

# **Senior Awards 2018**

## **Department Awards**

### **English:**

#### **Outstanding Achievement in Creative Writing**

Katie Baker

#### **Outstanding Achievement in Ivy Tech Communications 101**

Eli Lucas

Annie Davis

#### **Outstanding Achievement in English 12**

Cassidy Powell

Brooke Rainier

#### **Outstanding Achievement in ACP English W131**

Kaleb Dunn

Ethan Furnish

Ryan Strahm

#### **Outstanding Achievement in ACP English L202**

Sierra Brooks

Grace Kempf

Heidi Popson

### **Fine Arts:**

#### **Outstanding Achievement in Musical Theatre Production**

Andrew Bittenbender

Mirashaye Basa

#### **Outstanding Achievement in Theatre 1A**

Jack Lucas

#### **Outstanding Achievement in Advanced Theatre**

Emily Geldermann

Eli Lucas

Cassidy Powell

#### **Outstanding Achievement in Directing**

Austin Bowles

Annie Davis

**Outstanding Achievement in Technical Theatre**

Nick Katchur

Grant Stumler

**Technical Merit Award**

Ryan Strahm

**Outstanding Achievement in Intro 2D Art**

Shane Hesse

**Outstanding Achievement in Intro 3D Art**

Reece Davis

Brady Gentry

Heidi Popson

Preston Taylor

Brogan Welch

**Outstanding Achievement in Ceramics**

Mirashaye Basa

**Outstanding Achievement in Ceramics II**

Madison Roehrs

**Outstanding Achievement in Drawing**

Claire Harper

**Outstanding Achievement in Digital Design**

Joe Uhl

**Outstanding Achievement in Painting**

Bri Hall

**Outstanding Achievement in Sculpture**

Katie Baker

Natalie Gallegos

**Outstanding Achievement in Sculpture II**

Bri Hall

**Mathematics:**

**Outstanding Achievement in Advanced Modeling**

Aaron Shireman

Jack Wagner

**Outstanding Achievement in PreCalculus & Trigonometry**

Brinley Prather

Brooke Rainier

**Outstanding Achievement in IUS Finite Math**

Isabel Coe

**Outstanding Achievement in IUS Brief Survey of Calculus**

Bailey Barron

**Outstanding Achievement in AP Calculus**

Nick Stapp

**Physical Education:**

**Outstanding Achievement in Advanced Physical Education**

Michael Gill

Hannah Hanlon

Marissa Hornung

**Outstanding Achievement in Fitness**

Adam Starr

**Outstanding Achievement in Weights**

Sam Bullington

Dylan Coomer

**Science:**

**Outstanding Achievement in Earth/Space**

Timmy Borden

Michael Gill

Blake Murphy

Nathan Smith

**Outstanding Achievement in Anatomy**

Sierra Brooks

**Outstanding Achievement in Ecology**

Andrew Bittenbender

Hannah Hanlon

**Outstanding Achievement in AP Chemistry**

Nathan Proctor

Joe Uhl

**Outstanding Achievement in Honors Physics**

Kyle Mills

**Outstanding Achievement in ACP Physics**

Nick Katchur

**Social Studies:**

**Outstanding Achievement in Personal Finance**

Bailey Barron

Jessica Lancaster

**Outstanding Achievement in Economics**

Hailey Cocke

Nick Heiligenberg

Shane Hesse

Heidi Popson

Brinley Prather

**Outstanding Achievement in US Government**

Katie Baker

Izzy Coe

Marissa Hornung

Nick Stapp

**Outstanding Achievement in AP Government**

Olivia Storz

**Outstanding Achievement in AP European History**

Emma Kerr

**Theology:**

**Outstanding Achievement in The History of Catholic Church**

Andrew Bittenbender

Marissa Hornung

Kirstie Krininger

Nicholas Stapp

Ryan Strahm

Julia Watson

**Outstanding Achievement in Catholic Social Teaching**

Mirashaya Basa  
Emily Geldermann  
Nikolaus Heiligenberg  
Jack Lucas  
Jack Wagner  
Zach Zelli

## **World Languages:**

### **Outstanding Achievement in Honors Spanish I**

Brogan Welch

### **Outstanding Achievement in ACP Spanish IV**

Marissa Hornung

### **Outstanding Achievement in Spanish V**

Shawn Fitzpatrick

### **Outstanding Achievement in Honors French I**

Ben Stevens

### **Outstanding Achievement in French II**

Adam Garcia

### **Outstanding Achievement in French IV**

Emma Delaney

### **Outstanding Achievement in French V**

Emma Dayvault

## **Scholastic Awards**

### **National Technical Honors Diploma Candidates**

Phillip Stoner, Stephen Schroering, Nathan Smith

### **National Technical Honors Society**

Stephen Schroering

**Four years Honor Roll Award:** Made the honor roll all four quarters of all four years, earning no grade below a B)

Katie Baker  
Bailey Barron  
Mirashaya Basa  
Sierra Brooks

Hailey Cocke  
Isabel Coe  
Emma Delaney  
Kaleb Dunn

Shawn Fitzpatrick  
Ethan Furnish  
Emily Geldermann  
Cody Gibbs  
Hannah Hanlon  
Claire Harper  
Clare Hooper  
Emma Huff  
Katerina Jones  
Grace Kempf  
Emma Kerr

Kirstie Krininger  
Jessica Lancaster  
Heidi Popson  
Brinley Prather  
Brooke Rainier  
Aaron Shireman  
Adam Starr  
Olivia Storz  
Julia Watson  
Brogan Welch  
Hannah Wolford

### **Distinguished Scholars**

1. Top Scholars in the class
2. Challenged themselves academically, tackling as many honors, Advanced Placement, and dual college credit courses as possible
3. Earned 95% of the total quality points possible.

