

## **Dean's Quarterly** June 2025

TENNESSEE TECH

### **11th Annual Awards Celebration**

Honoring Faculty, Staff, Partner Educators, and Students

On **National Teacher Appreciation Day**, Tues., May 6, members of the College of Education & Human Sciences and district partners gathered at the Millard Oakley STEM Center for the 11th annual Teacher Appreciation Awards Celebration.

#### Faculty & Staff Awards

| Teaching            | Michael Phillips<br>Exercise Science       |
|---------------------|--|
| Research            | Katherine Hermann-Turner                   |
| Service             | Counseling & Psychology<br>Krystal Kennedy |
| Service             | Curriculum & Instruction                   |
| Team Player         | Darek Potter                               |
|                     | Millard Oakley STEM Center                 |
| Outstanding Staff   | Jennifer Goad                              |
|                     | Exercise Science                           |
| Outstanding Advisor | Nicole Henniger                            |
|                     | Counseling & Psychology                    |

### Education Professionals / P - 12 Awards

Early Childhood Nora Mott / Findlay Ele. **Elementary School** Tiffany White / Pleasant Hill Ele. Middle School Erin Stratton / Prescott South **High School** Jason Crockett / White Co. High Music Lori Sexton / Cane Creek Ele. Nicole Farley / White Co. Middle Art ESL Stephanie Jones / Algood Middle Librarian Cindy Gray / Northeast Ele. Candice Harper / Avery Trace Middle **Physical Education Special Education** Amber Hargis / Cookeville High Brandon Grizzard / White Co. Schools School Counselor Melody Presley / Parkview Ele. Administrator Teaching as a Profession Lesley Williams / Monterey High

#### Alum & Student Awards

| Alumna                      | Krystal Fortney, 2013 M.A.              |
|-----------------------------|---|
| Future Educators            | Mental Health Counseling<br>Ryan Miller |
|                             | Secondary Education                     |
|                             | Megan Staton                            |
|                             | Elementary Education                    |
| Go-Getters                  | Shaelyn Miller                          |
|                             | Curriulum & Instruction                 |
|                             | Spencer Moore                           |
|                             | Psychology                              |
|                             | Aimee Lawrence                          |
|                             | Art Education                           |
| Leadership                  | Kensea Skelton                          |
|                             | Elementary Education                    |
| Professionalism             | McKenna Stevens                         |
|                             | Exceptional Eearning                    |
|                             | Jill Bieber                             |
|                             | Exercise Science                        |
| Service                     | Amanda Edwards                          |
|                             | Curriculum & Instruction                |
|                             | Natalee Sturgill                        |
|                             | Elementary Education                    |
| Dr. David Larimore          | Kimberly Ashlan Doss, M.A.              |
| Excellence in               | Curriculum & Instruction                |
| <sup>e</sup> Research Award | Lara Strate, Ph.D.                      |
|                             | Counseling & Supervision                |
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