

Students receive 2002 scholarships, awards and recognitions

Vernonia High School Principal's Awards

The following students were named for Principal's Awards for the 2001-02 school year at Vernonia High School:

Top Five Seniors

Valedictorians - Alex Hayes, Shawn Hillyer, Alisha Jundt
Salutatorians - Brass Sears, Megan Pattison

Vernonia High Class of 2002

Graduates of the Vernonia High School Class of 2002 received the following scholarships and awards:

Jennifer Bernardi - Vernonia Credit Union, \$600; Booster Club, \$500; VHS Melis Cheerleading, \$500.

Elizabeth Brookins - Holce Logging, \$1,500.

Krystyn Brucken - Youth Corps, \$1,500.

Miranda Casteel - Youth Corps, \$1,500.

Kyle Cota - Holce Logging, \$1,500.

Melissa Devlaeminck - Holce Logging, \$1,500.

Luke Ellis - Mike Busch Memorial, \$500; Vernonia Rural Fire Board of Directors, \$500; Booster Club, \$500.

Curtis Fetch - Youth Corps, \$1,500.

Nikki Gwin - NW League Principal's, \$200; PEO Sisterhood Scholarship, \$500.

Alex Hayes - Lion's, \$1,000.

Shawn Hillyer - NAVY ROTC, Full Tuition and Books for 4 years.

Jeff Holbrook - Mike Busch Memorial, \$500.

Alicia Jundt - Holce Logging, \$900; Lion's, \$1,000; Nelson Fam-

Athletic

Army Reserve Scholar/Athlete - Jennifer Bernardi, Antonio Cebola

U.S. Navy ROTC Scholar-Athlete - Shawn Hillyer

Mickey Bruer Memorial Golf Award - Brass Sears

Albert Brunsman Memorial

Award - Eric Weller

Most Inspirational Underclassman in Sports - Kortni Hyde

Terry Smith Memorial (most inspirational Sr.) Bobby Lokken

Outstanding Athlete - Brass Sears

Student Council

President Megan Peura
Vice-President Jennifer Bernardi

Secretary Rose Peets
Treasurer Brittany Kerns

Student Body Mgr. Kendall Graham

Sergeant-at-Arms Nicole Potter

Foreign Exchange Representative Heather Forster

Fire Marshall Brandon Peura

Leadership

Outstanding Leadership - Jennifer Bernardi, Nicole Potter

Service Awards

Freshman - Ashley Forster

Sophomore - Megan Baker, Katy Taylor

Junior - Brittany Kerns

P.E.O. - Alex Hayes, Bobby Lokken

Senior Project Awards

Best Speech - Veronika Svobodova

Best Physical Project, Honorable Mention - Shawn Hillyer, Rebekka Peller, Dustin Titus, Liana Traylor

Best Physical Project Nicole Gwin, Charles Gendron

Over-all Best Senior Project, Honorable Mention - Rose Peets, Brandon Dennis, Jack Murphy, Ivica Wirghova, Alex Hayes, Sarah Pantoja, Megan Pattison

Over-all Best Senior Project - Antonio Cebola

Mathematics

Algebra I - Caressa Brooks

Geometry - Kim Normand

Algebra II - Carrick Flynn

Informal Algebra - Jennifer

Busch, Samantha Gunther
Advanced Mathematics - Ben Brookins

Trigonometry - Shawn Hillyer

Pre-Calculus - Emilee Suess

McEntire Math Award - Ben Brookins & Emilee Suess

Family Living

Sarah Sook, Antonia Montanus

Science

Advanced Biology - Veronika Svobodova, Rose Peets

Chemistry - Ben Brookins, Shawn Hillyer, Emilee Suess

Biology - Katy Traylor, Dennis DeWitt

Physical Science - Jessica Westlake

Advanced Physical Science - Kyle Suess

English

Introduction to Literature, Outstanding Freshman - Julie Hales, Jason Hennessey

Survey of Literature, Outstanding Sophomore - Katy Traylor, Andrew Brookins

Best Writer - Emilee Suess

Best Literary Discussion - Stephanie Bobbitt

Alvilda Hearing Award - Shawn Hillyer

Columbia County Spelling Bee - Charles Gendron

Music

Best Band Director - Charles Gendron

Most Valuable Band Member - Chris Richardson

4-Year Band Member - Alex Hayes, Darcy Kunkel, Megan Peura, Charles Gendron, Shawn Hillyer, David McMurtrey, Troy Hargrave

