



Kid of Character Award Recipients

This award was created to acknowledge Clear Creek School District students who exceed expectations in their efforts to help in their community. Nominations are being sought from educators and staff, business leaders and community members. The award is co-sponsored by Beau Jo's Legendary Colorado Style Pizza and The Clear Creek Courant. If you would like to recognize a Clear Creek Student please send your nominations and narrative to:

CCEF P.O. Box 29, Idaho Springs, CO 80452

or leave nominations at this office or email clearcreek.educationfoundation@ccsdre1.org

March 2006

Ty Sutter

Ty, a Freshman at Clear Creek High School, was nominated by Carol O'Brien of the Clear Creek Education Foundation. Ty was recognized for his effort to create a website for the education foundation. He has really gone above and beyond in time and achievement and his efforts are greatly appreciated.

April 2006

Joe Petrovic

Joe, a Junior at Clear Creek High School, was nominated by Laurie Beckel of the Clear Creek School District Board of Education. According to Peter Vogel, Joe's mentor, he is a remarkable young man. Joe can be found, daily, at the "Rock House" Youth Center. At the Center, Joe encourages others, is accepting, and affirming to all. Peter Vogel, who has mentored for fourteen years, says he's "Never met a better kid than Joe. He's real, he's upbeat, and he's dedicated. He has great character, reaches out to all, and is a great friend."

May 2006

Hannah Wood

Hannah, a Third Grader at King Murphy Elementary, was nominated by Renee Jones a teacher at King Murphy. According to Ms. Jones, "she is a wonderful, thoughtful, and motivated student and individual. Hannah came up with the idea of having a bake sale to raise money for the Evergreen Animal Protection League. She wrote a proposal to Mrs. Jochim, made all of the arrangements for baked goods and helpers, made signs including specific animals that were up for adoption through the league. Between sales at school one day and one evening at conferences, Hannah raised over \$200.00 for the EAPL. Hannah did the whole thing, start to finish, on her own. Her initiative, drive, and follow-through on this project is just a natural part of Hannah."

Nominate your Kid of Character for the 2006-2007 school year!