

The Above and Beyond 'Thunder Clap'
Recognition for the Week of January 1st:

Alyssa Burmesch



Hometown Pride:

"I am proud to be part of the O-F community because it is very tight-knit. The whole community is very hardworking and persistent. People support each other."

Bleacher Report (activities):

Sports: Track and Cross Country

Clubs: Above and Beyond, Speech Team, Hope Squad and the Musical

Outside of School: Girl Scouts

Thunder Role:

"When you're a good role model, you lead by example. You can inspire people to reach new heights or to be better."

Topic Thunder:

"Drugs and alcohol negatively impact your wellbeing, both physical and emotional/mental. They're not good for you or the people around you."

Scouting Report (quotes from teachers):

"Alyssa is a hard working student who can be seen going above and beyond to do work for not only her classes but her extracurriculars both in and out of school. She is a great teammate who helps encourage her speech team members and all of her peers." -Ms. Shay

"Alyssa is a gem. I absolutely love her creativity and sense of humor that she brings to our class and her work. She is always going above and beyond in her attempts to communicate in Spanish and she makes me proud every day!" – Mrs. Velasques

Fan Deck (quotes from peers):

"Everyone can see how hard she tries in her studies."

"Alyssa Burmesch is very friendly and kind. She is not afraid to be herself and she is very smart."

"Alyssa Burmesch stays very organized and gets her work done with a positive attitude."

"Alyssa Burmesch is a very smart person, and always involved."

"Alyssa is one of the smartest people I know, and I can rely on her. She's there to support you and she's self-aware about things."

"Alyssa has been there to help other people, disregarding how much she may not like a certain person. Alyssa has always been an honest and kind person, and thus this is why I picked her."

"Alyssa Burmesch is a really good person. She always does good in school and never argues with teachers. She always sees the best in situations and is amazing."

Hometown Hero:

"My hometown hero is Kayla Velasquez because she is a great teacher and cares deeply about her students and their wellbeing. She is passionate in her work and in connecting with her students. She is trustworthy and someone you can count on, especially when times are tough."