

2005 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



Emily Lance

Emily Lance is a senior at Platte Valley High School, and is the recipient of the Josh Jarman Memorial scholarship. She is a 10-year 4-H member and has participated in a wide variety of projects including horses, market sheep, Decorate your Duds, and Crocheting. She has been active in FFA, Future Business Leaders of America, National Honor Society and Student Council at Platte Valley. Emily will be attending Colorado State University majoring in Technical Journalism, with a goal of having a career in either newspaper or broadcast journalism. She is the daughter of Dana and Sally Lance of Kersey.



Lindsay Eurich

Lindsay Eurich is a senior at Weld Central High School and wants to be an animal nutritionist after attending Colorado State University. She is a nine year 4-H member and currently serves as vice-president of her club. Market Swine and Breads are two of the numerous projects Lindsay has taken during her 4-H career. Some of her 4-H years were spent in Douglas County where she served on the 4-H Council and as District 3 Senator. At school she was active in FFA National Honor Society, and varsity cheerleading. Lindsay is the daughter of Larry & Ilona Eurich of Keenesburg, and is the recipient of the Kenneth & Clarice Benson Memorial scholarship.



Corey Longhurst

Corey Longhurst is the son of Mark and Jami Longhurst of Brighton. He is a senior at Weld Central High School and plans to enter Colorado State University, studying to be an animal geneticist. Corey's main project during his 10 years in 4-H was market sheep. He participated in Livestock judging, and is a two-time state champion individual, and a member of the 2004 Reserve National Champion Team that will travel to Europe this year to compete on an International livestock judging tour. Corey was chapter and district president in FFA, president of both his junior and senior classes, and was a state qualifier in wrestling. Corey is the recipient of the Helmut Brunner Memorial Scholarship.



Casey Adams

Casey Adams is a senior at Eaton High School, and plans to enter the field of marketing after attending Colorado State University and majoring in Agriculture Business. He is the son of Kathy and Douglas Adams of Ault. Casey has taken Shooting Sports, Breeding and Market Beef, and Horse projects during his 10 years in 4-H. At school, Casey has served on the newspaper staff, is a member of FFA, and was on the honor roll for four years. He has served on the Weld County 4-H Executive Council and has participated on several county shooting sports teams at the State Fair. Casey is the recipient of a new scholarship offered through the Foundation, the Weld County 4-H Shooting Sports scholarship.

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Christie Gabel

Christie Gabel is the daughter of Steven & Audrey Gabel of LaSalle. She will graduate from Butler Community College in May, and plans to further her education at either Colorado State or Kansas State universities. Christie had a distinguished career in Weld County 4-H with her market beef, sheep, and swine projects. She has won the Weld County Fair Grand Champion All-Around Livestock Showman award, and has had numerous champion awards with her animals. At Butler, Christie is active in the Ag Club, Phi Theta Kappa, and the Livestock Judging Team. She is the recipient of the Ben Wilson Memorial Scholarship.



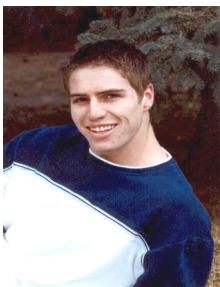
Katie Gore

Katie Gore is a freshman at Colorado State University and wants to become a large animal veterinarian. She also plans to earn her Emergency Medical Technician certification at Front Range Community College this summer. Katie was a 10-year member in 4-H with horse, breeding and market beef, and dog obedience as her primary projects. She was the 2003-2004 Weld County Fair Queen. Katie takes an interest in community service. She has donated and helped organize blood drives, and volunteers at the Rancho Vista Equine Therapy Center and for the Disabled Students Services at CSU. Her parents are Paula and Melvin Gore from Ault. Katie is the recipient of the Norgren Family 4-H scholarship.



