



Penn Station Athlete of the Month

Springfield Market

Spring Seasonal Finalist 2019

**Student:** Ashley Dennis

**GPA:** 3.1

**School:** Tr-City High School

**Principal:** Christy Kindel

**Parents:** Amy and Todd Dennis

**Sibling/s:** Brett Powell, Amber Harris, Victoria Dennis

**Favorite Penn Station Restaurant:** Penn Station on Dirksen

**Favorite Penn Station Sandwich:** Philly Cheese Steak

**Extracurricular Activities:** FAA, High School Track, Healthy Kids Running Series Volunteer, Student Mentor

**Favorite Book:** Lord of the Flies

**Role Model:** My Dad

**Sports Role Model:** Allyson Felix

**Greatest Achievement So Far:** Going to state in track and the records I currently hold.

**Plans After High School:** To be a dermatologist

**How has participating in high school athletics benefited you?** It has taught me good lessons that I need in life I have learned to work as a team and help guide people when in need. Track has helped me push myself beyond what I thought I could do.

**What made you decide to play the sport for which you were named the Penn Station Athlete of the Month?**

When I was in the 3<sup>rd</sup> grade I played soccer, they would have hurdles at the track and I would jump them for fun. I realized I couldn't wait to join the track team in 5<sup>th</sup> Grade.



**Quote from Athletic Director/Coach:**

Ashely is an extremely responsible student. She has always taken her school work seriously and strives to do her best.

**Christy Kindel Principal**