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OHM BOCES ANNOUNCES THE KIWANIS STUDENT OF THE MONTH FOR JANUARY

Jan. 24, 2009 (New Hartford, N.Y.) – The Oneida-Herkimer-Madison (OHM) BOCES Career and Technical Education Center's senior Ashley Furner was recognized on Jan. 14, 2009, at the New Hartford Kiwanis Club as the January student of the month.

Furner is from the Sauquoit Valley Central School District and is in the New Visions: Veterinary Science program.

"Ashley is a true animal lover whose future 'patients' will be lucky to have her tending to their needs," said Joanne Daley, instructor. "She takes the initiative and assumes responsibility. She has a positive attitude toward learning and is always eager to learn more." Furner has been invited to join the Career and Technical Education Center's Honor Society and is involved with Youth Summit. She has achieved perfect attendance for the year to date.

After graduation from high school, Furner plans to become a veterinary technician.

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The selection is based on attitude, initiative, classroom skills and performance, specific achievements and future plans. The Kiwanis Club awards one Career and Technical Education student a \$50 scholarship each month. The students are then put into a pool of candidates who are eligible to be chosen as the Kiwanis Club Student of the Year and receive a \$500 scholarship.

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Photo: Senior Ashley Furner, New Visions: Veterinary Science student at the OHM BOCES Career & Technical Education Center, and the New Hartford Kiwanis student of the month for January.