

LAMPETER-STRASBURG SCHOOL DISTRICT THE BURROWES SCHOLARS PROGRAM

May 5, 2022

PRESIDING STUDENTS:

Krista Lambert and Braden Weese

As distinguished Burrowes Scholars at all three levels, these students serve as the evening's emcees

PROGRAM

Comments: Dr. Kevin S. Peart, Superintendent

Music: L-S High School Blue Jazz Ensemble
Mr. Larry C. Royer, Director

Saxophones: Kati Platt, Owen Keeler, Cassie Meck, Ryker Holsinger, Pearce Flory

Trumpets: Maya Carl, Anderson Grubb, Brandon Coder, Ben VanDeusen

Trombones: Laura Leaman, Ella Horst, John Kuro, Noah Sanderson

Rhythm: Chad Royer, Katherine Helm, Jack Harnish, Kyle Pope

PRESENTATION OF AWARDS

Fifth Grade

Dr. Jeffrey T. Smecker, Hans Herr Elementary School Principal

Mr. Matthew E. Parido, Vice President, Board of School Directors

Eighth Grade

Mr. Jamie P. Raum, Martin Meylin Middle School Principal

Mr. Andrew L. Welk, Board of School Directors

Eleventh Grade

Dr. Benjamin J. Feeney, Lampeter-Strasburg High School Principal

Mrs. Melissa S. Herr, President, Board of School Directors

First-time Burrowes Scholars will receive a bronze pin

Second-time Burrowes Scholars will receive a silver pin

Third-time Burrowes Scholars will receive a gold pin



Connor Allison
Mathematics



Kaitlyn Barrall
Language Arts



McKenna Black
Mathematics



Trinity Carter
Physical Education



Sophia Coon
Mathematics



Eleanor Curtis
Mathematics



Ella Denlinger
Mathematics



Gabrielle Edwards
Language Arts



Abigail Geidel
Music - Vocal



Bryce Hartz
Physical Education

HANS HERR ELEMENTARY SCHOOL FIFTH-GRADE BURROWES SCHOLARS



Olivia Lewis
Language Arts



Asha Lindskog
Language Arts



Tate Messinger
Language Arts



Santino Moscoso Rondon
Art



Rudra Patel
Mathematics



Sam Samberg
Music - Orchestra



Bethany Sanborn
Music - Band



Jenna Stauffer
Language Arts



Emma Stiles
Language Arts



Eileen Wieand
Language Arts

Connor Allison**Mathematics****Mrs. Janelle Konkle**

Connor is an exceptional young man whose motivation, kindness, and work ethic is admired by many. He is a kind friend to all and displays such thoughtfulness in conversation. Connor's kindness and thoughtfulness is evident to anyone who engages in conversation with him. He enters every day by saying "good morning" and doesn't leave the classroom without saying "goodbye" or "have a great day." Connor demonstrates character and maturity beyond his years. Students look to him as a role model for academics and for character. He is always looking for ways to help others and consistently offers to go out of his way to help as needed. Connor's empathy, positivity, and overall character serve as a model both in and out of the classroom.

While Connor excels in many academic areas, mathematics is one area where he truly goes above and beyond. Connor demonstrates strategic problem solving skills and critical thinking skills in every problem he comes across. He is diligent in not only finding the correct answer, but explaining his reasoning to demonstrate mathematical understanding. Connor sets high expectations for himself that he strives to meet in every situation. In math class, he asks thoughtful questions that challenge both himself and his peers to go deeper in their understanding. He also engages in higher level conversations while collaborating with peers in his small group and in his collaborative station. It is a great honor to announce Connor Allison as a 2022 Burrowes Scholar!

Kaitlyn Barrall**Language Arts****Mr. David Fakolt**

"Today you are You, that is truer than true. There is no one alive who is Youer than You." - Dr. Seuss

Kaitlyn Barrall is a unique individual! Kaitlyn has a sense of direction and purpose well beyond the maturity of the average fifth grade student. Kaitlyn is a critical thinker and problem solver who strives to learn new things. She has very high expectations for herself, and takes great pride in the finished product that she turns in.

Kaitlyn is willing to work hard and to always give 100% effort. She approaches all her academic studies with a desire to do her best, and her results reflect just that- a highly refined quality product. Kaitlyn's recent animal report was exceptional showing thoughtful research coupled with an artistic presentation. Kaitlyn has produced outstanding results not only in ELA, but truly in all her academic endeavors this year.

Outside of school, Kaitlyn excels on her travel soccer team. You might also hear her playing percussion either here in the band or at home, or you may find her just hanging out with friends. Diligence, a mature approach to tasks, and her thoughtfulness to others describes Kaitlyn. She is a well deserving Burrowes Scholar.

McKenna Black**Mathematics****Mrs. Shannon Freedland**

McKenna Black is an energetic student with an unforgettable personality. She possesses self confidence that few fifth graders do, and that shows in all she does. Math is something McKenna does exceptionally well. She grasps new concepts quickly, is an eager problem solver, and loves explaining her thinking to others. Her classmates see it, too, and regularly turn to McKenna for hints. McKenna graciously helps them all.

McKenna excels outside the classroom, too. She is a member of the fifth grade band, plays soccer, and this winter was part of a division winning basketball team. She is smart, silly and kind. Her enthusiasm and stellar Math ability make her a model student, and I am pleased to nominate her as a Burrowes Scholar.

Trinity Carter**Physical Education****Mr. William Valenzo**

The Burrowes Scholar in Elementary Physical Education is awarded to the boy and girl who best exemplify what a model physical education student should be. For the 2021-2022 school year the elementary physical education department is pleased to award Bryce Hartz and Trinity Carter with its Burrowes Scholar Awards.

Bryce and Trinity are not only outstanding student-athletes, but they are also outstanding young people. They are receiving this award for the exceptional ability, participation, effort, cooperation, and sportsmanship that they display in each and every class. Bryce and Trinity come to physical education class each week prepared to learn, try their best, and set a great example for their fellow classmates.

Students at all levels would benefit from having students like Bryce and Trinity in their class. Their skill level and attitude are unmatched, and they are ideal role models. They are both students who have the character, work ethic, and ability to accomplish any goals that they set for themselves in life.

For all of these reasons, it is indeed a great honor and pleasure to announce Bryce Hartz and Trinity Carter as Burrowes Scholars for Elementary Physical Education.

Sophia Coon**Mathematics****Mr. Jeffrey Nolt**

Intelligent, conscientious, caring, and motivated—these are just a few of the words that describe Sophia Coon. Sophia has been named a Burrowes Scholar due to her outstanding achievements in math, but her creativity and hard work are what set her apart. A skilled student, Sophia could easily glide through school with minimal effort. Yet, she thrives on challenges and actively seeks them out.

With quiet leadership, Sophia brings out the best in everyone around her. When peers observe her command of academic knowledge, attention to detail, and strong work ethic, they are inspired to perform better themselves. Besides academic achievement, Sophia has a wide range of interests which she routinely gives up free time to pursue. She takes part in a drama club that meets regularly during lunch periods. With the school band she plays flute. And all Hans Herr students recognize her as one of the voices of the morning announcements (and an on-camera host of HHZN video announcements).

Sophia is truly a remarkable young woman, and she will surely continue to meet success not only throughout her school years, but also in life.

Eleanor Curtis**Mathematics****Mr. Eric Balak**

"Every great dream begins with a dreamer. Always remember, YOU have within you the strength, the patience, and the passion to reach for the stars to change the world. Be the change." -Harriet Tubman

Eleanor is an extraordinary learner and even more of a remarkable individual who exemplifies the steadfast qualities and dedicated work ethic of a distinguished leader. Eleanor is receiving this honorable recognition for her high academic achievement in the area of Mathematics, however she excels in virtually all aspects of learning both inside and outside of the classroom.

