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Amanda Rieck Receives \$10,000 Herb Kohl Educational Award

Three Lakes, Wisconsin — Three Lakes School District is pleased to announce that senior Amanda Rieck has been selected as a 2022 Herb Kohl Educational Foundation Award recipient. The Herb Kohl Student Excellence Scholarship recognizes students who have demonstrated a high level of student leadership, citizenship, school and community involvement and academic achievement.

During her time at Three Lakes, Rieck has been involved in student council, National Honor Society, soccer, track, cross country, forensics and band. She is also one of the valedictorians for the Class of 2022. Rieck will attend Concordia University-Wisconsin in Fall 2022. She plans to work toward a bachelor's degree in communication sciences and disorders with the intent to become a speech pathologist.

"The major intrigues me because it's a combination of science and languages," Rieck said. "It's a very broad field in terms of where you can work, and I ultimately have a chance to make a difference in a lot of lives."

The Herb Kohl Educational Foundation has been recognizing educational excellence since 1990 by annually awarding scholarships to graduating high school students throughout Wisconsin. The Foundation awards \$10,000 scholarships to 100 Wisconsin high school graduates each year. Since it was established in 1990, the Herb Kohl Educational Foundation has awarded \$29.6 million to Wisconsin students, teachers, principals and schools.

"I found out I was a finalist in mid-January, so I knew my chances were 50/50," Rieck said. "I even knew what class I would be in when the winner list was released, so I was super excited to check my email. I'm very thankful for the opportunity."

For more information, visit www.kohleducation.org.

About TLSL - Three Lakes School District is located in Oneida County, Wisconsin, in the heart of the Northwoods. Our district includes Sugar Camp Elementary, Three Lakes Elementary and Three Lakes Jr./Sr. High schools and the communities of Hiles, Monico, Piehl, Stella, Sugar Camp and Three Lakes. Our award-winning district has received a 2017 Magna Award Honorable Mention and has been recognized as a Title 1 School of Recognition.