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SUCKOW SELECTED AGAIN TO FIRST TEAM ALL-WNY SOCCER TEAM FOR SMALL SCHOOLS

AKRON, NEW YORK (December 5, 2022) – For the second year in a row, Caleb Suckow of Akron High School's varsity boys soccer has been selected to the 2022 First Team All-WNY for Small Schools. The Tigers have made significant strides this season, earning second place in the Niagara-Orleans League standings with a 6-3-1 record. Suckow continues to be a standout defender in all of the Niagara-Orleans League, and the selection to the All-WNY team for Small Schools is a deserved recognition. Only two defenders playing for all of the schools in the Small Schools division are selected for this honor.

A team tri-captain, Suckow has demonstrated not only his skill on the pitch, but continues to show he is a leader among his teammates. Opponents know that Caleb will be guarding their best players. He is able to see the entire field and give direction to his teammates, helping to create plays that contribute to the overall success of the team. Caleb takes control of the defense for the Tigers.

Tigers' coach, Mr. Jacek Cislak, has nothing but praise for Suckow when asked what separates Caleb from the average soccer player.

"Caleb always shows up with energy and ability – game or practice," said Coach Cislak. "He is being recognized as an All-WNY defender, but he is a complete player. He is very difficult to beat one versus one. He reads the game on another level and is always in position, whether defending or transitioning to offense."

"He is a standout in the classroom as well," said Mr. Kevin Wartinger, Athletic Director at Akron Schools. "The sky's the limit for Caleb and we congratulate him!"

Caleb was selected to the Niagara-Orleans First Team All-League Team as a defender as well.

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