

2000 SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS



Robby Adams

Robby Adams, from Kersey, is a senior at Platte Valley School, and is the recipient of a Weld County 4-H Foundation Scholarship. He is a 10-year member of 4-H, and has served as vice-president of his club for two years. Some of Robby's projects include dairy, woodworking, rocketry, and market sheep. In addition to 4-H, Robby was active in FFA - where he was president for two years, National Honor Society, Student Council, Colorado Junior Holstein Association, and several school sports. Robby will attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling, and has plans to become a Vo-Ag instructor in the future.



Amanda Aschenbrenner

Amanda Aschenbrenner, from Ft. Lupton, received the Josh Jarman Memorial Scholarship. Amanda is a senior at Valley High School in Gilcrest. She is a member of the National Honor Society and served as the manager of the boys basketball team for two years. She is a 10-year member of 4-H and has had a multitude of projects including dairy, pygmy, and market goats, market and breeding sheep, cake decorating, and photography. She is a member of the American Dairy Goat Association, the Rocky Mountain Meat Goat Association, and the United Methodist church in Platteville. Amanda will attend Aims Community College in Greeley, with studies in Business.



Jennifer Bruce

Jennifer Bruce, from Johnstown, is a senior at Roosevelt High School, and is the recipient of the Weld County 4-H Home Economics Scholarship. Jennifer participated in volleyball and track, and was the manager for the wrestling team. She also participated in River Watch and Knowledge Bowl. In 1999, she received the Rotary Youth Leadership award. A 9-year 4-H member, Jennifer plans to attend Front Range Community College in Ft. Collins, and then pursue a nursing degree from the University of Wyoming. Towards that end, she is taking a Medical Prep Program, and is doing clinicals at the Emergency Room at Northern Colorado Medical Center.



Angela Hoffner

Angela Hoffner, from Windsor, is an 8-year 4-H member, taking market swine and field crop projects. She was president of her club in 1999. Angela is a member and current president of the Future Business Leaders of America at Windsor high school, and also class treasurer in Student Council. She plans on attending Colorado State University, majoring in computer information systems. After receiving her degree, she hopes to work in the information technology department for a major company. Angela is the recipient of a Weld County 4-H Foundation scholarship.

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Erin Konkel

Erin Konkel, received the Helmut Brunner Memorial scholarship. She is from Johnstown and a senior at Roosevelt High School, where she was active in basketball, cross country, and track. She was also a member of FFA, National Honor Society, Future Business Leaders of America, River Watch, and Knowledge Bowl. In 1998, Erin attended the Youth Leadership Conference in Liberty, Missouri, sponsored by Farmland Industries. A 7-year member of 4-H, Erin has served as club president and vice-president, and has participated in Citizenship Washington Focus. She plans to attend Colorado State University, with a double major in Ag Business and Animal Science. From there, she wants to pursue an Ag Law degree.



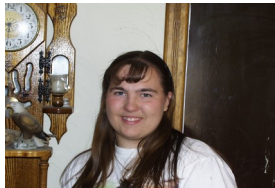
Jessica Peterson

Jessica Peterson, from Eaton, is a senior at Eaton High School. She is a 10-year member of 4-H and currently carries a market goat project. She has served as club secretary and treasurer, was a Youth Leadership counselor, and has participated in the beef catch-it calf program. At school, Jessica played softball, was a member of the National Honor Society, and is the immediate past president of the Eaton FFA. She won the Star District Farmer in FFA this year, and plans to compete for a state FFA office position. Jessica will attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling, and then transfer to a 4-year college to pursue a degree in either Animal Science or Ag Business. Jessica received a Weld County 4-H Foundation scholarship.



Corinne Schaefer

Corinne Schaefer, from Ft. Lupton, received the Weld County 4-H Agriculture scholarship. She is the current president of her 4-H club, and has also served as its treasurer. She is currently taking breeding and market swine, and restoration projects. Corinne participated in Citizenship Washington Focus in 1999. A senior at Ft. Lupton high school, Corinne was involved in gymnastics, soccer, Student Council, and the National Honor Society. She is also the immediate past president of the Ft. Lupton FFA chapter. Corinne will attend Regis College in Denver, and has received the Regis Presidential Scholarship. She will major in Nursing, with plans to work in neo-natal care.



Rebecca Smith

Rebecca Smith, from Hereford, is a senior at Pawnee High School in Grover. She is the recipient of the Martin Produce scholarship. Rebecca is a 10-year member of 4-H, taking dairy, junior leadership, and vet science. She is the secretary of the Youth Executive Council. In school, she is a member of FFA, the National Honor Society, and Student Council. She plans to attend East Wyoming College in Torrington pursuing a vet tech degree.

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Ryan Smith

Ryan Smith, from Gill, is a senior at Platte Valley High School in Kersey. He is the recipient of the Paul Hoshiko Jr. Memorial Scholarship. Ryan is a 10-year member of 4-H, and the current president of the Weld County Youth Executive Council. He has attended National 4-H Conference and Congress, and has served for three years on the National 4-H Council Task Force. Ryan won the state 4-H public speaking contest in 1998, and was the overall grand champion in foods & nutrition at state in 1999. He will enter seminary at St. Mary's University in Minnesota, majoring in Business with a minor in Philosophy.



Krystal Stewart

Krystal Stewart, is a freshman at Larimie County Community College in Cheyenne, Wyoming, majoring in Equine studies. She is from Ault, and graduated from Highland high school last year. At school she was active in National Honor Society, Student Faculty Council, and volleyball. She was a 10-year member of 4-H, and in addition to her horse project also took market beef, junior leadership, dog obedience, and model rocketry. Her career plans are to train horses, give riding lessons, and to hopefully barrel race on the professional rodeo circuit. Krystal is the recipient of the Ben Wilson Memorial scholarship.