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STUDENT OF THE MONTH



KNOX STEVENS

Knox,

Congrats on being named
Panther Academy's Student
of the Month!

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PANTHER ACADEMY



Mrs. Truitt and Mrs. Donahue nominated Knox Stevens because he models our Guidelines for Success in the following way:

Promotes responsibility: Knox is always ready for class, listening, and prepared for each day. He is one of the first students we see each morning in the gym, and he always follows morning procedures and is a positive role model for his friends.

Acts Respectfully: Knox always follows directions in every special area class, and any time you see him in the school building. His peers can look to Knox and know exactly what they should be doing without being told.

Works Cooperatively: Knox is always willing to work with anyone in a small group or as a partner without hesitation. His willingness to cooperate and the smile on his face are contagious!

Show Kindness: Having 24 of Knox in your classroom would be a teacher's dream! He is everyone's friend and a JOY to have each day! We know his kindness will carry on as he continues his education.

- K - Kindness that shines wherever he goes!
- N - Never afraid to stand up and do the right thing.
- O - One a kind, impossible to miss.
- X - EXemplifies our tradition of eXcellence!

These are the words that describe Knox and make him our choice of Student of the Month.

Mrs. Carla Kuhn, Principal



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MORNINGSIDE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

It is our pleasure to announce Kinslee Sweetenburg as Morningside's Student of the Month. She is a second grader in Mrs. Fowler's class.

Kinslee has a great attitude and tries her best at all times. She comes to school with a smile on her face and ready to learn. Kinslee has a great work ethic and never gives up even when things are difficult. Her hard work and determination have made her a role model to her classmates in the classroom and at Panther Place. Everyone looks to her for guidance and as an example because she follows the Guidelines for Success at all times. Kinslee is reliable and a helper to all. Because of this, Kinslee was given the job as Mrs. Fowler's assistant. Kinslee helps Mrs. Fowler in many ways. She often relays messages to the office, monitors the girl's bathroom and helps with supplies. Her assistance has been invaluable.

Kinslee is an excellent friend to everyone and has stepped up to be a mentor to the new students in the class. She took the initiative to include them in games during recess, sat with them during lunch and told all about the great things at Morningside.

Her ability to make good decisions and her thoughtfulness are a few reasons that make Kinslee so amazing.

When teachers were asked to describe Kinslee, they all said how kind and hard working she is.

Mrs. Paulsen wrote this: I'm so proud of Kinslee for receiving this honor. I have had the privilege of working with Kinslee the past two years and have always been impressed with how hard she works. I've watched her show grit when things are tough and work her way to understand new topics. Most of all, I love Kinslee's big heart and equally big smile!

Congratulations Kinslee, we are honored to present her with the Morningside May 2026 Student of the Month.

We are so proud of you.

Mrs. Heather Goodman, Principal



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*Congrats on being named
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ELIZABETHTOWN HIGH SCHOOL



CALEB CHAMBLISS

Caleb Chambliss is our EHS May Student of the Month. He is the son of Paul and Carla Chambliss. Caleb spent 3 years in Band at EHS. He is a member of the Student Y Club and FCS. His favorite memory of high school is the PBIS days that he got to spend with friends.

Caleb will be attending ECU in the fall. He plans to major in Criminal Justice and Forensic Psychology. His minor will be homeland security and fire arsenic explosion investigation

Caleb was able to get a jumpstart on his college degree by taking dual credit courses his Senior Year through ECU. He took Intro to Criminal Justice and Criminal Investigations.

Mr Silvia: Caleb is a hard working young man who deserves this recognition for his ability to prioritize his time to fulfill all of his collegiate academic goals while still being an active member of all Elizabethtown High School events. He has been a pleasure to work with as a Spanish student in my room, and it has been my honor to have been able to spend time with such a strong-willed young man, who knows that hard work and dedication to his craft will lead him towards more success in his future endeavors. Caleb, the best of luck to you in all and everyone of your future plans. I have no doubt that you will succeed in anything you set your mind to. Hasta pronto, señor Caleb. Buena suerte en todo.



Mr. Josh Henderson, Principal

Caleb,

Congrats on being named Elizabethtown High School's Student of the Month!

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GRIFFIN JOHNSON

Griffin,

Congrats on being named TK
Stone Middle School's
Student of the Month!

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T.K. STONE MIDDLE SCHOOL

Griffin Johnson is an excellent example of a true panther. He has a positive attitude, gives his best every day, and is kind to others. Griffin is a member of the track and field team and a Beta Club member. In his spare time he enjoys running, playing games and working out. He also enjoys art.

Griffin would one day like to attend the University of Michigan or an Ivy League school. He would eventually like to own his own business- maybe something in computers or technology.

Griffin's role models are his mom and dad, who have taught me to be kind and caring. He is looking forward to attending EHS and is interested in the pathways, particularly engineering and business.

Griffin has an excellent work ethic, respectful attitude, and is always willing to help a student who is struggling in class. Griffin has been an outstanding student to have in class this school year. - Mr. Conner

Griffin is the type of student that you wish you had 30 of in class. He always gives 110% effort. He asks questions, participates in class discussions and holds himself to a high standard. I have really enjoyed having Griffin in science this year! -Mr. Tefft

I have had the pleasure of getting to know Griffin over the last 3 years. He is a kind young man who encompasses everything a Panther should be. He has been an active member of BETA for 3 years, and is a straight A student. -Mr. Fisher

Mrs. Hope Janes, Principal



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ELLIE YATES

Ellie,

Congrats on being named
Helmwood Height Elementary
School's Student of the Month!

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HELMWOOD HEIGHTS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

I could not be more proud of Ellie for being the student of the month! She comes in every day ready to learn with the sweetest smile on her face! There will never be a time that she's not giving her best effort with her best attitude. Ellie shows kindness and respect in all of her interactions with peers and teachers. She follows directions quickly, listens carefully, and always participates thoughtfully in activities and class discussions. She shows integrity and is determined to do the right thing no matter if anyone is watching or not. Ellie truly leads by example in all that she does. Her work ethic and positivity are contagious to all those around her. She is seriously all of the good things wrapped up into one sweet student! Keep up the great work, Ellie! -Mrs. Sullivan

It is such a joy to celebrate Ellie as Student of the Month. I had the privilege of being her first-grade teacher, and even then, she stood out as a truly special student. Ellie consistently showed kindness, respect, and a genuine love for learning. She was the kind of student who quietly set an example for everyone around her—always ready to help a classmate, always doing her best, and always bringing a warm, positive spirit into the room. Seeing her continue to grow and be recognized now in second grade comes as no surprise at all. Ellie has always been a model student, and I am so proud of the person she is becoming. Congratulations! -Mrs. Stivers

Ellie Yates is one of the most amazing kids ever! At our school, we truly believe every child is special, and Ellie lives that out so well. She is wonderful at celebrating others and always looking out for those around her. She is a quiet force of calm, joy, and kindness, and wherever she goes, she spreads happiness with her smile.

Ellie is always ready to listen, follows expectations, and consistently goes above and beyond. Everyone around her is impacted by her actions and her steady, peaceful presence. What an incredible choice for Student of the Month. I cannot wait to see all the bright things in store for her in the future. It is our privilege to watch you grow and flourish!

Mrs. Ingram is so proud of you, Ellie!

-Mrs. Sara Ingram, Art Teacher

Mr. Aaron Howell, Principal

