

May 2024 Nominations



Rosemari Kroll – Teacher of Oral/Aural Deaf Education

“Rosemari and I work with a student in one of our shared districts. The other day, this student told me that her favorite day of the week is Thursday because she gets to see and work with Rosemari. Rosemari, you are making an impactful and life-long positive difference for students! I'm thankful to work with you. You are a bright spot in this child's life (and many others as well)!”

Ana Holtan – Special Education Paraprofessional

“I want to give a "Shout Out" to Ana Holtan! Ana is amazing at what she does. She is professional, patient, brings new ideas to the classroom, and is a team player. Our ELC-Montevideo SUN program is very fortunate to have her. Thank You Ana - you are one of the BEST!”

Deb Whisney – Substitute Special Education Paraprofessional

“Deb is our rock star! She comes in as a sub-para on a regular basis and is appreciated very much! It doesn't matter where she is filling in, she is kind, a great role model to our students and doesn't hesitate to help anyone when asked. Her dedication and hard work are much appreciated! Thank you Deb for being you! You are the best”

Brenda Marschall – Special Education Paraprofessional

“Brenda's commitment to our classrooms and school overall is superior! She is a leader in as aspects of being a paraprofessional. Her dedication, kindness, and team work are the best. Thank you Brenda for being such a great team member and paraprofessional. We appreciate you very much!”

Brenda Marschall, Katie Ihler, Bardene Peter – Special Education Paraprofessionals

These three ladies should honestly be nominated each and every day! The Upper Elementary Classroom at ELC Windom runs like a well oiled machine because of the work these three do. Each of them has different strengths and talents they bring to the table which compliment each other perfectly. What all three have in common is the dedication, patience, and love for the students we serve. You are simply amazing!

Cassandra Gohman - Staff Development and Low Incidence Administrator

“Cassandra gave a lot of grace and wisdom to a sticky situation and came out with a winning solution! Thanks for your hard work and perseverance, Cassandra!”