

# Class of 2018



# Lake Mills Graphic





# Commencement



Sunday, May 20, 2018 • 2 p.m.

Class Colors ~ Purple & Gold

Class Flower ~ Yellow Rose

## Class of 2018

Your commencement marks the 121st year of graduating seniors from Lake Mills Community School. You have been fortunate to have been provided all of the great supports our community and school have to offer. Your accomplishments of graduating from Lake Mills Community Schools was a cooperative task that all of the teachers, learner assistants, support staff, administrators, and school board members past and present hold dear to their hearts. You have reached one of the great milestones that life provides and all of you should take great pride in what you have done and from where you come from. The learner outcomes that we have based our work on helping you to become a lifelong learner, effective communicator, responsible citizen, creative and critical thinker, and healthy contributor stay with you throughout your life. Only you can determine your next challenge in life so proceed with confidence, courage, and pride knowing that you have been given the tools to be successful with whatever your future holds.

Enjoy this time with families and friends and be sure you take a moment to thank those that have helped you along this journey. Congratulations! You made it!



Best wishes for the future,  
Chad Kohagen, Superintendent

## Lake Mills Community School Board



Lake Mills School Board members are pictured above front to back: Don Knudtson, Ryan Joynt, Kathy Christianson, Teresa Fritz, and Kristi Smith.





# Graduation Celebrations



**Graduation Open House** 

*Rebecca Evans*  
Saturday, May 19  
9:00 a.m.-Noon  
*at her home*  
306 Opportunity St.  
Joice

**Graduation Open House** 

*Claire Grothe*  
Saturday, May 19  
1:00-3:00 p.m.  
Truman Helgeson  
Civic Center  
227 W. Main St.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 

*Kylee McGurk*  
Saturday, May 19  
1:00-5:00 p.m.  
Emmons Lutheran Church  
490 Pearl St.  
Emmons, MN

**Graduation Open House** 

*Drae Love*  
Saturday, May 19  
3:00-5:00 p.m.  
Back Yard Shed  
305 S. 4th Ave. W.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 

*Justin Okland*  
Saturday, May 19  
3:00-7:00 p.m.  
Salem Lutheran Church  
Fellowship Hall  
401 S. Lake St.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 

*Grant Fjelstad*  
Sunday, May 20  
3:30-5:30 p.m.  
Ole's Office  
(old Dollar General)  
205 N. Mill St.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 


*Ashley Groe*  
Sunday, May 20  
4:00-7:00 p.m.  
*at her home*  
4625 Dogwood Ave.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 

*Faith Christenson*  
Sunday, May 20  
4:00-7:00 p.m.  
*at her home*  
47470 228th Ave.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 

*Laura Knudtson*  
Sunday, May 20  
4:00-7:00 p.m.  
*at her home*  
222 482nd St.  
Lake Mills

**Graduation Open House** 

*Anthony Naser*  
Sunday, May 20  
4:00-7:00 p.m.  
Izaak Walton League  
42723 235 Ave.  
Lake Mills

## Congratulations LMHS Class of 2018! SENIOR POLL

MOST TALKATIVE: Becca Evans & Justin Okland  
WORST DRIVER: Anna Kaktis & Clay Hagen  
MOST LIKE TO BE LATE TO GRADUATION: Kate Thompson & Zach Johnson  
MOST SARCASTIC: Claire Grothe & Cole Bergo  
BIGGEST APPETITE: Jady Joynt & Brett Tyler  
MOST LIKE TO BE WED FIRST: Ashley Groe & Alex Martinson  
MOST ACCIDENT PRONE: Andrea Laugen & Austin Leibeg  
MOST LIKELY TO BE A MILLIONAIRE: Morgan Fritz & Grant Fjelstad  
BIGGEST ATTITUDE: Kayla Carter & Anthony Naser  
LARGEST WARDROBE: Addison Kopp & Trevor Hanna  
MOST SCHOOL SPIRIT: Lauren Scholbrock & Jamie Underwood  
BIGGEST GOSSIP: Jade Gasteiger & Anthony Naser  
FUNNIEST: Ashley Groe & Javi Gallardo  
CRAZIEST/GOOFIEST: Kristine Kingland & Alex Dahle  
MR./MRS. GOODWRENCH: Karissa Heath & Clay Hagen

MOST RANDOM: Hanah Kettwig & Alex Albert  
BIGGEST FARMER: Abbey Bray & Michael Wallin  
MOST LIKELY TO FIGHT ALIENS: Becca Evans & Brett Tyler  
BIGGEST PACKRAT: Kate Thompson & Zach Johnson  
BEST MUSICIAN: Megan Swope & Gabe Irons  
MOST GULLIBLE: Andrea Laugen & Cole Bergo  
BEST HAIR: Alessandra Groe & Alex Dahle  
BORN LEADER: Morgan Fritz & Gabe Irons  
MOST LIKELY TO BRIGHTEN SOMEONE'S DAY: Hannah Evenson & Brady Heagel  
MOST QUIET/SHY: Faith Christenson & Alex Albert  
MOST LIKELY TO WIN A GRAMMY: Carsyn TenHaken & Nick Raaen  
ROWDIEST: Laura Knudtson & Javi Gallardo  
CAMERA SHY: Emma Maser & Thomas Scherb  
MOST CREATIVE: Kylee McGurk & Alex Martinson  
MOST RECOGNIZABLE LAUGH: Dana Baumann & Michael Wallin

BEST SMILE: Teah Kesler & Grant Fjelstad  
MOST ATHLETIC: Mallory Wilhelm & Grant Fjelstad  
MOST DARING: Kayla Carter & Clayton Butler  
BIGGEST MUSCLES: Dana Baumann & Drae Love  
EVERYONE'S FRIEND: Hannah Evenson & Jamie Underwood  
MOST LIKELY TO BE CRUISING: Kiara Hahn & Drae Love  
MOST LIKELY TO BE AN ACTOR: Hannah Kettwig & Nick Raaen  
MOST ENTHUSIASTIC: Mariah Fails & Brady Heagel  
WORK-A-HOLIC: Kasey Wojahn & Justin Okland  
BEST DRESSED: Lily Thompson & Trevor Hanna  
MOST ARTISTIC: Logan Godtland & Alex Dahle  
BIGGEST PERFECTIONIST: Teah Kesler & Trevor Hanna  
CURLIEST HAIR: Lily Thompson & Thomas Scherb  
ALWAYS COMPLAINING: Jade Gasteiger & Austin Leibeg  
MOST LIKELY TO BE DANCING: Alessandra Groe & Clayton Butler