Eleanor beams excellence not only in her academics, but also through her innate character, including: responsibility, diligence, curiosity, creativity, perseverance; enthusiasm, initiative, and above all, leadership. As it turns out, Eleanor is quite the teacher helper too when it comes to organization! Additionally, Eleanor participates in band (plays the flute) and chorus. Outside of school, she participates in acting classes which I had the privilege of viewing this year. She also enjoys reading, tending to her pet rabbit, and swimming. Needless to say, Eleanor is truly a well-rounded and adept individual with tremendous potential to succeed.

Eleanor's thirst for knowledge and devotion to learning speaks to the immeasurable qualities of her profound intellect, character, self-motivation, and drive, all of which will undeniably benefit her in achieving many, if not all, of her aspirations throughout life. It is my privilege and honor to declare Eleanor Curtis as a 2021 - 2022 Fifth Grade Burrowes Scholar! Congratulations, YOU'VE earned it!

Ella Denlinger**Mathematics****Mr. Daniel Colvin**

Ella is an exceptional student that always shows dedication, enthusiasm, and care towards her learning and achievement. She strives to learn and do her best on a daily basis, always exceeding expectations, and looking for a challenge. Along with academic strengths, Ella is a natural leader that takes initiative to help and better those around her. During any time of day, Ella respectfully collaborates with peers through things like problem solving in math or STEM Challenges in science. Her communication with others, patience, sense of humor, and kindness are an inspiration to not only her peers, but to myself as well. Ella's many positive qualities will continue to have a positive impact as she continues through school and wherever life takes her.

Along with being a wonderful student that enjoys Math and Science, Ella enjoys being with her family, animals, and soccer. Ella has a passion for soccer and plays on both indoor and outdoor teams.

I am honored to represent Ella as a Burrowes Scholar. She is well deserving of this recognition as a result of her continuous enthusiasm for learning, being a positive contributor to her class and school, and always doing her best. Congratulations and continue to do a wonderful job in L-S!

Gabrielle Edwards**Language Arts****Mr. David Fakolt**

"Welcome to Freddy Fazbear's Pizza. A magical place for kids and grown-ups alike, where fantasy and fun come to life."
-Scott Cawthon

Welcome indeed Gabrielle Edwards! Gabby is a talented student who possesses a bright imagination, fun sense of humor, and well-rounded abilities. Academically strong, Gabby has earned some of the highest ELA scores at Hans Herr Elementary. She is a formidable reader and understands literary elements like no other. Gabby also excels in grammar and enjoys crafting a good story.

Outside of school you might see Gabby at Lancaster's Zenkaikon convention where she enjoys the cosplay community and camaraderie of people who enjoy anime, games, and manga. Gabby, who leads quietly by example has a group of friends who share similar interests and look to her leadership.

Gabby Edwards, a superior ELA student deserves the recognition of being a Burrowes Scholar.

Abigail Geidel**Music - Vocal****Mrs. Lori Groff**

Abigail Geidel displays focus and determination in the general music classroom. She consistently demonstrates excellence in singing, playing instruments and creating music. She stands out as a leader in her class by quietly remaining on task and following directions. She participates in the Hans Herr Chorus, and she was selected to sing in a small ensemble for this year's holiday concert. As a third grader, Abby performed as a munchkin in the L-S High School musical, "The Wizard of Oz."

In addition to her vocal music activities, Abby plays the violin in the Hans Herr Orchestra and has been studying the piano for 4 years. She is also developing her skills at Prestige Gymnastics, swims with the L-S Otters and plays field hockey. Abby attends St. Mary's Church. She enjoys spending time with her friends and family, playing outside, and she would like to pursue a career in special education.

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Olivia Lewis**Language Arts****Mr. Matthew Hoover**

Olivia comes to the classroom every day with a positive attitude and a desire to learn. She is a pleasure to have in class. Olivia has a sense of humor, exhibits kindness towards her peers, and approaches her work with a sense of urgency. She gives her best to produce the highest quality result. Olivia's attention to detail shines through in English-Language Arts. She comprehends text at a high level, while her writing exceeds expectations. I am always impressed with her analytical skills. She can interpret what the author is trying to convey accurately and relate it to human nature.

What I enjoy most about Olivia is her fun-loving personality. She will always bring a smile to your face and make you laugh when you are down. She is caring, considerate, and respectful at all times. She is the kind of person you want to be around as a friend and a model student for any teacher. Olivia is confident, intelligent, and self-motivated. I am truly blessed to have worked with such a fine young woman, who will succeed at anything. It is with great pleasure to announce that Olivia is a 2021 Burrowes Scholar. Way to go, Olivia! I am proud of you.

Asha Lindskog**Language Arts****Mrs. Sarah Capoferri**

Asha Lindskog is a creative and motivated fifth-grade student who always has a smile on her face. She wants to do her best and finds new and creative ways to do so. When Asha is interested in a new topic, she is highly motivated to find as much information as she can. In addition, Asha is constantly creating new stories and presentations in her free time. She will go out of her way to research and share new information with her peers and teachers.

In reading, Asha has the ability to analyze text with extremely insightful, inferential thoughts in both conversation and academic work. Asha's responses enable other students to look deeper into their own connections and contributions. She responds with her own creative spin on every topic that encourages students and teachers to look at the content in a different light. Asha is also an avid reader often reading books that are beyond her grade level.

When writing responses to text, Asha's writing is beyond exceptional. She has the ability to not only analyze the author's meaning of his or her words but also to connect every idea to her own life. When reading a response to literature or a personal writing piece, Asha's voice is evident in every word. She is able to turn a critical review of a piece of literature into a creative writing piece. Asha's creative outlook and ability to think "outside of the box" will allow her to achieve great things as well as enact positive changes in those around her.

Tate Messinger**Language Arts****Mr. Matthew Hoover**

Tate is destined for success, no matter what challenges lie ahead. He exemplifies what it means to be a Burrowes Scholar -- intelligent, conscientious, and inquisitive. Not only does he excel in academics, he also displays traits of a true leader. He strives to highest levels of responsibility, organization, and respect. This is what makes Tate's character stand out above anything. Tate leads with maturity, fairness, and patience in the classroom. He works well collaboratively, and is always positive and kind towards his peers.

I am honored to sponsor Tate for high academic achievement in English-Language Arts. It is evident that his hard work pays off. There are no shortcuts when it comes to his classwork. He exhibits the highest level of inferential and analytical thinking skills when he reads. His writing is thorough with advanced vocabulary and sophisticated transitions. When taking assessments, Tate is laser focused and takes his time. Let's not forget Tate's willingness to help his peers and offer a different perspective to help solve a problem. What more can you ask for? Congratulations, Tate!

Santino Moscoso Rondon**Art****Mrs. Lauri Loar-Stauffer**

Santino is a critical thinker who works intensely on his art projects. Whether it be an observational drawing, painting, or sculpture, he formulates sequential creative and technical processes for the product. His method of working is typical of an artist and engineer: observing, analyzing, drawing, and constructing. Attention to detail is important which is indicative of the craftsmanship in his completed artwork. Santino's work ethic is exemplary for his age.

Santino's patience is evident in the art classroom as he works diligently but when a question arises, he will wait until assistance is provided all the while he will continue problem-solving. Possessing these student skills will help him to succeed in middle school, and high school, and as a lifelong learner.

Congratulations to Santino for being selected as the 2022 Fifth Grade Visual Arts Burrowes Scholar!

