

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Pop Warner is the nation's largest youth football, cheer and dance organization with nearly 325,000 participants in 42 states and seven countries; and

WHEREAS, Pop Warner programs seek to develop well-rounded young men and women who learn not only the fundamentals of football, cheerleading and dance, but also the importance of education in an atmosphere conducive to developing sound character while having a good time, Pop Warner's commitment to academics is what separates the program from other youth sports requiring academic guidelines to participate. The most academically accomplished, a GPA greater than 96%, qualify as an All-American Scholar; and

WHEREAS, the Ormond Beach Youth Football and Cheerleading Association has been participating in football and cheerleading programs since the year 2000; and

WHEREAS, although the parents and the Pop Warner organization are very proud of all of the successes on the fields and the sidelines, what they are most proud of are the accomplishments off of the field and in the classroom. This year the Ormond Beach SandCrabs produced 28 Academic All Americans, with six student in the top 35 of their grade in the nation, nine students on the Southeast Region list, nine Cheer and Dance, and 19 Football All-Conference Scholar winners;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bill Partington, Mayor of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, do hereby proclaim May 16, 2017, as a day to recognize our Pop Warner

ACADEMIC ALL-AMERICANS

in the City of Ormond Beach and urge all residents to join with me on this day in acknowledging the accomplishments of these young people as they continue their commitment to future accomplishments and our community.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Ormond Beach, Florida, to be affixed on this 16th day of May in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Seventeen.



Bill Partington

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Mayor