## 2026 Fall Athlete of the Week

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**Week of 10/26/26**

**Core Value – Encouragement**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Polly Getman**

Polly is a strong encouragement to her teammates both on and off the court. Polly also had an amazing week leading the team in kills and helping them reach their goals.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Hannah Strandy**

Hannah celebrates her teammates and brings positivity to practices and games. Her enthusiasm and encouragement help create an uplifting atmosphere on the court.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Ruby Wibel**

Ruby is a team captain and leads by bringing energy to the court and communicating with her teammates. She also helps them stay motivated through both the challenges and successes of a game.

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Brodie Shamblin**

Brodie is always encouraging his teammates and is always one of the first to celebrate everyone's victories. He had a massive tackle on a deep kickoff return to keep the shutout against liberty.

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**LEVI DOLLAR**

The JV football player of the week is Levi Dollar. Levi's unfailing cheerful attitude is a constant source of encouragement for his team.

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Hannah Fish**

Hannah Fish has demonstrated all year long but in our last game she raised the level. I heard her multiple times in our game against Freeman encouraging our players to keep working hard and to play for each other. Her positive encouragement has been instrumental for our success this year.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Oliyad Boone**

Oliyad  brings energy, encouragement, and a positive attitude to our team. Whether he's cheering on his teammates, pushing through a tough workout, or showing up ready to work, he is a constant encouragement to everyone around him.

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Katie Claycomb**

Katie Claycomb has been one to show encouragement and push through all the challenges. She is kind and always encouraging to the ladies if ever feeling overwhelmed. Thank you Katie for all your kindness and love to all around you!

**Highlighted JH Varsity Girls Basketball Athlete of the Week:**

**Audrey McComack**

Audrey has shown so much encouragement going through the first week of practices! Audrey is always there to pass out a high five or fill up someone's cup while giving her all. I'm so excited to have you on this team!

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**Week of 10/18/26**

**Core Value – Learning / Growth**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Flora De Donato**

Flora has made tremendous improvement throughout the year, learning a new position as a middle blocker. She is someone who, from the start of the year until now, has improved 100%

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kysa Hatfield**

Kysa has shown tremendous growth in her skills and understanding of volleyball! Her confidence on the court has grown and she has developed into a stronger, more capable player.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Grace Benson**

Grace has continued to work hard at developing her skills, and one of our favorite moments was when all her hard work paid off and she accomplished first overhand serve in a game.  Amazing job, Grace!

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Noah Johns**

Noah or AKA "Papa Johns" has grown tremendously since he started with us in our program. Papa has learned the game of football and has become one of the most pivotal players on our team as well as one of the best offensive lineman in our league!

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Gabe Smock**

The player of the week for JV football is Lucas Grant. Lucas has done a great job learning and growing into his role as a quarterback and a leader.

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Avery White**

This year Avery has really stepped up and learned multiple positions. She has applied what she has learned and it is really paying off for her. She is so coachable and always willing to learn and improve.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Adam Ling**

Adam has grown so much this season, not only as an athlete but also in his understanding of himself and what he's capable of! He is always willing to listen to his coaches, learn new things, and explore what will help him continue to improve. It's been such a fun season having Adam on our team, and we're excited to see him continue to grow! Keep up the great work, Adam!

**Highlighted Girls HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Leora Bain**

Leora joined our team a little later in the season but came in with a fantastic attitude! She's worked through some knee pain while continuing to show a willingness to learn, improve, and work hard. We're so glad you joined the team, Leora! Keep up the great work!

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Katelyn Miles**

Katelyn Miles has continued to learn, grow and reflect improvement. She is determined to master all that she does within cheer and continues to show her hard work. Keep it up Katelyn you are doing a fabulous job.

