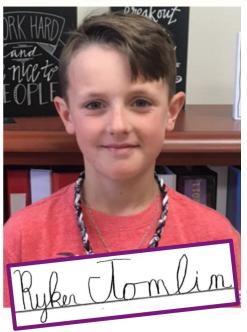
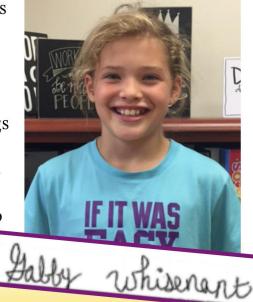


Riders of the Week May 8 - May 12



Coach Nichols has chosen **Ryker Tomlin** for Rider of the Week. His favorite book is *Hunt* by Gary Paulsen because it is a survival book. His mother is his role model because "she can do it all." When Ryker grows up he wants to be a lawyer because he wants to fight for people's rights. Until then, Ryker enjoys spending his time playing put-put with his mother and brothers and go fishing on the pond with his whole family. Coach Nichols says, "Ryker is one of those kids that always seems happy to be here. I have never seen him get mad or be in a bad mood. Even if he runs into a wall, Ryker still gets up smiling! He always tries his best and never gives up!"

Gabby Whisenant has also been chosen by Coach Nichols for Rider of the Week. Gabby loves to play sports, and enjoys softball, basketball, volleyball, track, and pole vaulting. She rarely watches TV, but when she does, she enjoys the Cartoon Network. Her role model is her big sister, Gracie, because she teachers Gabby how to do things and helps her. When Gabby grows up, she wants to be a pre-K teacher because she loves little kids. Coach Nichols says, "Gabby is not just an amazing athlete, but she is also a great mate. She works hard in P.E.. She always seems to have a good time. Gabby never makes fun of kids with lesser abilities than herself."



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