

## STUDENT OF THE MONTH

## STAFF OF THE MONTH

TYLER LEE

"Tyler Lee has been an inspiration to his teachers and classmates. Tyler started the

school year with goals to be successful in the classroom and on the basketball cour

Getting sick in the fall changed these, but he has been positive and courageous in his battle to overcome his illness. He continue

to set personal goals and achievements as he gains his strength and stamina. Team 8A wishes Tyler a speedy recovery.

## **Antoine Gamble**

8th Grade 14 years old

Antoine is new to our school and program this year and he is an absolute joy. He participates in everything, he wants to help out with the things that need to get done in and around the club. He is always first to volunteer to help get the café back in order after meal time AND we found out just recently.... He can SING! He really blew us away with his rendition of a Chris Brown song during one of our "Karaoke Friday" moments. Antoine is a gracious young man that is very respectful and we are so glad he chose to hang out with us in Panther Pack!

"What y'all should know about me is I'm in 8th grade. And I love to play basketball I play combo guard and football I play wide receiver and defensive back. I wanna go to south for high school. And I love my family and friends. I love to sing my favorite artist is Chris Brown. Favorite rapper is King Von. I'm fourteen. My dad was in jail when my baby brother was born. And I felt sad because he never went to none of me and my brothers birthday parties. My dream car is a BMW I8. My celebrity crush is Serayah McNeil. I love playing video games like 2K, Madden, Call of Duty, Fortnite and sometimes Roblox because of my baby brother. Favorite songs by Chris brown is 'Say Goodbye' and 'This Christmas'. And Von is 'Crazy Story 12 and 3'. And I love 'Back in Blood' by Lil Durk and Pooh Shiesty. And last but not least I love to come to panther pack because of the teachers but mostly Preston and all the people I know that is nice and cool with me."



## Mr. Tyler Lee

Morton Middle School Alum Physical Fitness Extraordinaire

What can we say about Tyler besides he really is a great coworker and team member. He has the ability to surprise you with his humor and always keeps us on our toes as we never know what he will say next. Tyler is so amazingly knowledgeable about so many things in so many facets of life and he is always always always there to be a helping hand! We appreciate Tyler more than he will ever know.

"I grew up very close to this school. After graduating with an Exercise Science degree from UNO I traveled around the world before eventually returning to my roots. I've worked at Panther Pack for more than 3 years now. Morton has always held a special place in my heart. I attended here from 02-03. While here I played

football under the tutelage of current teachers Mrs. Schwartz and Mr.
Bockelmann. I also learned art from my eventual great friend Mr. Kitchen. I'd argue I'm much more helpful to him now than he was to me back then because I still stink at art. Art may not be my forte but that doesn't mean I'm not creative.
Around Christmas time Panther Pack was giving away crazy socks and I became slightly addicted. Everyday I wear a funky pair. Come on up to me and ask what I'm

wearing that day. Overall I'm very happy to be where I am. I'm grateful to be giving back to a school that has given me so much. Including a college scholarship that led me right back here. Funny how things come full circle.

#### PANTHER PACK NEWS UPDATE

Morton Magnet Middle School 4606 Terrace Drive Omaha, NE 68134 Office Phone: (531) 299-1110 Cell Phone: (531) 301-4042

HOURS: M-F 3:05-6:00 PM We are closed when OPS is out

TUTORING w/certified Teachers: T,W,TH 3:30-5:00 PM

> Ms. Olivia Bishop Mrs. Michelle Rivera Mrs. Keri Hammerly

BUSES LOAD: 5:00-5:10 PM

ONLINE APPLICATION: https://forms.gle/ZL8cXQMMAhksxz5n6

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# A WORD from the DIRECTOR

FAMILIES and FRIENDS,

I would like to invite parents/ guardians to a 'Round Table' Discussion on April 12th at 6:00

We will talk about what is happening in Panther Pack. This will be the time for you to ask any questions you have been wanting to and just didn't have the time. Make sure to check your emails for more detailed information on how to join in on the meeting.

Also, keep a look out for our summer hours.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me shenderson@bgcomaha.org

Thank you again for trusting us with your most valued possession.

~Mrs. Stephanie



## **UPCOMING IMPORTANT DATES & EVENTS**

Round Table Discussion - April 12th @ 6:00 pm



Omaha Public Schools - May 26

Session 2: July 6-23

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