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Geneva Lyerla**

Geneva has grown so much this season, discovering her ability and talent as a runner.  She has learned that with hard work and determination, she can

compete confidently and accomplish more than she may have thought possible.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kinsley Downey**

Kinsley has shown tremendous growth in her confidence, versatility, and willingness to step into whatever role her team needed. Although she is a strong server, she embraced a position that limited those opportunities and chose to work hard on her back-row skills, allowing her to transition confidently between opposite and back-row responsibilities by the end of the season. Her willingness to put the team's needs first, embrace challenges, and continually improve is a wonderful example of what it means to be a growing athlete and teammate!

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kassi Ithomitis**

Kassi faced discouragement early in the season, but instead of allowing it to hold her back, she chose to receive feedback, put in the work, and grow through it. Her growth became evident in the way she showed up at practices and games, with greater confidence, determination, and a willingness to keep improving. While her volleyball skills have grown, we are especially proud of the growth we've seen in her heart, hustle, and mindset!

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Madi Moore**

Madi has shown tremendous growth this season in her attitude, coachability, team spirit, and effort! As her mindset grew, so did her skills, and in our last two games, we saw her make quality serves over the net and contribute great passes on the court. We are so proud of the way she has embraced learning,

supported her teammates, and continued to grow as both a player and a teammate!

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Case Davis**

The JH player with the most growth this season is Case Davis! Case came into the season without a ton of experience, but every practice he consistently worked on what he needed to do. The last 3 games of the season he became a cornerstone for the defense!

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**Week of 10/5/26**

**Core Value – Respect**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kelsey Bell**

Kelsey is respected on and off the court. She was one of the leaders of our FCA huddle this past week, as well as being a leader on the court who her teammates respect.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Mercy Snediker**

Mercy demonstrates respect toward her coaches, team mates, and opponents with her strong positive attitude and actions. She always listens, encourages, and shows good sportsmanship on and off the court.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Elise Gelhausen**

Elise demonstrates respect through the way she listens, responds to coaching, and treats the people around her. She helps create a team environment where everyone feels valued.

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Braylon Comfort**

Braylon Comfort. Braylon has done an excellent job serving as captain this year on the football team. He treats everyone with respect and that respect is given back to him. He is also leading on the field, this past game against Colfax he had 9 catches for 178 yards and 2 TD's.

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Gabe Smock**

Gabe is a pleasure to coach. He takes instruction with a positive attitude. He always replies with a "Yes, Sir." When the players line up to thank coaches after practice and games, he looks coaches in the eyes so you really feel his respect and sincerity.

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Josie Stelly**

Josie has always shown respect to both her coaches and teammates. She shows kindness to all and appreciation for others through her words, actions, and attitude.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Ethan Henline**

Ethan consistently shows respect to his teammates and coaches. He had a challenging start to the season due to illness, but he continues to show up every day ready to work hard and give his best. Thank you for being a great example to others, Ethan! Keep up the great work!

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Allie Lease**

Allie Lease continues to grow and show tremendous respect not only to her peers but to her coaches as well. As a 2 year cheerleader she has grown and has gained confidence. Thank you Allie for your continued drive and respect to all!

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Maggie Claycomb**

Maggie demonstrates respect by listening to her coaches, following the workout, and being a positive teammate. She shows respect for her fellow runners and competitors, reminding us that how we treat others is just as important as how we race.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Remi West**

Remi consistently demonstrates respect for her coaches, teammates, and the game of volleyball. She listens with intention, receives instruction with humility, and approaches each opportunity with a willingness to learn and grow. Her quiet strength and respectful attitude make her a valuable example of what it means to be a great teammate.

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Tessa Towell**

Tessa demonstrates genuine respect through the way she listens, responds to coaching, and treats those around her. She values the effort it takes to improve and consistently approaches practices and games with a positive, teachable attitude. Her respect for her teammates, coaches, and the game itself is evident in the way she carries herself both on and off the court.

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Peyton Arthur**

Peyton demonstrates respect through her joyful attitude, willingness to learn, and genuine care for those around her. She always shows up with a smile, jumps right into whatever her coaches ask, and consistently encourages and lifts up her teammates. She also takes the initiative to communicate with her coaches, showing maturity, kindness, and respect both on and off the court.

