

Milton Hershey School employee honored for work with female high school students

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Milton Hershey School Student Program Leader Sharice Johnson was named a 2018 Afterschool Champion. (Submitted by Milton Hershey School)

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A Milton Hershey School employee has been honored by Pennsylvania Statewide Afterschool/Youth Development Network (PSAYDN).

Milton Hershey School Student Program Leader Sharice Johnson was named a 2018 Afterschool Champion.

According to Milton Hershey School, the award recognizes outstanding work in developing, supporting, and promoting meaningful, high-quality afterschool programs to benefit children and families across Pennsylvania.

Johnson was honored in the individual category for programming for high school students during her 12-year career as a program leader and coach.

Johnson developed Girls Grace, an annual event for hundreds of the school's female high school students. Girls Grace focuses on inspiring female students to pursue their dreams with confidence and features keynote speakers and activities that encourage their development toward becoming strong, successful women.

Johnson will be recognized during the network's annual meeting and reception on March 21.