The Above and Beyond 'Thunder Clap' Recognition for the Week of October 3rd:

# Ada Nelson



## **Hometown Pride:**

"I am proud to be part of the OF community because there are so many supportive people here. I have felt the support my whole life and it has been a wonderful place to grow up."

### **Bleacher Report (activities):**

Clubs: Above and Beyond, Student Council, Band, Jazz Band, National Honors Society

Outside of School: Ruby's Pantry

#### **Thunder Role:**

"It is important to be a good role model because young kids in our community look up to us and see what actions are acceptable."

### **Topic Thunder:**

"It is important to me to stay away from drugs and alcohol because I want to be my best self and take care of my body."

### **Scouting Report (quotes from teachers):**

"Ada is a great student and a great, quiet, leader. She is always in a good mood, does what is expected, and is great to her classmates." – Mrs. Nelson

"Ada is one of the kindest individuals I have ever known. Her loyalty to her friends is unmatched and anyone in her circle is lucky to know her. I have always enjoyed having her as a student, and also enjoyed being her travel companion in Costa Rica. She represents our school and her generation well no matter where she goes or what she does!" – Mrs. Velasquez

"Ada has consistently been a conscientious student throughout all four years of high school." – Mr. Stoik

"Ada is a gem. She possesses quiet and intelligent humor that can be seen when she's with her friends. She's also studious and kind -- the type of person I'd definitely want as a friend if I was in high school." – Mrs. Beasley

## Fan Deck (quotes from peers):

"I love working with Ada because she has the best sense of humor and will listen to whatever stories we have to say!"

"Ada always tries her best and encourages others to do the same."

"Ada is involved and kind to others."

"Ada is such an amazing friend who is always kind!"

"Ada is a very sweet and caring person."

"Ada is always so considerate and caring of others."

"Ada is one the nicest person I have ever meet. I don't talk to her very often but when I do she is very considerate and empathetic. She works hard in school and looks for no recognition for her work."

"Ada Nelson because she is always respectful and willing to help."

"Ada always sets the standard high at our school. Her academic involvement is very inspiring."

"Ada is always kind, helpful and knows how to make me smile!"

#### **Hometown Hero:**

"Mrs. Velazquez is my hometown hero. She gave me and other students the opportunity to travel out of this country and see a whole new place. I will forever be grateful to her for this experience and making my peers and I better people by showing us other communities."