



Apples of Achievement

Apples of Achievement go to the following students, staff, parents and district supporters:

To Circle High School student **Tanis Newby** for being named a Commended Student in the 2018 National Merit Scholarship Program.

To **Circle High School Band Members** for earning a 1 Rating at the Kansas State Fair Marching Band Competition.

To our Circle High School KU Honors Scholars representing the top 10% of their senior class: **Darrah Devinney, Matthew Chace, Kristen Horyna, Hayley Koontz, Zachary Keene, Keegan Leth-Nissen, Riley Lindberg, Camron Perry, Anna Strecker, Shae Weatherson, Eric Webb.**

To the Circle High School DAR Good Citizen nominees selected by faculty and winner selected by seniors: **Kristen Horyna-Winner; Other nominees are Cole Duncan, Hayley Koontz, Keegan Leth-Nissen, Camron Perry, Avery Stuever.**

To Circle High School flutist **Kate McNeely** for earning a second chair flute position in the District SCKMEA Honor Band and qualifying to audition for State Honor Band. **Kate** auditioned and was selected to perform with the KMEA All State Honor Band.

To Circle High School students for being named Students of the Month: **Cole Duncan**-September; **Camron Perry**-October; **Adam Deewall**-November; **Hayley Koontz**-December; **A. J. Hinnen**-January; **Darrah Devinney**-February.

To the Circle High School **Freshman Volleyball Team** for placing 2nd at their season opener, Andover Central Tournament.

To the Circle High School **Girls Varsity Tennis Team** for placing 1st at their season opener, Circle Quad.

To the Circle High School **Girls Varsity Tennis Team** for placing 1st at the Hillsboro Invitational.

To the Circle High School **Boys Cross Country Team** for placing 1st at their season opener, WSU JK Gold Classic.

To the Circle High School **Boys Cross Country Team** for placing 1st at the Wamego Invitational meet.

To our Circle High School **Cross Country teams** for placing at their Circle home meet as follows: **Boys Varsity** placed 1st; **Boys JV** placed 3rd; **Girls Varsity** placed 2nd and the **Girls JV** placed 1st.

To our Circle High School **Boys and Girls Cross Country Teams** for placing 1st at the Halstead Invitational.

To 2017 Circle High School Fall Homecoming Candidates: **Landon Meyers, Logan Phillips, Avery Stuever, Kristen Horyna, Brennan Patty, Camron Perry.**

To the 2017 Circle High School Fall Homecoming King and Queen: **Avery Stuever** and **Kristen Horyna.**

To **"The Bird Cage Crew"** Circle High School's student spirit section for ranking #1 in week 2 of the Varsity Kansas football student section ranking competition.

To our **Circle High School Volleyball Team** for placing 2nd at the KSHSAA 4A Div I Sub-State competition.

To Circle High School Tennis Team members for placing at the AVCTL meet: **Laura Ernestova**-2nd; **Summer Scharenberg**-3rd; **Halie Pearce** and **Janessa Waltemath**-4th; **Annabelle Adams** and **Lanna Chase**-5th.

To Circle High School Tennis team members **Summer Scharenberg, Annabelle Adams** and **Lanna Chase** for placing at the KSHSAA 4A Tennis Regionals and qualifying for state competition.

To our Circle High School **Boys Cross Country Team** for placing 1st at KSHSAA 4A Regionals and qualifying for state competition.

To our Circle High School **Girls Cross Country Team** for placing 2nd at KSHSAA 4A Regionals and qualifying for state competition.

To the Circle High School **Boys Cross Country Team** for earning the KSHSAA 4A State Cross Country State Championship title.

To the Circle High School **B.E.S.T. Robotics Team** members for placing 3rd at the Kansas B.E.S.T. Game Day competition and qualifying to compete at Regionals in Arkansas.

To the Circle High School **B.E.S.T. Robotics Team** members for placing 3rd overall at the Regional Championships in Arkansas.

To Circle High School Football team members achieving AVCTL Div III All League Honors: **Lane Coulter**—Honorable Mention Quarterback; **Hunter Lies**—Honorable Mention Wide Receiver; **Corbin Ingram**—Honorable Mention Linebacker.

