

Middle School Student of the Month

April 2018

8th Grade: Jessica Olson

Parents: Stacie and Andy Olson

Why selected as April Student of the Month:

- Works hard and always strives to do her best.
- Consistently perseveres through each situation until successful.
- Gets along well with others.

Activities: Jess enjoys doing track, volleyball, horseback riding, drawing, cross-country and reading.



What Jessica most likes about Gar-Pal Middle School:

“What I most like about Gar-Pal Middle School is that it is a small school, so the teachers are able to give more one-on-one attention.”

Role Model:

“My mom is my role model because she followed what she excelled at and started her own business. My mom inspires me to always try new things and to be positive no matter what.”

Quote: “The more that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you’ll go.”

Dr. Seuss

Future Plans: “I would like to get good grades throughout high school and either get a degree in the medical field or join the military to become a medic.”

7th Grade: Joshua Appel

Parents: Tara and Neil Appel

Why selected as April Student of the Month:

- Is a consistent participant in class and positively adds to the environment.
- Is very polite and courteous.

Activities: Josh enjoys track and field, soccer and climbing trees.

What Josh most likes about Gar-Pal Middle School:

“What I most like about Gar-Pal Middle School is that everyone knows everyone so you really can’t hide anything.”

Role Model:

Josh’s role model is Harrison Ford because he started as a janitor but made his way to the top of the acting industry.

Quote: “I ain’t saying be a goody 2 shoes, but you can change the world, one act of random kindness at a time.”

Future Plans: Josh plans to run for ASB President for next year. He also plans to attend college in the future.



6th Grade: Ainsley Sievers

Parents: Tracy Lee and Tim Sievers

Why selected as April Student of the Month:

- Consistently does quality work, getting assignments in on time.
- Is inquisitive and wants to know the why behind what we are learning.
- Is respectful to her peers and teachers.



Activities: Ainsley just finished training for and running in Bloomsday. She plans to run cross-country in the fall.

What Ainsley most likes about Gar-Pal Middle School:

“The thing I like most about Gar-Pal is that all the teachers are so friendly.”

Role Model:

“Mr. Patrick is my role model because when I am a teacher I want to teach like he does.”

Quote: “Wise Women Speak Because They Have Something To Say, Fools Speak Because They Have To Say Something.”

Plato

Future Plans: Ainsley plans to teach elementary school and go to Greenville University. She also plans to learn violin/fiddle so she can be a musician.