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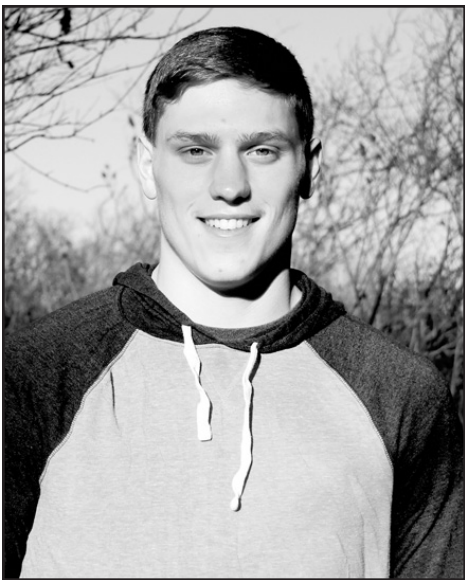


**ALEX ALBERT**  
SON OF  
December Debattista  
Lake Mills



**DANA BAUMANN**  
DAUGHTER OF  
Jeff & Dyann Baumann  
Emmons, MN

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard, laugh a lot, and make tons of memories  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Playing in the regional final two years in a row and all of the locker room dance parties before games  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Wartburg College to major in biology (pre-vet) and play volleyball. Then attend vet school at ISU or Univ. of MN



**COLE BERGO**  
SON OF  
Jayme Bergo & Stacy Anderson  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Do your homework on time, as long as you do that, you'll be fine  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** DC trip in 8th grade  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC for general education



**ABBEY BRAY**  
DAUGHTER OF  
John & Sue Bray  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard, play harder  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Any adventure with my cross country team  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC for nursing



# IT'S YOUR WORLD, GRADS!

We've always known  
you were stellar students.  
Now, go out there &  
show the world what you  
have to offer!  
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many achievements  
here at LMCS.  
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that you can always  
count on our support.



# LAKE MILLS COMMUNITY SCHOOL



## Iowa Choral Directors Award

EMMA MASER  
Linda Saxton, presenter





**CLAYTON BUTLER**

**SON OF**

Tammy & Steven Butler  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Do what you want to do when it comes to sports. Don't let parents & coaches make your choices.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** When I brought a dead mouse to school and my teacher found me and Trevor playing with it and she freaked out.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Get a full-time job and focus on my music career.



**KAYLA CARTER**

**DAUGHTER OF**

Jeff Carter  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Be a kiss-up

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** State wrestling

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Iowa Lakes Community College and take classes in criminal justice and be a manager for their college wrestling team



**FAITH CHRISTENSON**

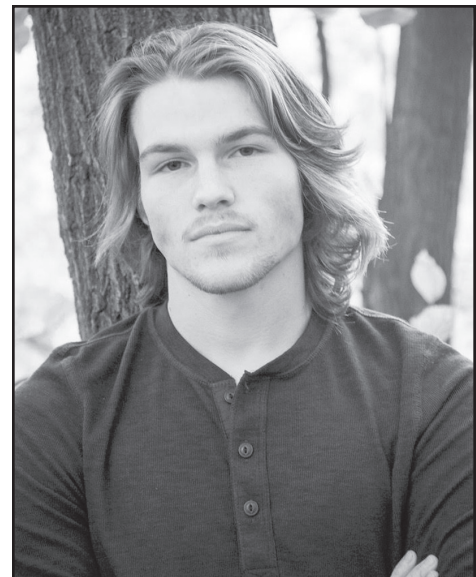
**DAUGHTER OF**

Jeff & Amy Christenson  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Identify your goals, find a path to achieve them, stick to that path, and don't let others deter you.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Going to speech competitions throughout the years where I would watch other numbers, hang out with my friends and take in the creative atmosphere.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Colgate University, Hamilton, N.Y. and major in biochemistry.



**ALEX DAHLE**

**SON OF**

Wanda Dahle, Lake Mills  
Joseph Dahle, Deltona, FL

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Do everything you can

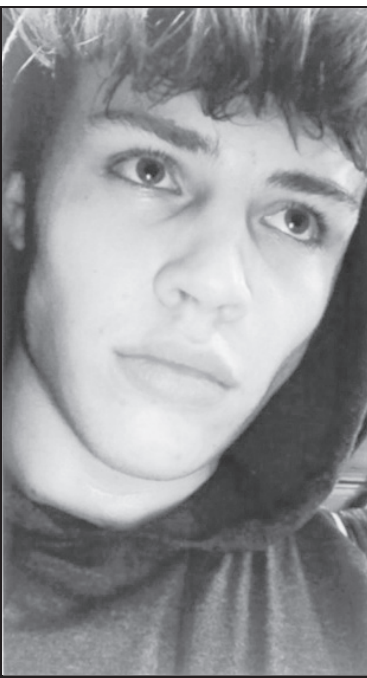
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Saying "fruitcake."

**FUTURE PLANS:** Move out and start college



**LMCS Choral Director's Award**

GABRIEL IRONS & CARSYN TENHAKEN  
Linda Saxton, presenter



**CONGRATULATIONS,**

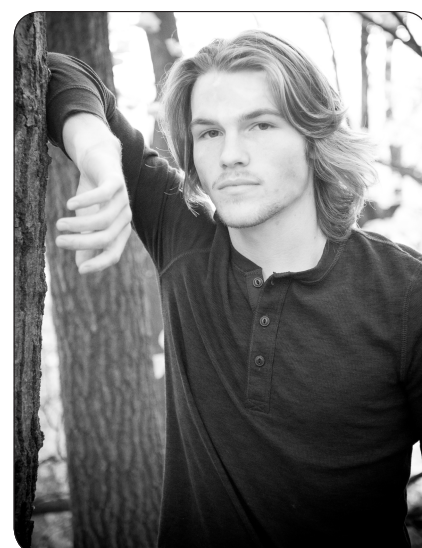
*Clayton Butler*

*&*

*the Class of 2018!*

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**& Alex Dahle**

*son of Wanda Dable, Lake Mills & Joseph Dable, Deltona, FL*

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**REBECCA EVANS**

**DAUGHTER OF**

Thad & Christine Evans  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Study and read the chapters assigned by the teacher. They do help.  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** K-prep with best friend, Megan Swope, and during indoor recess we fought over a lego pony. The teacher put us on time-out, we made up, and were friends again.  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Univ. of IA and major in pre-med.



