

## **7TH GRADE WINNER:**

**AUSTIN H.**

### **DISCOVERY MIDDLE SCHOOL**

Brock helps people in my neighborhood on the football field and helps me with school like math and conical studies. Our football team wouldn't be the same without Brock Thomas. Have you ever needed help in school or sports? Brock is your guy. I have known Brock for seven years. He has taught me everything to know about being kind to people. When I was struggling in school with social studies and math, Brock was the one to help. Brock Thomas deserves to be named the Kindest Kansas Citian because he goes above and beyond to help his players succeed and shows compassion to everyone in his community. Brock Thomas deserves to be named the Kindest Kansas Citian because he goes above and beyond to help his players succeed and shows compassion to everyone in his community.

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He helps me with school work in subjects like math or social studies. For example, he taught me how to multiply fractions in math and helped me understand the rome unit In Social studies. He is always being nice or respectful to other people and when someone gets hurt he always rushes out on the field and helps them off the field. Even in wrestling, though he is not a coach, and hasn't wrestled in years he still helps people as much as he can. He always helps me at football practice like to catch the football and motivates me sometimes when I'm sad or mad.

Brock is never rude to people like being so nice and going out of his way to take Jr and Damarius to practice when their parents can't take them every day and he takes them home after practice. He never yells at people, he always talks to people in a controlled voice. When a neighborhood kid was being bullied in the neighborhood, no one else offered help. However, Brock bravely stepped in and approached the situation with bravery and confidence and told the kids that bullying is now right and that you should show the respect the bullied kid deserved. He walked the kid home, ensuring that the bullies would not follow them home. He is even nice to people at the grocery store when they can't reach something or if they're not sure what to buy. He is never disrespectful to people even when they are disrespectful to him.

If we didn't have a person like Brock in my neighborhood there would be no kindness in our neighborhood. That's why Brock is the kindest Kansas Citian I know because he always helps people and is kind and never disrespectful to others in need. Brock shows kindness by helping me outside of school like math or social studies, or even helping me be a respectful person like him and he is always being super nice and going out of his way to take Jr and Damarius to practice every day when their parents cant take them, without asking anything in return. That's why I think Brock is the kindest Kansas city citizen I know. Brock Thomas stands out as a person of kindness in Kansas City due to his exceptional commitment to improving the lives of those around him.