### **MARCH 2023**



# MELISSA SKENANDORE MEMBER OF THE MONTH



ONEIDA FAMILY FITNESS

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#### Share a little something about yourself.

I am an active and outgoing person. Between spending time with my family, carting around my kids, and working; I love getting some stress out at the

gym

#### What motivates you to work out?

My biggest motivation is to try to keep my best health in mind. Also getting rid of stress. Then I also have to keep up with Stephanie, she's very motivating to me.

## Have you had any setbacks? And if so, were you able to overcome them? How did you do it?

I would say my biggest setback was axing my ankle. As much as I wanted to get going right away, I would really get nervous I would hurt my ankle more. It took some time, but I pushed through it.

#### What exercises do you like to include in your workouts?

My favorite exercises are really just having a whole mixture. Mixing together cardio, arms, legs, core. I always look forward to switching it up.

#### **Best fitness advice?**

My best fitness advice would be to never give up. Always fight through the tough exercises because it only makes you feel stronger in the end.

#### What do you enjoy most about Oneida Family Fitness?

I really enjoy the classes and trainers. The gym family that has been created and the all-around atmosphere of working together and motivating one

another

## What's something about you (a fun fact) that not many people know?

A fun fact about me is I am a big animal lover and would love a small hobby farm someday.

## What lifestyle changes accompany your dedication to working out (diet, time, attitude)?

I try to rearrange things in my day to make time for working out. I try to go in with a positive mind frame and get myself excited to make it through another class.

Congratulations, Melissa! Your dedication to maintain a healthy lifestyle inspires others!



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