Rudra Patel**Mathematics****Mrs. Shannon Freedland**

Rudra Patel is quiet, hardworking and studious. He loves Math and, when asked, shared that "math is just following a formula to get an answer and I am good at that." Rudra's math skills go beyond following formulas. His answers are thoughtful and thorough, and he does an excellent job of explaining his thought process. He is often a step ahead, simplifying and searching for ways to make solving problems more efficient. His peers recognize his talent and rely on him for help, which he willingly provides.

Rudra has other passions as well. He plays trumpet in the fifth grade band and enjoys playing soccer and doing other physical things. Don't let his unassuming manner fool you - Rudra holds himself to a very high standard and strives for excellence in all he does. It has been a pleasure having Rudra as a student this year. His work ethic, drive and Math success combine to create an obvious nominee for the Burrowes Scholars. Congratulations, Rudra!

Sam Samberg**Music - Orchestra****Mr. Robert Shaubach**

It is a pleasure to recommend Sam Samberg as the 2022 Fifth Grade Orchestra Burrowes Scholar. Music educators take great joy in providing students with opportunities to grow as musicians and people. A Burrowes scholar is one who has taken full advantage of those opportunities on the basis of one or more outstanding character traits.

Since joining the L-S Orchestra program in fourth grade, Sam has demonstrated curiosity about and love for music of all styles that is exemplary for someone his age. His excitement for learning electric bass parts to a classic rock anthem is matched by his eagerness to learn how to read and perform the melody to a symphony on the upright bass. Sam is equally comfortable in the Hans Herr Orchestra room and in a jam session in the garage with his friends. Sam recently participated in a Pennsylvania Music Educators Association Honors String Fest.

While his enthusiasm and positive attitude are contagious, Sam clearly recognizes that excitement alone does not produce results. He understands that music study requires discipline and is willing to put forth the effort to achieve success. In addition to participating in the L-S Orchestra program, Sam dedicates time and effort to private bass instruction. His work with an outstanding local professional bassist and educator, Mr. Mike Vitale, has played a significant role in his musical development.

It is with respect and admiration that I present Sam Samberg as the 2022 Fifth Grade Orchestra Burrowes Scholar.

Bethany Sanborn**Music - Band****Mrs. Heather Ceresini**

The annual elementary-level Band Burrowes Scholar is awarded to a student who demonstrates strong musicianship skills, self-discipline, and a positive work ethic. This year's 2021-2022 elementary Band Burrowes Scholar is Bethany Sanborn.

Bethany started the French horn as a fifth grader. It was clear from the first day Bethany has a musical ear and a strong work ethic that would help her excel. The French horn can be a challenging instrument for some beginners, but Bethany has taken every challenge and turned it into a triumphant performance. Accompanying Bethany's high-level musicianship skills is a humble, gracious, and positive attitude. Bethany performs beautifully but also takes to heart any recommendations given because she constantly looks to improve. Her perseverance and cooperation are consistent in whatever work she completes, and she is an excellent role model for other musicians.

These characteristics are just a few of many attributes Bethany holds which will help her succeed in whatever she pursues in the future. Bethany is a deserving recipient of this award.

Jenna Stauffer**Language Arts****Mrs. Kristin Maser**

A Burrowes Scholar award represents academic excellence. To this academic excellence add creativity, advanced writing ability, participation, leadership, and above all, a tremendous drive to assimilate knowledge and a love of learning. When you add these important traits, you have Jenna Stauffer.

Jenna enjoys topics that allow her to probe, question, and debate. She loves to read and write and research. These are the things she does on her own for fun. The depth and maturity of her interests are unique as well. Bring up health and wellness and Jenna knows what she is talking about. Interested in knowing why and how to save the bees? Jenna is your girl. She has a sense of direction and purpose well beyond the maturity of the average fifth grade student. It is for these traits, as well as her academic excellence, that Jenna Stauffer has been named a Burrowes Scholar for the 2021-22 school year. Congratulations Jenna!

Emma Stiles**Language Arts****Mr. Eric Balak**

"Leadership is about the decisions you make, and the actions you take each day. The world is waiting. Leadership is a choice - and it starts with YOU!" -Alyse Nelson

Emma is an exceptionally keen learner whose independent, profound work ethic is the essence of profound leadership. Emma is receiving this honorable recognition for her high academic achievement in the area of English Language Arts although she excels in all facets of learning both in and out of school.

This excellence in learning starts with her innate character including: responsibility, diligence, creativity; communication, enthusiasm, and initiative, all of which depict qualities of a remarkable leader. Furthermore, Emma's high academic success spans well beyond the English Language Arts to all subject areas (although her favorites are reading and science). In the last few months, Emma was part of a fifth grade STEM team, The L-S Castaways, which earned third place in a regional competition to improve or redesign the future of technology. In addition, Emma participates in Band (plays the flute) and Chorus. She also thoroughly enjoys dance, biking, videography, traveling, and camping outside of school.

Emma is an astonishing young woman who possesses a plethora of unwavering qualities and tremendous potential, all of which will, undoubtedly, serve her extremely well in achieving many, if not all future endeavors that she decides to pursue in life. It is with great pride that I recognize Emma Stiles as a 2021 - 2022 Fifth Grade Burrowes Scholar! Congratulations, YOU'VE earned it!!

Eileen Wieand**Language Arts****Mrs. Kristin Maser**

Eileen Wieand personifies the quote, "Actions speak louder than words." Never will you hear her bragging about her achievements or trying to outdo her peers. But her achievements are "brag-worthy." With quiet determination, maturity, and self-awareness, Eileen works to the best of her ability every minute of every day. Most importantly, she does it with a smile on her face and positive encouragement for her peers.

Eileen is conscientious, organized, and responsible; and she makes it look easy. In both quality and quantity, she goes above and beyond. This is especially true in her written responses to text that require evidence and analysis. But it is also true of the pieces she composes for our writing club that she helped to create. Every lesson and strategy taught is incorporated in her work. Add to that her natural writing talent, and you have a piece that can be, and often is, used as a model for other students. The sky is the limit for this Burrowes Scholar!



Carlos Berrios
Social Studies & Spanish



Addison Boyd
Band



Madeline Frego
Physical Education



Trevor Groff*
Mathematics



Chase Hurst*
Physical Education

MARTIN MEYLIN MIDDLE SCHOOL EIGHTH-GRADE BURROWES SCHOLARS



Merin Kauffman*
Art



Julia Knapp*
Language Arts



Grace Phipps*
Orchestra



Eliana Ruiz
Health



Jack Ross
Technology Education



Elizabeth Shiffer
Music



Alex Sutherland
Science



Evan Taggart
German

** Also a Burrowes Scholar in 5th grade*

Carlos Berrios**Social Studies****Mrs. Janelle Kershner**

Carlos Berrios has demonstrated qualities worthy of recognition in 8th-grade social studies. Carlos is a student who truly values education and is more than willing to give maximum effort to his academic pursuits. He has maintained a 100% A+ in social studies in 8th grade. He sets high expectations for himself and strives to meet those expectations.

Carlos demonstrates a deep understanding of history through his writing and class participation. He has the ability to explore complicated historical and political topics and offer his own analysis. For example, in our unit on Jacksonian Democracy, Carlos wrote about the consequences of the bitter presidential campaigning leading up to the election of 1828. He described the attacks on Andrew Jackson who Adams supporters called a "murderer" because he ordered the execution of some soldiers. Jackson supporters called John Q. Adams an elitist and then falsely accused him of using taxpayer money to put a billiards table in the White House. Carlos thoughtfully concluded his essay, "This has led to a terrible effect on U.S. politics as of now. Every election cycle, we see ads continuously attacking other candidates. Our political system is still a two-party system with smaller third parties gaining little support, but enough to change an election. This has made Americans cutthroat towards others of different political parties."

Unrivaled in all review games, Carlos takes pride in his ability to quickly and accurately recall information in a lively game of Blookey Battle Royale or Kahoot. Additionally, as a 6th grader, Carlos was the Geography Bee champion for the entire middle school.