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Teagen Crossley**

The player that has always shown respect this season has been Teagan Crossley. He will tackle another player then turn around and help him up. His hard work and respect he has shown this season is a great example to those around him.

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**Week of 10/5/26**

**Core Value – Spiritual Leadership**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Emi Bishop**

Emi is our player of the week for HS Volleyball for her leadership on and off the court. She is one of our Captains and has also helped lead one of our FCA huddles. She also is a true leader on the court with her actions and play.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Layla Malsom**

Layla shows spiritual leadership by leading with kindness and integrity both on and off the court. She encourages others through challenges and reflects her faith in the way she competes and supports those around her.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Elsie King**

Elsie leads by serving others, encouraging her teammates, and bringing a positive, team-first attitude to everything she does.

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Lucas Knight**

After every football game we pray with the opposing team and almost every time Lucas is the one that leads that prayer. Lucas does a great job leading in

prayer allowing for us to join in prayer and be a light to other schools and programs! Thank you, Lucas!

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Tucker Wheat**

Tucker works very hard day in and day out even through injury and disappointment. Looking forward to seeing him play full speed!

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Kaitlyn Graham**

Kaitlyn Graham, has demonstrated spiritual leadership with our team as a quiet leader who leads by example. Her and her family lost their home in the recent fires and Kaitlyn was sooo positive and uplifting and letting us know that God had a plan and a purpose for her situation.

**Highlighted HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Ian Wilkinson**

Ian brings strong spiritual leadership to the cross country team, encouraging his teammates through his faith, character, and commitment to supporting others. We are excited to watch him continue to chase his goals.

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Bethany Miles**

Bethany continues to work hard as a spiritual leader and serve all she is surrounded with. Not only has she shown tremendous spirit in cheer, she excels past school to the community. Thank you, Bethany, for your endless efforts and glorifying God in your adventures.

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Jaden Manuel**

Jaden demonstrates strong spiritual leadership by being quick to lead our team in prayer. He also shows a servant's heart by regularly asking how he can help.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Jolie Smith**

Jolie leads quietly through kindness, goodness, gentleness, and self-control. The way she carries herself, encourages others, and responds in both the highs and lows reflects her faith. She shows our team what Christlike leadership can look like both on and off the court.

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Ella Pounder**

Ella naturally stepped into the role of our team prayer warrior. She brings light, joy, and faith into every practice and game and is always willing to step up and pray for her teammates. She leads by example and shows what it means to be a faithful Crusader.

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Jillian Evans**

Jillian leads with a quiet faith, patience, and determination. She is one of the first to step up for pregame prayers or prayer requests that come up at practice. Her willingness to pray for and encourage her teammates is a beautiful example of spiritual leadership.

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Carl Williams**

Carl has been a leader on this team for 2 years. He is willing to play anywhere and serve his team whenever his number is called. He embodies what a Christian is supposed to be when it comes to team work.

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**Week of 9/28/26**

**Core Value – Determination**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Camille Greenup**

Cami leads our team in digs and shows tremendous determination in going for every ball. She is also determined to share her faith with others on our team.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Danielle Bussard**

Dani brings a strong work ethic and a determined mindset to every practice and game. She pushes through challenges, stays focused, and gives her best effort for herself and her teammates.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Clara Jones**

Clara has shown incredible determination this season as a first-year volleyball player, continually working hard to improve both on and off the court. Her willingness to keep learning, put in the effort, and push through challenges is something to be proud of!

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Adin Spuler**

Adin has done a great job leading our offense to a strong 45.6 PPG performance so far this season. His determination to succeed has led him to do

whatever it will take for us to succeed. Adin has done well at QB this year leading the team with 4 passing TD's in a big 55-6 win over Kettle Falls.

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Corban Benson**

Corban is an amazing young man and a great football player. He is extremely determined at TFL's and has the numbers to prove it! Great Job Corban!

