



Bradford

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Bradford Students of the Month



Lucas Nicholson - Nominated by Mrs. Angle



I would like to recognize Lucas Nicholson as my 5th grade student of the month. Lucas's drive to gain knowledge is very impressive. He is able to remain focused on the task at hand and he wants to do a great job while doing it. He is not afraid to ask questions, show his work, and takes the suggestions I offer to heart. He works hard everyday in the classroom and he worked extremely hard during our virtual days. Often, if he was stumped, he would message me and we had a private Google Meet so he understood the lesson. Most students just waited until we were back in session or gave up, but Lucas showed great perseverance. I am so proud of him and his work ethic. Lucas is very athletic as well. He is competitive on the playground and wants to win, but he does so appropriately and fairly. What impresses me most though is that instead of cutting others down, or not picking them for his team, he is willing to help others with their skills. My heart was so full when when I saw him try to help another student learn to catch a football. He demonstrated the motion it takes to make a catch. He then tossed the ball to him so he could be successful, getting farther away each time. Then, in the game situation, Lucas threw the ball to the student and it was caught for a touchdown. Lucas ran to congratulate the other student and the smiles seen were awesome! Lucas truly made that student's day. Lucas is an asset to the Bradford school system and his community. I can't wait to see his achievement in the years to come.

Damion Long - Nominated by Mrs. Unthank



I have had the pleasure of working with this student for the past two years. Times were not always easy, but Damion has matured into a wonderful young man. I can always count on him to try his very best on assignments and he is not afraid to ask questions. Damion can be found spending his extra time building up his AR points or working on math skills online. Even on rough days, Damion always welcomes me with a hug and kind words. My desk is full of kindnotes and pictures that Damion has given to me over the past two years. Damion is also the kind of classmate that is always willing to help others in the classroom - no matter who they are. If students are working on assignments during recess, Damion will openly offer to help his classmate. He even spent his extra money buying the whole class donuts as a special treat. I am certainly going to miss Damion when he moves onto middle school next year, but I am confident that he will do great things. Damion Long is an example of an exceptional Railroader.

Hayven Evans - Nominated by Mr. Schwieterman



I am pleased to recognize Hayven Evans as my choice for student of the month. Hayven has proven to be a pillar of excellence both in and out of the classroom. There is never any question that the work she does in class will not only be done on time but will be done with great effort and attention to detail. She follows the 5R's in the hallway and out on the playground.

Accompany this with the extracurricular activities she is involved with, including basketball, soccer, and student council, it is easy to see Hayven having a bright future ahead of her.

Hayven works incredibly hard in the classroom and is one of my first options to pair with a student if they need help. Hayven has taken on that responsibility and has done amazing things with it. Other students in the room become better students because of the leadership and help that Hayven can provide. I am incredibly blessed to have Hayven as part of my classroom family and am extremely excited to see where her future can take her. With her work ethic, drive, and positive attitude, the sky's the limit for a young lady like Hayven.

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Savannah Beachler - Mrs. Sneed

I would like to recognize sixth grader Savannah Beachler as Bradford's Student of the Month. Savannah is the daughter of Gareth and Athena Beachler. Her brothers are Aidan and Owen Beachler.

Savannah has earned a 4.0 in the first three quarters of her junior high career. She is a hard worker, and she will do anything that is asked of her. Savannah completes her work on-time, and it is always very well thought out and detailed. She will even complete an extra credit assignment, knowing that she doesn't even need the extra credit to help her grade. Savannah is also always willing to help a struggling classmate, and she often offers to help me with tasks of my own.

Savannah is a member of the Odds 'N Ends 4-H Club and Bradford's Student Council. She plays basketball and runs cross country. In her free time, Savannah enjoys drawing, painting, and making crafts. She also likes walking and running through the woods. After high school, Savannah would like to go to college and pursue a degree in Architecture or Interior Design.

Savannah is such a genuine individual, and I am lucky to have her in my classes. She's a terrific role model to her classmates, and the world needs more people just like her. Savannah, congratulations on being named Bradford's Student of the Month. Congratulations Savannah!

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Tegan Canan - Mr. Snyder



I'd like to recognize freshman Tegan Canan as one of Bradford's outstanding students. Tegan is one of the most positive students I have, and has been this way for as long as I've had her in my classes. I have never seen her be negative, and her outlook on school, life, and adversity is admirable. She is kind to her peers, encouraging in class, and has gone out of her way to compliment others. Tegan is without a doubt a role model to many in our district, and her character does not go unnoticed. Congratulations Tegan!

Staff Recognition

Nic Baumer



Mr. Baumer was selected by his colleagues as the 2021 Darke County Teacher of the Year. Mr. Baumer began reviving the Bradford FFA program 5 years ago as part of our partnership with the Upper Valley Career Center. Mr. Baumer has found creative ways to make his class material engaging, helping build his program to where it is today. Mr. Baumer has gained the respect of students by treating them fairly, setting high expectations and teaching them the fundamentals of agriculture through his classes, labs, CDE events, and other activities. He has also earned their respect and admiration by serving as a role model for his students and always having their best interests in mind.

Mr. Baumer has a positive relationship with colleagues and has earned their respect as well. He regularly collaborates with other teachers and school staff and also takes on positions of leadership within the school, such as leading professional development sessions, and working with the district leadership team. We thank Mr. Baumer for all his hard work, commitment, and contribution to the Bradford school district and community.

State Powerlifting Champions

CHAMPIONS

Ashlyn Kaiser 610lbs

Macy Bubeck 640lbs

Skipp Miller 825lbs

Courtney Monnin 665lbs

Ethan Saunders 1005lbs

Keaton Mead 1085lbs

2nd PLACE

Aliviyah Boggs 645lbs

Jenna Shellabarger 590lbs

Belle Burgett 590lbs



3rd PLACE

Zoe Brewer 575lbs

Dylan Mitchell 1060lbs

Garrett Trevino 845lbs

Ben Kitts 970lbs

First Championship for the girls since 2001!

The six individuals bring our tally up to fifty
total state champions since 1990.

Farm Fun in Kindergarten



Wall of Fame by the 5th Grade



Kindergarten Screening and Saying Good -Bye to 5th Grade



Athletic Updates

- **Baseball Played at DayAir Ballpark 4/18**
- **SB playing MV, HS Track @ Miami Co. Meet today**
- **SB/BB @ Newton 4/22**
- **SB v Houston, HS Track @ Ansonia 4/23**
- **JH Track @ FM, JV SB v NT 4/24**

Entire coaching staff is currently working together to host an “All Sports Camp” this June for students entering grades 3-6

Upcoming Events

- **5/1 - Prom**
 - **5/28 - Senior Breakfast/Last Day for Seniors**
 - **5/29 - Graduation**
 - **6/2 Field Day for Elementary Students**
 - **6/3- Awards Day for Elementary Students**
 - **6/3 Kindergarten Graduation**
 - **6/3 - Last Day for Students**
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