

April Dukes of the Month

Business/ Brennah Grubb

It has been a privilege to have Brennah in class this year. She has been a tremendous student who gives her best to everything she does. Brennah has the ability to tackle any challenge and has an amazing work ethic. She has been a pleasure to have in class and I am looking forward to having her in class next year. Congratulations Brennah!

Mr. Pittman

Guidance Department/Morgan Peterson

Morgan is amazing. She is kind, intelligent, humble and quietly confident. These are perfect traits for the Guidance Department. Morgan's ability to follow our confidentiality policy demonstrates her maturity as a young role-model for others. We look forward to Morgan's help, character and smile on a daily basis and the students who come through the office do as well. Morgan, you are appreciated and we hope that you will continue to work with us for years to come.

Mrs. Boerio, Mrs. Cleveland, and Mrs. Smith

Social Studies/Hunter Shutler

The social studies department has chosen Hunter Shutler as its Duke of the Month. Hunter has a passion for history that is unparalleled in his class. He brings positive energy and enthusiasm to class everyday. Hunter is the most active participant in class and goes beyond the normal work load to learn more about each topic. He has brought in items of his own personal historical collection to share with the class and expand their knowledge of the content. Hunter works well with his peers in class and performs as a leader in group settings. It is for his dedication, passion, energy and enthusiasm for history that he has been selected as Duke of the Month. Congratulations Hunter!

Mr. Farrell

Vocal Music/Ben Carman

He is a phenomenal choral student who consistently displays an incredible work ethic, dedication, and respect towards his fellow ensemble members. Ben fully invests himself during every single class and rehearsal. He immediately responds to positive and constructive feedback, strives to be the best he can be, and enters class each day ready to work. The mission statement of the choral department is "striving for excellence in the art of choral music." I believe that Ben lives this mission statement out everyday by being a positive role model for all students in the choral program. Ben always works hard and shows he wants to be the best chorister he can be in both Duke Street and Marlinton Chorale. It is a true pleasure to have Ben as a student in the choral program. Bravo!

Mr. Looney

Mathematic/Evan McGuire

Evan is a junior this year at Marlinton and is currently taking both Precalculus and Statistics. He is a student who gives his best effort at all times, is prepared for class regularly, works well with other students in class, and takes responsibility for his own learning. He has demonstrated a true appreciation for the material learned in class, and has shown a genuine desire to understand the material completely. Evan has also helped in Math Lab this year by being available to help other students when needed. In addition to being a fine student in the classroom, Evan is a young man of strong character. He is responsible, trustworthy, and respectful, and is a fun person to be around. The math department is proud to present this honor to Evan McGuire.

Mr. Locke

CBI/Savanna Barker

Savanna has consistently shown her desire to graduate by being a very good student and an excellent school employee.

Mr. Marmon

Band/Rylee Miles

Rylee switched to Marlinton and has already stepped in and helped out with Large Group Contest (picking up two parts), has played drum set in Jazz Band, and has been working to improve himself and the group getting ready for next year.

Mr. Pendergast

Physical Education/Cassidy Ippolito

Cassidy has been chosen as Duke of the Month in PE class for March. She has also earned herself an A in the class. Cassidy comes to class prepared daily; she changes for class and participates everyday. She has a positive attitude and has great sportsmanship. She completes and turns in her assignments on time. For all of her efforts and hard work she has earned the Duke of the Month. Congratulations and keep up the good work! Mrs. Hoffman

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Health/Andrew Carr

Andrew is an exceptional student, and is very intelligent. He has completed all of his assignments on time and has earned himself an A in health. Andrew volunteers in class to read aloud and answer questions. He also seems to take interest in the area of health. For this he has earned himself "Duke of the Month." Keep up the great work!!

Mr. Leek

Engineering/Courtney Crawford

The Marlinton Engineering Department is happy to recognize Courtney Crawford as our Duke of the Month. Courtney is a dedicated student, not only during class, but also during the free periods she commits to her work. As treasurer of the robotics team her efforts are often behind the scenes and unrecognized, but despite this, she has been a consistent and valued team member. She enters each class with a positive demeanor, and a upbeat spirit. It has been my pleasure to have her in class for the last two years. For these reasons it is my pleasure to nominate Courtney as our Duke of the Month.

Mr. Denny

Science/Caitlenn Franks

I nominate Caitlenn Franks because she is an awesome student who always tries her best in everything she is doing. She plays tennis and works hard to make her game better. She does the same in Chemistry. She helps those around her to better understand the work. If I need help with an experiment set up or tear down she is right there to give me a hand. And best of all she always has a smile to brighten everyone's day.

Mrs. Morrison

Foreign Language/Chad Troyer

He is extremely hard working and helpful. He tutors French 1 and French 2 students during and after school. He is a French Honor Society Officer and takes a lead in planning events and fundraisers. Chad travelled to Quebec this summer in order to improve his French skills and get hands on experience with the culture. Chad opted to not take easier classes in order to challenge himself by taking French AP. This says a lot about his work ethic and love of the French language. He is one of the most polite, respectful and well-behaved students that I have in class. After having the pleasure of teaching Chad for 5 years in a row, I am sad that this is the last year I get to spend with him.

Mrs. Phillips

Art/Sania Rakes

This is the first year I have had the pleasure of knowing Sania Rakes. She is one of the most driven art students that I have this year. She stands out among her classmates because she puts her best effort into every assignment and is always excited about the task at hand. Sania never has to be asked to help out with clean up, she just automatically does whatever she can. She wipes the tables down almost daily. Sania is also wonderful about helping her friends when they need it. She gives great feedback in a positive way. She is a joy to be around as her good mood is contagious. For all of these reasons, I have chosen Sania Rakes as Duke of the Month.

Miss Stimer

All Subjects/Rose Montesano

Rose Montesano has been selected as our April student for Duke of the Month. Each day, 9th period, Rosie works as a student aide in art assisting the students in Miss Sanders class. Rosie demonstrates great friendship, leadership and support. Miss Sanders' students always look forward to seeing Rosie and learning from her. It is because of Rosie's kindness, dedication and sincerity that she has been selected as our April Duke of the month.

Miss Sanders

Office Aide/Maria Steve

Maria is an awesome attendance office aide. She arrives eager to help, and greets our visitors with a smile. Maria is incredibly accountable which allows me to focus on my tasks at hand. It is a pleasure to have her work in the office. Her skills will help her as she moves onto her college years. Thank you Maria.

Mrs. Bogunovich

Landscaping/Kenny Shaffer

He shows great qualities that make me believe he is ready to go into the work force. He is able to problem solve and work at something until a solution is found. Kenny also is willing to put forth extra time either during his lunch or academic assist to help with on going projects.
Mr. Lamancusa

Language Arts/Chris Kuhlmann

Chris was added to my class after the beginning of the year and has been a true asset to the class atmosphere. He is always on task and doing what he is supposed to do in class. He is respectful of his classmates and adds positivity to the class. For these reasons, Chris is my choice for student of the month.
Mrs. Kohmann
