

## Penn Station Athlete of the Month

Student: Shea Goss

**GPA**: 4.258

**School:** Lancaster High School

Athletic Director: Scott Burre

Parents: Cynthia Goss and Mont Goss

Sibling/s: Isaac Goss and Xavier Goss

Favorite Penn Station Restaurant: Ety Road

Favorite Penn Station Sandwich: Chicken Teriyaki

Extracurricular Activities: Class Officers (Treasurer), National Honor Society, 4H Club

President, Youth Group Co-Chairman, Big Brothers Big Sisters

Favorite Book: "Hatchet" by Gary Paulsen

Role Model: My grandfathers – Don Goss and Lou Hintz

**Sports Role Model:** 

Greatest Achievement So Far: Walter Payton

Plans After High School: Attend Wabash College and continue my football career

How has participating in high school athletics benefited you? High school athletics helped shape and define me. The traits and skills learned while participating in a high school sport directly influence you as a person. Out of all the traits I have gained while playing high school ports (work ethic, teamwork, positive attitude, etc.), leadership has proven to be one of the most valuable. My leadership abilities were created and sharpened while playing high school sports. My team's need for a vocal leader taught me how to vocally motivate and lead a group. I learned how watching eyes allow and call for someone to lead by their actions. Leadership for me has been a direct benefit that I have received from participating in high school sports, and that is simply one trait of many. High school athletics have developed the character of so many young men and women in our society, and we all can be thankful for that.

What made you decide to play the sport for which you were named the Penn Station Athlete of the Month? The passion for the game that my family showed made me yearn to play. I have been fortunate to share in the game that has given us so much.

## **Quote from Athletic Director:**



Shea Goss is an excellent role model serving as an example to our younger student-athletes that trusting in the process and believing in hard work produces positive results. – Pam Bosser, Athletic Director

Shea Goss is a hard worker and the ultimate team player. He leads by example and makes great decisions on and off the athletic field. -Rob Carpenter, Head Football Coach

## **Quote from Principal:**

Shea Goss is the epitome of what Lancaster High School is all about: Success in Academics and Extra-Curriculars while being a respectful citizen in the community of Lancaster. Shea is an outstanding student-athlete that treats everyone at Lancaster High School as if they were one of his teammates. – Scott Burre, Principle