To the following Circle High School Volleyball team members for earning AVCTL Div III All League Honors: **1st Team-Shelby Reeder, Jessie Nibarger; Honorable Mention-Mallory Cowman, Brennan Patty, Camron Perry.**



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To the following Circle High School Soccer team members for earning AVCTL Div III All League Honors: **2nd Team-Gavin Carson, Forward; Alec Wilkerson, Midfield; Nathan Todd, Defender; Honorable Mention-Logan Ward, Forward; Brayden Ketley, Midfielder; Gage Storm, Defender.**

To the following Circle High School Girls Tennis team members for earning AVCTL Div III All League Honors: **2nd Team-Laura Ernestova, #1 Singles; Honorable Mention-Summer Scharenberg, #2 Singles.**

To the following Circle High School Cross Country team members for earning AVCTL Div III All League Honors: **1st Team-Kelsie Kelly, Kristen Horyna, Emma Willour, Avery Stuever, Eli Jacobson, Ryan Derry; 2nd Team-Brycen Schenhofer.**

To the **Circle High School Girls Basketball Team** for earning 1st Place at the Circle T-Bird Classic Tournament.

To Circle High School basketball team member **Alyson Potter** for being named to the Circle T-Bird Classic All Tournament Team.

To Circle High School basketball team members **Alyson Potter** for being named to the El Dorado Lady Cat Classic All Tournament Team; to **Carissa Beck** for earning the free throw percent leader and **Jordan Hammer** for being named to the All-HustleTeam.

To Circle High School boys basketball team member **Jude Warren** for being named to the El Dorado Bluestem Classic All Tournament Team and to **Lane Coulter** for being named to the All Hustle Team.

To the **Circle High School Freshman Girls Basketball Team** for placing 1st at the Garden Plain Tournament.

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To the 2018 Circle High School Winter Homecoming Candidates: **Ciara Dutton, Autumn Olson, Keely Shaft, Ramón Marmol-Cervera, Lane Coulter, Hunter Lies.**

To the 2018 Circle High School Winter Homecoming King and Queen: **Ramón Marmol-Cervera and Keely Shaft.**

To Circle High School students for participating and earning excellent ratings at the KSHSAA Regional Piano Festival—receiving II ratings **Tony Oshakuade, Keely Shaft, Lucas Williams;** and

receiving a I rating and qualifying for State Festival **Darrah Devinney.**

To Circle High School student **Darrah Devinney** for earning a II Rating at the KSHSAA State Piano Festival.

To Circle High School Art students for qualifying for the Secondary School Scholastic Art Show at Mark Arts-Wichita: Gold Key—**Weston Ahles, Marque McAnally;** Silver Key—**Sage Brown;** Honorable Mention—**Jarrett Harker, Lainey Perez, Savannah Seacrest, Brooke Watkins, Ashlie Weber.**

To the **Circle High School Girls Basketball Team** for earning the KSHSAA 4A Div I Sub-State Champions title.

To the **Circle High School Boys Basketball Team** for earning the KSHSAA 4A Div I Sub-State Runner-Up title.

To Circle Middle School class spelling bee winners: 7th Grade—**Addison Haskins**—Champion and **Grace Schmidt**—Runner-up; 8th Grade—**Bekah Miller**—Champion and **Landon Metzger**—Runner-up.

To Circle Middle School Spelling Bee Champ—**Grace Schmidt** and Alternate—**Addison Haskins.**

To Circle Middle School student **Grace Schmidt** for placing 2nd at the Butler County Spelling Bee. **Grace** will represent CMS and Butler County at the Regional Bee in Hays.

To the Circle Middle School 7th Grade P.R.I.D.E. students for the month of October: **Riley Chenoweth, Katie Coble, Draven Marten, Claire Metzger, Audrey Turner.**

To the Circle Middle School 7th Grade P.R.I.D.E. students for 1st Semester: **Riley Chenoweth, Drew Allen, Trevor Cowman, Sid Leep, Alison Unruh, Emma Hinton, Dylan Foes, Katie Coble, Grant Ledbetter, Lucy Haller, Alicia Matney, Audrey Turner, Elizabeth Kelley.**

To the Circle Middle School 8th Grade P.R.I.D.E. students for the month of October: **Alyssa Friesen, Maggie Gerber, Laynie Graves, Nolan Messmore, Lyla Ott.**

To the Circle Middle School 8th Grade P.R.I.D.E. students for the month of December: **Marissa Matney, Rylan Rose, Erin Johnson, James Allen, Megan Guthrie.**

To the **Circle Middle School 8th Grade Football Team** members for earning the Pioneer League Championship title.



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To the **Circle Middle School 8th Grade Girls Basketball Team** for winning the Pioneer League Championship title.

To Benton Elementary student **Lucy Haller** for winning the State D.A.R.E. Essay contest for 2016-2017. Lucy and her family were honored at the Kansas Juvenile Officer's Association awards banquet in July.

To the **Circle Middle School 7th Grade Math Relay Team** for taking 1st Place at the Pioneer League Competition.

To Circle Benton Elementary Spelling Bee Champ—**Kylie Dennison** and Alternate—**Isabel Leis**.

