

TYLER ROTH/WKVI ATHLETE OF THE WEEK (10/03/09)

Our Tyler Roth/WKVI Athlete of the Week for this week is Rachael Franko, a member of the Volleyball team at Winamac High School.

Rachael had 3 outstanding efforts as the Lady Warriors won 3 games over the past week and, playing in the shadow of more experienced players, has quietly accumulated some outstanding statistics for the season so far: 39 aces, 248 digs, 153 kills and 38 blocks, which have helped the Warriors get off to a great start on the season.

Rachael's Coach, Cathy DeFries, credits a background in gymnastics with helping Rachel be a success on the Volleyball Court.

A Junior, Rachael is an outstanding student who is ranked in the top 15% of her class.

She is the daughter of Kathy and Ray Franko of Winamac.

Congratulations to Rachael Franko of Winamac High School, our Tyler Roth/WKVI Athlete of the Week.

Rachael will receive a certificate suitable for framing, a history of the award, and will be eligible for our Tyler Roth/WKVI Athlete of the Year award next Spring which carries with it a beautiful plaque and a college scholarship compliments of WKVI and the family of Tyler Roth.