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Claire Wichman**

Claire's willingness to keep working, competing, and pushing forward even when things don't go as planned is a great example to all her teammates. She continues to always work hard and set her goals high and does what she can to achieve those goals. Right now, scoring 200 goals for her career is within her grasps.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Nick Maksimov**

Nick is always working hard to improve, giving his best every day and at practice. His determination is consistently leading him to new PRs. This past weekend Nick took 5th place in the JV race, landing him a podium spot. We are so proud of you Nick!

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Brynlynn Sykes**

Brynlynn has shown determination in all she does. She has pushed herself to improve every time and really takes in what coaches say. Brynlynn has been such a wonderful addition to the cheer squad and always has an amazing smile!

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Lucas Robertson**

Lucas shows great determination by continuing to push forward, even when things get difficult. He never gives up and always finds a way to finish strong, setting a great example of perseverance and grit.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Ashlynn Gallagher**

Ashlynn comes to practice determined to become a stronger, more complete player. She seeks out reps, works through frustration, and keeps pushing when a skill challenges her. Her determination to keep learning and improving shows every time she steps on the court.

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Lucy Nelson**

Lucy is always looking for ways to improve and is determined to make every rep count. We constantly catch her squeezing in extra reps and working to apply what her coaches are teaching her. She doesn't just want to get better—she puts in the work to make it happen.

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Eden Goulet**

Eden is determined to push through when things feel hard. She fights for good passes, keeps working through frustrating skills, and doesn't give up when something doesn't come easily. She continues to show up, work hard, and grow for herself and her team.

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Eddie Sandall**

From last year to this year, Eddie has grown so much as a football player. He is determined to get better every day and determined to help his teammates on and off the field!

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**Week of 9/21/26**

**Core Value – Consistency**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Chlarice Carey**

Chlarice is the model of consistency. She is consistently our best server, having 14 aces this week alone. Chlarice is willing to do anything to help the team, including switching positions. Chlarice is one of our captains and is the heart and soul of our team.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kinsley Hagel**

Kinsley is a very reliable teammate and player, who consistently shows up to practice and games ready to put in effort and be there for her teammates. On and off the court, her team can always count on her.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Selah Boone**

Selah consistently comes ready to work and gives steady effort every practice and game. She can always be counted on to do her job, support her teammates, and give the team a dependable presence on the court.

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Hudson Somes**

Hudson shows up every day with an intentional attitude to how he goes about practice and games. We can always count on Hudson, not only to do his best, but to do it at a high level. This week Hudson had 13 carries for 210 Yards and 4 Touchdowns in a big 50-0 road win over Asotin this week.

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Callen Gallagher**

Callen has been extremely consistent in his performance and his behavior. He shows up every day and goes to work. Thank you for your hard work, Callen

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Abi Spuler**

Abi shows up every day to practice ready to train. She works hard and helps set the example of what it takes to get better. As coaches, we know what to expect from Abi every day, and so do her teammates. Abi demonstrates a consistent approach day in and day out, bringing the same focus, effort, and commitment to every training session.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Cody Manuel**

Cody has been very consistent this season, implementing zero hour training all season and pushing hard, moving up from JV to varsity. We can't wait to watch him continue to grow as an athlete!

**Highlighted Girls HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

## Nora Gelhausen

Nora demonstrates strong consistency as an athlete. She can be counted on to show up, put in the work, and approach training with a positive attitude. She understands that improvement comes from doing the little things well over time, not just having a great workout occasionally. Her steady effort and commitment have helped her continue to grow throughout the season.

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

## Grace Gustafson

Grace is our cheer captain this year. She has continued to display consistency throughout this season and for all the years she has cheered. She shows endless passion for cheer and the love of God. Thank you, Grace, for your consistency and leadership within cheer.

