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# ***Rio Frank Bantell***

Rio is the son of JaeSoon Weihbrecht, mother; Ed Weihbrecht, stepfather, Mario Bantell, father; and is the brother of Max Weihbrecht. Rio has been involved in the Armed forces club for 1 year, Student council - 3 years, Eagle Scout and Boy Scouts, Marching band - 3 years and has played Piano for 9 years. Rio has played piano at Carnegie Hall twice.

He has also been playing a few other instruments for several years. Flute - 8 years, Piccolo - 5 years. He remains apart of Concert choir - 2 years,.

He is also active in the Naval Sea Cadet Corps the last two 2 years and helps with our high school's PBIS program (Positive Behavioral Interventions and Supports). He leads the morning announcements as a Student Announcer as well.

Among some of his achievements he is a part of the National Spanish honor society, National honor society, District team for cross country.





## ***Joshua Koval***

Joshua is the son of Dana Koval and Thomas Koval and brother to Brinn Koval.

Joshua has participated in and lettered in Football and Volleyball.

His favorite subject is currently Engineering and has plans of attending college and earning a degree in Engineering.

Joshua is a member of the Class of 2022 club and his favorite quote is the following: "If people knew the weight of words, they would give more to the value of silence."



# ***Gwen Langley***

Gwen is the daughter of Amy Langley, and Chris Langley and sibling to Hollis Langley and Ollie Langley. Gwen is a member of the National Honor Society and two year captain and four year varsity player on the Girls soccer team.

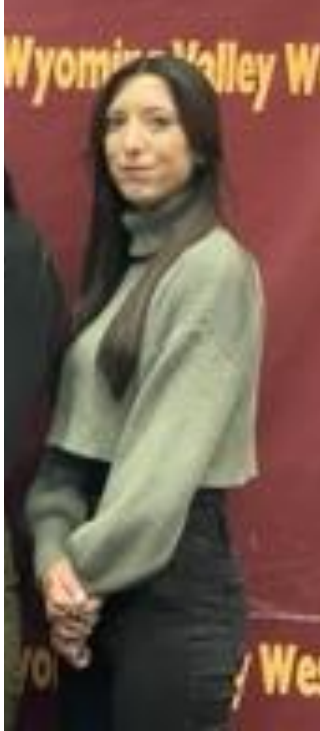
Gwen made school history by being the first female kicker on the football team in addition to being the first female to score a varsity point on the football field.

She is a 4 year varsity letterman for soccer, 1 year varsity letterman for track, Defensive player of the year for Soccer and 2 year first team for soccer, 1 year all star team for soccer.

She loves to love to play soccer and track. Hanging out with friends and family.



# ***Hannah Steele***



Hannah Steele is the daughter of Kristy Chervy (mom), George Chervy (step-dad), Matthew Chervy (brother), and Mark Danouski (dad).

She is a member of the Sociedad Honoraria Hispánica for 3 years and President.

She is also a member of Concert Choir for 4 years (Soprano 1 Section Leader.) Hannah is a District Chorus participant for 3 years.

Hannah has been Captain and part of Color Guard for the past 3 years.

Hannah is member of the National Honor Society and was a recipient of the Citizenship Award.