**HANNAH EVENSON**

**DAUGHTER OF**

Brad & Darla Evenson  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Turn in all assignments on time and don't wait until the last minute to do homework.  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Participating in color guard and winning the Meredith Wilson Award three years in a row at the NI Band Festival  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Study nursing at NIACC



**MARIAH FAILS**

**DAUGHTER OF**

Tonya Fails & Matthew Fails  
Albert Lea, MN

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Get your homework done on time and do any re-takes you can  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Anything that has to do with band  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Iowa Central Community College to get AA in music, then transfer to UNI to get bachelor's degree in music therapy



**GRANT FJELSTAD**

**SON OF**

Scott Fjelstad & Jennifer Fjelstad  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't goof off freshman year  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Losing my teeth during basketball practice  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Running track and studying electrical engineering at Wartburg



**Franklin Dahn Memorial Scholarships**

**LILY THOMPSON & FAITH CHRISTENSON**

Caryl Dahn & Mary Beth Heimendinger, presenters



**Atty Joy Nelson Cheerleaders of the Year**

**LAUREN SCHOLBROCK & ALESSANDRA GROE**

Ree Pederson-Moore, presenter

**WHEN WE LOOK TO THE FUTURE, WE LOOK TO OUR GRADUATES.**

Making the world a better place can only come as a result of hard work. The kind of work that every Lake Mills High School senior has put in.

Best wishes for a successful future!

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**MORGAN FRITZ**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Teresa & the late Daron Fritz  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't wish your time away. The future will be here soon enough and you'll wish you could go back.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Any event with the cross country team, "The Herd." Specifically, "crashing" Coach Comenino's wedding

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend ISU and major in political science and psychology for pre-law.



**JAVIER GALLARDO**  
**SON OF**

Yolanda & Joe Gallardo  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** You have to be fully committed before joining a class

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** The day when my buddies and I got yelled at in Mr. Scholbrock's office

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC to study accounting then continue to a 4-year college



**JADE GASTEIGER**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Justin & Jamie Gasteiger  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard in school and enjoy your time

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Being done and moving on

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Palm Beach Atlantic University and study nursing



**LOGAN GODTLAND**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

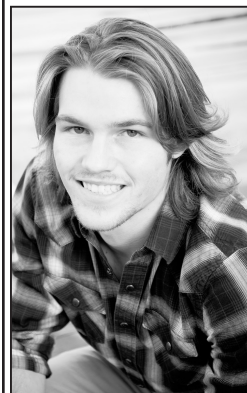
Lauran Burke & Kevin Godtland  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** The best and easiest way to get by doing the least is just do your work right away in the first place

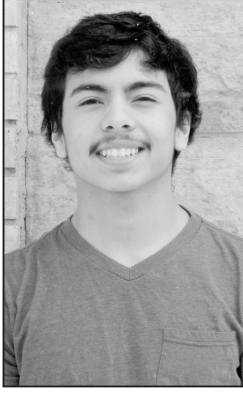
**FUTURE PLANS:** Find the career for me



## HONORING OUR GRADUATES



*Alex Dahle*  
&  
*Javi Gallardo*



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WE HOPE YOU ENJOY EVERY MOMENT OF THIS VERY SPECIAL TIME IN YOUR LIFE.

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## 2018 Student of the Year

**MORGAN FRITZ**  
James Scholbrock, presenter

CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATE! You Did It!





### ALESSANDRA GROE

#### DAUGHTER OF

Loren & Tania Groe  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't wait until the last second to do homework

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Presenting our final project in ceramics and not being able to stop laughing

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend ISU and major in industrial engineering and accounting



### ASHLEY GROE

#### DAUGHTER OF

Amos & Marna Groe  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Enjoy your sporting events because time flies during them. Always work hard.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Leaving football games my senior year to go get ice cream with Téah Kelser at the Viking.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC and play volleyball, while also going into the nursing program to obtain my RN.



### CLAIRE GROTHE

#### DAUGHTER OF

Kevin & Chrissy Grothe  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Enjoy time in high school; it goes by fast

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Golf season being able to play with new people and with friends

**FUTURE PLANS:** Take a year off



### CLAY HAGEN

#### SON OF

Rodney & Samantha Hagen  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't get behind

