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2022 Bangor Area H. S. Graduation, Record Breaking \$47,500 in Scholarships



VALEDICTORIAN
Vincent Lin



SALUTATORIAN
Liliana Priestaf

By Michael Ortoski

BANGOR - Bangor Area High School held their graduation ceremony under threatening skies and umbrellas on Wednesday at Bangor Memorial Park. A new feature at the ceremony was a huge TV screen that showed highlights of the students senior year and featured each student as their name was called to receive their diploma.

Valedictorian of the class of 2022 was Vincent Lin Son of Hui Lin and Fangna Zhao, who Plans to attend the University of Pennsylvania to major in Mathematics and Computer Science. Salutatorian was Liliana Priestaf Daughter of Chris and Suzy Priestaf who plans to attend Georgetown University to major in English.

Commencement Speaker for the evening was Dr. Loretta Erdo. Dr. Erdo recently retired from a twenty-year teaching career as a high school English teacher with the last 17 years served in the Bangor Area School District. Dr. Erdo's tenure in the Bangor Area School District was spent teaching varied levels of American and British Literature at Bangor Area High School. Dr. Erdo received her Bachelor of Science degree in Secondary Education / English in 2001 and a Master's in Education as a Reading Specialist in 2006, both from East Stroudsburg University.



The night before graduation was for the first time for the 'Award Ceremony' where the Bangor Area School District Educational Foundation gave out all their scholarships. It was a Record Breaking night after \$47,500 in Scholarships were giving out to the Graduates.

Jocelyn Miller received the largest scholarship The Stewart & Virginia Wolf Memorial Scholarship at \$20,000. Allison Talero took home the second highest one the Portland High School Memorial Scholarship at \$16,000.

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East Bangor Police Dept. Receives \$3,500 for Body Cameras

By Michael Ortoski

EAST BANGOR - Waste Management delivered the 'Big Check' to Chief Mulligan of the East Bangor Borough Police Dept. for \$3,500 this past week.

"Body cameras in this day and time are a necessity in every police department said Mulligan, our old ones had battery issues."

"We are proud to support the safety of our local law enforcement" said Adrienne Fors Sr. Community Relations Specialist for Waste Management.

The event was held at the new location of the East Bangor Police office at 30 south high street East Bangor. Next on their list of needs are defibrillators, If you or a local business, group can fill this need please call Chief Mulligan at 610-588-8741.



Adrienne Fors WM, Chief Mulligan, Joe Statile WM

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