Carlos demonstrates an unwavering commitment to academic excellence and learning in social studies class and has achieved the honor of Social Studies Burrowes Scholar.

Carlos Berrios**Spanish****Mrs. Kendra Mier**

Exceptional leader, motivated, respectful and enthusiastic learner are all ways to describe this year's Spanish Burrowes Scholar, Carlos Berrios. Carlos has been an outstanding student who constantly strives to improve his language skills. He sets himself apart in Spanish class through his consistent participation, attentiveness and passion to learn the language. His commitment to learning is top-notch, and he always strives for excellence. Carlos not only leads in class activities, but he is also quick to support his classmates in their learning. A memorable moment from Spanish class this year was during the family unit. To learn family vocabulary, students created a class family. Carlos eagerly volunteered to get his violin and to play music as his classmates got "married" in the class family. He exudes confidence and is well respected by his peers.

Overall, Carlos is an all-around exceptional student, and it is a privilege to name him the 2022 Spanish Burrowes Scholar! Carlos's drive, determination and love for learning will carry him far in his future endeavors. Best wishes to you, and felicitaciones Carlos!!

Addison Boyd**Band****Mr. Larry Royer**

It is an honor to nominate Addison Boyd for the first Martin Meylin Burrowes Scholar award for Instrumental Music in Band. I have known Addison since she entered the 6th grade band three years ago. At Martin Meylin, she has participated in Concert Band and Jazz Band each year. Her hard work and skill also earned her positions in the 2022 LLMEA County Band Festival.

One of the biggest joys I have in teaching instrumental music is that I get to work with students over the course of seven years. For the past three, I have always been impressed with Addison's consistently positive attitude. She comes to every lesson and every rehearsal prepared and with a smile. Combine that with a high level of talent and an excellent work ethic and you end up with a leader both in terms of playing and character. As a percussionist, Addison needs to be proficient on many different instruments – drums, mallet keyboard instruments, and drum set. To do this successfully, one must be an assertive self-starter who is confident in their abilities, and is not afraid to try. Addison exemplifies each one of these character traits.

It has been a pleasure working with Addison these past three years and I look forward to seeing her become an integral part of the ensembles at the high school. Her success at Martin Meylin has laid the groundwork that will encourage everyone to aspire to the band's slogan "A Tradition of Quality, A Commitment to Excellence."

Madeline Frego**Physical Education****Mrs. Amy Beard**

The Burrowes Scholar in Elementary Physical Education is awarded to a girl who best exemplifies what a model physical education student should be. This award goes to a young lady that shows up on time for class and is prepared to make the best opportunity in any activity we do in class. She is a responsible student who makes sure to complete all assignments on time and make up for any work she may have missed. She is a positive leader inside and outside of the classroom. With great pleasure, the Martin Meylin Physical Education Department announces Madeline Frego as its Burrowes Scholar for the 2021-22 school year.

Madeline is being awarded this honor because of the outstanding effort, respect, hard work, determination, leadership, and enthusiasm she displays in her physical education classes. In addition to being a great student, Madeline participates on the middle school field hockey team. She is also a dancer that works hard all year round performing.

Madeline respects others around her and includes those left out in activities we do in class. She works hard at what she is doing and is determined to be her best. Madeline has great leadership and brings an extra level of enthusiasm to everyone. During Phys. Ed. class, Madeline exudes positive energy that is contagious to others. Madeline sets an excellent example for her classmates by showing up on time for class, being prepared to learn, and staying positive. When we can play music in class, Madelyn pumps up her classmates with fun moves and extra excitement to get everyone going in class. It is a great honor and pleasure to announce Madeline Frego as Burrowes Scholars for Elementary Physical Education

Trevor Groff**Mathematics****Mrs. Rebecca Middleton**

Trevor Groff is such a positive leader in the classroom! He is continuously engaged and thinking ahead with each problem we do! He loves to learn new ideas, to participate, and to extend his skills beyond the basics - he is a standout in my classroom! Always an asset to the math class, Trevor is also willing to help other students with questions and explaining ideas, and they look to him to be that helper. He has an exceptional work ethic and his scores show his top math ability paired with perseverance! He really is a pleasure to have in class in every way!

In addition to being successful in the classroom, Trevor is a well rounded student! He earned a position on the MathCounts team for both seventh and eighth grade, and was able to participate in seventh grade. Trevor is also an athlete on both the junior high boys soccer and basketball teams, and plays baseball for the Lampeter-Strasburg Youth Baseball Softball organization. Additionally, Trevor is a proud member of his church youth group.

These past few years have been challenging for so many students, but Trevor is finding a way to shine! He is setting up for amazing success in high school and beyond! It is for all of these reasons that I proudly announce Trevor Groff as the 2021-2022 eighth grade Burrows Scholar in Mathematics!

Chase Hurst**Physical Education****Mr. Dustin Weiss**

The Martin Meylin Physical Education Department is happy to recognize Chase Hurst as its 2021-22 Boys Burrowes Scholar. Chase has displayed a great attitude, effort, enthusiasm, and leadership throughout his three years at Martin Meylin. Chase has a strong passion for basketball, as he is a member of the junior high basketball team, as well as an AAU basketball team member. Although basketball may be Chase's passion, he is an all-around athletically gifted student. He has goals to make the varsity basketball team next year and to, one day, play collegiately at Liberty, Ohio State, or Syracuse University.

Beyond the court, Chase is an outstanding student in the classroom. Regardless of the activity, he shows great effort, always respects the teacher and classmates, is a natural leader who leads by example, and accepts his peers, no matter their ability level - making a conscious effort to include them. Through his attitude and behavior, a breath of fresh air for any educator, Chase has undoubtedly earned the respect of his peers and faculty alike.

Hopefully, it is easy to see why Chase has been selected to receive this distinguished award. His ever-present positive attitude to school, relationships with peers, and life in general helped make the selection process a simple one. Please help us congratulate Chase on a job well done!

Merin Kauffman**Art****Mr. Edward Leone**

Merin Kauffman is this year's Burrowes Scholar for Eighth Grade Art because she has put forth tremendous effort in her learning activities. She has a natural ability to draw and paint well, and her art projects show this talent. Within her first drawing assignment, Merin created a wonderful three-dimensional space within the confines of the flat paper on which she was drawing, and she used her creative imagination to fill the space and show an indoor art gallery scene.

In a painting project, Merin was able to capture her viewer's attention in an outdoor setting with a magnificently painted sky using tones of red-violet. Her skills for blending paint are obvious in this piece, and the small details of silhouettes add extreme visual interest in areas along the horizon. Two other works that exemplify her creativity were her coil pottery project and a colored pencil drawing of strong contrast. The coil pottery not only had a strong change in shape, but also a unique glaze design, and the colored pencil drawing showed a unique use of creative color choices on a portrait that captured the great character of facial features.

Overall, Merin is humble and hard-working. She is quiet and attentive. Merin will not let worldly distractions take away her attention when making art, and she has the ability to achieve greatness in any field of this subject.

Julia Knapp**Language Arts****Ms. Emily Lagaza**

Julia Knapp is a fantastic student and has a bright personality that lights up the ELA classroom. Since day one, Julia has displayed a passion for learning and a determination to succeed academically. Her persistence, self-advocacy and attention to detail are nothing short of impressive.

Julia is a naturally inquisitive and insightful student, which enhances her already stellar writing abilities. She analyzes texts deeply, and is able to articulate her thoughts smoothly with advanced vocabulary to create beautiful academic prose. Oftentimes in class, Julia is the first to volunteer to read and offer her viewpoint on a text, which often prompts the rest of the class discussion. Her unique perspective inspires other students to respond and expand on subject-area topics.

