2016 Recipients

Kayley Paskell - Nominated by the Shand Agricultural Society



Kayley has been very involved volunteering within the community. She has been a volunteer at the Hudson Bay Health Care facility since 2012 - helping out long term care residents. The volunteering includes playing game, having one on one time, as well as serving meals. She is grateful for being able to volunteer at the facility, because that has influenced her into wanting to get into the health care profession. She is also part of the Meals on Wheels program - delivering food to elderly members of the community over lunch time.

Kayley has been very involved with 4 H over the past 10 years. 4 H has helped shape her character, as well as teach her a strong work ethic. She attended the

Prairieland Youth Leadership Conference, as well as being a member of the 2015 and 2016 North East Regional Judging teams. She was also a competitor on the 2015 Provincial Judging team.

As well as excelling at her studies Kayley has also found time for extra-curricular activities at school. Kayley has been a member of the basketball, volleyball, and softball teams. She has been the editor of the yearbook, on the Student Representative Council, Student Leadership Committee, Going Green, volunteering at the canteen, part of the Peer Support Group, in school Drama, part of We Schools and a member of Students Against Destructive Decisions. She has been working since 2011 as a year round baby sitter. In her spare time Kayley takes part in fastball pitching clinics, reading, listening to music, working on the farm and spending time with family and friends.

Evan Richter - Nominated by the Broadview Agricultural Society

Evan will be attending the Saskatchewan Polytechnic Saskatoon Campus this fall in the Fabricator

Welding Program, with his ultimate goal of becoming a journeyman welder.

Evan was a very active student at the Broadview school. He was part of the Broadview Drama club over the past 5 years - performing at various dinner theatres for the community and at regional drama festivals. He was awarded Acting Certificates of Merit from the Saskatchewan Drama Association in 2014 and 2016. He was part of the Broadview Bandits football team and was captain his last 3 years - he was also part of the Bandits volleyball team - he was chosen to play for the Saskatchewan under 17 mens volleyball team that competed nationally. He also volunteered to help out running the junior volleyball tournament. He also competed in track and field. He has been part of the SRC for the past 3 years, and has taken part in We Day. He has also been part

of the school band, and been very active in playing baseball in both Kipling and Melville. He also was very active in 4 H. Evan has been on the school Honour Roll over the past 5 years. Evan also was part of hosting students from Whitehorse in a student exchange program.

Evan spends what free time he has, and his summers working on the family farm. He does everything on the farm from operating equipment to cleaning bins, but his real passion is working in the shop fixing equipment and working on welding and fabricating projects.





Joelle Garvey - Nominated by the Fairmede Agricultural Society

Joelle has been accepted into the U of S in Saskatoon in the Bachelor of Agriculture Program. Her goal is to be accepted into the Western College of Veterinary Medicine - become a veterinarian and eventually run her own animal clinic.

In addition to maintaining a high academic standing - Joelle was very busy with extra-curricular activities at McNaughton High in Moosomin, as she competed in track and field, badminton and was chosen to paint the mural on the walls in the stairwell of the high school.

Joelle is very busy volunteering within the community. She has been a member of the Moosomin Figure Skating Club, Moosomin 4 H Light Horse Club, Saskatoba Gymkhana Club, and has participated in the Fairmede Fair for many years. She has also been a volunteer for the Wapellas Rodeo, Wapella Minor Hockey and Figure skating clubs. Late spring and early summer she spends a

lot of time at various cattle brandings in the area where she ropes, wrestles and vaccinates calves. She competes in various rodeos/ranch rodeos, as well as figure skating and playing shinny in the winter.

In addition to everything that she does, Joelle also finds time for work. She had a work experience term at Valleyflats Veterinary. She spends her summer and falls working on the family farm baling hay and straw and in the winter feeding cattle, fencing and hauling grain. She also likes to train horses when she gets a chance, and works as a groundskeeper at the Fairmede and RIGA Cemeteries.



Maria Luedtke - Nominated by the Arcola Fair and Stampede

Maria will be attending the University of Regina this fall in the Kinesiology Program - her ultimate goal is to have a career in physical therapy or medicine.

Maria has always been at the top of her class as far as marks, but has been very involved in extra-curricular activities at Arcola School. She has been involved with Students Against Destructive Decisions for the past for years, as well as acting as President. She has been on the school SRC - also as President, and she has been involved in the Arcola School Mentorship program over the past 3 years.

Her other interests include being involved in High School Rodeo. She has taken part in both Saskatchewan and Manitoba Barrel Racing jackpots. She was involved with the 4 H beef club for 8 years.

In addition to her school activities and other interests Maria has also been very involved in her community. She has helped out volunteering in the canteen and cleaning up at the Optimist Theatre. She has also helped out at the local community suppers. Maria volunteers filling boxes at the local food bank in Carlyle, as well as teaching at Summer Bible School and volunteering at the church. Maria has also volunteered countless hours at the local veterinary clinic - helping out where she can.

With her very busy schedule Maria works everyday on the family farm feeding and raising animals, cleaning pens and doing anything else that needs to be done. She has experience raising cattle, horses, sheep, goats, pigs, rabbits and fowl, which she looks after with great care, ethics and integrity. In the evenings Maria works as a horse back riding instructor - giving lessons to youth all year round.