To Circle Benton Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of RESPECT in the month of August: **Jesse Nelson, Allora Knowles, Traye Cheek, Natalie Smithson, John Swift, Coy Stephens, Jon Grate, Kenadee McKee, Aiden Frischenmeyer, Ethan Vega, Zak May, Kira Sawyer, Cole Simon, Ginger Phillips, Morgan Henry.**

To Circle Benton Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of FRIENDSHIP in the month of September: **Beckett Smith, Roman Spencer, Maddie Engels, Brylee Bradshaw, Bill Bruner, Noelle Nigh, Kooper McKee, Hunter Cowman, Aspyr Nevin, Kaitlyn Swift, Blayne Shaddox, Brandon Claycamp, Carsyn White, Brooklyn Brines, Peyton Arebalo, Emily Rock.**

To Circle Benton Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of GRATITUDE in the month of November: **Aiden Frischenmeyer, Saylor Mattke, Christian Andrews, Katie Beggs, Mason Weiss, Madelyn Perrier, Cameron Warren, Audrey Smith, Bryson Bennington, Kyson Smith, Ameilianna Mills, Rylie Mattke, Ellee Everett, Austin Kline, Danny Phillips.**

To Circle Benton Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of GENEROSITY in the month of December: **Gabriel Ayers, David Evans, Hunter Lewis, Jens Mattke, Zack Sanders, Andrew Tien, McKinlee Melton, Kylie Dennison, Kira Sawyer, Chase Myers, Payton Maclaskey, Hailey Coble, Evan Friesen, Jonathan Thurn, Isabel Leis, Brandon Claycamp, Lily Hamel.**

To Circle Benton Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of COMMITMENT in the month of January: **Braden Kline, Elizabeth Collins, Isabella Geltz,**

Garrett Carley, Weston Johnson, Jaymee Larson, Hunter Cowman, Jordan Carter, Shelby Henning, Aiden Nienhaus, Bella Wimberly-Blume, Aiden Razey, Cody Hofer, Maggie Ryan, Emma Johnson.

To Circle Benton Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of KINDNESS in the month of February: **Lily Razey, Jennifer Gayer, Gage Bruns, Allison Duree, Maggie Ryan, Garret Uhlman, Stormi Echols, Brynne Bowman, Emily Rock, Jackson Daugherty, Kristian Hamilton, Josie Razey, Lynni Storm, Gavin Bui, Geneva Pickering, Zachary Chrisman, Sophia Engels, Ava Tunnell, Averie Sawyer, Briley Bui, Andrew Tien, Dierk Dockers, Hunter Cowman.**

To Circle Greenwich Elementary classroom spelling bee winners: **Ethan Koehn, Josh Cryer, Nick Ahles, Coralie Bond, Apryl Archibald and Ali Rogers.**

To Circle Greenwich Elementary Spelling Bee Champ—**Nick Ahles** and Alternate—**Coralie Bond.**

To Circle Greenwich Elementary students selected as September Students of the Month for the Big Character Idea of FRIENDSHIP: **Leighton Brenzikofer, Eldon Andrus, Maggie Schultz, Georgia Beckner, Bailey Norris, Jackson Gilchrist, Emily Fitzgerald, Kinley, Braxtyn Speer, Kayli Johnson, CJ Hawkins, Shaurya Achar, Belara Kasner, Layla Atha, Allie Roat, Kaley Fitzgerald, Ali Rodriguez, Apryl Archibald, Joshua Pfeiffer, Liam Maholland, Moly Truskett, Quinn Hogan, Sofia Narciso, Taryn Brown, Sophia Talkington, Emma Kern, Lily McLain.**

To the Circle Greenwich Elementary STUCO Officers and Class Representatives for 2017-2018: **Nick Ahles-President, Emma Kern-Vice President, MaKya Thornton-Secretary, Taylor Chenoweth-Treasurer; and Representatives-Derrick Davis, Klara Robertson, Ethan Bullinger, Jocelyn Edwards, Creyton Doll, Hazel Zagula, Quinn Hogan, Allie Schlabsz, Truman Metzger, Coralie Bond, Isabella Barrett, Kedric Kasner.**

To Circle Greenwich Elementary students selected as October Students of the Month for the Big Character Idea of CREATIVITY: **Kaleb Shelinbarger, Ava Nelson, Levi Carpenter, Andi Truskett, Carly Phillips Ernst, Lyndon Burgardt, Micah Ulrich, Khoen Riedel, Bentley Kidwell, Madeline Bond, Sophia Lack, Brenna Baker, Ealyia Herrera,**



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Brody Mosier, Logan James, Braxton Musel, Natalie Bullinger, Gage Turner, Coralie Bond, Meredith Unruh, Lola Knoll, Kedric Kasner, Braelyn Turner, Owen Byfield, Michelle Co, Vanessa Roat, Sam Pfeiffer, Flint Tipton, Keegan Barker.

