

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, Janae Profit is a determined, talented, tenacious, young woman with an athletic ability unsurpassed in the state of Georgia; and

WHEREAS, Janae Profit attended the Kingswood School and Montgomery Elementary School, Chamblee Middle School and Dunwoody High School.

WHEREAS, Janae Profit met Coach Ronda Brown at a Throw 1 Camp and began her throwing career at age 10. Coach Ronda attended Career Day at Montgomery Elementary where Janae learned about the opportunities of a student athlete and competing at a high level.

WHEREAS, Janae Profit continued to attend camps and throwing with her club in middle school. She continued to improve year after year eventually competing for Chamblee Middle School, Janae won the Georgia Middle School Championship and set a Georgia Middle School record in discus that stands to this day

WHEREAS, beginning in 9th grade, Janae and her father realized she needed to increase her training to get to the next level. She began training 5-6 days per week; lifting weights 3 days per week and throwing 3-4 days per week.

WHEREAS, Janae Profit and her family moved to Dunwoody in 2018 and she became a Dunwoody Wildcat, and won the 2019 State Championship in Shot Put.

WHEREAS, in 2020, Janae Profit was the runner up Gatorade Athlete of the Year. Her coaches describe her as tenacious, smart and always striving to improve her performance. An unsuccessful meet to her is an opportunity to learn and improve

WHEREAS, Janae Profit wrote an article about the Art of Throwing in 2020 and describes in great detail the physics, technique and strength needed to be a successful thrower.

WHEREAS, Janae Profit never stops training and learning. She continues working on her technique and studying the sport to improve her abilities

WHEREAS, as a member of the Class of 2021, Janae was undefeated in both the shot put and discus the entire season; 12 meets, 12 victories including the state championship title while setting a state record in the shot put. The record had stood for 10 years before Janae raised it by 7.5". During her outstanding senior season, Janae also broke DeKalb County records in shot put and discus which had stood since 1994.

WHEREAS, Janae Profit has made Dunwoody very proud. She will continue her athletic career at the University of Virginia, where we know, that because of her talent and commitment, she will continue to thrive and succeed

NOW, THEREFORE I, Lynn Deutsch, Mayor of Dunwoody, Georgia do hereby proclaim June 14, 2021, as **Janae Profit Day** in the City of Dunwoody in honor of her outstanding athletic career and accomplishments as a Dunwoody Wildcat.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Dunwoody to be affixed this 14th day of June, 2021.

CITY OF DUNWOODY

Lynn P. Deutsch, Mayor

ATTEST:

Sharon Lowery, City Clerk