

GI-TEC/MY104.3 STUDENT OF THE YEAR!!!

Our wonderful partners and loyal supporters at My104.3 proposed something a little different to close out this school year. Rather than honoring a Student of the Month for May, they wanted instead to honor one

Student of the Year!

Each of our four CTE departments was to select one nominee from among their technical students and submit accompanying teacher narratives chronicling their accomplishments.

Nominees were required to submit their OWN narratives describing why they should be considered for this recognition. The My104.3 broadcast team reviewed the submissions and voted on the winner.



Now that you have the background, it's time for the big announcement.....Please congratulate our first-ever GI-TEC/My104.3 Student of the Year.....

Miss Ally Wentworth!!!!!!!

Ally was nominated by the Business Department for her remarkable record of leadership, volunteerism, extra-curricular activities, work ethic, and character.

Here are just a few of the activities that have kept this accomplished young lady busy during her high school career:



Pictured L - R: Mary Kay Voeks, CTE Director; Ally Wentworth, Student of the Year; Debb Leasher-Ross, Marketing Instructor

- ❖ Second year member of the GI-TEC Marketing Advisory Committee
- ❖ Captain of the MPHS varsity Soccer team for three consecutive years
- ❖ Student Senate member all four years of high school
- ❖ Hundreds of community service hours with a variety of organizations
- ❖ National Technical Honor Society (NTHS) member
- ❖ National Honor Society (NHS) member
- ❖ Rotary Student of the Month for April 2017

- ❖ 3rd year Marketing student
- ❖ Accounting and Business Management & Administration student
- ❖ 3rd year member of Business Professionals of America
- ❖ Coordinator of Marketing program
- ❖ Annual Oiler 5th and 6th Boys' Basketball tournament, The School Store sales, and other events
- ❖ GI-TEC BPA Chapter President for the past two years, competing and placing at regional, state, and national levels
- ❖ Assisted in coordination of BPA yard sale, fund drives, silent auction, meetings

- ❖ Childcare provider for Life Choices of Central Michigan
- ❖ Mission trip to West Virginia
- ❖ NHS Blood Drive and tutoring volunteer
- ❖ Soccer coach for Mt. Pleasant X-treme & Michigan Lansing Rush; camp counselor
- ❖ Food pantry volunteer
- ❖ Sports Boosters auction volunteer

And what do her after-graduation plans include? Ally has accepted an academic/soccer scholarship at Alma College beginning this fall and will pursue a degree in Marketing.

Ally was honored with a commemorative plaque and substantial prize package (restaurant gift cards, water park passes, salon services, and enough movie passes to last her the whole summer and beyond!).....all compliments of My104.3 and some very generous area employers. AND to top it all off, she was interviewed by one of the station's on-air personalities, Chris Spachman, during a live remote broadcast from Menards.

You make us proud, Ally! Congratulations and best wishes for success in all your future endeavors!