

# Memo

**To:** Dr. Andy Barrett

**From:** Terry Bleau

**Re:** Board Presentation for Tradition of Excellence Award

I want to express my sincere appreciation for the opportunity to present to the Board of Education students whose accomplishments and contributions to GMS South exemplify the Tradition of Excellence Award. On Monday, February 24, 2025, we will present to the Board of Education two students who represented South at the Illinois Music Educators Association All-State Junior Choir. Emma Schumacher and Zackery Adkins qualified after competing with almost 2000 students from around Illinois. Only students in the top three percent of those who audition receive this honor. We are very proud of this accomplishment. Mrs. Rhonda Hibbeler and Mr. Eric Hibbeler supported Emma and Zack through this process as our middle school choir teachers. We are thankful to have their talents on our team.

These students and staff members distinguished themselves, our school and Geneva District 304. Thank you for the opportunity to recognize them.

Terry Bleau  
Principal GMS South