## **Brockport's Best**

## Coach Stepanek and the Brockport High School Boys

Varsity Swim Team not only had a very successful season, they demonstrated exceptional dignity and class when a rule prevented two of their best swimmers from competing in sectionals. Despite this unfortunate setback, the team went on to achieve an unbelievable level of success, including: winning the Division Championship, setting multiple pool records, second in NYS Tournament for all Public Schools, 4x200 Relay Team State Champions, and a new section V record!

High School Inclusive Education Teacher Dana Mallaber and his dog Libby are a certified Search and Rescue team that has participated in many missions. Libby, a black lab, was adopted by the Mallaber family 9 years ago from the Orleans County animal shelter. Dana and Libby were recognized by the Board for their work with students in which they demonstrate rescue techniques and the skills necessary for recovering a missing person.



## Mathletes Give Their Brains a Work-Out at All-Star Meet

rockport High School's Mathletes, the competitive math team, Bplaced second in their division at the St. John Fisher College All-Star Meet on March 3.

Mathletes is part of the Monroe County Math League (MCML) and the NYS Math League. Teams compete monthly within their division against various schools. Divisions are determined by both school size and past scores. This year, Brockport is part of the Euclid Division, comprised of 14 high schools from our area.

On average, Brockport High School sends 40-60 students between 9th and 12 grade to each monthly meet. Based on monthly scores and difficulty of questions, coaches then choose the top 15 students to go to the yearly All-Star Meet, which was at St. John Fisher on Tuesday, March 3rd. Participation is voluntary.

The All-Star Meet begins with a speaker from the math field or St. John Fisher College. The teams solve a 50-minute group problem, followed by a set of 10 group problems. After lunch, the students compete individually and as part of three-person relay teams. At the end of the day, all the problems are scored, students and schools are ranked, and awards are presented to winners.



This year's participating team included: Carolina Andriuta, Shaye Bartnick, Brytton Burnside, Michael Butenhof, Danielle Falkenstein, Brian Liebe, Matt Lewis, Eric Lucas, Alyssa Mahagen, Austin Mann, Karl McNulty, Jeremy Robinson, Neil Singh, Anthony Tintera, and Connor Wiest, plus our coaches: Jane Bowdler and Kathie Lawrenz.