

Class of 2023 Commencement Program Utica High School

Processional*.....Utica High School Band**
Brett Bays, Instrumental Music Instructor

The National Anthem*.....Band and Audience**

Principal's Introductions and Remarks.....**Tim Youngblood**
Principal, Utica High School

Valedictorians and Salutatorians.....**Tim Youngblood**

Valedictory Address.....**Logan Davis**

Senior Speaker.....**Ava Cybulski**

Superintendent's Remarks.....**Robert S. Monroe**
Superintendent of Schools

Board of Education Remarks.....**Mary K. Thomas, Ph.D.**
President, Board of Education

Presentation of Diplomas.....**Board of Education**

Closing..... **Tim Youngblood**

Recessional*.....Utica High School Band**

**Please stand*

Valedictorians

Giovanna Agnello	Ryan Hall	Lauren McNair
Junain Ahmed	Karson Hanson	Renaldo Michil
Abriana Badalamenti	Bryce Harrison	Monica Nicovic
Nathan Berger	Sadie Heman	Rachel Nugent
Matthew Beutler	Megan Higley	Ashley Pittel
Marena Binishi	Elizabeth Hoff	Irkia Polus
Stefan Boskovic	Abby Holland	Alexander Rimac
Carter Burton	Natalie Jock	Anyia Rosenthal
Griffin Cargill	Bianca Kobylecki	Alysia Savaya
Salvatore Chirco	Carson Konczalski	Natalie Shtogrin
Ella Cooke	Stephanie Krete	Stavro Sulaka
Kiera Curran	Satchit Kulkarni	Laina Tomei
Ava Cybulski	Thaddeus Kustarz	Kayla Tuchowski
Logan Davis	Giang Ky	Mario Ulic
Emily DeClark	Sophia LaBrecque	Alaina Wasik
Olivia Donovan	Austin LeMerise	Sydney Watt
James Duff	Gabriella Lockaby	Sophia Wenzel
Brooke Eskew	Jack Malone	Isabella Yatooma

Salutatorians

Matthew Kavanagh
Laith Nassri
Lila Sapiano

Utica Community Schools Board of Education

Mary K. Thomas, Ph.D., President	Kimberly Becker, Trustee
Denyeal Nesovski, Vice President	Steven R. Meyer, Ph.D., Trustee
Michele Templeton, Treasurer	Machelle Fitzpatrick, Trustee
Kelli Rankin, Secretary	

Utica Community Schools Administration

Robert S. Monroe, Superintendent of Schools
Michael Bender, Ph.D., Chief of Staff
Mark Dziatczak, Assistant Superintendent for Teaching and Learning
John Graham, Assistant Superintendent for Auxiliary Services
William Holbrook, Assistant Superintendent for Business and Employee Services
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Mary Coughlin, Executive Administrator of Elementary Schools
Michele VanDeKerkhove, Executive Administrator of Elementary Schools

Utica High School Administration

Tim Youngblood, *Principal*
Jeremy Kranzo, *Associate Principal* Deborah Olson, *Associate Principal*

Utica High School Department Chair

Annemarie Carabelli, Counseling
Melissa Rice, CTE
Joel Kaczmarczyk, Fine Arts/P.E.
Linda Kammann, Foreign Language
Andrea Solomon, English
Tammy Hilliard, Mathematics
Bryant Sebastian, Science
Steve Haley, Social Studies
Jeannette Mikula, Special Education

