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PRESS RELEASE

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Sena Raschio | Regional Teacher of the Year | Grant County

Grant School District 3 is proud to announce that Sena Raschio, kindergarten teacher at Humbolt Elementary School, has been selected as the Regional Teacher of the Year for the 2025-2026 school year!

Each year, the Oregon Department of Education, in partnership with the Oregon Lottery, honors 17 educators statewide with this prestigious award.

The nominating letter included the following:

“Sena brings an unmatched level of creativity and delight to her teaching. Her ability to make learning both rigorous and exciting keeps students engaged and eager to participate. Every day in her classroom is dynamic, joyful, and filled with purposeful learning.”

Beyond her classroom, Sena has strengthened her school and district by co-developing a teacher mentoring program, leading curriculum adoption committees, and guiding literacy initiatives. She also fosters community connection through events like the Kindergarten Gold Rush, Donuts with Grownups, and Mother’s Day Tea.

“Sena is an exemplary educator, mentor, and leader,” said principal Janine Attlesperger. “Her dedication lifts students, colleagues, and families across our community.”

Superintendent Mark Witty stated: “We are incredibly fortunate to have Sena Raschio as part of the Grant School District #3 team. Her unwavering dedication to students, unmatched passion for education, and contagious enthusiasm make her a standout in our schools. Sena truly embodies the very best of the teaching profession.”

As Regional Teacher of the Year, Sena will now be considered for the Oregon Teacher of the Year award.

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