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Trap shooting

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC for automotive



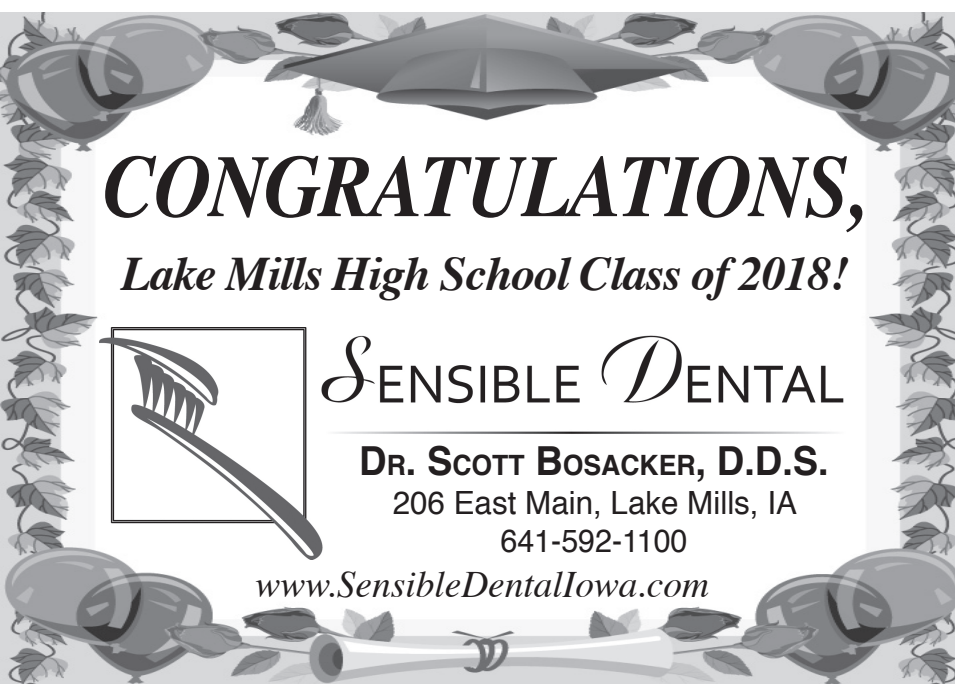
# CONGRATULATIONS



**Drae Love  
&  
Clay Hagen**



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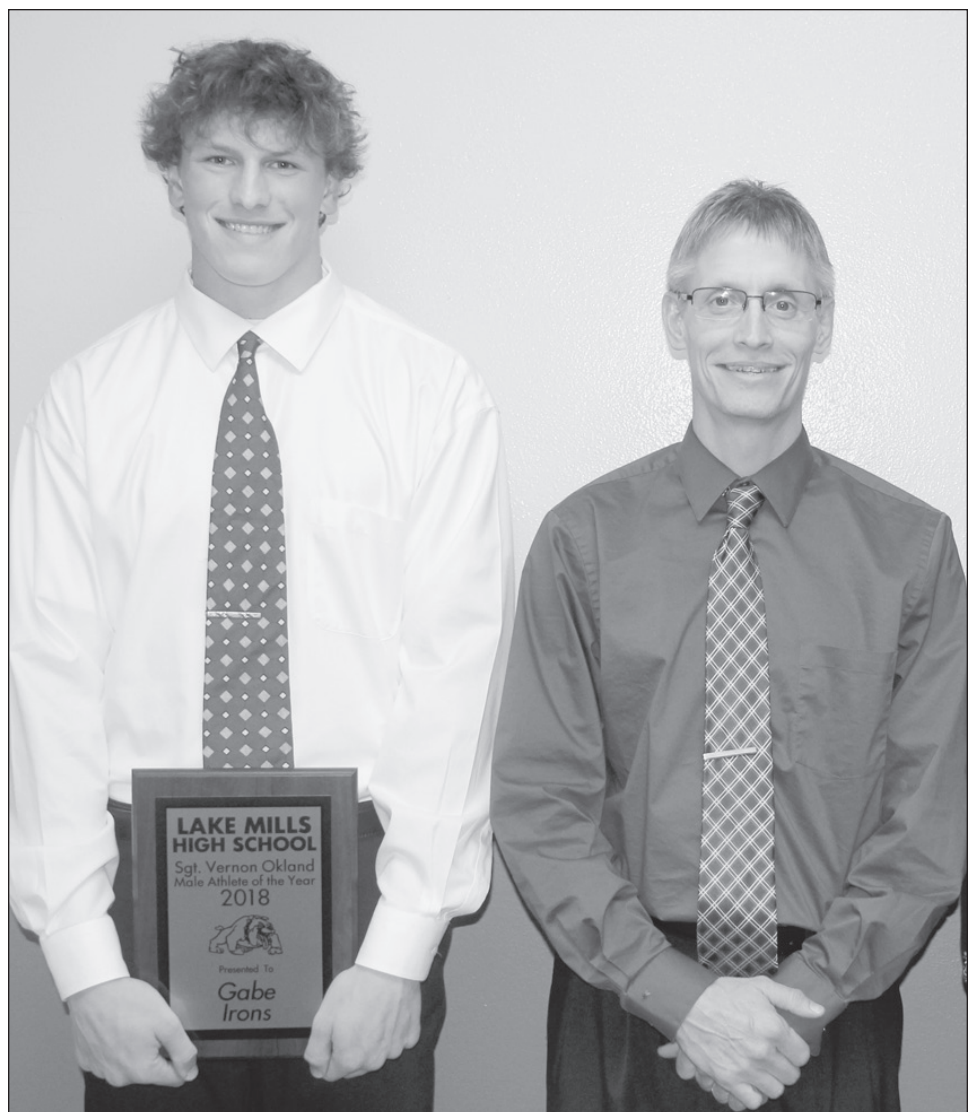
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*Lake Mills High School Class of 2018!*

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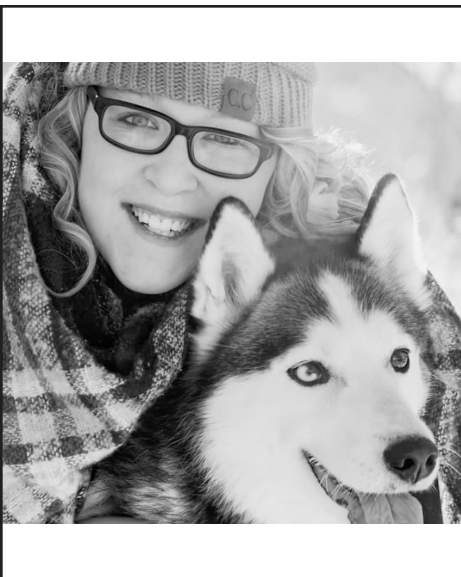
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## Okland Male Athlete of the Year & Bernie Saggau Award

**GABRIEL IRONS**  
Jim Boehmer, presenter





**KIARA HAHN**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Justina Ehlke & Eric Hahn  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** It gets harder before easier.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Moving to this school after 12 years in other schools

**FUTURE PLANS:** Getting my general education at Ridgewater College, then transfer to a 4-year school for nursing. I would love to be a trauma nurse.



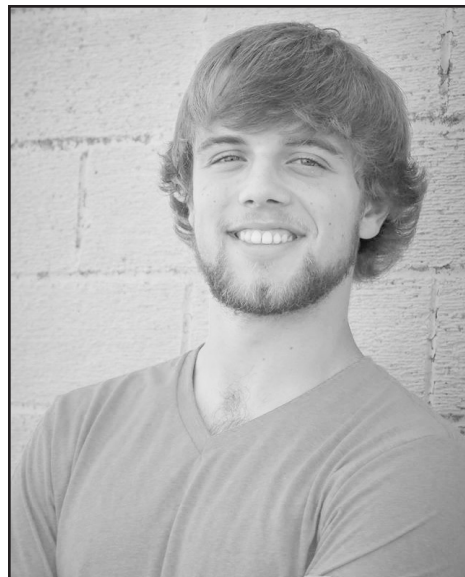
**TREVOR HANNA**  
**SON OF**

Kent & Rachael Hanna  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Learn to put things in perspective.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Picking up Grant's teeeth off of the floor in the high school gym.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend UNI and get my BSN in nursing.



**BRADY HEAGEL**  
**SON OF**

Chad & Gloria Heagel  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Always work hard and never give up.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Watching Grant lose his teeth during basketball.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend UNI for accounting.



**KARISSA HEATH**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Sarah Ostrander  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Get stuff done ahead/on time.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** National FFA Convention trips

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Iowa Central Community College to study ag business and complete on the Iowa Central Rodeo Team.