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

## Breckin Snediker

Breckin demonstrates consistency by showing up ready to run and giving his best effort at every practice. He can always be counted on to stay focused, work hard, and keep pushing himself. His steady effort is a great example of how consistency leads to growth.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

## Emily Greenup

Emily consistently brings a positive attitude and encouragement wherever her team needs her. Whether she's on the court, supporting from the sideline, or being asked to step into a different role, she shows up ready to contribute. Her teammates can count on her to put the team first and bring steady, positive energy.

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Cora Goodman**

Cora is a consistent anchor for her team. She owns her job on the court in both practices and games, and her teammates can count on the steady energy and effort she brings. She shows up ready to work, compete, and do her part every time.

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kaylee Thueringer**

Kaylee is consistent in her pursuit of growth. She is always eager to learn something new, asks how she can improve, and gives whatever her coaches ask her to try. Her desire to keep learning and growing shows up every practice!

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Evan Smock**

Evan works hard in every drill and every rep, each day. He is a consistent leader on the team, showing his dedication to his teammates and his love for the game.

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**Week of 9/14/26**

**Core Value – Heart**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Micah Wells**

Micah has the heart of a servant and showed it this past week. Besides playing great volleyball, she led our team in our team meeting, using what Peter said as

a lead-in to our tournament. She then had a great voice on and off the court all day.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Olivia Lyerla**

Olivia consistently plays and practices with heart, showing just how much, she enjoys the sport. She shows up early to practice helping set up and is a leader on the court for her teammates. She is always finding ways to improve her skills, too.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Ashley Johns**

Ashley brings a steady, positive attitude to our team and is always willing to step in and do what the team needs. She works hard, encourages, and leads by example.

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Aiden Indahl**

Aiden has served the team greatly as a captain this year, leading the defense and the offensive line to two big victories to start our Crusader season! Great job, Aiden!

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Brandt OLaughlin**

Brandt has a tremendous heart and comes to work every day at football practice! Thank you, Brandt, for being dedicated to getting better and competing hard. Looking forward to a great future!

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

**Rylie Rettedal**

Rylie has demonstrated so much heart this year already. She never gives up, and during conditioning she is always in the front or near the front of the line. She always sacrifices her own goals to make sure the goals of the team are met.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Ezra Armstrong**

Ezra genuinely cares for his teammates and is willing to do whatever it takes to help create a unified team dynamic. Even when he isn't "feeling it," he continues to push himself, setting a positive example for his teammates and showing his commitment to trusting the process.

**Highlighted Girls HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Madeline Robertson**

Madeline has such a tender heart and always cares so deeply for her teammates. She consistently pushes herself to be the best she can be and gives her very best effort in everything she does. Madeline is truly a joy to coach, and her kindness, dedication, and positive spirit make such a wonderful impact on her team.

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Bellincia Blair**

Bellincia has shown a tremendous heart for cheer. She demonstrates heart by striving for excellence and showing determination in all that she does. She is very caring, kindhearted, hardworking, and strives to glorify the Lord.

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Colin McGrew**

Colin shows an incredible heart by giving his best at every practice. In his first year of running, he just ran a personal best that was minutes faster than he

thought he could run, and that improvement is a great reflection of his hard work, perseverance, and determination. Colin consistently shows us what it means to run with heart and give everything you have.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Georgia Ernst**

Georgia carried her team with heart in our very first game. She is always willing to jump in wherever we need her, with a cheerful heart and the best attitude. It does not matter what the score is or what the drill is—Georgia is all in.

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Audrey McCornack**

Audrey studies the game and goes the extra mile whenever we ask her to take on a new role. She asks questions, wants to understand the "why," and is willing to try anything her coaches ask of her. She does it all with a smile on her face and a pep in her step.

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Norah Jenson**

Norah is eager to learn and never hesitates to jump in and try something new. She goes after every ball and is always listening for ways she can improve. Then she takes that feedback and tries repeatedly—that's heart!

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Miles Jackson**

Miles is a true leader for the JH football team. He genuinely cares for every teammate and wants to see everyone succeed. His heart is unmatched when it comes to work ethic and the desire to get better!

