

The Koziol News

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Wishing you the very best of holidays and the happiest New Year!

Merry Christmas from Bliss!



Bliss, NY

Another year goes by and we are ‘Christmasing’ from the land of Ice and Snow... Bliss.

This year has gone by fast we have been full of hockey on the field, in the street and on the ice. We have enjoyed family visits, trips to the lake and a vacation to Watkins Glen.

As for the world reopening continues to ebb and flow we have gone with the tide. Doing our best to have as much fun as we can along the way.

Maddie is working hard and is currently in all honors classes and has recently been nominated to join the National Honors Society. Maddie has happily

been able to rejoin the kindergarten classroom to help mom out from time to time. She will be on stage with a part in her favorite musical, *Mama Mia!*

Genevieve also has done well scholastically and has taken on field hockey as a forward. G has a part in *Mama Mia* and is looking forward to being on stage in the High School. Her antics on and off the field continue to entertain our family and innocent bystanders.

Callum continues to repair things around the house. He was very excited to get his own tool box and is always looking for something to work on. Last project was replacing all the fire alarms in the house. He works hard on creating obstacle courses and forts throughout the house.

Colton is always busy playing any sport he can. He loves to organize family soccer and field hockey games. He also takes great care of his kitty Sweets and can be seen including him in all that he does.

The family had a couple of new furbaby additions and it seems to get busier and busier as all the kids get more involved. Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to all!



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HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM THE KOZIOL FAMILY

Christmas Photos from 2021



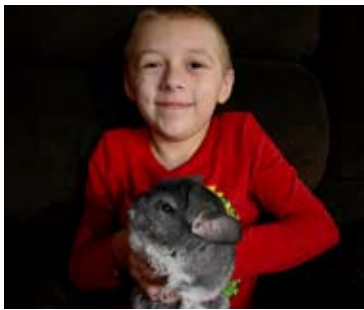
Sushi

A litter of kittens that we went to visit resulted in a new kitten for G affectionately named Sushi. G fell in love with this little furball right away. Sushi can be quite the loaner that loves to take small items out of the girls room and bring them downstairs to play with.



Snowflake

What is better than one kitten...why two of course! Snowflake was adopted along with her sister as a companion kitty for Maddie. When not climbing the christmas tree she can be seen cuddling with Sweets.



Chili Brown

Callum was excited to find a Chinchilla in his room! Callum loves Peanuts and quickly named the little guy Chili Brown. Callum loves to watch him take dust baths and takes such great care of his little pet.



EXPERIENCING NEW EXPERIENCES

Maddie the Brick Wall Koziol



Maddie continued her amazing career of field hockey prowess. Playing as a team captain and the backbone of the Pioneer Junior Varsity Field Hockey team she had a great season. Maddie is such a hard worker on the field and she takes so much pride in protecting her goalie. Starting the play from the Pioneer end of the field is something that Maddie doesn't give herself enough credit for. One of the things that is really great about Maddie is her skill at not only stopping the offense in their tracks but her ability to turn the play around, drive the ball up the field, and setup that first great pass to give the Panthers the opportunity to score. Maddie joins Varsity as a junior next year and will continue to be a Brick Wall on defense!

Genevieve Catches the Field Hockey Fever

Genevieve may not have come across as a hockey fanatic at first but when she picked up a field hockey stick she has not looked back. Genevieve has a tenacity for the sport that may rival Maddie! Good thing these young ladies are on the same side! Genevieve has found a place in the positions of wing and inner. She is light on her feet and drives hard to the ball never giving up on the play. Genevieve runs hard and is fast to find herself first back to the line and on the ball in key moments. She is still looking for her first goal but has made several key plays and achieved assists on goals during her debut season of Field Hockey.



Callum The Clear Cut Defense King



Callum when not slamming his stick on the ice or against the board can be heard chirping throughout the game. He is quick to signal no goal but even quicker to lift the puck out of harms way! Callum "Petey" Koziol is a stay at home defenseman that will hang back to stop that puck. He skates hard and drives back to send the puck back the other way. He has an uncanny ability to fire the puck right on the stick of his teammates. Petey has a possible future as the 'quarterback' for a powerplay or for sure always a great choice for the penalty kill. If he isn't clearing the puck he is cheering on his teammates and making sure everyone knows that he is on the ice.

Colton the GOALIE! Or a Center...Ok As Long As It's Hockey...

