2019-2020 TEACHERS OF THE YEAR LANIER CLUSTER

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS:

Julie Morrow ~ Sugar Hill Elementary

Chelstyn Rudmose ~ Sycamore Elementary

Hind Ghazzawi ~ White Oak Elementary

MIDDLE SCHOOL:

Janan Olsen ~ Lanier Middle School

HIGH SCHOOL:

Nick Brenner ~ Lanier High School

2019-2020 Teachers of the Year Lanier Cluster Details

Sugar Hill Elementary Julie Morrow

Teaches 4th Grade – Math, Writing and Social Studies 12 years teaching at Sugar Hill Elementary 19 years teaching total

Sycamore Elementary Chelstyn Rudmose

Teaches 1st Grade – All Subjects (Reading, writing, math, Science and Social Studies

5 years teaching at Sycamore Elementary

6 years teaching total

White Oak Elementary Hind Ghazzawi

Teaches K-5th Grade – Art 4 years teaching at White Oak Elementary 9 years teaching total

Lanier Middle Janan Olsen

Teaches 7th Grade – English and Language Arts 5 years teaching at Lanier Middle 14 years teaching total

Lanier High Nick Brenner

Teaches 9th - 12th Grade – Health and Physical Education 10 years teaching at Lanier High 13 years teaching total



PROCLAMATION CHELSTYN RUDMOSE SYCAMORE ELEMENTARY TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2019-2020

WHEREAS, Chelstyn Rudmose has been teaching 1st grade Math, Writing, Reading, Science and Social Studies to Sugar Hill students at Sycamore Elementary School in Gwinnett County for 5 years, and has 6 years of teaching experience; and

WHEREAS, Chelstyn Rudmose is respected by both the school community and her peers alike; she has been recognized by Gwinnett County Public Schools as the Sycamore Elementary School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020; and

WHEREAS, Chelstyn Rudmose has spent endless hours in and out of the classroom teaching students and empowering them to think freely; she has helped her students develop skills such as questioning, provoking and challenging all things presented to them; and

WHEREAS, she has engaged her students by producing innovative lessons that have real-life applications and has thus promoted learning to her students as a life-long endeavor.

WHEREAS, the Gwinnett County Teacher of the Year program honors teachers who excel at representing the quality of professional educators in every Gwinnett County Public School and exemplify the GCPS mission to pursue excellence in academic knowledge, skills, and behavior for each student. The expertise and reputation these teachers bring every day, reflect expectations of Gwinnett County Public Schools, and helps promote an educated and vibrant local community; and

NOW THEREFORE, the City of Sugar Hill Mayor and City Council do hereby acknowledge Chelstyn Rudmose as the Sycamore Elementary School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020 and encourage all its citizens to congratulate her on her accomplishments as one of Gwinnett County's finest educators.

So, proclaimed this 12th day of November 2019.

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Marc Cohen, Council Member

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PROCLAMATION JULIE MORROW SUGAR HILL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2019-2020

WHEREAS, Julie Morrow has been teaching 4th grade Math, Writing and Social Studies to Sugar Hill students at Sugar Hill Elementary School in Gwinnett County for 12 years, and has 19 years of teaching experience; and

WHEREAS, Julie Morrow is respected by both the school community and her peers alike; she has been recognized by Gwinnett County Public Schools as the Sugar Hill Elementary School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020; and

WHEREAS, Julie Morrow has spent endless hours in and out of the classroom teaching students and empowering them to think freely; she has helped her students develop skills such as questioning, provoking and challenging all things presented to them; and

WHEREAS, she has engaged her students by producing innovative lessons that have real-life applications and has thus promoted learning to her students as a life-long endeavor.

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NOW THEREFORE, the City of Sugar Hill Mayor and City Council do hereby acknowledge Julie Morrow as the Sugar Hill Elementary School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020 and encourage all its citizens to congratulate her on her accomplishments as one of Gwinnett County's finest educators.

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PROCLAMATION HIND GHAZZAWI WHITE OAK ELEMENTARY TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2019-2020

WHEREAS, Hind Ghazzawi has been teaching K-5th grade Art to Sugar Hill students at White Oak Elementary School in Gwinnett County for 4 years, and has 9 years of teaching experience; and

WHEREAS, Hind Ghazzawi is respected by both the school community and her peers alike; she has been recognized by Gwinnett County Public Schools as the White Oak Elementary School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020; and

WHEREAS, Hind Ghazzawi has spent endless hours in and out of the classroom teaching students and empowering them to think freely; she has helped her students develop skills such as questioning, provoking and challenging all things presented to them; and

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NOW THEREFORE, the City of Sugar Hill Mayor and City Council do hereby acknowledge Hind Ghazzawi as the White Oak Elementary School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020 and encourage all its citizens to congratulate her on her accomplishments as one of Gwinnett County's finest educators.

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PROCLAMATION JANAN OLSEN LANIER MIDDLE SCHOOL TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2019-2020

WHEREAS, Janan Olsen has been teaching 7th grade English and Language Arts to Sugar Hill students at Lanier Middle School in Gwinnett County for 5 years, and has 14 years of teaching experience; and

WHEREAS, Janan Olsen is respected by both the school community and her peers alike; she has been recognized by Gwinnett County Public Schools as the Lanier Middle School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020; and

WHEREAS, Janan Olsen has spent endless hours in and out of the classroom teaching students and empowering them to think freely; she has helped her students develop skills such as questioning, provoking and challenging all things presented to them; and

WHEREAS, she has engaged her students by producing innovative lessons that have real-life applications and has thus promoted learning to her students as a life-long endeavor.

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NOW THEREFORE, the City of Sugar Hill Mayor and City Council do hereby acknowledge Janan Olsen as the Lanier Middle School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020 and encourage all its citizens to congratulate her on her accomplishments as one of Gwinnett County's finest educators.

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PROCLAMATION NICK BRENNER LANIER HIGH SCHOOL **TEACHER OF THE YEAR 2019-2020**

WHEREAS, Nick Brenner has been teaching 9th-12th grade Health and Physical Education to Sugar Hill students at Lanier High School in Gwinnett County for 10 years, and has 13 years of teaching experience;

WHEREAS, Nick Brenner is respected by both the school community and his peers alike; he has been recognized by Gwinnett County Public Schools as the Lanier High School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020; and

WHEREAS, Nick Brenner has spent endless hours in and out of the classroom teaching students and empowering them to think freely; he has helped his students develop skills such as questioning, provoking and challenging all things presented to them; and

WHEREAS, he has engaged his students by producing innovative lessons that have real-life applications and has thus promoted learning to his students as a life-long endeavor.

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NOW THEREFORE, the City of Sugar Hill Mayor and City Council do hereby acknowledge Nick Brenner as the Lanier High School Teacher of the Year for 2019-2020 and encourage all its citizens to congratulate him on his accomplishments as one of Gwinnett County's finest educators.

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