

# News

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## PHOTO RELEASE

### **OHM BOCES ANNOUNCES THE KIWANIS STUDENT OF THE MONTH FOR JANUARY**

**Mar. 9, 2009 (New Hartford, N.Y.)** – The Oneida-Herkimer-Madison (OHM) BOCES Career and Technical Education Center's senior Jasmine Zinkovitch will be recognized on Mar. 11, 2009, at the New Hartford Kiwanis Club as the March student of the month.

Zinkovitch is a senior at Whitesboro Central High School and is in the New Visions: Veterinary Science program.

"Jasmine is quiet, but very focused on her studies," said Joanne Daley, instructor. "She takes the initiative on assignments and will often offer additional information beyond what is required." Zinkovitch has also been invited to join the Career and Technical Honor Society.

After graduation from high school, Zinkovitch is contemplating a career as a veterinary technician. Because of her compassion for abused animals, she may also pursue a career pertaining to animal welfare.

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## **Student of the Month/2 – 2 – 2**

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 Jasmine Zinkovitch, New Visions: Veterinary Science student at the OHM BOCES Career & Technical Education Center, and the New Hartford Kiwanis student of the month for March.