Julia brings joy and laughter wherever she goes, even after a long week juggling school and extracurricular activities. Her hilarious jokes, enthusiasm for Just Dance, and positive demeanor will be missed!

Grace Phipps**Orchestra****Mr. Robert Shaubach**

I am proud to recommend Grace Phipps as the 2022 Eighth Grade Orchestra Burrowes Scholar. Music educators take great joy in providing students with opportunities to grow as musicians and people. A Burrowes scholar is one who has taken full advantage of those opportunities on the basis of one or more outstanding character traits.

Since joining the L-5 Orchestra program as a fourth-grade beginner, Grace has demonstrated a desire for excellence in everything she does. Her actions have consistently made it clear that she is committed to giving her best effort to every task. This trait, along with her considerable musical aptitude, makes Grace a valued member of the Martin Meylin Orchestra whom other members can count on to help the group improve and achieve success.

Even more impressive is Grace's ability to seek excellence while maintaining positive relationships and interactions with her peers. In March 2022 she participated in the Lancaster-Lebanon Music Educators Association County Orchestra festival for middle school students. This honors ensemble included over 150 outstanding student string musicians from our local schools, and it was clear that Grace fit in beautifully. Her kindness and compassion for others allows her to be a valued contributor to any ensemble and helps her relate to fellow student musicians of all levels of experience and ability. It is with respect and admiration that I present Grace Phipps as the 2022 Eighth Grade Orchestra Burrowes Scholar.

Eliana Ruiz**Health****Mrs. Michelle Diffendarfer**

This is my first year with the privilege to choose a Burrowes Scholar and it was not an easy task. There were a number of qualified students that have phenomenal grades, friendly faces, kind hearts and great class participation, making the choice that much more difficult. My decision to choose Eliana Ruiz came after much thought and consideration of what I thought an ideal candidate for a Health class would be.

"And though she be but little, she is fierce." That quote by William Shakespeare is what is brought to my mind when I think about Eliana Ruiz. Not all successful people are flashy and attention-seeking. Eliana comes out of the woodwork when she is in Health class. She may be quiet and reserved but she is one of the hardest working students I have had all year. She always completes her work on time and with great care. Health class is not always the easiest class to want to participate in and Eliana is one of my top discussion participants, always willing to offer her insight. Eliana may be more reserved than some of my other candidates, but there is a boldness I see in her that lets me know that she will stand up for what she thinks is right even in the face of adversity, and she will do it with mindfulness and consideration of others.

It has been a true pleasure and privilege having Eliana in my Health class this year and am pleased to have her be presented with this year's Health Burrowes Scholar Award.

Jack Ross**Technology Education****Mr. Kenneth Neumann**

Choosing a Burrowes Scholar from the Martin Meylin Technology Education program is never easy. There are always a number of highly qualified students. Each of them is hardworking, responsible and talented. That makes it even more notable that Jack Ross rose to the challenge to become this year's Burrowes Scholar in Technology Education.

Jack's academic success in technology education just seems to come naturally. Recently, he completed our class introduction to woodworking unit where he made a triangular peg game. I knew he would do well the moment we started talking about. This was not the first time Jack was around tools and machines. It just seemed to come easily to him. His ambitious attitude is allowing him to try new things without a great deal of guidance from me. It is just one of the many things that sets Jack above his peers.

Jack excels at what he puts his mind to. His perfectionist style combined with his lightheartedness allows him to succeed. No challenge is too great for Jack. He is a silent leader among his peers. Students seem to flock to him when they have questions or need help. I feel confident he will excel in whatever he does as he continues his education. It is because of his grades, skills and attitude that Jack Ross is here tonight.

Elizabeth Shiffer**Music****Mr. Benjamin Gibson**

The Burrowes Scholar in Music is awarded to an individual who demonstrates exceptional performance in classroom music, ensembles, and has a keen interest and ability in music. Qualifications are demonstrated through conceptual, compositional, and performance mediums. In addition to these qualities, the Burrowes Scholar understands the importance of the individual and the community, in any musical endeavor.

This year's Burrowes Scholar in Music is awarded to Elizabeth Shiffer. Elizabeth is an outstanding student who has the work ethic and ability to accomplish any goal she sets for herself. As a Martin Meylin student, Elizabeth consistently challenges herself and performs at the highest level. Elizabeth is kind, hard working, respectful, and always willing to take on a challenge. The honor is deserved and I know she will continue to maintain her high standards both within and beyond the discipline of music. Congratulations Elizabeth!

Alex Sutherland**Science****Mr. Matthew Wieand**

The Burrowes Scholar Award in Science is given to recognize outstanding academic achievement. Alex Sutherland has demonstrated the qualities worthy of recognition in science. His work ethic, attention to detail and academic enthusiasm were exceptional. Alex is the top student in a very distinguished group of eighth graders.

Alex has shown consistent excellence in middle school science, earning above a 98% in each marking period. He displays a remarkable work ethic and positive attitude on a daily basis. While many students are satisfied with merely getting assignments done, Alex seeks perfection in everything he does and displays a commitment to excellence in science class. He works very hard to make sure each assignment gets done with precision and to the very best of his ability. He also displays a genuine enthusiasm for science and is a positive leader in class activities. Through all of the qualities noted above, Alex has earned the respect and admiration of his classmates.

Alex is a hardworking, teachable and intelligent young man. His positive attitude, inspiring work ethic, keen interest in science and desire to learn will make him very successful in high school and beyond. It is with great pleasure that the Martin Meylin Science Department proclaims Alex Sutherland as the recipient of this year's Burrowes Scholar Award in Science.

Evan Taggart**German****Mr. Joseph Mencarini**

I'm pretty sure Evan Taggart has won every game of Kahoot, Gimkit, and Blooket his class has played over the last three years. If not won, then at least placed in the top five - a challenge for me to come up with new ways of rewarding his peers' work to keep it fair. He makes easy work of vocabulary and grammar, and demonstrates the ability to tie the theoretical to the practical.

I have also had the pleasure of having Evan attend my Board Game Club, where I have watched his analytical mind at work in different ways. I have seen him make easy work of "heavy cardboard"- rules-intensive games designed for seasoned gaming enthusiasts. In fact, in 6th grade, he won a tournament at a major gaming convention, receiving a copy in the process, which he then brought into Board Game Club and taught to his peers. That is to say, he possesses the ability to not only do something technical well, but also to explain his thinking and teach others to do the same.

Outside of school, Evan enjoys playing video and computer games, such as Minecraft and Mortal Kombat. He attends Community Bible Church, and plans on pursuing a career as a racecar driver. I look forward to watching his progress.



Madison Baker
Science



Luke Brenneman
Physical Education



Maya Carl
Band



Lana Dyer
Vocal Music



Sophia Fiorello
English



Kira Fritz
Art



Tanner Groff
Technology Education



Hunter Hildenbrand
Business Education

LAMPETER-STRASBURG HIGH SCHOOL ELEVENTH-GRADE BURROWES SCHOLARS



Jenna Hoover*
German



Krista Lambert**
Mandarin



Zachary Labrecque
Social Studies



Laura Leaman*
Orchestra & Spanish



Katelyn Ranck*
Agriculture & FCS



Braden Weese**
Mathematics



Madison Weichler*
Physical Education

* Also a Burrowes Scholar in 5th or 8th grade ** Also a Burrowes Scholar in 5th and 8th grade

Madison Baker**Science****Mrs. Erica White**

Like the mysterious beauty of a flower blooming for the first time, Madison has grown and developed herself in an amazing way at L-S. Madison conquered Biology through the pandemic, chose to challenge herself in AP Chemistry, and is now slated to take AP Biology. Madison balances her rigorous academic schedule with other activities, including soccer and volunteer opportunities. She holds leadership positions in Pioneer Interact, Varsity Club, Mini-THON, and Student Council. Madison demonstrates the wonderful ability to balance strong academic endeavors with opportunities to give back to the community, too.