**Louis Armstrong Jazz Award**  
**MEGAN SWOPE**



**John Philip Sousa Band Award**  
**FAITH CHRISTENSON**

*Best Wishes*  
*Karissa Heath*  
*& the Class of 2018*

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**Congrats, grads!**

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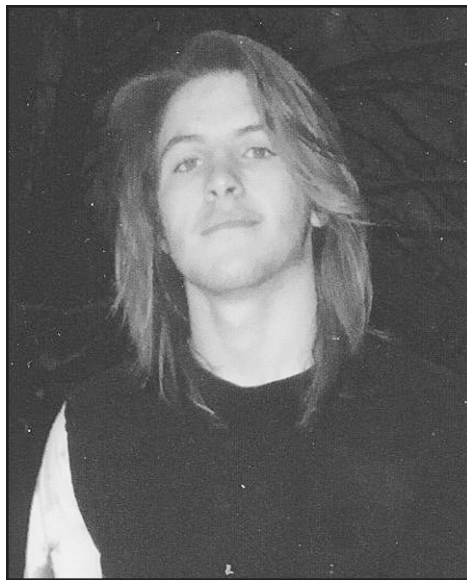
**GABRIEL IRONS**  
SON OF

Gary & the late Roxanne Irons  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't procrastinate. Due tomorrow does not mean Do tomorrow

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** 6th grade camp, "We don't need electricity, we need women!"

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Bethel University and major in biology, minor in business, take part in football and track and apply to U of M vet school



**ZACHARY JOHNSON**  
SON OF

Leigh Johnson & Brent Johnson  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Turn in your homework on time and pay attention in class.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Washington, D.C.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Go into the welding field.



**JADYN JOYNT**  
DAUGHTER OF

Ryan & Missy Joynt  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard in school first, then worry about the rest later.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Being a part of the volleyball family and having Jim Boehmer as my second father.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC for 2 years, then attend ISU to major in psychology and eventually become an adolescent therapist.



**ANNA KAKTIS**  
DAUGHTER OF

Nancy & Dave Kaktis  
Northwood

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Procrastination is NOT key.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Cutting Gabe Irons corn in the 5th grade because he was making fun of how short mine was.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC, plan of study still undecided



**Congratulations**

**TÉAH  
KESLER**

&

**the Class of 2018**

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***Hats Off to the Graduates!***

*Congratulations  
on all your  
accomplishments,  
graduates.  
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bring happiness, health,  
joy & fulfillment,  
as you continue to rise  
to new challenges.  
Believe in yourselves  
& go after your goals  
& dreams!*



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Mark & Patti Honsey



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**TÉAH KESLER**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Ryan & Shannon Kesler  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Enjoy your time, the 4 years go quicker than you think.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Leaving football games early to get ice cream with Ashley.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend UNI and major in accounting.



**HANNAH KETTWIG**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Catherine Guthart  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't procrastinate whatsoever, there will always be time for fun, but enjoy your high school years. They go by faster than you think.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Accidentally wacking Andrea in the face with a streamer pole while singing "Twist and Shout."

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC and major in human services.



**KRISTINE KINGLAND**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Jeff & Tara Kingland  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** take advantage of the free college classes through NIACC.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** State wrestling senior year was the best out of all the years, especially in the pool.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Waldorf and major in communications.



**LAURA KNUDTSON**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Don & Nancy Knudtson  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Focus on your school work earlier, rather than later.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Team bonding in the locker room before sporting events.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Univ. of IA and major in nursing or pre-med.



## Congratulations Lake Mills Graduates!



**JADYN JOYNT**

daughter of  
Ryan & Missy Joynt



**TÉAH KESLER**

daughter of  
Ryan & Shannon Kesler

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accomplishments and good luck  
with your future plans!



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## Top of Iowa Conference Academic Awards

Front to back: Karissa Heath (Visual Art), Faith Christenson (Science and Speech/Drama), Morgan Fritz (English/Language), Grant Fjelstad (Business), Alessandra Groe (Math), Nicholas Raaen (Vocational), and Brady Heagel (Social Science).

# CELEBRATE!

Your hard work has paid off, and graduation is your time to celebrate. We hope your graduation day is special in every way & we wish you much luck as you take the next step.

## CONGRATULATIONS, EMMA MASER AND BRETT TYLER!



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# **BRAVO, GRADUATES!**

**You've worked hard to make it to graduation,  
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**ADDISON KOPP**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Jackie Cummins & Rollie Kopp  
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**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** If you are 1 minute late to class, might as well be 25 minutes late and grab yourself a coffee

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC for nursing to become an RN



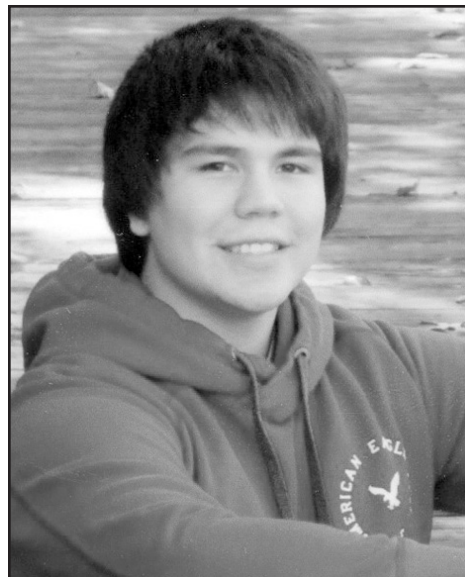
**ANDREA LAUGEN**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

David & Michelle Laugen  
Leland

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Understand that high school is only 4 years of your life. They will be stressful, amazing and fun, but it will all be over before you know it.

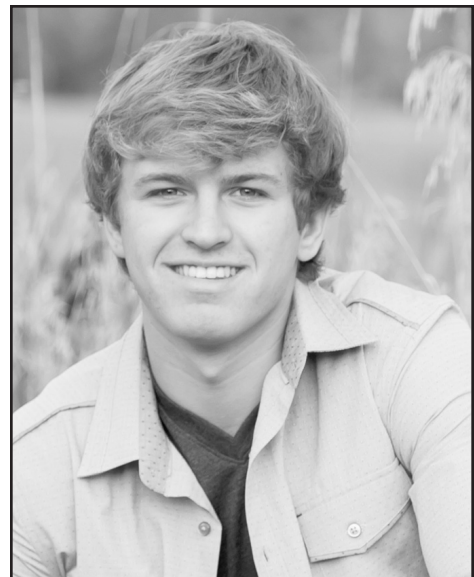
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Cheering at varsity football games all 4 years.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Iowa Central Community College to major in nursing.



