March 22, 2016 was a special day for 13 Jackson students who were honored with a Pathway to Pride, Excellence, and Character award. During the ceremony held in the Jackson library, parents and family were able to hear the impact their students are having on our school community and beyond. The ceremony opened with Asst. Principal Renee giving a brief background of the awards. Then Teacher Kelly Dietsch announced each recipient as Principal Dave Peters presented them with a certificate of recognition. Students were recognized for outstanding commitment to ASB and/or clubs, creating a logo for Band Boosters, creation of SAFE Club, and ensuring a warm welcome to new students through music or extending a friendly hand. Those honored at this ceremony:

## Pride

<u>Pride is not exhibited by what you say; pride is displayed by your actions.</u> Dartagnan Phan and Jack Ellis recognized by Linda Auchterlonie Momoka Kitatani recognized by Lauren Dandridge Ben Brinkley, Adam Koch, Austin Koch, Landon Spaw, and Jeremy Steckler recognized by the Parent Link Leaders

## Excellence

Excellence is putting forth your best effort in all you do regardless of the circumstances. Diana Reiman and Julie Lee recognized by Linda Auchterlonie Connor Hittle and Kate Anderson recognized by the JHS Band Boosters

## <u>Character</u>

<u>Character is consistently doing what you believe to be right even when no one is watching.</u> Immanuel Smith recognized by Jean Sarcletti and Lyn Lauzon

All staff, students, parents and community members are encouraged to recognize students for their citizenship at Jackson and in their community. You will find the electronic form on the Jackson website under Our School, Amazing Jackson Kids. Please email it to the program facilitator, Jean Sarcletti, at <u>jsarcletti@everettsd.org</u>. You may also contact Jean with any questions.

