

HERKIMER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
EXTRACLASSROOM ACTIVITY FUND-CASH BASIS  
Year Ended June 30, 2021

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## INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Board of Education of the  
Herkimer Central School District:

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the Extraclassroom Activity Funds of the Herkimer Central School District as of June 30, 2021, which comprise the Statement of Assets and Fund Balance-Cash Basis and the related Statement of Cash Receipts and Disbursements-Cash Basis for the year then ended, and the related note to the financial statements.

### **Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements**

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with the cash basis of accounting described in Note 1. This includes determining that the cash basis of accounting is an acceptable basis for the preparation of the financial statements in the circumstances. Management is also responsible for the design, implementation, and maintenance of internal control relevant to the preparation and fair presentation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

### **Auditor's Responsibility**

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

## **Opinion**

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the assets and fund balance of the Extraclassroom Activity Funds of the Herkimer Central School District as of June 30, 2021, and its receipts and disbursements for the year then ended, in accordance with the basis of accounting as described in Note 1.

## **Basis of Accounting**

We draw attention to Note 1 of the financial statements, which describes the basis of accounting. The financial statements are prepared on the cash basis of accounting, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Our opinion is not modified with respect to that matter.

*Raymond G. Preusser, CPA, PC*

Claverack, New York  
September 7, 2021

HERKIMER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND FUND BALANCE-CASH BASIS  
June 30, 2021  
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ASSETS

Cash	<u>\$ 49,175.41</u>
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FUND BALANCE

Fund Balance	<u>\$ 49,175.41</u>
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See auditor's report. See note to financial statements.

HERKIMER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
STATEMENT OF CASH RECEIPTS AND DISBURSEMENTS-CASH BASIS  
Year ended June 30, 2021

Activities Per General Ledger	Balances 7/1/2020	Receipts	Disburse- ments	Balances 6/30/2021
Class of 2018	\$ 83.52	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 83.52
Class of 2019	0.53	-	-	0.53
Class of 2020	2,768.09	2,795.40	5,252.83	310.66
Class of 2021	4,619.16	2,721.90	4,585.99	2,755.07
Class of 2022	1,808.04	5,474.00	4,021.50	3,260.54
Class of 2023	1,104.29	4,514.00	2,046.67	3,571.62
Class of 2024	694.46	621.29	337.83	977.92
Class of 2025	969.66	-	-	969.66
Class of 2026	130.60	334.63	-	465.23
Class of 2027	-	538.00	-	538.00
Band	1,080.96	-	-	1,080.96
FCCLA	102.37	-	-	102.37
Garden Club	260.04	-	-	260.04
General Student Activity	40.11	2,871.00	200.00	2,711.11
Elementary-Student Council	1,593.61	-	(10.00)	1,603.61
Elementary-Yearbook	749.10	2,966.90	-	3,716.00
Elementary-Art	1,491.12	209.65	-	1,700.77
First Lego League	11,017.73	-	500.00	10,517.73
Friends of Rachel	33.00	-	-	33.00
HHS Outdoors Club	1,126.63	-	-	1,126.63
Gender Alliance	457.09	-	-	457.09
Language Club	740.55	-	25.00	715.55
MS Student Council	14.00	-	-	14.00
MS Yearbook	499.84	992.44	836.00	656.28
Model UN	9.88	-	-	9.88
National Honor Society	1,200.13	-	-	1,200.13
National Jr. Honor Society	2,188.84	-	178.50	2,010.34
Pep Club	691.98	-	56.00	635.98
Yearbook	11,647.09	7,004.68	15,521.78	3,129.99
SADD	102.16	-	-	102.16
Sales Tax Payable	318.26	435.83	458.95	295.14
Student Council	2,080.81	948.40	1,519.00	1,510.21
Student Council Service A	3,691.91	2,611.78	3,650.00	2,653.69
Totals	<u>\$ 53,315.56</u>	<u>\$ 35,039.90</u>	<u>\$ 39,180.05</u>	<u>\$ 49,175.41</u>

See auditor's report. See note to financial statements.

HERKIMER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
NOTE TO FINANCIAL STATEMENTS  
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1. Summary of Significant Accounting Policies:

The Extraclassroom Activity Fund of the District represents funds of the students of the district. The Board of Education exercises general oversight of these funds. The Extraclassroom Activity Fund is independent of the district with respect to its financial transactions, and the designation of student management. Separate financial statements are issued for the fund. The District also reports the fund in its financial statements, within the Fiduciary Fund.

The books and records of the Herkimer Central School District's Extraclassroom Activity Funds are maintained on the cash basis of accounting, which is a comprehensive basis of accounting other than generally accepted accounting principles. Under this basis of accounting, assets are increased when cash is received and decreased when cash is disbursed.

See auditor's report.

HERKIMER CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT  
AUDITOR'S FINDINGS AND EVALUATION

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Fundraising Activities:

All fundraising activities must have the written approval of the Building Principal before they can be undertaken. When any such activity is completed, be it a dance involving admissions or an actual fundraiser, the organization must submit a Profit and Loss Statement to the Central Treasurer showing the complete results of the event. In addition, during a fundraiser, the organization should maintain "tally sheets" whereby those turning in funds will be duly recorded to backup all deposits.

Currently, we noted that Profit and Loss Statements were not being prepared for all fundraisers. We recommend that this process be instituted as required by all clubs.

Inactive Clubs:

During our audit, we noted that several student activities were financially inactive during the year due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

We recommend a mid-year review just to verify that the activity is still active. If not, the remaining funds should be disposed of as prescribed by the Board of Education.

See auditor's report.