Katie Johnson

Katie Johnson is the daughter of Wayne & Teresa Johnson of Greeley. She is a sophomore at Colorado State University with plans to be an Agricultural Education Teacher upon graduation. During her 4-H years in Weld County, Katie held numerous offices in her club and participated in a wide variety of projects, most notably horse. She has been a member of several judging teams that have gone to national competitions in both FFA and 4-H, and in 2000 was the 4-H National Champion Individual for Horse Bowl. Katie was a state FFA officer in 2002 and received her American Farmer degree in 2003. Katie will receive the Martin Produce Company scholarship.



Brandon Owens

Brandon Owens will graduate from Platte Valley High School and plans to attend either Colorado State University or the University of Northern Colorado to pursue a degree in Computer Science or Ag Business. Brandon is a 10-year 4-H member with Market Beef being his primary project. He is also involved in Future Business Leaders of America, National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Students, Student Council, and FFA at Platte Valley. Brandon is the son of John and Judith Owens of Kersey, and is the recipient of a Weld County 4-H Foundation scholarship.

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Brennan Proctor

Brennan Proctor will graduate from Roosevelt High School and plans to attend the University of Colorado in Boulder where he will begin his pursuit of a career in pharmaceuticals. Brennan is a nine year member of the Milliken Pacesetters 4-H club having taken Gardening, Forestry, Woodworking, and other projects. He exhibited the state Grand Champion Forestry project in 2003, and was a member of Youth Executive Council for two years. In high school he is active in National Honor Society, Knowledge Bowl and band, being selected to All-State Band this year. Brennan is the son of Erin and Douglas Proctor of Loveland, and is the recipient of a Weld County 4-H Foundation scholarship.



Jessica Johnson

Jessica Johnson is the daughter of Wayne and Teresa Johnson of Greeley and will receive a Weld County 4-H Foundation scholarship. She will graduate from Platte Valley High School and plans to attend the University of Wyoming in Laramie, majoring in Agriculture Education and Agriculture Communications & Journalism. Jessica is currently the president of the Hoofbeats 4-H club, and has projects in horse, sheep, swine and market steers. She won high individual honors at the 2003 State Horse Bowl, and was a member of the 2004 State Champion and 2005 Western National Champion Horse Judging teams.



Megan Grieve

Megan Grieve is a senior at Windsor High School and plans to attend Colorado State University to pursue Equine Science and Doctor of Veterinary Medicine degrees. Megan is a member of National Honor Society and was named an Academic All-Star. She was involved in many horse activities and events in her nine year 4-H career. She won high individual honors at the 2004 State Horse Judging contest, and was a member of the winning horse judging team at the 2005 National Western 4-H Roundup. Megan is currently President of the Horse Whisperers 4-H Club. Her parents are Robert and Marcia Grieve of Fort Collins. Megan will receive the Weld County 4-H Foundation Agriculture scholarship.



Erika Carlson

Erika Carlson will graduate from Weld Central High School with plans to major in Business Administration at either the University of Northern Colorado or Mesa State College. She is the daughter of Kenneth and Jodi Carlson of Roggen. She took market beef and lambs and cake decorating during her 10-year 4-H career. She was chosen the head girl for her 2002 Citizenship Washington Focus trip, held various office positions in her club, including President, and was an assistant coach of her club's pee-wee volleyball team. She played volleyball and basketball at Weld Central, and was involved with FFA, Future Business Leaders of America, National Honor Society, and Science Club. Erika is the recipient of the Weld County 4-H Foundation Home Economics Scholarship.

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Ashley Gross

Ashley Gross is the daughter of Michelle and Kevin Gross of Fort Lupton. After graduating from Fort Lupton High School, Ashley plans to attend the University of Denver and major in Management or Business Administration. She is a nine year member of 4-H and has taken a wide variety of projects including Shooting Sports, Child Development, and Cake Decorating. Ashley has held many leadership positions in 4-H including club President, Senator for District 2 4-H Council, counselor at Junior Jamboree and Youth Fest, President of Youth Executive Council, and Weld County Fair Board Youth Representative. She served as President of the Fort Lupton High School Future Business Leaders of America, and has been accepted into the Pioneer Leadership Program at Denver.