

## **Athlete of the Year March Finalist 2017**

**Student Full Name:** Ramsey Deaton

**School:** Elizabethtown High School

**Sport(s):** Volleyball

**GPA:** 4.0

**Parents:** Angela and Glenn Deaton

**Favorite Penn Station:** Elizabethtown

**Favorite Penn Station Sandwich:** Chicken Teriyaki

**Extracurricular Activities:** Class President (4 Years), Pep Club President, BETA Club, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and Safety Team

**Hobbies/Interests:** Playing the piano, working out, baking, drawing, and being outdoors

**Favorite Book:** Leaving Time by Jodi Picoult

**Favorite Sports Teams:** Kentucky Wildcats

**Favorite School Subject:** Math, Science, and Financial Literacy

**Favorite Inspirational Quote:** "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me."

**Role Model:** My piano teacher, Ann Case. Over the many years of lessons, she has taught me patience, perseverance, and the importance of serving others.

**Greatest Achievement So Far:** Making people smile. Whether it's a young fan in the stands or a senior at the nursing home, making someone smile lets me know I have accomplished something pretty special.

**Sports Hero:** Kerri Walsh Jennings

**Volunteer Organizations I am involved with:** I volunteer weekly as a pianist at Robin Brooke Senior Living.

**Plans After High School:** I plan to attend Eastern Kentucky University to pursue a Bachelor's Degree in Occupational Science followed by a Graduate Degree in Occupational Therapy. This profession will fulfill my desire to help improve the health and quality of life for others.

**Do you plan to continue sports after high school?** Yes, I plan to play Intramural Sports at ECU.

**Interesting fact about yourself?** I started playing piano at the age of five.