

Music Student of the Month

Forest Friedli

Clarinet, 11th grade Band

Forest Friedli plays both clarinet and saxophone. He says, "High school is a really good time of life to learn an instrument. It's great for a college resume, and you get to have an artistic talent, which is also great. Playing an instrument has allowed me to show a more artistic side, and it's fun to be creative."

OISD Band Director, Mr. Dix, says, "Forest is not only consistently on time, but he has pushed himself musically all year. He is a dependable student who is willing to help whenever I ask." Forest advises that practicing and understanding the music is key. "When possible, listen to a professional recording of the piece you are learning to really get into the feel of the music."

Forest was among the school students who recently traveled to Disneyland to play music in the park and to perform for a Disney music director. Several Band students will perform jazz band pieces locally at Wild Island on June 15 at 12:40pm. We hope to see you there!

Congratulations to Forest Friedli,
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