Getting it all done Brooke Feldman's Busy Life

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Brooke Feldman, a freshman at Olentangy Liberty High School is a committed student athlete. Part of the Varsity tennis team at OLHS, Feldman can do more than that as well. She never lets her hobbies and passions interfere with her schoolwork either. Driven and committed, Feldman has many strengths including tennis, baking and cooking, paddleboarding and so much more.

Feldman started her athletic journey with gymnastics for seven years and during that time she picked up softball for five years before trying tennis.

"I enjoyed gymnastics because I was a kid

back then and smaller so I had a lot of fun tumbling," Feldman said.

During her seven with gymnastics Feldman also tried softball during this time, but eventually stopped softball and continued gymnastics.

"Softball was really fun because it was more of a team sport and I enjoyed caring about the legacy of my mom because she also played softball around my age," Feldman said.

starting to play she decided winning." said Feldman to focus on that.

"I love tennis because of the solidarity you get because you don't need to rely on other people and the independence you get," Feldman said.

Finding her passion came with finding an outlet for her to relax as well. After all the long hours of tennis, Feldman became a part of the varsity tennis team at OLHS, she has also been able to maintain good grades as she works hard to pursue her dream of becoming a researcher for women's health in the medical field.

"My mom is a nurse and she inspires me so much that I want to follow in her footsteps. I also wants to study women's health because she believes that there needs to be more awareness around women's health and trying to have a further education to people nationwide," Feldman Said. wants to study women's health because she believes

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> Her drive for becoming women's health researcher translates to her efforts put into her schoolwork. Not only is she extremely dedicated to sports, but Feldman is also able to maintain good grades.

"Being able to keep my grades up allows me to be able to do the things I love. Without good grades I wouldn't be able to be a part of the Varsity tennis

team or get into my dream college, The Ohio State University," Feldman said.

In between tennis and keeping up with her school work, Feldman enjoys other activities like cooking and baking. She loves being able to create things for her friends and family to enjoy.



Feldman was playing a tennis match against Eventually, Feldman Pickerington Central "This was the first varsity came to tennis and after tennis match and I was very nervous but ended up Photo Credits: Lynn Feldman

"I love making breakfast. Some even call me a breakfast connoisseur. Bagel and egg sandwich and waffles are the two most popular breakfast foods I make," Feldman said.

Outside of all these activities Feldman's absolute favorite thing to do is paddleboarding. She will drop everything for the opportunity to go to the water and paddleboard with her family and friends.

"I love paddleboarding so much, if it was warm outside I would leave right now. It's so relaxing to be able to just go outside and do my thing, but it is also so much fun when I get to do it with my family and friends," Feldman said.

Being able to balance her school and home life is not easy, but by being able to manage her time well, Feldman is able to excel at anything she puts her mind to and doesn't plan on stopping anytime soon.

"I'm so glad I get the opportunity to wake up and do something I love everyday," Feldman said. "And I'm so glad I have supportive people in my life to help me achieve my goals."



Feldman got an award for moving to the next level. After lots of hard work she is excited to show off her skills. "I'm sure I was proud of myself for getting to a new level." Feldman said.

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Feldman is on third base, ready to run home. "I always was so excited to run home" Feldman said Photo Credits: Jay Feldman