Colton takes the ice with authority. He wants the puck and he wants to score. Or he wants to stop the puck from crossing his goal line. Colton may have the most hockey fever in the Koziol family. He truly has the love of the game and doesn't care what position he is in. He is in it to win it! Colton has a determination to be the best at everything on the ice and is a very supportive teammate. He is smart on the play and makes great passes. He is by no means a puck hog and has potential to be a great playmaker with a scoring touch. Offensively Colton will be a danger any time he is on the ice. He just needs to figure out if he wants to spend the bulk of his career scoring goals or denying them.



THINGS THEY SAY...



Callum

Eye Doctor: "which is better two or three?"

Callum: "one!"

Colton

"On dasher...On Danskin...on Catscan..."

When seeing a deer crossing sign he states: "In two miles there is going to be a deer crossing the road"

"I'm such a smart Alex..."

"Why do we need masks I thought we were all Coronavalized"

Genevieve

"I don't say stupid stuff guys..."

Eye Doctor: "Do you have trouble seeing the board?"

Genevieve: "Not really unless small tall kids sit in front of me."

Maddie

Fact: "I don't eat under-the-sea food"

Do you know what a morman is? "A boy mermaid"



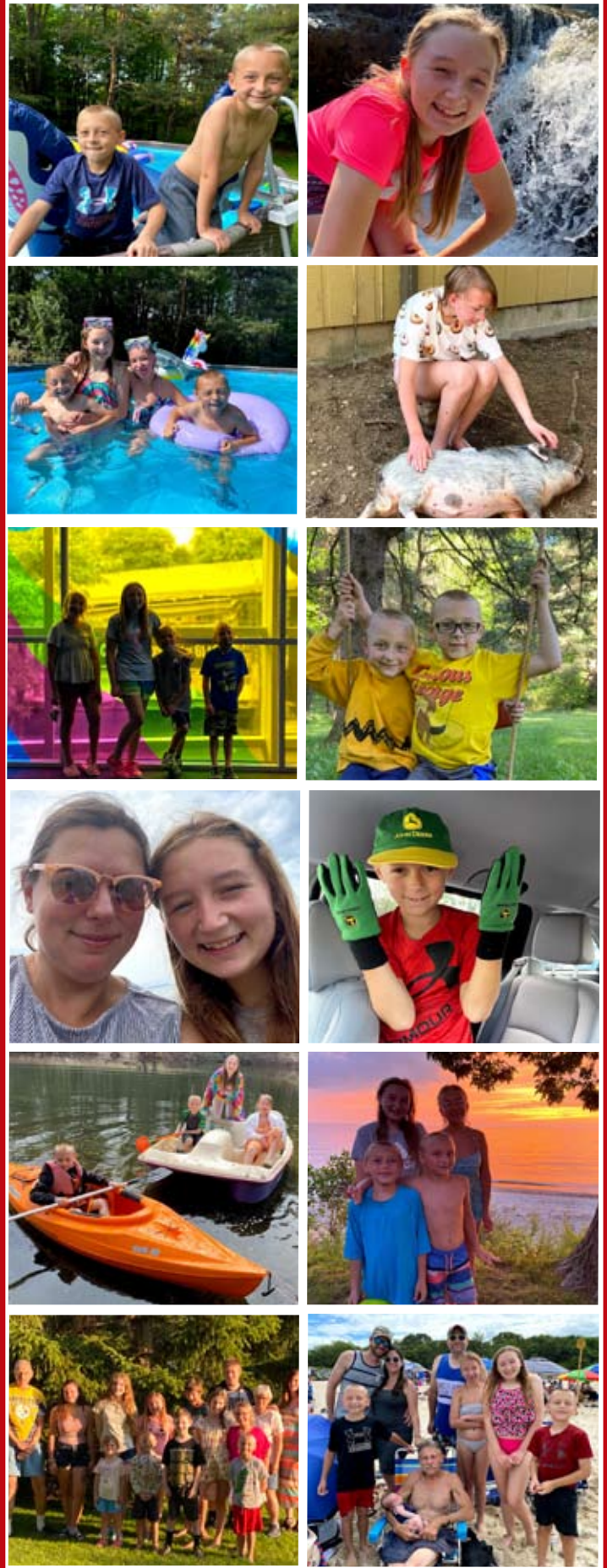
2021 PHOTOS OF THE KOZIOL FAMILY



AND EVEN MORE PHOTOS FROM 2021...



Missing Summer Days



OTHER KOZIOL FAMILY MOMENTS



Great Koziol Moments Caught On Camera In 2021!

