

NDHSCA Scholarship 2012

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Austin Foss
Hatton HS



Nicole Grinsteinner
Dickinson Trinity HS



Joshua Haugen
North Star (Cando) HS

The NDHSCA Executive Committee selected the following recipients for the NDHSCA Scholarships at its recent meeting:

Austin Foss, Hatton HS, who plans to attend NDSU

Nicole Grinsteinner, Dickinson Trinity HS, who plans to attend NDSU

Joshua Haugen, North Star (Cando) HS, who plans to attend University of Mary

Each of the students will receive a \$500.00 scholarship from NDHSCA and Burger King of North Dakota.

The scholarships will be presented to each student/athlete at the Annual NDHSCA Hall of Fame and COTY Banquet at the Fargo Holiday Inn Convention Center on Thursday, July 26th. The three student-athletes collectively earned 27 athletic letters, 34 activity letters, and ACT scores averaged 30.0. The recipients ranked first, first and fourth respectively in the class rank of their individual schools.

Austin Foss will graduate from Hatton High School with a 3.90 Grade Point Average (GPA). He scored 30 on his ACT test. Austin earned 6 athletic letters in the sports of football and golf. He was a four-year member of band and chorus. He also excelled in speech for three years. Foss was a four year member of FBLS, TSA and robotics. David Smith, his football coach, and Sarah Burger, his English teach and speech coach recommended Austin without reservation.

Austin is the son of Justin and Tracy Foss.

Nicole Grinsteinner is the daughter of Gregg and Carol Grinsteinner. She has a 4.0 Grade Point Average (GPA) and ranks 4th in her class of 44. Her Act score was 29. Nicole has earned 11 athletic letters in the sports of basketball, volleyball and track & field. She earned four letters in three letters in chorus, four in student government and four in publications.

Nicole was a member of the prom committee. She was a leader in peer ministry and was an assistant chaplain. She was a senior class officer and a member of Leadership Dickinson. As a member of the National Honor Society she held the distinction of being the academic highest honors honor roll. She received the NDSU Presidential Honor Scholarship.

Casey Kessel, Dickinson Trinity HS Science Teacher wrote a glowing recommendation for Nicole singling out her studies of advanced science class and physics class. Alysia Barman, Dickinson Trinity HS social studies instructor and girls' basketball coach, was praiseworthy of Nicole's communication skills as well her positive attitude.

Joshua Haugen is the son of Bryan and Lavonne Haugen. He holds a 3.73 Grade Point Average (GPA) and ranks fourth in his class of 20. His ACT score of 31 is very impressive. He earned 10 athletic letters in the sports of basketball, football, and baseball. He was team captain in football and basketball.

Josh also earned letters in band (3), chorus (4), speech (2), drama (3) and

student government (2). He was a recognized leader in student government. He was a three-year member of National Honor Society participated in North Dakota Leadership Seminar as a junior and senior. He participated in Youth Bowling for three years. Joshua was a member of Sources of Strength and was on the Knowledge Bowl as a junior. Joshua attended North Dakota Boys State as a senior.

Jeff Hagler praised Joshua from his perspective as a principal, basketball coach and math teacher. Hagler alludes to Joshua as a responsible newspaper reporter and as a proclaimed leader by his peers. Lori Kurtti has had Joshua since his 6th grade music classes. She points out that he has had numerous star ratings an regional and state music contests.

Each of the recipients will receive a \$500.00 scholarship from John Walsh and Burger King of North Dakota at the July 26th NDHSCA Coach of the Year and Hall of Fame Banquet in Fargo Holiday Inn Convention Center.

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