Student Council Executive Board

Ava Cybulski, President
Emma Phillips, Vice President

Cluster Two Administrators

UCS Alternative Learning Center

Mark McLoughlin, *Program Administrator*

Eppler Junior High School

Gerard Pantano, *Principal*

Jennifer Vernon, *Assistant Principal*

Flickinger Elementary School

Patrick Zott, *Interim Principal*

Monfort Elementary School

Mary Beth Rizzo, *Principal*

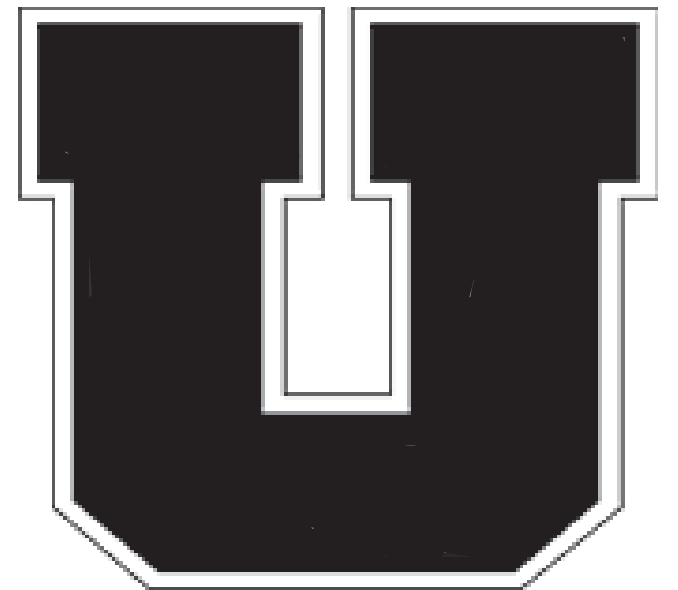
West Utica Elementary School

Alisanda Woods, Ph.D., *Principal*

Wiley Elementary School

Candice Merivirta, *Principal*

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Utica High School Commencement Ceremony



June 10, 2023
5:00p.m.

O'rena At Oakland University

Utica High School Class of 2023

iGeorge Edward Ackerly
Ashley Lauren Adams 8
Chesney Evelyn Aelaine Adams
Marilyn Raines Adams MCL
Giovanna Maria Agnello SCL 1 2 4 7
Junain Bari Ahmed SCL 1 2 4 7
April Anneliese Alexander
Tyler Nelson Ali
Salah Saif Alomar
Evan John Andrianos 4
Fawwaz Ayad Anees
Lucy Lynn Appleman 8
Marvin Jr. Arabo
Colin Daniel Arce
Samantha Marie Baber
Abriana Joy Badalamenti SCL 1 2 4
Michael Christian Bahoura MCL
Olivia Ruth Barel 8
Joseph Thomas Barney SCL
Cole Philip Belisle CL
Joshua William Bennett
Nathan Donald Berger SCL 1 2 4 5
Jenna Marie Bernardi
Matthew Robert Beutler SCL 1 2 4
Marena Binishi SCL 2 4 7
Sherin Mary Boby
Nicholas John Bosilkovski SCL
Ivona Boskovic SCL 4
Stefan Boskovic SCL 2 4
Lilian Grace Boucher MCL 4
James Acer Chao Bowman-Tomlinson
Tommie Lorenzo Boyd SCL
Kari Lynn Brawner
Jacob Philip Breninger CL 6
Zachary Louis Brimm MCL 1 4
Ethan Oliver Britton 6
Amaiah Leeanni Browder
Brianna Elizabeth Buckner
Jack Thomas Burnham 6
Carter James Burton SCL 1 2 4 5
Jacob William Bush McInerney
Jahzelle Marie Buyck
Grace Louise Buzenski MCL 4 6
Dominic Vincent Calandrino 5
Mayonna Elizabeth Cannon
Madelynn J. Cantrell MCL 4 6
Stephen Thomas Frank Capizzi 4 6
Kayla Rochel Carey 8
Kyle Montel Carey 8
Griffin Hollister Cargill SCL 1 2 4 7
Gianna Renee Caruso
Jacob Jeffrey Cesarz MCL 4 7
Saray Chavez
Adrian Alexander Chigo
Salvatore Gaspare Chirco SCL 1 2 9
Colin Stewart Cunningham Clark
Brooklyn Rose Coleman
Frank James Conniff CL
Ella Marie Cooke SCL 1 2 4 7
Cheyanne Lynn Cory
Ava Gene Cousino SCL 1 4 7
Ryan Joseph Cristoforo
Caden Philip Cross
Talan Quin Cullity
Christian Michael Cummings
Kiera Riley Curran SCL 1 2 4
Ava Breann Cybulski SCL 1 2 4 7
Olivia Susanne Czapski CL 4
Rachel Danielle Czarnecki
Lauren Michelle Daiek
Marcelino Wissam Dalliy
James Matthew Daniels CL
Brandon Paul Davis
Kurtis James Davis CL
Logan Michael Davis SCL 1 2 4 5
Keven Ernesto De La Cruz Ley CL
Emily Estelle DeClark SCL 1 2 5
Luca Agron Dedivanaj MCL
Youna Raad Dekhan MCL
Nico Rafaele DiCicco
Gracelynn Marie Dickow

