

OGDENSBURG CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
OGDENSBURG, NEW YORK

SUBJECT: Recognition of the Valedictorian and Salutatorian for the Class of 2018

DATE: April 2, 2018

REASON FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:

The Commissioners will recognize the Valedictorian and Salutatorian for the Class of 2018.

FACTS AND ANALYSIS:

The students with the highest and second highest 3 ½ year average will earn the titles of Valedictorian and Salutatorian. Students named Valedictorian and Salutatorian must have completed more than 5 semesters at OFA. The Valedictorian and Salutatorian, as well as the Class President, will address their classmates, family, and friends at the Graduation Ceremony. The Ogdensburg City School District Board of Education would like to congratulate Justyn McCormick as Valedictorian of the Class of 2018 and Coby Ryan as Salutatorian of the Class of 2018.

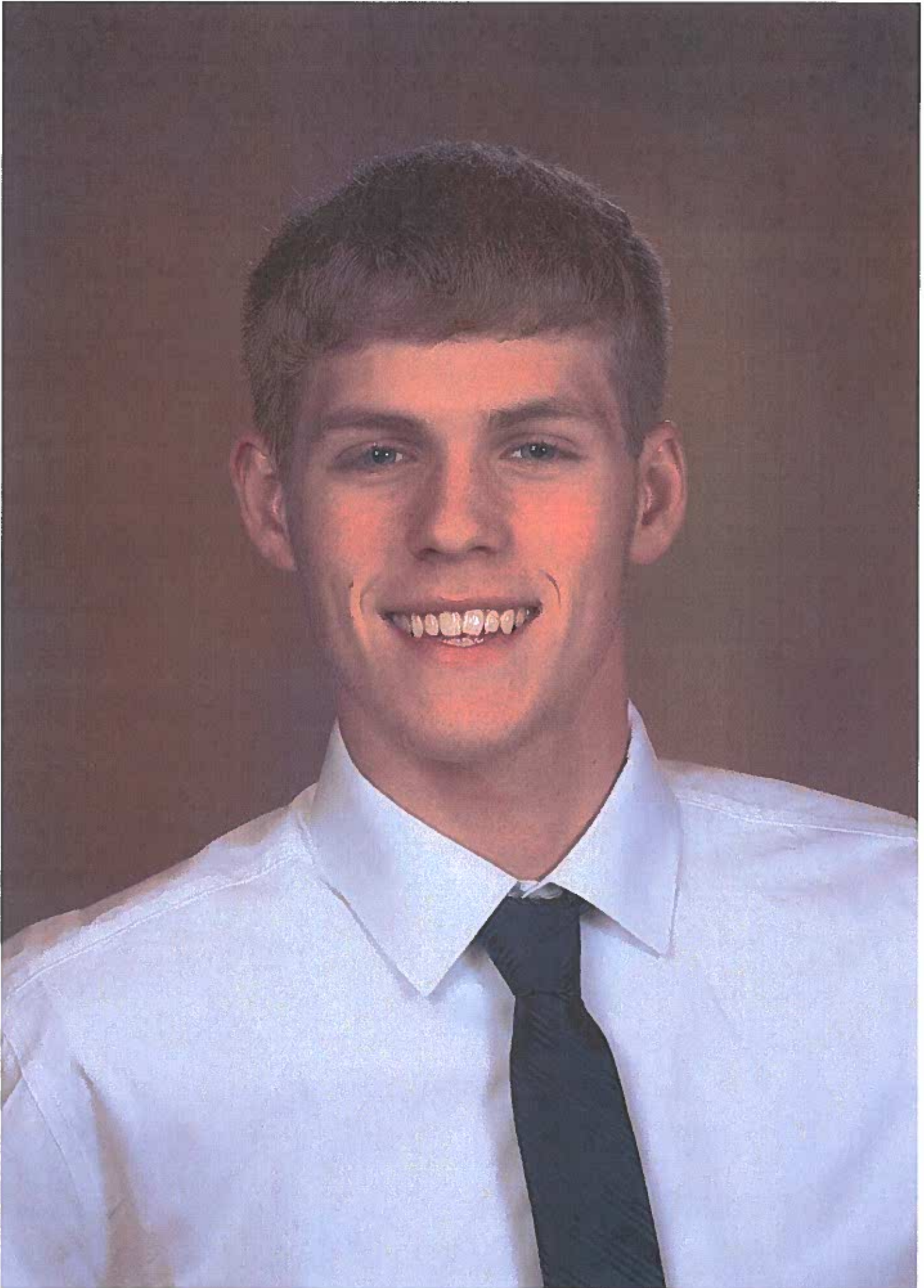
RECOMMENDED ACTION:

No action necessary, information only.

APPROVED FOR PRESENTATION TO THE BOARD:


Superintendent

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Attachments



OFA Class of 2018 Valedictorian

Mr. Justyn McCormick – Justyn McCormick is the son of Mr. Scott and Mrs. Patricia McCormick from Ogdensburg, NY. With a grade point average of 98.74, he ranks number one in his class of 109 students; a position he has held throughout his high school career. Justyn will graduate with an Advanced Regents with Honors and an annotation that denotes Mastery in Math and Science in June 2018. He has attended the Academic Recognition Ceremony throughout his high school career and this year he will sit at the head table.

Mr. McCormick has represented Ogdensburg Free Academy on the boys' Junior Varsity and Varsity soccer, basketball and baseball teams over the past four years. Justyn is an Academic All-Northern and a NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete. He is a member of National Honor Society, Whiz Quiz, and Myth Olympics.

Justyn has been actively involved with the Boys and Girls Club for several years. He is a member of the Boys and Girls Club and a Bidy Basketball Coach. Justyn has been employed by the Ogdensburg Boys and Girls Club since 2015.

Mr. McCormick is the recipient of the Alan Krause Citizenship Award. Justyn is the nominee for the Bausch & Lomb Honorary Science Award sponsored by University of Rochester as well as Clarkson University's Clarkson Leadership Award.

Justyn has applied to Clarkson University, University of Rochester and RIT. He plans to major in Chemical Engineering.



OFA Class of 2018 Salutatorian

Mr. Coby Ryan – Coby is the son of Mr. Garth and Mrs. Molly Ryan from Ogdensburg, NY. With a grade point average of 97.67, Coby ranks second in his class of 109 students; a position he has held throughout his high school career. He will graduate with an Advanced Regents with Honors diploma and an annotation that denotes Mastery in Mathematics and Science in June 2018. Coby has attended our Academic Banquet throughout his high school career, which qualifies him to sit at the head table this year.

Over the years, Mr. Ryan has represented Ogdensburg Free Academy on the golf, indoor track, soccer, and hockey teams. Coby has been a team captain for golf, soccer, and indoor track. He is a Section X Academic All-Northern and NYSPHSAA Scholar Athlete.

Coby is involved in several school and community activities such as, Whiz Quiz, Key Club, National Honor Society, Myth Olympics, Youth Philanthropy Council and the Elks Lodge.

Coby is expected to receive a NYS Academic Excellence Scholarship. He is the recipient of the Fredrick Douglas and Susan B. Anthony award from University of Rochester, and the Whitman Leadership Scholar Award from Syracuse University.

Mr. Ryan has applied to Syracuse University, Villanova, and Seton Hall. He plans to major in Business.