Rotary Seniors for the Month of February

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The seniors chosen as the Rotary Seniors of the Month were Kayden Baumgardner and Grace Patti. Throughout their high school careers, they showed outstanding hard work and dedication towards their academics, sports, extracurriculars and so much more. The Rotary Club recognized their efforts in this month's meeting.

The first rotary senior of this month is Kayden Baumgardner. Kayden is a member of the National Honor Society, National English Honor Society, Helping Hands, Marching Band, FBLA, and Band (concert and symphonic). He is also a part of the football team and the baseball team. Kayden has participated in many different clubs that focus on community service. He has always had a desire to solve complex problems that have a real-world impact. Through FBLA, a club for students to learn and apply their skills for a specific subject, Kayden has been able to further develop his love for problem-solving. Through high school, Kayden has been able to focus his interest on Cybersecurity and Computer Sciences. The high school offers many different Computer Science courses which have allowed him to have a deeper understanding of the subject. His experiences within the classroom and outside the classroom have allowed Kayden to know what he wants to do in the future. Kayden will be going to a four-year college to pursue a Cyber Security degree.

The second rotary senior of this month is Grace Patti. Grace is a member of National Honor Society, National English Honor Society, Tri-M Music Honor Society. Grace also has played Girls Tennis for three years and manages the Boys Tennis team. Grace is secretary of Helping Hands, takes piano lessons at Oxford Arts Alliance and previously had art lessons at Oxford Arts Alliance. Grace has developed many skills, including leadership skills, throughout her high school career. In addition, she has always had a love of music and art. Through her love of the arts, Grace has developed an interest in advertising and marketing, as well as psychology. This interest in advertising, marketing and psychology has influenced her on what she will be going to college for. Grace plans on attending a four-year college focusing on marketing and advertising and minoring in graphic design.