Madison encompasses the qualities of a Burrowes Scholar. She is dedicated to the learning process, always striving for academic excellence, and ready to accept challenges along the way. Madison is attentive and thoughtful in class, and she is a strong partner to everyone with who she collaborates. Madison works hard to understand the complexities of science, asking insightful questions and achieving high scores through it all. Her quest for knowledge and understanding does not go unnoticed!

It is an honor to acknowledge Madison as a Burrowes Scholar. She demonstrates the quality of a strong thinker and a passionate scientist. Let the learning process be a lifelong desire, Madison!

Luke Brenneman**Physical Education****Mr. Jeffrey Pickel**

The Lampeter-Strasburg High School Health and Physical Education Department is delighted to present Luke Brenneman with the honor of being this year's eleventh grade Burrowes Scholar in Physical Education. Luke has been highly successful in multiple health and physical education courses thus far in his high school career. His workmanlike approach and relentless pursuit, regardless of the obstacle, have provided him with many valuable learning opportunities.

Luke has demonstrated his success in the classroom and on the athletic fields. He competed on the varsity soccer and baseball teams this year. He is also a member of the National Honor Society and the Fellowship of Christian Students. His leadership is constantly on display. He leads his peers by example and vocally. There was never any question that Luke deserves to be this year's award recipient. I wish Luke the best in everything he pursues; he is well-deserving of what he accomplishes.

Maya Carl**Band****Mr. Larry Royer**

It is an honor to nominate Maya Carl for this year's Burrowes Scholar award in Band. I have known Maya since she came to Martin Meylin as a sixth-grade trumpet player. At Lampeter-Strasburg, she has participated in Concert Band, Jazz Band, Marching Band, Symphonic Orchestra, and Pit Orchestra. Her hard work and skill also earned her positions in the 2022 PMEA District 7 Lower Band Festival and LLMEA County Band festivals.

I have always been impressed with Maya's sense of commitment and dedication to each group in which she participates. Whatever Maya commits to, she does so with excellence. Her training as a gymnast is evident in that she doesn't back down from being challenged and pushed to be better. When she arrived at the high school, and saw the opportunities that were open to her, she began to work, and it has been wonderful to see her grow into a fine young musician. She handles herself with maturity both in her playing and how she interacts with other students and faculty. Maya is a dependable member of each ensemble, and she leads not only with her sound but with her friendly personality and kindness.

It has been a pleasure working with Maya since these past six years. I look forward to seeing the legacy of commitment and diligence that she will imprint on the instrumental music department during her senior year that will encourage everyone to aspire to the band's slogan "A Tradition of Quality, A Commitment to Excellence."

Lana Dyer**Vocal Music****Mr. Erik Welchans**

As a music educator, I have the unique opportunity to work with student musicians who impress and inspire me each and every day. Lana Dyer is one of those students. Lana is involved in all aspects of the vocal music department at the high school. She is a member of the Concert Choir and Madrigal Singers and has participated each year in our Spring Musicals. She has earned A grades in all her music classes and a definite A+ for her attitude and leadership!

Lana Dyer is an all-around outstanding student and musician. Lana has a beautiful voice and continues to be a great role model for other aspiring vocalists. In rehearsals, she leads by example and helps other students during sectionals. This year, Lana was a member of the LLMEA County Chorus Festival and the PMEA District and Regional Festivals, and I know that next year she aspires to participate in the All-State Festival. She frequently performs as a soloist in our community and beyond.

Her academic standing, involvement in extracurricular activities, leadership, and strong moral character make Lana Dyer a standout student, indeed worthy of this prestigious Burrowes Scholar Award. Lana's talents as a musician and performer will continue to grow, and I know that she will succeed at whatever the future holds. Way to go, Lana!

Sophia Fiorello**English****Mr. Jeffrey Marsh**

It's unheard of for the Burrowes Scholar for English to have not only challenged herself but also excelled in three English courses — all in her junior year. But for Sophia, with her love of language and writing and literature, taking Advanced Grammar, HACC English, and now AP English seems natural.

Sophia stood out as one of the most hardworking grammarians in her class. It is difficult to recall any time when she was ever truly stymied by what I was teaching. This is because of Sophia's strengths in both the craft of language and the precision of science and math, so it makes perfect sense that she would excel in the definitiveness of the mechanics of English grammar. In the tongue-in-cheek language we use in class, Sophia easily earned her "grammar goddess tiara" — she can diagram the most complex of sentence structures and meticulously detect and dissect even the most subtle errors. I can only imagine the cerebral insights she now brings to the literary discussions in her AP English class. As driven as Sophia is, she always brought a jovial spirit to class and carried herself with a maturity and a humility that reflected a young woman living out her deep faith, willing to serve others by peer editing essays with an honest and constructive eye.

However, Sophia never rests upon her gifts; instead, she recognizes them for what they are — innate talents — and always seeks to learn more, to work hard, to think through new instruction with a most earnest focus. To others, her work may seem effortless, but Sophia would be the first to argue that her academic achievements are the results of her assiduous work ethic. It just may look like it comes so easily.

Kira Fritz**Visual Art****Mrs. Jennifer Braas,
Mr. Scott Cantrell & Mrs. Margaret Lau**

Kira Fritz is a remarkable young woman: energetic yet extremely polite and respectful, talented yet humble, sometimes overlooked as she doesn't demand attention, and yet she is still supportive of all her peers. Kira is a giver. Someone who truly thinks of others first. This has been true during Art Club and Set Painting, where she has donated her efforts excessively ever since middle school. Kira has been one of those students who is consistently reliable, also ready to help, even if it means spending a Sunday afternoon painting scenery for the musical or staying after school to paint props for Mini-thon. She is truly dedicated to her school.

As an artist, Kira experiments fearlessly with all media. Her strength lies in combining the traditional mediums into contemporary mixed media works that cross-pollinate the materials in ways I haven't seen before. Kira's bold artistic decisions lead to impactful artwork. She is not restricted to a single social commentary, a scientific exploration, or a perception of self; but delivers all of these concepts as one expression reflective of her own personal history. The organization of her work is always balanced and every section of the work is considered with the same amount of attention and care. And with a solid framework of drawing and composition, she is emerging as an excellent young artist.

The Art Department is proud to congratulate Kira Fritz for being the ideal selection for the Visual Art High School 2022 Burrowes Scholar!

Tanner Groff**Technology Education****Mr. Todd Garber
& Mr. Adam Zurn**

Tanner has been a diligent student who approaches his studies with rigor and dedication. He understands the importance of a well-rounded education, being successful in his accelerated core academic classes and advanced placement courses like AP Calculus AB and AP Chemistry. In Tanner's three years of high school, he has worked very hard to earn a 3.75 GPA.

Tanner has taken three technology education classes: Info Tech, Design Engineering, and Wood Technology I. This semester, he is taking two more: Design Engineering II and Wood Technology II. He has excelled in all five, consistently earning high marks.

In addition to being an outstanding student, Tanner has proven himself to be a fine young man and a productive student by participating in baseball and marching band. We know Tanner will continue to be a lifelong learner. It is with both honor and pleasure that Tanner Groff is proclaimed Burrowes Scholar in the area of Technology Education.

Hunter Hildenbrand**Business Education****Mr. Joshua Riehl**

Hunter Hildenbrand has proven himself to be an exceptional student as a part of the Business Education department. He has taken Introduction to Business, Managing Your Finances, and Introduction to Marketing and Sales in his high school career. In all of these classes, he displayed academic qualities and a level of maturity that is commendable. Hunter always participated in discussions and had excellent follow-up questions. Another area that set Hunter apart from his peers was the diligence with which he completed his work. With Hunter, there was never an off day, a time when he was not focused, or an assignment or project on which he did not give his best.

