CULINARY NEWSLETTER 2025



What's New?

This past month has been an exciting and productive time for our culinary program. We successfully concluded our Soup and Sandwich unit with a series of competitive and engaging pizza cook-offs in each session.Pizza Competition Pictures:





This month students will be working on our Eggs and Breakfast unit. With a focus on Egg preparation, Waffles, Pancakes, and Crepes.

Crepe Suzette



IMPORTANT DATES

Mon 3/4: Casimir Pulaski Day (No Wilco)

Thurs 3/13 : St. Patrick's Day Buffet

Mon 3/17: St. Patrick's Culinary Cafe and Bake sale

Tues 3/18: Counselor Luncheon

Thurs 3/20: Culinary Cafe

Fri 3/18: FCCLA State Culinary and Baking/Pastry competition at College of Dupage.

SPRING BREAK

Begins Mon March 31 and come back on Monday April 7th!

Have a great March



Recipe for Soda bread

Recipe in link below

Irish Soda Bread



<u>St. Patrick's Day Buffet</u> <u>Menu</u>



ENTREES Herb Roasted Chicken Corned beef Buttered Red Potatoes Bilistered Brussel Sprouts Roasted Carrots and Parsnips

> DESSERTS Mint Chocolate Torte



FCCLA baking and pastry students getting ready for regional competition.





FCCLA STATE COMPETITORS!

We would like to congratulate our FCCLA students that will be competing in state

> **State qualifiers** Ella Pawalk-Johnson: Lemont H.S. Culinary Arts

Jonathon Tantiwongse: Plainfield Central H.S. Culinary Arts

Elizabeth Block: Plainfield South H.S. Frosted Cakes Gold

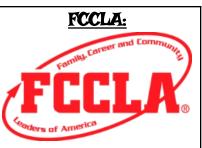
Danielle Atkins Romeoville H.S. Hospitality Gold Regional competition students that placed

> Christina D'Amico Plainfield South H.S. Charcuterie Board Silver

Gayden Perry Plainfield North H.S. Charcuterie Board Silver

Nia Locke Romeoville H.S. Cookie Decorating Sliver

Jason McKeough Lemont H.S. Cookie Decorating Bronze



For those of you with students on our competition team, there are a lot of practices scheduled this month.

Culinary state competition is this month, hosted by College of DuPage on March 28th, all day.

The state competition for all other categories takes place in Springfield from April 9th-11th. Student will be competing in the BOS center by the Abraham Lincoln hotel

