1. **STUDENT OF THE MONTH**

**ELIZABETHTOWN HIGH SCHOOL SARAH GREENWELL**

Sarah is driven, confident, open-minded, and insightful. She is extremely personable and has such a wide variety of interests and abilities that she cn work exceptionally well with any group of students. She was chosen last year as one of six students from EHS to participate in the Hardin County Youth Leadership program. This program is for select juniors in our county who demonstrate leadership potential. She was also a Governor’s Scholars participant this past summer. Sarah is a role model for her peers in terms of attitude, character, motivation, and responsibility.

**T.K. STONE MIDDLE SCHOOL AARON PRATHER**

When I think of hard work, determination, and dedication, I think of Aaron Prather. I have been fortunate this year to have Aaron in the classroom and on the football field. Aaron portrays these characteristics not some of the time but all of the time. Aaron works hard in his studies and on the field. Aaron is dedicated to the standards in my classroom of showing respect to all, being prepared and being positive. I recall one game on the football field that Aaron rallied the players around him at halftime in preparation for the next half. This is a characteristic that is seldom modeled by a middle school student. Aaron is a great example of determination. He is determined to be successful in the classroom, in the hallways, and on the field. I cannot think of another person who deserves this honor of student of the month at T.K. Stone. Submitted by Mr. Thad Elmore.

**HELMWOOD HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL ERIN McLANE**

Who is responsible, kind and has a positive attitude? If you guessed Erin McLane you are right! This article will let you in on some information about our friend and classmate who was chosen as student of the month for Helmwood Heights.

RESPONSIBLE ERIN: One thing we noticed about Erin is sheis responsible. One way Eris in responsible is she completes and turns in her homework. When our teacher gives us the homework, Erin takes the opportunity to complete it when she gets it. Another way Erin is responsible is when she borrows something she returns it. When we go to library she always turns her book in on time. We also noticed she uses the shelf marker to hold the book’s place. The thirs way Erin is responsible is keeping our classroom clean. She does that by picking up things from the floor even if she didn’t put it there. These are ways Erin is responsible.

THE KIND ONE: Another reason Erin won student of the month is of her kindness. One way Erin is kind is she uses her manners. If someone loans her something to use she always says thank you. Another way Erin is kind is if someone needs help on something, she will help them. Eris is a good speller, so she always helps a person out if they need it. The third way Eris in kind is at recess with little kids. If little ones ask her to play tag, Erin always plays with them. These are all explanations of Erin’s kindness.

MISS POSITIVE: Erin always has a positive attitude. Here are ways she shows us. Erin doesn’t argue with people. If our teacher asks her to pick up trash from the floor, she doesn’t talk back. She just picks it up. Another way Erin has a pobitive attitude is she listens and responds back in a kind manner. For example, all through the day Erin includes classmates in activities and conversations. The last way Erin has a positive attitude is with group work. If Erin is assigned a group, she doesn’t fuss about who is in her group. She has practiced that if she doesn’t have anything nice to say, she doesn’t say anything at all.

As you can see, Erin is a very good student because she sets examples and does the right thing even when the teacher isn’t looking. Erin shows responsibility, kindness and a positive attitude. These are reasons why we think Erin deserved student of the month! Written by Mrs. Hepner’s 5th grade class.

**MORNINGSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL MAC MEYER**

Mac is a 5th grade student in Mrs. Amanda Water’s homeroom class. Mac is a kind, respectful student. He gives all out effort at everything he does in school. Mac is an A/B student. He has a tremendous work ethic that drives him to never settle for anything less! He manages to keep excellent grades all while participating in a variety of sports and activities! He plays both basketball and soccer. As a 5th grader, he sets a great example for the younger students at Morningside by following the school’s guidelines for success each and every day. Mrs. Water’s states, “I am truly proud to have him in my class this year!”