## Andrew Reilly

## STUDENT OF THE MONTH

## Los Altos High School

January 2021



Junior

Los Altos High School is proud to honor Andrew Reilly as our January Student of the Month. We are honored to showcase Andrew and all of his accomplishments throughout his time at Los Altos High School.

Throughout the school year, Andrew is involved in athletics, participating on the basketball and volleyball teams. Andrew has been playing basketball since the third grade, and loves that every time he plays he learns more about the sport. He enjoys the comradery of the Los Altos High School team and misses team bus rides and Saturday nights spent at Armadillo Willies. Andrew's dad is the assistant coach of the varsity basketball team and feels as though basketball is equivalent to taking another AP course due to all the time spent practicing, competing, and studying the game. Additionally, Andrew has also been a camp counselor for the basketball camp at Los Altos High and has helped lead a few bald eagle clinics. He enjoys showing younger kids his passion for basketball, hoping they can love it just as much as he does. Andrew started playing volleyball in 7th grade at Egan junior high, when his goal was to play every sport possible. Freshman year, Andrew was moved up to varsity, and is hoping for a senior season next year since his sophomore and junior seasons were cut short.

Academically, Andrew loves to challenge himself by taking a heavy course load. He is taking all AP/honors classes, with AP Biology being one of his favorites and Trig Honors being on the more challenging side. Andrew loves to be academically challenged and engaged; he enjoys time spent in his books and studies. Andrew is a part of the Student Athlete Leadership Team on campus, where he talks about ways to gather representation from all sports on campus and work on improving the athletic community at Los Altos High School.

Outside of school and sports, Andrew is a part of a podcast called "Media in the Middle". He began volunteering for this non-profit organization two years ago when partaking in a summer internship. He meets with other high schoolers and discusses current events and news. Each Sunday, he speaks with the board of directors, creating a podcast relaying the information discussed in these weekly meetings.

Finally, Andrew urges everyone to try Pistachio ice cream - even though you may think that it is gross for now. You will never go back once you get a taste!

Congratulations to Andrew Reilly for receiving the distinction of January Student of the Month, and for all of your hard work at Los Altos High School. We can't wait to see all of the amazing accomplishments coming Andrew's way in the near future!