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**Week of 9/8/2026 -Core Value – Work Ethic**

**Highlighted HS Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Halle Grant**

Halle is always putting her best effort forward in all of our daily practices, and she had a great week at our Matches as well. She had 4 blocks and 7 kills. She is always trying to improve and works extremely hard in all areas.

**Highlighted HS JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Addy Snyder**

Addy demonstrates a strong work ethic by always giving her full effort during every practice and game. She takes advice on coaching and puts it into action. She always pushes herself to improve as a player and teammate.

**Highlighted HS C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Hannah Carr**

Hannah exemplifies our team's work ethic by consistently giving her best effort in every drill and never giving up when something is challenging. She listens to coaching, works to improve, and sets a wonderful example through her determination and consistency.

**Highlighted HS Varsity Football Athlete of the Week:**

## Jesse Pope

Jesse has worked hard all offseason getting bigger, stronger, and faster at zero hour. Jesse had a big impact on our big 42-28 road win over #4 Newport. Jesse had many big blocks that led to rushing touchdowns as well as a massive, tipped pass that turned into a turnover in the beginning of the 3rd quarter to pull away. Great job, Jesse!

**Highlighted HS JV Football Athlete of the Week:**

## Zach Glatzmaier

Zach is new to our school this year and has been a great addition to our football team. He shows up every day and works hard. He also recorded his first high school tackle at our Jamboree! Great Job Zach and we are thankful to have you as part of our team.

**Highlighted HS Girls Soccer Athlete of the Week:**

## Julianna Pope

Julianna has shown great work ethic this year. She consistently arrives early to training and sets a positive example for her teammates. Each week, she comes prepared to work hard, gives her best effort, and demonstrates what it means to be committed to improving.

**Highlighted Boys HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

## Patrick Duerr

Patrick came into this season with a lower run volume, but he has consistently approached every opportunity with a smart and hardworking mindset. He never complains, is highly coachable, and continues to put in the work to improve. We

are excited to watch Patrick continue to grow and develop as an athlete throughout this season.

**Highlighted Girls HS Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Arielle Manuel**

Arielle has been working hard to find her own rhythm and pace. She remains focused on the long-term outcome, and we're so excited to watch her season unfold.

**Highlighted Cheer Athlete of the Week:**

**Charlene Hertz**

Charlene has shown strong work ethic as she continues to reflect growth and determination throughout the season. She continues to push past obstacles even when hard. Keep it up Charlene!

**Highlighted JH Cross Country Athlete of the Week:**

**Emma White**

Emma consistently demonstrates a strong work ethic, always arriving on time and ready to put in the work. She approaches challenges with perseverance and a positive attitude, consistently giving her best effort without complaining.

**Highlighted JH Varsity Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Makenna Gallagher**

Makenna brings 110% to every practice. She is a versatile athlete who works hard, pushes her own limits, and gets after every ball. She leads by example through her effort and willingness to keep challenging herself. Her teammates

truly look up to her, and the work she puts in every day makes an impact on the entire team.

**Highlighted JH JV Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Hayden Schumacher**

As a swing player, Hayden puts in double the work each week—and she brings the same energy to both teams. She steps up as a leader with JV, then challenges herself to compete and learn alongside her Varsity teammates. Through it all, Hayden shows up with a pep in her step, a strong work ethic, and an eagerness to keep getting better.

**Highlighted JH C Volleyball Athlete of the Week:**

**Kennedy Bangle**

Kennedy is the definition of a hard worker. She is always hustling and is often the first one to jump in and get things done. Whether she's shagging balls without being asked or stepping up to try something new, Kennedy brings a teachable attitude and a genuine hunger to grow. She is willing to try anything her coaches ask and puts in the work to get better every day.

**Highlighted JH Football Athlete of the Week:**

**Reid Tibbetts**

The highlighted player of the week for JH football is Reid Tibbets. Reid's work ethic is an example to the rest of his team. Always the first one on the field and the last to get off. He always encourages his team mates to work hard every drill.