**AUSTIN LEIBEG**  
**SON OF**

John & Jamie Leibeg  
Emmons, MN



**DRAE LOVE**  
**SON OF**

Megan & Ben Peterson  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Start early on English paper.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Going to state duals.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Finish the automotive program at NIACC.



**Looks Like  
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Hannah Evenson



Hannah Kettwig



Andrea Laugen



Megan Swope



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**ALEXANDER MARTINSON**  
**SON OF**  
 Louise & Vern Martinson  
 Lake Mills  
**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Turn in homework on time.  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** DC Trip  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC and then transfer to finish my studies

**EMMA MASER**  
**DAUGHTER OF**  
 Lanette & Curt Maser  
 Lake Mills  
**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard in school and make sure you don't just blow off your classes.  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** All of my choir memories.  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Go Ministries in Shreveport, Louisiana.

**KYLEE MCGURK**  
**DAUGHTER OF**  
 Tina Thorson & John McGurk  
 Lake Mills  
**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Get involved as much as you can and enjoy the time spent here at LMCS because it will be gone before you know it  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Gym class freshman year with all the upper classmen. It made me go out of my comfort zone and I had a lot of fun.  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Iowa Lakes Community College and study human and disability services and become a social worker.

**ANTHONY NASER**  
**SON OF**  
 Candida & Justin Naser  
 Lake Mills  
**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Do your homework early.  
**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Watching Grant F. knock his teeth out.  
**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC for general education and then transfer to a 4-year college.



**Speech Student of the Year**  
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## JUSTIN OKLAND

SON OF  
Heather Okland  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Don't procrastinate

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Helping Ms. Saxton with Middle School musical

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend South Central College for IT and continue working at Courtesy Corporation/McDonald's in the technology department



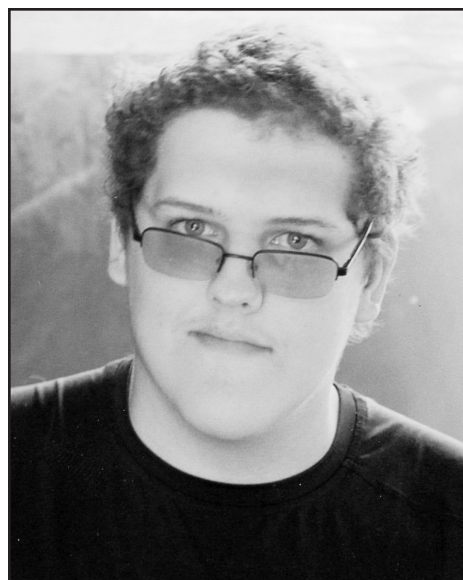
## NICHOLAS RAAEN

SON OF  
Sharilyn & Don Cole  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** More procrastination = more work and stress down the line.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** 8th grade DC trip when my dad fell when he went up to do karaoke.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Study at Iowa Lakes or NI-ACC and take business classes and then study aviation.



## THOMAS SCHERB

SON OF  
Rita & Greg Scherb  
Scarville

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Resist the temptation to lay about and do nothing.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Whenever I get a decent grade on an important project or test

**FUTURE PLANS:** I am deciding between 2 different colleges.



## LAUREN SCHOLBROCK

DAUGHTER OF  
Jim & LuAnn Scholbrock  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard at everything you do and don't take things for granted.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Receiving the award for Best Color Guard in 2017 at Algona Band Days.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend UNI to achieve BS in nursing.



## CONGRATULATIONS

As you turn the page to the next chapter, the future is yours to write. Fill it with new experiences, good people and rewarding choices that help make the world a better place.

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## It's a Wrap!

As you wrap up this exciting chapter, we hope you'll take with you fond memories of friends, classmates, teachers and experiences. May the valuable lessons you've learned pave the way to continued success in your education and career.

*Congratulations and best wishes, graduates!*



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**LAUREN SCHOLBROCK**





## MEGAN SWOPE

DAUGHTER OF  
Lori Hugo & Darrell Swope  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Enjoy every moment in high school that you can because those moments won't last forever.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC



## CARSYN TENHAKEN

DAUGHTER OF  
Nathan & Avery TenHaken  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Make the most of everything and cherish your memories. Your time in high school goes by fast.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Knocking Mariah over on the first day of K-prep.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend Iowa Central Community College and major in computer networking technology.



## KATHERINE THOMPSON

DAUGHTER OF  
Lisa Wonsmos  
Lake Mills

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Work hard and turn work in on time.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Going to prom.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend a grooming school, then wait a few years and go to college for vet tech.



## LILY THOMPSON

DAUGHTER OF  
Lance & Carol Thompson  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Turn everything in on time, even if it means no sleep. Coffee works miracles and late points are detrimental to your grades.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Get-togethers with the XC Herd, crashing coach's wedding, trips to Disney World, the Western States, & NYC, all of the priceless and crazy summer sleepovers in Mallory's gazebo

**FUTURE PLANS:** Major in secondary education at NI-ACC for 2 years, then transfer to UNI or ISU to obtain my bachelor's degree to become a high school chemistry teacher.



## P.E.O. STAR Scholarship

The prestigious P.E.O. STAR Scholarship was presented to Morgan Fritz by Caryl Dahn, president of Chapter EX, Lake Mills. This is a \$2,500 scholarship based on excellence in leadership, extracurricular activities, community service, academics, and potential for future success. The program is open to young women who are citizens or legal residents of the U.S. or Canada, and who are graduating high school seniors at the time of application. A student must be recommended by a P.E.O. chapter.

# Congratulations You did it!



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**JAMIE UNDERWOOD**  
**SON OF**

Lori Carillo &  
the late Jimmie Underwood Sr.  
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**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Stay in school. Be cool to all staff members

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Riding fire truck at homecoming; Adventureland with Mr. Irons; playing dodgeball; making 3-point shot at buzzer

**FUTURE PLANS:** Get a job in Lake Mills and get into independent living apartment close to my mom



**MICHAEL WALLIN**  
**SON OF**

Lorn & Sonja Wallin  
Glenville, MN

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** The only place success comes before work is in the dictionary.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** 6th grade camp when Nick Raen shouted, "We don't need electricity, we need women!" because we didn't have electricity in our cabins but the girls did.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend NIACC and transfer to ISU or South Dakota State to further my career in ag business.