Mirashaye Basa  
Sierra Brooks  
Isabel Coe  
Olivia Dome  
Kaleb Dunn  
Shawn Fitzpatrick  
Ethan Furnish  
Emily Geldermann  
Hannah Hanlon  
Claire Harper

Katerina Jones  
Grace Kempf  
Emma Kerr  
Amanda Kerstiens  
Heidi Popson  
Olivia Storz  
Ryan Strahm  
Brogan Welch  
Hannah Welch

**Karen Benham Memorial English Award**, named after the late Karen Benham, a beloved English teacher at Providence for 25 years. She was greatly respected by her colleagues for her dedication and love of literature. Mrs. Benham passed on her love of literature and the English language to her many students until her premature death of cancer in 2001. This award, in her memory, recognizes an outstanding student in English whose love for literature and language is evident in the student's work, both written and verbal.

Recipient: Nikolaus Heiligenberg

**Sister Joseph Louise Mathematics Award**, named after the late Sister Joseph Louise, who served at Providence from 1955 through 1965. She headed the Math and Science Department and taught a variety of math classes while here. In 1961, she inaugurated the "Mathematical Association of America Award," which was bestowed on a graduating senior for outstanding mathematical achievement. One year following her departure, the annual mathematics award was renamed in her honor – the Sister Joseph Louise Mathematics Achievement Award. It has been presented annually for 52 consecutive years.

Recipient: Shawn Fitzpatrick

**Norma Reynolds Chemistry Award**, named after the late Norma Reynolds, who served Providence for 21 years (1968-1989) as teacher of chemistry, physics, and biology. This award was established in 1990 and has been awarded annually ever since. Ms. Reynolds was an extremely dedicated and highly respected teacher of science who impacted students for more than two decades.

Recipient: Kaleb Dunn

**Judith Manning Social Studies Award**, named in honor of Jude Manning, who is retiring this year after 34 years at Providence. This award is given to a senior who has excelled in social studies and has a desire to major or minor in history in college. Ms. Manning's teaching career has spanned over 40 years, the majority of that time spent as a member of the Providence Social Studies Department. Her love of history and enthusiasm for teaching has been an inspiration to many Providence students. Hard work, dedication and a desire to make a difference have all been core principles modeled by Ms. Manning.

Recipient: Mirashaye Basa

**Kathleen Polansky Theology Award**, named in honor of Kathleen Polansky, who taught theology at Providence for 30 years. This award is given in her honor to a student who has excelled academically in the study of theology all four years; has shown exemplary character in dealing with teachers and peers; and has participated fully in theology classes as well as religious based school activities – such as retreats and liturgical ministry. Lastly, this student has consistently modeled a Christian lifestyle.

Recipient: Heidi Popson

**Salutatorian:** Second highest class rank in the senior class.

Shawn Fitzpatrick

Emma Kerr

**Valedictorian:** Highest-class rank in the senior class.

Heidi Popson

**Our Lady of Providence Honor Award**, given to a male and female student who best live the Providence mission and philosophy:

- Exemplary Christian Character
- Upholds high academic standards and integrity; achieves scholastically
- Participates fully in the life of the school through co-curricular and extracurricular activities
- Demonstrates leadership and dependability
- Promotes self-discipline, high personal standards, healthy relationships, and positive role modeling

Mirashaye Basa

Sierra Brooks

Jack Wagner

## Special Awards

### Athletic Blanket:

Shawn Fitzpatrick: nine varsity letters –

- Boys Golf - 4 years
- Girls Golf Manager () – 2 years
- Basketball Manager - 3 years

Spencer Purcell: 10 varsity letters –

- Football - 4 years
- Wrestling -1 year
- Track - 4 years
- Baseball Manager - 1 year

**Don Zipp Blue Pride Award**, named in honor of long-time social studies teacher Don Zipp and given to a male and female student who best show the true spirit of BLUE PRIDE:

- Worked for class unity through building positive relationships; treated classmates with respect, showed genuine care and concern for all classmates.
- Participated fully in the life of the school by attending school activities.
- Demonstrated pride in their school by being respectful of the missions of Providence, and its rules and regulations, its faculty and staff, and the student body.
- Helped to make Providence a better school by giving of their leadership, time, and talents and helped promote the Providence spirit in the school and community.

Hannah Wolford

Shawn Fitzpatrick

**Fr. Badin Citizenship Award**, given to either a male or a female student who furthers the high ideals of the Knights of Columbus:

- Exemplary Christian character
- Outstanding service to others
- Extraordinary dedication and loyalty to Providence
- Committed to making a positive difference at Providence and in the community
- Inspires others to give of themselves for the betterment of all people

Ethan Furnish