To Circle Greenwich Elementary students selected as November Students of the Month for the Big Character Idea of GRATITUDE: **Kara Shelinbarger, Camden Back, Kai Schaller, Terrik Logan, Malachi Mahugi, Gemma Boccia, Kawthar Alkhalifah, Cayden Pratt, Gage Wemmer, Lydia Unruh, Aubrey O'Connor, Lucas Boettjer, Ava Beebe, Jackson Katzenmeier, Kaydance Navarro, Caleb Back, Mason McGinley, Isabella Lippincott, Joshua Murphy, Diego Gamboa, Julia Koehn, Anna Duncan, Chandler Tripp, Carson Brensing, Molly Fitzgerald, Blake Logan, Luke Buded, MaKya Thornton.**

To Circle Greenwich Elementary students selected as December Students of the Month for the Big Character Idea of GENEROSITY: **Brenna Marko, Jack Myers, Theron Luallen, Willow Swartz, Isaac Fenske, Perry Haines, Isaac Duncan, Addyson Whitehead, Avery Michael, Zachary Jacobson, Chet Balzer, Delaney Budd, Jason Smith, Jack Antone, Chloe Clark, Noah Edwards, Lyla Schroeder, Beth Turner, Isabella Barrett, Lakyn Lippincott, Hazel Zagula, Aden Camfield, Makayla Kintzel, Logan Myers.**

To Circle Greenwich Elementary students selected as January Students of the Month for the Big Character Idea of COMMITMENT: **Jake Hoefler, Carter James, Gannon Metoyer, Vinny Gibbons, Jack Maggard, Evelyn Corne, Grammer Perng, Tylie Acker, Deandre Rattler, Owen Hogan, Jackson Shultz, Ricky Miller, Harper Pogue, Lucas Cranston, Parker Metoyer, Briella Granger, Joshua Brasier, Brenleigh Mahugi, Jillian Edwards, Abby Tillman, Ali Rogers, Garion Kasner, Allie Schlabz, Chloe Foster, Gianna Gomez, Jaivyn Williams, Nate Stephens, Jocelyn Edwards.**

To **Circle Oil Hill Elementary** for being awarded a Youth Literacy Grant from Dollar General Literacy Foundation in the amount of \$2,000.

To Circle Oil Hill Elementary students for placing in the 2017 Butler County Conservation District Poster/Limerick contest: 1st Place-**Elizabeth Ledbetter**, 2nd Place-**Brendan Kelso**, 3rd Place-**Madison Wishart**, Annual Meeting Cover-**Piper Plunk**.

To Circle Oil Hill Elementary student **Hannah Sharp** for winning the Elks Lodge Essay Contest.

To Circle Oil Hill Elementary Spelling Bee Champ—**Cody Williams** and Alternate—**Amelia Jesseph**.

To **Circle Towanda Elementary** for being awarded an Edcamp Foundation Impact Grant in the amount of \$500.00 for MakerSpace supplies.

To Circle Towanda Elementary students recognized for demonstrating the character skill of JOY in the month of DECEMBER: **Dimitri Farmer, Dani Aitchison, Noah Weishaar, Camdon Jordan, Matthew Haney, Lily Oliver, Jesse Beck, Chloe Wolf, Nicolis Creely, Corey Merrick, Raylie Verner, Heath Keener, Alexis Carr Edson AriBayla Nickerlson, Acelynn Marler, Taylor Carroll, Kaden Skillman, Harrison Koehn, Reagan Horner, Lauren Burk, Evangeline Nickelson, Selphie Collins, Aubrey Martin, Peyton Milam, Ascia Bowdre, Logan Nice, Josh Harding, Emma Krahn, Aedan Towerly.**

To Circle Towanda Elementary Spelling Bee Champ—**Isabelle Hawkins** and Alternate—**Blake Moore**.

To Circle Towanda Students **Leah Moore** and **Cooper McGaha** for winning the Junior Fire Chief Essay Contest.

To Circle High School Cross Country Coach **Gary Wartick** for being named UST&F Kansas Coach of the Year and KSHSAA 4A Boys Cross Country Coach of the Year.

To Circle High School Girls Head Basketball Coach **Brian Henry** for earning his 300th Varsity Career win.

To **Verus Bank** and **AXA Advisors** for providing lunch and breakfast for all staff at the back to school inservice day.