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Moon Area Students Honored with Tiger Spirit Award



Zach Blaner (left) and Amanda Garuccio were recognized by Moon Area's Superintendent of School Donna K. Milanovich as Tiger Spirit Award winners during the April 13 Board of Education meeting.

Moon Area High School seniors Zach Blaner and Amanda Garuccio were recipients of Moon Area School District's Tiger Spirit Award on April 13.

Zach and Amanda were chosen by MAHS teachers for their selflessness, dedication and perseverance.

The Tiger Spirit Award is a new initiative undertaken by the district to recognize positive character attributes in students across Moon Area. It targets students who generally do not get time in the limelight and focuses on recognizing students for achievements on their own personal levels. This is not necessarily an educational award for outstanding grades but more of recognition for outstanding character.

Allard, Bon Meade, Brooks, Hyde and McCormick elementary schools and Moon Area Middle and High Schools each recognized two students one month out of the school year. Teachers submit nomination forms to building principals, who select the most deserving students.

Tiger Spirit Award winners are presented a certificate, a donated red and white floral bouquet from Fifth Avenue Flowers in Coraopolis and a donated Barnes & Noble gift card during monthly Board of Education business meetings by Dr. Donna K. Milanovich, Superintendent of Schools.