Makenna Beverly Diem-Conlen
Tiarah Yasmene Dillard
Ava Elisa DiNoto
Alyssa Susan Divozzo
Olivia Reese Donovan SCL 2 4
Rebekkah Theora-Madeline Dorywalski MCL
James Clifford Duff SCL 2 4
Asher Joan Pansoy Dumoran SCL 1
Jeremiah Lashun Dunbar 8
Cameron David Dunning 6
Jordyn Marie Durkee MCL 4
Emma Maree Dusterhoft
Jacob William Duvall MCL
Dunya Eilia
Ella Marie Elliott
Marissa Ashlee Escalona
Brooke Elisabeth Eskew SCL 2 4 8
Morgan Shane Eskew MCL 7
Trevor James Essenmacher
Mario Abid Estefo
Lucas Bradley Fehn CL 4 5
Allison Victoria Felice
Austin Joseph Fertik SCL
Abby Mae Fifield SCL 1 4 7
Kase Owen Filipowicz
Alexis Marie Findley MCL 4
Jonathan Michael Fortman
Kyla Rae Foster CL 4
Drew Raymond Fromm
Brayden August Gabriel CL 8
Lana Mary Gamoura
Zoie Joslynn Garrett
Jacob Alexander Garrison
Christopher Sam Gatie MCL
Emanuela Gegovic 4
Douglas Paul Gettleson CL 4
Quinn Poder Gilkinson CL
Isabella Gjokaj
Paul Gjokaj 8
David Gjonaj SCL 1
Aneta Gligorov
Jaiden Andrew GoldsmithH
Dejalena Gonzalez
Abigail Eva Goodwine SCL 1 4 6
Dustin Graham Gordon CL 4
Alen Saad Gorgis
Athena Christine Gorney
Emily Elizabeth Gornicki
Michael Robert Greene SCL 8
Anthony Julian Guaresimo
Nathan Ronald Guty SCL 1
Daniel Raed Hakim
Ryan James Hall SCL 1 2 6
Jaydon Donovan Hannosh
Karson Riley Hanson SCL 1 2 4
Lindsay Marie Hanson
Aiden Scott Harmon CL
Mya Rae Harmon MCL 4 7
Bryce Patrick Harrison SCL 1 2
Mara Renee Harrison MCL 4
Morgan Elizabeth Harrison
Rebecca Lynn Hebel MCL
Sadie Lee Heman SCL 1 2
Valentina Hermiz CL
Megan Joy Higley SCL 1 2 4 5 7
Jacob Fredric Hill
Mina Hirmez
Elizabeth Mary Hoff SCL 1 2 4 6
Leah Anne Holden
Abby Rose Holland SCL 1 2 4
Kuvington Sebastian Chandler Holland
Alvaro Adeeb Hormez MCL 4
Rosemary Hormoz
Devis V Hotaj
Edwin Rayburn Howell V
Kadence Catelynn Huard MCL
Carson Anthony Humphries
Alexia Isaac Issa CL
Karen Isabel Ivezaj CL
Maria Lynn Jacklin
Fahad Sameer Slaiwa Jajana

