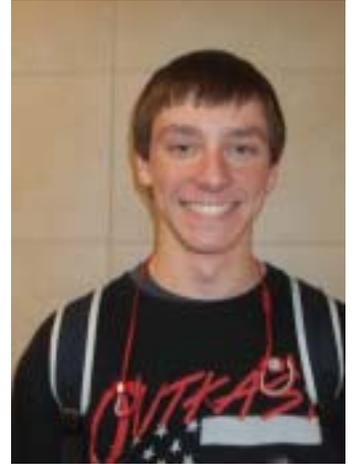
"I thought it was good."

Ashli Bartlett



"It was good. Kind of interesting."

Til Zamzow



"It was funny and unique."

Mike Welch

Meteorology and you

By Carson Metcalf



Today:



Cloudy. Chancesnow.

17°

Average: 39°
Record: 67° (1946)

Tonight:



Partly cloudy.

14°

Average: 22°
Record: -10° (1948)

Tomorrow:

Cloudy. Chance snow.

30°/25°

Average: 40°/22°
Rec. high/low: 64° (1973) -1° (1989)

Sunday:

Cloudy. Chance snow.

28°/24°

Average: 40°/22°
Record high/low: 71° (2000)/-6° (1984)

Former GRB student and current SUNY Oswego junior Carson Metcalf is an aspiring Meteorologist. Look for his daily weather forecasts for Fulton on RaiderNet Daily.