**MALLORY WILHELM**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Tom & Amy Wilhelm  
Joice

**ADVICE FOR UNDERCLASSMEN:** Always do your homework and enjoy the time you have in high school.

**FAVORITE SCHOOL MEMORY:** Being a part of the volleyball tradition and competing at state track.

**FUTURE PLANS:** Attend ISU and major in animal science, then hopefully attend ISU College of Veterinary Medicine to become a mixed animal veterinarian.

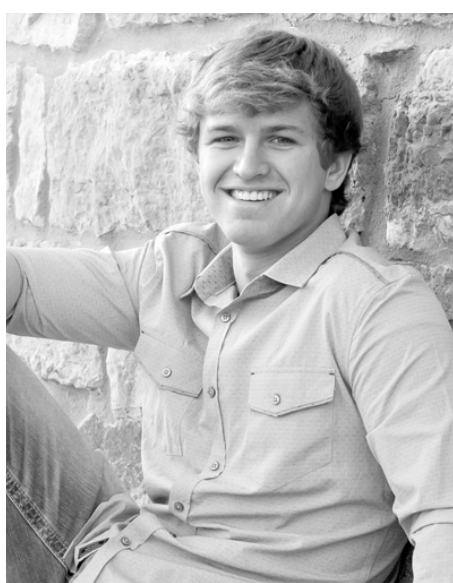


**KASEY WOJAHN**  
**DAUGHTER OF**

Pam Wojahn  
Lake Mills



**CONGRATULATIONS,**  
**MALLORY WILHELM &**  
**DRAE LOVE**  
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On your graduation day, we'd like to congratulate you  
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Jim Boehmer, presenter





## NIACC Area II Scholarships

Leon Christianson (front left) presented the above students with scholarships from the NIACC Foundation. Front to back: Abbey Bray (Area 2 High School Scholarship, Rollo C. Keithahn Memorial Scholarship), Hannah Evenson (Rollo C. Keithahn Memorial Scholarship), Clay Hagen (Charles S. & Mildred M. Whitney Scholarship), Alexander Martinson (Fred Humphrey Accounting Scholarship), Lily Thompson (President's Scholarship, Loyal & Pearl Minor Memorial Scholarship), Ashley Groe (Athletic Scholarship), Anthony Naser (Robert & Lois Bergland Scholarship), and Michael Wallin (Del & Mary Laudner Agricultural Scholarship, Link Scholarship).



## Lake Mills Scholarship Foundation

The Lake Mills Scholarship Foundation awarded Lily Thompson (right) with the \$5,000 Gaskill Family Scholarship for Future Educators. She is pictured with presenter, Marcus Gaskill.



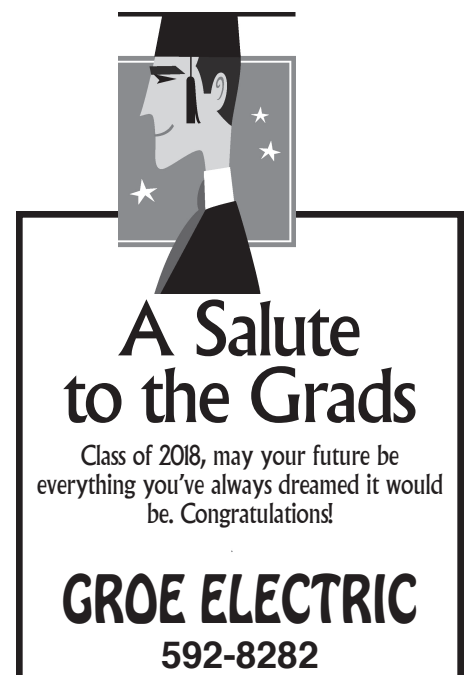
**On your graduation day, we'd like to congratulate you & wish you good luck as you embark upon new & exciting endeavors.**

**May good fortune & good health be yours as you continue to achieve great things!**



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## Lake Mills Scholarship Foundation

The Lake Mills Scholarship Foundation awarded four students a \$2,500 scholarship. Board members and students are pictured above, front row (L-R): Jade Gasteiger, Lauren Scholbrock, Anthony Naser, Faith Christenson, Julie Kvale and Steve Kvale. Middle row: Jon Haugo and Gaye Sletten. Back row: Mike Swenson, Diane Clark and Principal James Scholbrock.

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You're a graduate now, and your future is in your own hands. Whether you're setting out to pursue a college education or embark on a new career, we wish you much luck in all of your future endeavors.

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## Lake Mills Scholarship Foundation

The Lake Mills Scholarship Foundation awarded five students a \$1,000 scholarship. Board members and students are pictured above, front row (L-R): Abbey Bray, Karissa Heath, Andrea Laugen, Julie Kvale and Steve Kvale. Second row: Cole Bergo and Alex Martinson. Third row: Jon Haugo, Diane Clark and Gaye Sletten. Back row: Mike Swenson and Principal James Scholbrock.

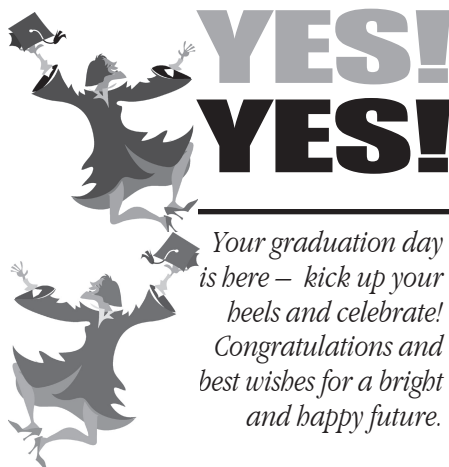
**Walk Tall, Grads**



... for you should be proud of yourselves today. You've worked toward this moment for years. We know you'll proceed in the right direction toward many future successes.