Jenarvo Joseph Jarbo
Sydney Marie Jewell 8
Natalie Rae Jock SCL 1 2 4
Amanda Alexis Johannes
James David Johnson Jr
Lacie MacKay Johnson
Amaya Maria Jom
Adriana Juncaj SCL
Mark Layth Kachachi 6
Braeanne Jeanine Kaczynski
Fahad Firas Farooq Kakana
Jace Ryan Kanitza SCL 1 4 7
Toma T Kanna
Noah Aidan Kari
Madelyn Piper Karrandja SCL 1 4
Julia Rose Kass CL
Karmon Jalal Kattoula SCL 4
Matthew Scott Kavanagh SCL 3 4
Stacy Danielle Keehn MCL
Abigail Grace Keen MCL 4
Maryana Hadeer Khorga
Alexa Rosalee Kidd
Julien Jacob Kilburg
Lorianna Atheer Kiryakos
Tyler Adam Klena
Bianca Marie Kobylecki SCL 1 2 4 7
Carson Thomas Konczalski SCL 1 2 4
Alexander Josef Kopietz
Jadyn Kailey Korber CL 7
Brendan Matthew Kosanke
Katherine Anne Kotula SCL 4
Stephanie Kreste SCL 1 2 4 7
Aidan Patrick Krim MCL
Cameron Jacob Krim MCL
Kaelyn Marie Krim SCL
Ryan William Kruckeberg
Satchit Prasad Kulkarni SCL 1 2 4 5
Sara Eileen Kunch
Emily Marie Kunz
Thaddeus Walter Kustarz SCL 1 2 4
Giang Bao Ky SCL 1 2 4
Sophia Patricia LaBrecque SCL 1 2 4 7
Gavin Joseph Ladd
Anthony Thomas LaFave MCL
Zoey Joyce Lawrence 6
Isabel Hye-Joo Lee SCL 4
Austin Keith LeMerise SCL 2
Taylor Lyrese Leonard
Hunter Lee Leopold
Grant Edwin Levin
Kaiden Michael Levitski
Jacob Michael Lewis MCL 4 6
Mia Grace Lind 8
Gabriella Rose Lockaby SCL 1 2 7
Cristian Lopez Urioste
Ryley James-Lee Lord
Salvatore Giovanni Loria
Domenik Nik Lumaj
Conner Alexander MacKenzie
Ryan Philip Maiorana
Sanarya Ahmed Makki
Jessica Malaj
Jack Riley Malone SCL 1 2 4 9
Lora Maroun Mansour
Aleksander Trpko Markovski
Kristian Marku MCL
Gabrielle Zoja Marmiku
Valentina Mazin Marogi
Alejandro Martinez-Hernandez
Angela Rain Matthews MCL 4
Brynn Susanne Maude
Bradley Corbin Mayse MCL 1 4 7
Malik Brian McClain
Trent Reed McFarland CL 4 5
Tyler Jeffrey McGregor 4
Ema Marie McMillan 8
Lauren Christine McNair SCL 2 6
Hannah May McNicholl
Xitlali Medina-Munguia CL
Dean Anthony Melan MCL
Renaldo Michil SCL 1 2 4 7

Nicholas Milicaj
Aaron Jacob Mills
Ziara Leigh Mitchell
Lauren Alexandra Moffatt
Ryan Josef Mondello CL
Coltrane Robert Monteleone
Sarah Ann Monticciolo
Rachel Renee Montreuil
Bianca Rene Moore
Aidan Robert Morse
Warren George Mosley
Jenson Gregory Moss 5
Jenifer Muca CL 4 8
Stephanie Diana Muntean
Caleb Thomas Muraszewski CL 4
Nathan Namou
Laith Andrew Nassri SCL 1 3
Danielle Sue Neumann
Alan Phuc Nguyen MCL
Monica Rose Nicovic SCL 1 2 4 5
Nicholas James Niemyjski
Paulo Nikolli
Domanik Alexander Nikolovski CL 4
Charlee Christina Nowak MCL 4
Rachel Rae Nugent SCL 1 2 4
Angel Daniel Olah 6
Griffin Anthony Oleksinski
Katherine Joann O'Neill
Ronza Hazem Orah 8
Yousif Hazem Orah 8
Bryan Santiago Orellana Galarza
Antonino Orlando
Ryan Joseph Osinski
Katalina Jade Peters 4
Emma Grace Phillips CL 4
Daniel Jonathan Phinney
Megan Jane Pierce
Ashley Frances Pittel SCL 1 2 4 7
Gamarion Andrew Pitts
Ryan Charles Plante SCL
Brian Christopher Pogasic
Irkia Polus SCL 1 2 4
Alexander Rex Powell
Kiley Rashaun Powell
Alec Douglas Prange MCL 4
Eeman Iqbal Qureshi
Claudio Alexander Ramirez
Nadeen Mohammed Rashed SCL 1 4
Lauren Anne Redlin CL 4 7
Angelo Ismael Renteria
Joshua Lake Rhodes
Peter Davidovich Rich
Nathan James Richards
Makenna Grace Riggs MCL 4
Alexander Matthew Rimac SCL 1 2 4 5
Sydney Jo Rissman CL 4
Anthony Lorenzo Rodriguez
Owen Scott Rodziczak SCL 7
Hannah Lee Rogers
Shane Michael Romano
Anyia Ellen Linn Rosenthal SCL 2 4 6
Savannah Kay Ruiz
Jeffery David Russell
Jonathan Graham Russell SCL 5
Anthony Lorenzo Russo 6
Kenan Sabovic
Janna Louise Salera MCL 4 5 7
Jeremy Kale Salisbury
Chrestina N Samona
David Sanchez CL 4
Abbigal Marie Sanchez
Lila Kay Sapiiano SCL 1 3 4 7
Alysia Ava Savaya SCL 1 2 4
Marcellino Ziad Savaya
Veronica Rae Schick CL
Emma Kathryn Schmidt
Alyssa Marie Schott
Emma Faith Schroeder MCL
Savanah Grace Schroeder
Jack Robert Scope SCL 1
Alexia Rae Sebolka MCL 4