While Hunter works well independently, he also continuously takes on leadership roles with ease and collaborates with his fellow classmates. Hunter is respectful and polite with the faculty and is friendly and kind towards his peers. He is someone who can be counted on to work well with everyone at all times. Because of his academic skills and his amazing personal characteristics, the Business Education department is truly lucky to count Hunter as one of its members. And so, it is with both honor and pleasure to proclaim Hunter Hildenbrand the Burrowes Scholar in the area of Business.

Jenna Hoover**German****Mr. Alexander Breitreutz**

Effective foreign language learning requires several skills: discipline to study basic words and phrases at the beginner level and applying more complex structures at advanced levels; a willingness to practice the target language through speaking; and tolerance for cultural diversity. Jenna has practiced and developed those skills over the last four years of studying German. She is talented in all four areas of foreign language learning: speaking, listening, reading, and writing. She has shown consistent growth and an active interest in class. Jenna is enthusiastic about the language and culture and eager to tackle any challenge. She puts a lot of time and care into every assignment. This particular trait will serve Jenna well in her future career. Faced with difficult tasks, she is able to analyze problems and find suitable solutions consistently.

Because of her proficiency level and friendly and patient personality, other students seek her out for help. She always takes her time to offer help and support in a respectful way. Her service to other students serves her well since explaining a topic to other students develops and refines her understanding and application of the German language even further.

I am very privileged to have Jenna in my class and it is a pleasure working with her.

Krista Lambert**Mandarin****Mr. Brian Fisher**

Linguists agree that effective language learners have a steady supply of intrinsic motivation and work ethic. Krista Lambert is a prime model of these ideals. Ever since she first stepped into Mandarin One, Krista has demonstrated a strong passion for learning Mandarin and maintained her understanding of the language and culture through her focused work habits.

Now in Mandarin Four, Krista has blossomed in her ability to incorporate the vocabulary and structures that she has learned with her own perspective on life. Not only are her speaking and listening abilities quite sharp, but she has been able to retrieve the hundreds of characters she has memorized and reproduce them in writing. She makes such tasks appear effortless, but in reality, she has invested significant amounts of time and energy to reach this level.

Beyond Mandarin, Krista maintains a rigorous academic course load and has been an important contributor to the school's swim team. She also actively participates in Asian Culture Club activities and spreads musical cheer through her involvement as a saxophonist in concert band and jazz band. Outside of school, Krista engages with her youth group at Pequea Church, volunteers her time at Unto in Mount Joy to deliver humanitarian aid worldwide to those who are struggling, and balances out her free time by working at Starbucks.

The future certainly looks bright for Krista. Given her passion for learning, her hard work, and her many interests and abilities, she is sure to make a mark on the global stage.

Zachary Labrecque**Social Studies****Mrs. Christy McCanna**

The social studies department is proud to have Zachary Labrecque as our Burrowes Scholar this year. Zach demonstrates a very high level of interest in his social studies classes. As a sophomore in Accelerated World Cultures in a hybrid format, Zach was always engaged in class discussions and a willing participant in all activities and conversations. During Zoom sessions, he could be counted on to speak up when many others were reluctant. Additionally, the quality of his work was consistently outstanding and he showed a great deal of discipline and self-motivation in the hybrid schedule.

This year, Zach is continuing to shine in AP European History and Accelerated American Government. Beyond his quality of work, high-level writing skills, and ability to understand complex concepts is the enthusiasm and participation that Zach brings into his social studies classes. He never shies away from a debate. He defends his opinions and ideas respectfully and passionately. He shows his level of knowledge through his artful debate skills and the questions he asks. As further evidence of his interest in social studies, Zach has also elected to take AP Microeconomics online this semester.

Outside of his academics, Zach is an avid lacrosse player. He plays for the high school team as well as his club team. Zach is also a member of the National Honor Society. He enjoys debating a variety of topics with his friends including his opinions on music and movies.

We feel that Zach is an excellent representative of the social studies department. Zach is a truly positive addition to our classes and when he is absent, it is very noticeable! We appreciate his enthusiasm, work ethic, and dedication to his social studies classes.

Laura Leaman**Orchestra****Mr. Robert Shaubach**

It is with great pride that I recommend Laura Leaman as the 2022 Lampeter-Strasburg High School Orchestra Burrowes Scholar. Music educators take great joy in providing students with opportunities to grow as musicians and people. A Burrowes scholar is one who has taken full advantage of those opportunities on the basis of one or more outstanding character traits.

Laura Leaman has used her opportunities in the L-S Orchestra program to demonstrate musical excellence and ability to build community. She has successfully auditioned for membership in the Pennsylvania Music Educators Association District 7 and Central Region Orchestras, has been selected to the Lancaster-Lebanon County Orchestra, and her musical contributions to the ensembles in the High School Music Department are many. In addition, she is a valued member of the Allegretto Youth Orchestra. However, Laura's ability to collaborate sets her apart. Her consistently positive interactions with students and staff have expanded her reach as a leader and contributor. In short, Laura's exceptional personal character draws people in and helps them achieve group and individual successes.

When Laura was honored as the 2016 5th Grade Orchestra Burrowes Scholar, these same qualities were present. However, over the past six years Laura has continued to broaden her positive influence by taking on new opportunities in music, athletics, and the community. It is with respect and admiration that I present Laura Leaman as the Orchestra's Burrowes Scholar for 2022.

Laura Leaman**Spanish****Mrs. Jennifer Wade**

Laura Leaman enriches the world language classroom environment academically, socially, and culturally. Laura's academic excellence is a result of her diligence and interest in learning the Spanish language. She is a very supportive student and comes to class prepared and ready to apply her knowledge to new material. She is an outstanding leader in classroom participation and is always willing to help other students when it comes to small group or peer assignments. When given a task, Laura often initiates the action for the group and is willing to delegate responsibilities. She sets high standards for herself and models that impressive behavior to her peers with her respectful behavior, self-respect, kind heart, and completing all course requirements with enthusiasm. Laura enjoys a challenge when it comes to academics and when she doesn't understand a concept or word usage, she is brave enough to ask the why and what. Each day Laura greets her Spanish teachers with a cheery "Buenos Días." Her desire to acquire the language is evident in her attempts to speak as much in Spanish as possible. She has expressed a desire to spend time immersed in Spanish culture for her future plans.

It is our privilege to proclaim Laura Leaman the 2022 Burrowes Scholar in Spanish.

Katelyn Ranck**Agriculture****Mrs. K. Janae McMichael
& Mrs. Holly Oberholtzer**

Katelyn Ranck has been an active and reliable student in the Agriculture Education department for the past three years. Katie exhibits a strong work ethic along with good social and leadership skills that will make her successful in the future. She has served the agriculture department and the Garden Spot FFA chapter in many different capacities. She has served the Garden Spot FFA Chapter as an active committee member for various events and has held the office of Chapter Secretary, keeping diligent records, and Chapter Vice President, coordinating events and overseeing officers. Recently, she has been named the Chapter President for the 2022-2023 year. Katie brings a fun energy to all of our events. She has helped organize and facilitate many FFA events this year. You can always count on Katie to be ready to take on a task to support her members, officers and advisors. Her Supervised Agriculture Experience (SAE) projects have included her employment at her family's farm, Walnut Hollow Farm, and raising Market Goats and Dairy Beef Steers that she shows at the West Lampeter Fair. She works hard to keep quality records on her SAEs, winning county awards and degrees. Katie has participated in Career Development Events contests at the county, regional and state levels. Within the classroom, Katie shows immense leadership and growth. She has worked independently and with pride on a number of projects that showcased her knowledge of agriculture and the need to share this with others in the community. Katie is motivated and has the interest and drive to do well each day in the classroom, shop or the FFA. She is an individual that works hard and will be successful in her chosen career whether in agriculture or beyond. It is our pleasure and honor to declare Katelyn Ranck the recipient of the Burrowes Scholar in the field of Agriculture Education for 2022.

