

Brooklyn Chomchai Chosen as Mt. Pleasant Rotary Student Citizen of the Month for September



Sacred Heart Academy senior, Brooklyn Chomchai, is the recipient of September's "Mt. Pleasant Rotary Club Citizen of the Month." Students who exemplify Rotary's motto of "Service above Self" by being involved in school, community, religious or civic affairs are normally honored each month during the Rotary luncheon however, due to COVID-19, the students were honored through a Zoom meeting in late April.

Brooklyn is an ambitious and positive leader at SHA. She currently serves as president of the senior class and is a member of Student Senate and National Honor Society. She also serves as the Key Club secretary. While in high school, Brooklyn played volleyball, basketball, softball, golf, ran track and is a member of the cheer team and has incredible gymnastic abilities. Brooklyn also participated in Spanish

Club, Choir, College Prep Club and Science Olympiad.

With over 300 community service hours, Brooklyn's focus has been volunteering mainly with Michigan Special Olympics, which she began as a sixth grader. In addition to working the summer MSO games held at CMU, Brooklyn volunteers with the athletes throughout the year by going for walks, playing bocce ball, soccer, horseshoes, cross country skiing, and snowshoeing. She participated in a mission trip to Costa Rica with other SHA Spanish students. While there, they shared God's word with the children, taught English to elementary students and provided food and companionship for the lonely. Brooklyn was selected to attend MYLead (Michigan Youth) Conference at Michigan State University where she was elected as a regional delegate. MYLead helps students develop critical thinking and leadership skills.

With a current GPA of 3.94, Brooklyn plans to attend University of Michigan where she will study biology or chemistry then continue her education at Ferris State University to pursue a degree in optometry. Congratulations, Brooklyn, and parents Dr. Joe and Mrs. Robin Chomchai.