

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Central Valley High School is a member of the Greater Spokane League (GSL) and member of the Washington Interscholastic Athletic Association. During the 2020-21 basketball season, the Central Valley High School girls and boys won the 4A GSL League Championship, the 4A District 8 Tournament Championship and both teams played in the WIAA 4A State Championship games on March 7, 2020. The Central Valley boys placed 2nd and the Central Valley girls won the state championship.

WHEREAS, in her first year as Head Girls Coach, Felice Orrell was named the GSL Girls Basketball Coach of the Year. In his third year as Head Boys Coach, Mike Laws was named GSL Boys Basketball Coach of the Year.

WHEREAS, Central Valley Girls Basketball team had three players receive All-GSL honors: MJ Bruno – 1st Team, Peyton Howard – 2nd Team, and Anika Chalich – Honorable Mention. MJ Bruno also received All-State honorable mention recognition. The Central Valley Boys Basketball team had three players receive All-GSL honors: Jayce Simmons and Gavin Gilstrap – 1st Team, and Noah Sanders – 2nd Team.

WHEREAS, Central Valley Girls Basketball team had three players receive All-State Tournament honors: Peyton Howard – 1st team, MJ Bruno and Chloe Williams – 2nd team. Coach Felice Orrell was named Co-Coach of the tournament. The Central Valley Boys Basketball team also had three players receive All-State Tournament Honors: Jayce Simmons – 1st team, Dylan Darling and Gavin Gilstrap – 2nd team.

WHEREAS, Central Valley High School strives for excellence in all it does. The girls and boys basketball teams performed exceptionally well in the classroom as well as on the court. The Central Valley Girls team has a cumulative grade-point-average of 3.8 and the boys team has a cumulative grade-point-average of 3.5. Together with their outstanding season on the basketball court, these teams contributed significantly to Central Valley High School winning the 2020 WIAA 4A Scholastic Cup. This is Central Valley's first Scholastic Cup in school history.

NOW THEREFORE, we the Board of County Commissioners of Spokane County, Washington on behalf of the citizens of Spokane County, do hereby recognize the extraordinary talent showcased by all the Central Valley High School Coaches, Teachers, Parents, Students and the players.

Dated this 26th day of May, 2020.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
OF SPOKANE COUNTY, WASHINGTON

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ATTEST:

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