Katelyn Ranck**Family & Consumer Science****Mrs. Kathy Lynch**

It is my pleasure to nominate Katelyn Ranck for the 2022 Burrowes Scholar Award for Family and Consumer Sciences. Katelyn is a very talented, creative, and conscientious student. She takes pride in her work and shows the desire to learn. Katelyn has demonstrated mature behavior and has outstanding leadership qualities. In class, she always went the extra step with her class projects which impressed her peers and teachers. Katelyn is a very caring, thoughtful, and kind young lady. She has a cheerful personality and is well liked by her peers and teachers. Katelyn is an excellent student who has been on the Honor Roll every marking period in 9th, 10th, and 11th grades. This year she was inducted into the National Honor Society. Katelyn is also active in several school activities, such as Concert Band and L-S Girls' Basketball. She is extremely active with the Garden Spot FFA organization and has served as Secretary, Vice President, and newly elected President for the 2022-2023 school year. It was my pleasure to have Katelyn as a student in my Family and Consumer Sciences class last year. I truly admire her dedication and effort that she gives to her education. Congratulations Katelyn on a job well done! .

Braden Weese**Mathematics****Mr. John Achille**

"Desire is the key to motivation, but it's determination and commitment to an unrelenting pursuit of your goal – a commitment to excellence – that will enable you to attain the success you seek." – Mario Andretti

When I think of Braden Weese in my AP Calculus classroom, I immediately think of determination and commitment. Not only is Braden determined, but he enjoys the journey and the challenge of working a difficult problem. He sees the beauty of mathematics and makes key connections with ease. I love having Braden in class, and he is a teacher's dream student. He looks forward to this college-level course and is not afraid to take risks and be out of his comfort zone. He is self-confident, poised, and pleasant in class. If he does not understand a problem, he is not hesitant to ask questions. He is not content with routinely completing a problem; he wants to know "why" and "how" the concept works. Braden has a powerful desire to do his very best. He excels at an elevated level but is always willing to help others.

Braden is an outstanding math student and an exceptional young man. His performance in AP Calculus is consistent with his previous grades in the subject. I predict that he will be successful and score a five on the national exam in May 2022. I look forward to seeing him at the beginning of period 3 each day. His attitude and desire to learn pushes me to work harder and prepare my students the best that I can.

It is with honor and pleasure that I proclaim Braden Weese Burrowes Scholar in Mathematics.

Madison Weichler**Physical Education****Mrs. Kendall Krulock**

Madison has been an exemplary student from the first day of this semester in Life Team and Individual Sports as a junior. I did not have the opportunity to have her as a student prior to this year. However, speaking to her past health and PE teachers, her reputation and work ethic are things that have never wavered. Her approach to each of the classes has been the same in that she wants to excel at the highest level using both her natural ability in combination with her exceptional work ethic.

Madison is a wonderful classmate who interacts well with everyone she comes in contact. She is always positive and easy to talk to. She is also a key player on the soccer team as well as a member of the track and field team. Her positivity, athletic ability, work ethic and leadership are evident as she has been on varsity for both sports since her freshman year.

While demonstrating excellence in academics and athletics, Madison is also involved in additional activities. She has volunteered her time with the Varsity club as well as the Mini-thon committee. When she is not busy with athletics, volunteering, and school work, Madison also rides horses and competes all around the area - traveling as far as Maryland and Delaware. Madison is committed to excellence in all areas of her life and it is my honor and privilege to declare her the Burrowes Scholar in the field of Health and Physical Education for 2022.



Fifth Grade Burrowes Scholars

The Class of 2029

Row 1 (from left) - Eileen Wieand, Asha Lindskog,
Jenna Stauffer, and Gabrielle Edwards.

Row 2 - Santino Moscoso Rondon, Bethany Sanborn,
Trinity Carter, Abigail Geidel, Olivia Lewis, Ella Denlinger,
Bryce Hartz, Tate Messinger, and Rudra Patel

Row 3 - Eleanor Curtis, Sophia Coon, McKenna Black,
Kaitlyn Barrall, Connor Allison, Sam Samberg, and Emma Stiles



Eighth Grade Burrowes Scholars

The Class of 2026

(From left) - Grace Phipps, Merin Kauffman, Elizabeth Shiffer,
Madeline Frego, Julia Knapp, Alex Sutherland, Evan Taggart,
Carlos Berrios, Jack Ross, Chase Hurst, and Trevor Groff

Not Pictured: Addison Boyd and Eliana Ruiz



Eleventh-Grade Burrowes Scholars

The Class of 2023

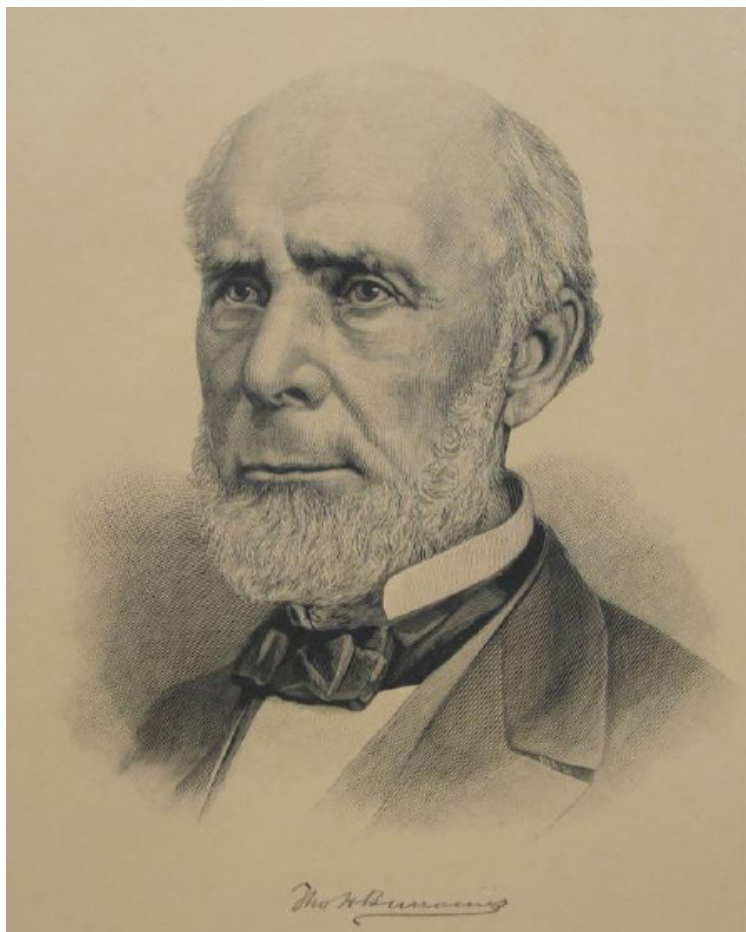
Row 1 (from left) - Lana Dyer, Madison Baker, Sophia Fiorello,
Laura Leaman, Zachary Labrecque, Hunter Hildenbrand,
Luke Brenneman, and Braden Weese

Row 2 - Krista Lambert, Maya Carl, Katelyn Ranck, Tanner Groff,
Madison Weichler, Jenna Hoover, and Kira Fritz

Congratulations



2022 Burrowes Scholars



Thomas Henry Burrowes
1805 - 1871