

The Above and Beyond 'Thunder Clap'  
Recognition for the Week of December 11th:

## Lilly Armstrong-Baglien



### Hometown Pride:

"I am proud to be part of the OF community because we have a close-knit, small town feel. The OF community is more than a place to live, it's the people that come together when another needs support. I especially love our community activity of Music in the Park. It showcases our small businesses and local musicians, as well as supports our local causes."

### Bleacher Report (activities):

Clubs: Above and Beyond, Hope Squad and FBLA

### Thunder Role:

"It's important to be a good role model because good role models provide inspiration, motivation, and support to people younger or less experienced than them. If our upperclassmen can be good role models to the underclassmen and the middle schoolers, we create a better school for everyone."

### Topic Thunder:

"It's important to stay away from drugs, alcohol, and tobacco because it has lasting effects on our bodies that we may not understand the full price we will pay in the future for using those substances now. Above and Beyond members are role models for the school and younger students and if they are involved with substances, it would give younger students the impression that it's okay to use those substances."

### Scouting Report (quotes from teachers):

"Smart, funny and overall very charismatic...but enough about me. This week we celebrate Lilly. Throughout her tenure within the Tech Ed department she has continually pushed herself while not shying away from trying new things. She has been a role model for her peers and a leader within the classroom. I am proud of Lilly's determination and ability to overcome any obstacles. Keep up the good work! – Mr. Halvorson

### Fan Deck (quotes from peers):

"I am not particularly close to Lilly, yet she still is super nice and welcoming."

"Lilly Armstrong-Baglien is extremely dedicated and such a hard worker."

"Lilly has an amazing work drive like no other. She is president of Hope Squad and manages a lot of the activities we do."

"Her work ethic is so admirable. She's always looking for a new challenge, taking on 3 jobs at once etc. I love Lilly because she's the definition of a strong, independent woman, someone I'd like to be viewed as."

"Lilly is insanely smart and an overall caring person. She is very emotion-filled with her words while always having strong words of wisdom."

"Lilly Armstrong-Baglien has an incredible work ethic unlike anyone I have met and I definitely look up to her in that way."

"Lilly Armstrong Baglien is the president of Hope Squad and truly cares about the cause."

"Lilly is willing to drop everything to explain something to you or just give help where help is needed."

"Lilly is constantly pushing herself to learn more and strives to be the best at everything she does. Most seniors are taking it easy for their last year, not Lilly. She's working so hard."

### Hometown Hero:

"My hometown hero is my mom. She has always helped me be successful and supported my journey throughout my school years. She has gotten me back on track when school feels like too much to handle and encouraged me to aim high with my academics and extracurriculars"