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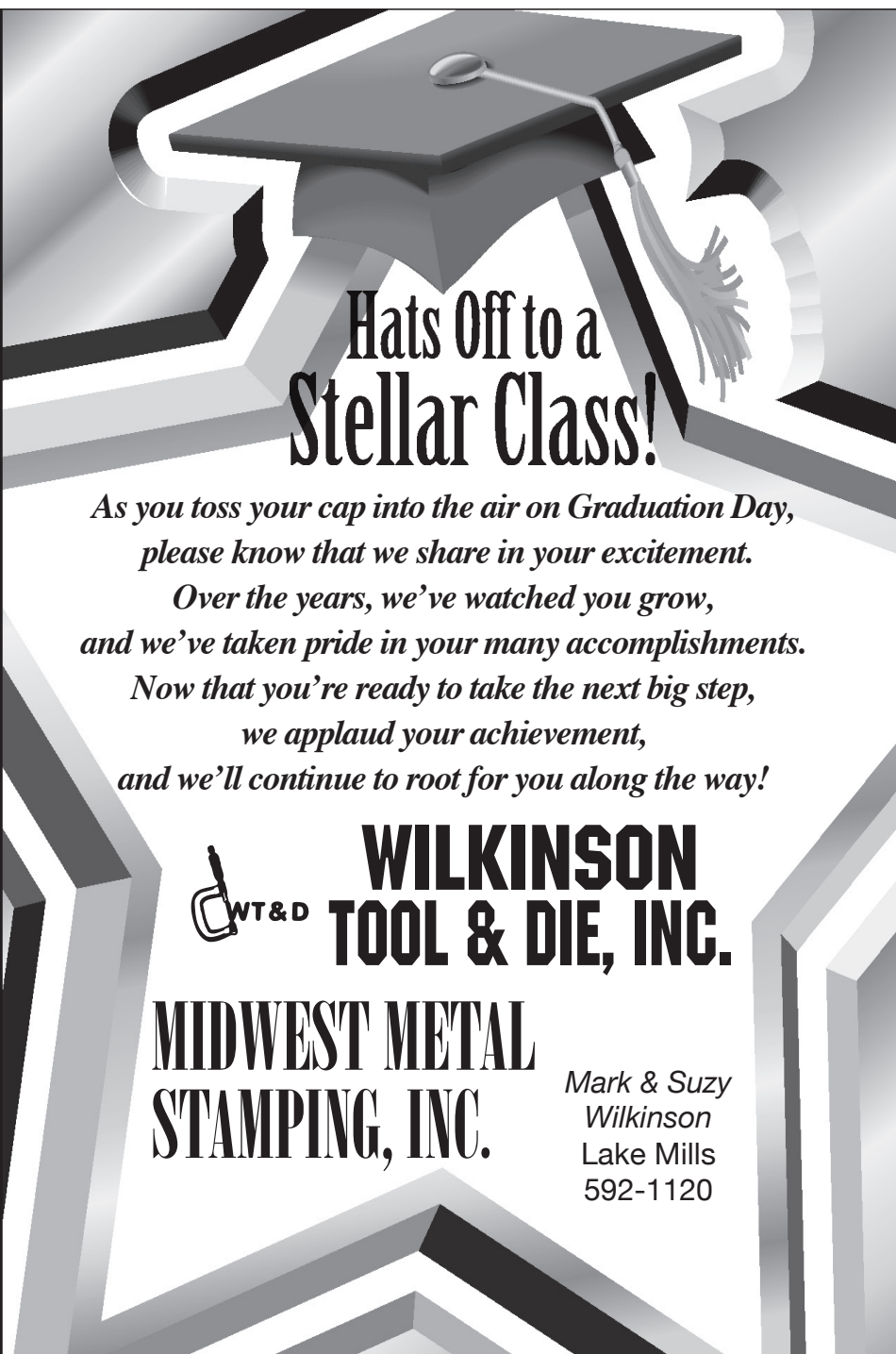
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## Worth Co. Development Authority Scholarships

WCDA awarded each Worth County student a \$7,435.80 scholarship. Front row (L-R): Becky Martinson (WCDA), Megan Swope, Carsyn TenHaken, Hannah Evenson, Kristine Kingland, and Amy Wilhelm (WCDA). Second row: Alessandra Groe, Brady Heagel, Laura Knudtson, and Anna Kaktis. Third row: Ashley Groe, Rebecca Evans, and Trevor Hanna. Back row: Gabriel Irons, Mallory Wilhelm, Clay Hagen and Téah Kesler.



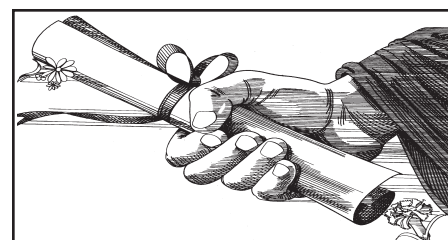
**Hats Off to a Stellar Class!**

*As you toss your cap into the air on Graduation Day, please know that we share in your excitement. Over the years, we've watched you grow, and we've taken pride in your many accomplishments. Now that you're ready to take the next big step, we applaud your achievement, and we'll continue to root for you along the way!*

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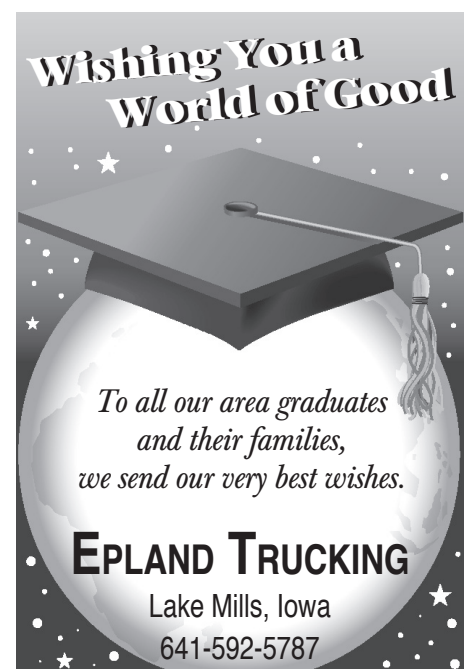


*A New Beginning*

*We've gotta hand it to you, grads. You've worked hard & now the future is yours. Approach each new day & each new challenge with an open mind, & never stop learning from your experiences.*

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## 2018 LMHS Music Letterwinners

The LMHS Music Department handed out awards Tuesday evening, May 1. Pictured above are the students who earned their music letters. Front row (L-R): Brianna Renneker, Summer Sterrenberg, Morgan Fritz, Kylee McGurk, Emma Maser, Dana Baumann, and Abbey Bray. Second row: Faith Christenson, Hannah Evenson, Becca Evans, Megan Swope, Lydia Saxton, Kristine Kingland, Emma Martinson, and Anna Singelstad. Third row: Andrew Mannes, Nick Raaen and Aaron Mathahs. Back row: Trace Gau, Gabe Irons and Cael Boehmer.



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