John Philip Sousa Award - Shawn Hillyer

4-Year Choral Student - Emily Sohler, Rose Peets

Quiz Bowl Award

Participants - Marshall King,

Ben Brookins, William Hales, Christopher Richardson, Charles Gendron,

Physical Education

Female Weightlifter of the Year - Jennifer Bernardi

Social Studies

U.S. History - Rachel Bentsen

Government - Shawn Hillyer

Psychology - Emilee Suess

Modern Problems - Alex Hayes

Global Studies - Tyler Dougherty, Megan Pattison

Drama

Technical Award - Andrew Brookins, Caitlyn Morrow

Best Supporting Actor - Carrick Flynn

Best Actor - Shawn Hillyer

Best Supporting Actress - Abby Nelson

Best Actress - Rachel Bentsen

Tony Dettmer Memorial Award - Jake Brock

Photography

Ivica Wirghova, Emilee Suess, Liana Traylor, Katrina Hall

Art

Art I - Bodeine Rumbolz, Antonia Montanus

Advanced Art - Jessica Dillon, Ivica Wirghova, Robbie Fetherston, Alisha Jundt

LRC Classes

Good Citizenship - Helena Shafer, Trisha Lee, Tyler Dougherty

Semper Parataus Award - Helena Shafer

Best Over-all Team Member - Trisha Lee

Most Improved Team Member - Tyler Dougherty

Mr. Fix-it - Kody Watts

Office Aid - Stacy Lennon

Tech Crew - Outstanding Worker - Nicole Potter, Billy Leach

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WGS Junior High Honor Roll

The following junior high students at Washington Grade School were named to the academic honor roll for the fourth quarter.

Principal's Honors, 4.00- B.J. Linville, Ben Schorzman, Brittanee Roberts, Brittney Lindauer, Joreigh Landers, Kristin Kelly, Laura Brookins, Timothy Hein.

High Honors, 3.50-3.99- Akeshia Maldonado, Amber Abney, Bryan Budge, Christina Sohler, Danielle Robb, Erin Gehrke, Heather Hennessey, Heather Maller, Jacob Hales.

Jessica Dahl, Jessica Long, Jessica Shaw, Jessica Tarrence, John Fitch, Kevin Johnston, Kizzie Peirce, Kristel Norby, Kristin Cota, Kristina Lamping, Luke Johnston, Seth Brock.

Mackenzie Bassett, Marisol Borquez, Melissa Chelby, Nandi VanMeter, Nicole Frantz, Rhiannon Meyer, Russell Lende, Sam Thorn-

ton, Tiffany Thayer, Zachary Serafin.

Honors, 3.25-3.49- Alex Bittinger, Burdette Robb, Cassandra Gunter, Jacob Rice, Janelle Bashaw, Larinda Botchie, Nicholas Mohn, Nicole Kozachenko, Skyler Hoyt, Stella Maller, Stephanie Carr, Travis Baker.

Honorable Mention, 3.00-3.24- Alexander Townsend, Brent Thompson, Cassandra Fogel, Colton DeWitt, Dean Kozachenko, Jeffrey Paleck, John Howley.

Jonathan Kintz, Karli Vanderschelden, Lindsay Lennen, Nicholas Hammons, Sarah Warner, Scott Courtney, ShyAnne Carlile, Stacia Knurek, Travis Hansen.

Progressive Honors, raised GPA by .5 or more- Amanda Mathews, Burdette Robb, Christina Sohler, Corey Hooker, Dane Brown, Desiree Martin, Eric Lawhead, Isaac Wilson, Janelle Bashaw.

Jeffrey Paleck, Jesse Hill, Jessie Gehrke, Karli Vanderschelden, Luke Johnston, Michael Ashby, Mitch Stevens, Nicholas Sohler, Nicole Kozachenko, Paul Ogden, Rhiannon Meyer, Stella Maller.

Elizabeth Johnson graduates with honors

Elizabeth V. Johnson, a graduate of Vernonia High School, received a degree June 15 from the University of Oregon's College of Education. Johnson's honors include the Dean's List and membership in Mortar Board. After working for "Committed Partners for Youth," a mentorship program, she plans to work for not-for-profit organizations.