

# PRESS RELEASE



## PCPS Announces Wildcat of Week

Justin Thompson, sophomore at Ponca City Senior High School, has been selected as the first “Wildcat of the Week” for the 2018-2019 school year. Superintendent Shelley Arrott said, “Justin constantly exhibits the characteristics of the Wildcat Way in all aspects of life. He is driven when it comes to Work Ethic, Improvement, Leadership, Discipline, Competition, Attitude, and Teamwork. Po-Hi Principal Thad Dilbeck and Superintendent Arrott presented Justin with a “Wildcat of the Week” T-shirt (from Boss Custom T-shirts), Wildcat window decal, and a burger basket gift certificate from Ground Round.

“I would like to thank Senator Bill Coleman with TEAM Radio, Tyndall Dentistry, Heather Cannon Honda, Ground Round, Boss Custom Tees, and Tina Christian for supporting the Ponca City High School “Wildcat of the Week” Award,” Arrott continued. “My immediate goals as superintendent were to improve morale and positivity of the school community and to promote school spirit. We encourage students to live the Wildcat Way, and I am looking forward to the opportunity for our students to be exposed to Wildcat activities so they can aspire to be a future Wildcat and participate, not only in sporting activities, but any of our extracurricular activities.”

The “Wildcat of the Week” Award is sponsored this year by Heather Cannon Honda. The award is for a deserving high school student who follows the characteristics of the Wildcat Way which are Work Ethic, Improve, Leadership, Discipline, Compete, Attitude, and Teamwork. These characteristics may be exhibited in any setting.

Several Ponca City patrons were involved in making this a reality. These partners include: Tina Christian, Senator Bill Coleman – TEAM Radio, Heather Cannon – Heather Cannon Honda, Ground Round, and Tyndall Dentistry.

Each week a new “Wildcat of the Week” will be selected from the nominations of TEAM Radio listeners and viewers. Winners will receive a free meal from Ground Round and a T-shirt from Boss Custom Tees. PCPS will make the presentation each Wednesday afternoon at Po-Hi.

If you know an outstanding student at Po-Hi who is living the Wildcat Way, please use the form in this link <https://www.poncacitynow.com/32875-2/>, or visit [www.PoncaCityNow.com](http://www.PoncaCityNow.com), [www.PoHISports.com](http://www.PoHISports.com), or [www.pcps.us](http://www.pcps.us).

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