Connor Harold Selk
Sarah Renee Settimo
Hana Regina Shaba CL
Lara Haitham Shadda
Nara Haitham Shadda
Emma Rose Shafer
Mario Sinan Shakouri SCL 1
Ella K.D. Shammo
Alyssa Renee Shaw
Eevin Oday Alaa Shina
Joseph Khalid Show SCL 4
Natalie Rose Shtogrin SCL 1 2 4
Nathan Allan Silver
Amaya Andrea Simms
Michael Sinishtaj
Teuta Sinishtaj CL 1 4
Megan Sophia Skrzypczak MCL 4
Alexis Pauline Smith
Avery Joseph Smith
Ella Josephine Smith 6
Marlee Victoria Smith
Alyxa Jayda Sobak
Madison Elizabeth Sokolowski CL
Austin Robert Spitzbarth 8
Ryan Nathan Stachurski MCL 4 6 7
Brandon Lee Staton
Bryan Joseph Stefanski
Carter Michael Stephens
Eilonwy Kayla Stephens
Evan Thomas Stephens SCL 4
Ashley Marie Stoffregen
Ava Adriana Suffredini MCL 1 6
Stavro Sulaka SCL 1 2 4 7
Sean Ian Sheehan Sun
Victoria Diane Szeliga
Gillian Kim Tang MCL 4
Nevaeh Tanner
Dwayne Rnay Taylor Jr
Justin Robert Teper
Saman Firas Thabit
Brooklyn Grace Thibodeaux
Mary Katherine Thomas CL 4
Joy Elizabeth Thompson SCL 1
Jonathan Terrell Thorne 8
Laina Michelle Tomei SCL 1 2 4
Kayla Alyssa Tuchowski SCL 1 2 4
Ioana Maria Tudor SCL 1
Alexandra Marie Tur SCL 1 4
Maria Teresa Turner
Mario Ulic SCL 1 2
Sam Joseph Valenti
Savannah Marie Van Pamel CL 4
Meagan Nichole Verellen-Curtis MCL 4 7 8
Jordyn Kathleen VerHaeghe 8
Victoria Rose Viglione
Joseph Nicholas Vitale SCL 4
Nicole Reese Wagner
Sasha Dominique Walker
Raniah Sameer Wardi MCL
Michael David Waring MCL 4 6
Alaina Michelle Wasik SCL 1 2 4 7
Daniel Adam Waterstradt
Sydney Therese Watt SCL 1 2 4
Riley Jonathan Edward Weber
Cadin Joseph Weible
Carl John Weisgerber
Sophia Grace Wenzel SCL 1 2 4 7
Zachary Robert White
Abby Rose Williams MCL 4
Nicholas James Williams
Lillian Miette Winter
Alaina Michelle Wisswell
Nicholas James Wojciechowski CL
Robert Anthony Wojcik CL 8
Kaiden Michael Woodall
Elijah Andrew Woodall-Maniaci
Nathan Georg Wunschl
Courtnee Elizabeth Wyckhuys
Daniel Dale Yarrington CL
Isabella Mary Yatooma SCL 1 2 4 7
Milad Yono

Alison JoAnne Zakens MCL 4
Alexandra Toma Zetouna SCL 1 8
Pearla Toma Zetouna CL 1 8

Summa Cum Laude – SCL GPA 3.9 & Above
Magna Cum Laude – MCL GPA 3.7 - 3.89
Cum Laude – CL GPA 3.5 - 3.69

- 1 = UCS Advanced Placement Scholar
- 2 = Valedictorian
- 3 = Salutatorian
- 4 = National Honor Society
- 5 = Utica Center for Mathematics, Science and Technology
- 6 = Utica Center for Science and Industry
- 7 = UCS Seal of Global Language
- 8 = AVID Scholar
- 9 = Advanced Placement Capstone Diploma Candidate