

Bonneville High School

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Dear Committee Members,

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It is with great pleasure to nominate Lacy Peterson for Weber School District's I LOVE TEACHING Award. Lacy has 8 years of dedicated service to students as a counselor. She has served Bonneville High in a variety of capacities and has made a significant impact on the success of our students. She always goes above and beyond in all she does to make a difference.

I have had the opportunity to work with Lacy and have consistently observed her outgoing personality and drive to improve procedures that will benefit students, staff, and community. She cares about her students and truly wants them to succeed in and out of the classroom. She takes the time needed to assist them in any way she can, even if it is not part of her responsibilities, by providing several layers of support and resources.

Her work ethic and dedication to students is remarkable. I have watched her care specifically for the needs of students and how to support them in everyday life and in crisis situations. She spends countless hours early morning and after school preparing her department to handle whatever Bonneville needs. She puts 110% into her duties as the department head to ensure that the Bonneville counseling team is well prepared for students, their families, the community and all of the challenges they are facing. It is amazing to see the impact these extra details have in making it a successful day in our building. I know I can always count on Lacy with detailed follow-through of any task given.

Lacy also knows the faculty and staff and has gone to extra measures to connect with each individual and department to build a bridge of collaboration, ensuring Bonneville as a whole is doing what is best for students. She does department treats and meets with them often to listen, make changes within her department, and provide feedback to administration on the concerns staff has. She runs the Laker Experience each year to give teachers the opportunity to promote their classes and has received immense positive feedback and gratitude from the teachers in doing these events to help students find classes they enjoy. She has created programs to help all students, at all levels, in all areas so that every Laker feels welcome and important.

I have mentioned only a few of the acts of service and support Lacy provides for students, families, staff, and community. Lacy is over several areas that make such a huge difference in our building and we are so grateful for the extra effort she puts into all that she does. Our school would certainly not be as effective without her. Without hesitation, we recommend Lacy Peterson for the I LOVE TEACHING Award.

Respectfully,

Assistant Principal

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Brook Young