The Above and Beyond 'Thunder Clap' Recognition for the Week of January 29th:

Delaney Yokiel



Hometown Pride:

"I'm proud to be in OF community because of how quickly we all come together in a time of need.

After the death of Mikaela, the entire community came together to help fundraise for her funeral and I really feel proud to be in a community like that.

Bleacher Report (activities):

Sports: Dance Team, Cheer, Softball

Clubs: Above and Beyond, Student Council, FBLA

Outside of School: Miss Osseo

Thunder Role:

"I think it's important to be a good role model for the younger generations. Kids are very impressionable, so it's good to be a good role model to help lead them in the right direction. Some kids do not have good role models at home, so I think it's important to have your best foot forward and to do what's right, for you never know when a kid is watching you."

Topic Thunder:

"I have a lot of goals. I want to go to a good college and play softball. I want to teach and be a good student. All of these goals could not be accomplished if I used drugs, alcohol, and tobacco. It's important to stay away from them so I can be the best I can be."

Scouting Report (quotes from teachers):

"Delaney has been a very respectful and hardworking student. I really like the fact that she participates in class discussions and just goes about her business without the need for prodding or assistance." – Mr. Stoik

Fan Deck (quotes from peers):

"Delaney is so involved with the community. She's independent, smart, and is there to support anyone and anything in our community."

"I know that Delaney would never touch a substance. Delaney dreams big and pushes herself to do her best. She is in several school organizations and participates the most in all of them."

"Delaney is supportive and a great listener. She relates to the people she talks to and makes them feel heard and cared for."

"Delaney is always willing to give back and help out the little kids."

Hometown Hero:

"My hometown hero is Mrs. Jensen. She is a wonderful teacher and coach, and an even better person! She has pushed for more recognition for our accomplishments and always pushes for sportsmanship throughout the Osseo Fairchild sports. She is always there to lend a listening ear to those who needs! I'm very proud of her and how strong she came back after her hip replacement. She is a real hero!!"