



2016 NDHSCA Scholarship Narrative

The NDHSCA Executive Committee selected the recipients for the NDHSCA Scholarships at its Spring Meeting. The \$500 scholarships are being presented to each student/athlete by President Andy Braaten. The four student-athletes collectively earned 37 athletic letters, 33 activity letters, and ACT scores averaged 26.25. Two of the recipients had a class rank in the top 7% of their respective schools.

NDHSCA Scholarship Recipient Haley Hill

Haley Hill will graduate from Mott-Regent High School with a 3.98 Grade Point Average (GPA). She scored 26 on her ACT test. Haley earned 7 athletic letters in the sports of basketball (3), volleyball (2) and track & field (2). She was a member of Future Business Leaders of America, Student Council, Choir, Robotics, and Science Olympiad.



Haley has been commended by teachers as being truthful, responsible, and highly determined. Hill is the local Future Business Leaders of America President and was the North Dakota Region III Vice President in 2014-2015.

Haley is the daughter of Adam and Lori Hill.

NDHSCA Scholarship Recipient Kauri Hochhalter

Kauri Hochhalter will graduate from Carrington HS with a 3.94 Grade Point Average (GPA) and ranks sixth in his class of 43. Her Act score was a 26. Kauri has earned 10 athletic letters in the sports of track & field (4), basketball (3), and volleyball (3). She is a member of Student Council, Sources of Strength, and National Honor Society.



Hochhalter was a class officer for student council, basketball and volleyball captain, as well as the National Honor Society Secretary. She was a leader at Carrington High School.

Kauri is commended for her ambition and volunteering in the community. She is noted for hard work, talent, and intelligence. Kauri goes above and beyond to be the best.

Kauri Hochhalter is the daughter of Marty and Jan Hochhalter.



NDHSCA Scholarship Recipient Caleb Weisgarber

Caleb Weisgarber will graduate from Washburn High School with a 4.0 Grade Point Average (GPA). His ACT score of 29 is very impressive. He has earned 16 athletic letters in the sports of basketball (4), football (4), baseball (4), and track & field (4). He was team captain in basketball, football, and track & field.



Caleb was also active in Band, Coal Country Leadership Academy, Drama, Dollars for Scholars, and Student Council. He has been a leader at Washburn High School.

Caleb is praised for his work ethic and independent thinking skills. He excels both in athletics and academics. His basketball coach praises him for his ability to balance athletics and academics. He is noted for being a polite individual.

Caleb is the son of Lee and Annette Weisgarber.

NDHSCA Scholarship Recipient David Youngs

David Youngs will graduate from Fargo South High School with a 3.94 Grade Point Average (GPA). His ACT score is a 24. He has earned four athletic letters in the sport of Tennis. David was named the North Dakota High School Coaches Association POWERade Senior Athlete of the Year this past fall in tennis. He has been a captain of the tennis team the last two seasons.



David was involved in Band, Jazz Band, Student Council, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Bruin Ambassadors, Academic Knowledge Bowl, and National Honor Society. He has been a leader in the National Honor Society and the Bruin Ambassadors.

Youngs is noted for being a fantastic independent learner. Other students enjoy working with him because of his positive attitude. He is an exceptional member of the Bruin Community with his spirit, thoughtfulness, and generous well-being.

David is the son of Victor and Melissa Youngs.

I will introduce Assistant Executive Secretary Scott Grochow to narrate the Gelaine Orvik Scholarship.