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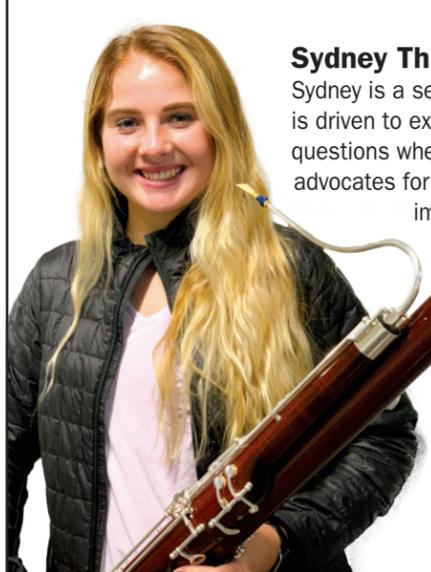
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Great Kids Doing Great Things

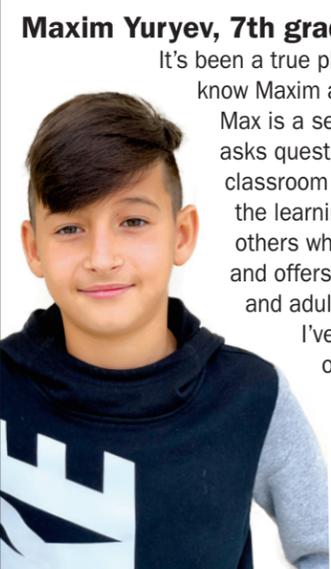
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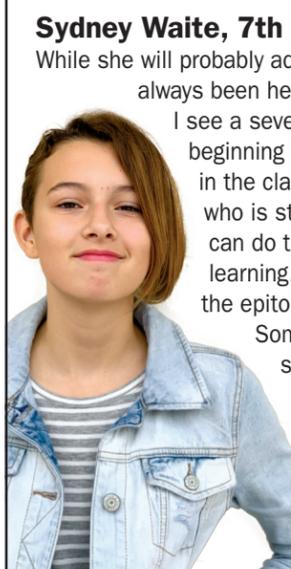
**Ingrid Aosved, 12th grade**  
 Ingrid embodies the qualities every Borderite should strive to demonstrate. She is thorough, precise, and dedicated to learning as much as she can. Never one to be daunted by challenge, she will dive in to any material put before her and tirelessly work to discover the meaning behind the words she reads. She is always enthusiastic and brings a pleasant energy to any environment she enters. Ingrid personifies leadership itself, and sets a strong example for her classmates to follow. BHS is fortunate to have her!



**Sydney Thrall, 12th grade**  
 Sydney is a serious and dedicated student who is driven to excel. She does not hesitate to ask questions when tackling challenging material, and advocates for herself as she continuously strives to improve her skills. Sydney is a deep thinker who not only contributes to conversations, but genuinely values the contributions of others. She has a warm sense of humor and always comes to class with a "let's get after it" attitude regarding her studies. It is an honor to work with her on a daily basis; she is one of the reasons that BHS is such a rewarding place to work.



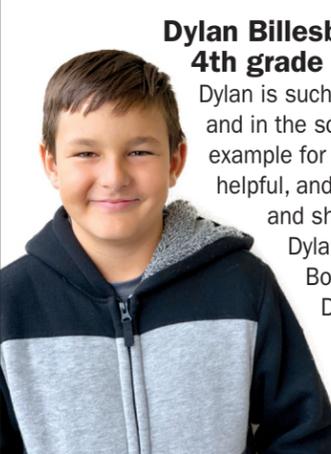
**Maxim Yuryev, 7th grade**  
 It's been a true pleasure getting to know Maxim as a seventh grader. Max is a serious student who asks questions, contributes to classroom discussions, leads the learning in groups, helps others when appropriate, and offers a hand to peers and adults when needed. I've seen him stop on a dime to help a student pick up dropped items, while others just walk on by. Keep up the great work, Maxim!



**Sydney Waite, 7th grade**  
 While she will probably admit that school hasn't always been her favorite place to be, I see a seventh grader who is beginning to blossom and thrive in the classroom. I see a student who is starting to believe she can do the difficult work of learning. This, in my opinion, is the epitome of a star student! Someone who can alter their self-perception and learn to tackle problems that once would have been considered too hard. Continue to push yourself, Sydney! We believe in you.



**Lilly Ivanenko, 4th grade**  
 Lilly is a kind, considerate and hard-working student. She has already made many friends in class this year. Her gentle, calm personality makes her an asset to any group, and her smile lights up the room. Thanks Lilly, for always being a ray of sunshine!



**Dylan Billesbach, 4th grade**  
 Dylan is such a leader in the class and in the school. He sets an example for others. He is kind, helpful, and willing to work hard and share his answers. Dylan demonstrates Borderite Pride. Thanks Dylan, for making our class and our school a wonderful place to learn and have fun!



**Jack Troutman, 1st grade**  
 Jack is a delightful first grader! He greets everyday with a smile, he is kind and helpful, and has insightful points to add to our class discussions. He likes to complete his work and is a good listener! It is a joy to be Jack's teacher!



**Abril Diaz-Vargas, 1st grade**  
 Abril is doing an amazing job in first grade! She is bright and attentive, she works on task, and does a quality job! Abril always looks for ways to help her peers and me. She is a great addition to our class!



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We are pleased to present a monthly look at a few of the many local youths in the Blaine School District who enhance our society and our lives, as selected by their teachers or school staff.

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