

2020 Scholarship Recipients



Darby Meyer - nominated by the Kerrobert & District Agricultural Society.

Darby is attending the University of Saskatchewan where she is enrolled in the Animals Bioscience Program. Her goal is to enter Veterinarian Medicine where she will become a large and small animal Veterinarian. Her long range goal is to open a Veterinary Clinic.

Darby was very active throughout her school career. When she was younger Darby was part of the Kerrobert skating Club for a number of years, as well as taking Dance with the Seibens School of Dance in Kerrobert. Over the past 5 years Darby has been showing cattle. Over those years she has showed at the Lloydminster Stockade Roundup, Farm Fair in Edmonton and Canadian Western Agribition.. She has also been a member of the Kerrobert Multiple 4-H Club since she was 6 years old. Within the 4-H Program Darby completed Cloverbud, light horse, scrapbooking and beef projects.

Darby volunteered on the Student Leadership Council, as well as heading up the Kerrobert Composite School Volunteer Club. The Volunteer Club partners with the local Integrated Health Centre to provide Meals on Wheels and afterschool activities for seniors. She showed great leadership at school and as a result was

asked to represent her school at the Impact Goal Conference for youth athletic leaders.. Darby did very well academically throughout her career at school and was named to the Division-wide Student Hall of Fame. She also excelled in athletics being on both the school volleyball and basketball teams.

With all of Darby's activities and volunteering she was still able to find time to work on the family farm, as well as working with a purebred cattle company during the month of November to attend cattle shows, as well as working part time with them throughout the year. Congratulations to Darby on being one of SAASE's scholarship recipients

Aiden Lingelbach - nominated by the Abernethy Agricultural Society.

Aiden is attending the University of Regina - enrolled in the College of Education Program - majoring in History and Physical Education with the goal of working with youth and becoming a teacher in rural Saskatchewan.

Aiden was very active with extracurricular activities throughout his school career. He was a member of the Bert Fox Bison Football Team for 4 years as well as a member of the 1522 Rams Football Team for 5 seasons. He was on the Balcarres Community School volleyball team and basketball team. He played badminton Junior High School and High School - he also curled. He also helped out with PE classes and volunteered as a coach for the junior



football team. At Balcarres Community School he helped out with volleyball tournaments, was a score keeper for basketball and helped out with the school craft night. As well as being very active in school, Aiden also volunteered within the community

Aiden was in a unique situation where he grew up, as he became part of two communities and volunteers in both - Abernethy and Balcarres. He has helped out with the Abernethy Ag. Society at their annual fair. He has helped get the ring ready for the horse show, helped with the pancake breakfast and anything else that needed to be done. He has volunteered with the Abernethy Dinner Theatre - helping with set construction, serving supper, washing dishes and seating guests. He also helped out building picnic tables in Abernethy for the

local campground. He worked with the Balcarres Lions Club on many projects including helping set up and construction of the local playground and set up for the local Supper and Auction.

In addition to all of the extracurricular activities and community involvement, Aiden also found time for summer and part time jobs. While attending high school he worked for the local lumber yard. Through the winter in 2018 and 2019 he worked at the canteen of the local rink and during the summer of 2019 he worked with Public Works for the Town of Lemberg. He also worked in the rental shop at Mission Ridge Winter Park in 2019 and 2020, and most recently was employed by SynergyAG in Balcarres. Good luck to Aiden - one of this year's SAASE scholarship recipients.

Keela Cory - Nominated by the Vanscoy and District Agricultural Society

Keela is attending the University of Saskatchewan in the College of Engineering with the goal of re-



ceiving a Bachelor of Science in Engineering - ultimately working in the field of biomedical engineering.

Keela was very active throughout her high school career at Delisle Composite School. In addition to being an Honour Roll Student and the school valedictorian, she was very active in many other areas. Keela was a dedicated athlete throughout her years participating in badminton, volleyball, basketball and track. In addition to participating she also volunteered at the school track meets. Keela also was the head of the school SRC where she planned events and activities such as pep rallies, spirit days and special game days.

Keela has always lived in the RM of Vanscoy so she has always been connected to the communities of Vanscoy, Delisle and Saskatoon. She was a member of the Delisle Riding Club, as well as the Sandy Hills Light Horse 4-H Club. She has volunteered at numerous fall suppers, seniors dinners, church socials and fundraising events in the area. Keela has also helped out with youth group functions, community BBQ's, the Vanscoy Early Learning Centre and soup kitchens.

In addition to all the school activities and community work - Keela also found time to hold down a part time job with the Vanscoy Early Learning Centre, as well as being a part time employee at the Saskatoon Co-op. She also still babysits. Congratulations Keela on being one of this year's SAASE scholarship recipients.

Megan McAvoy - Nominated by the Melfort Agricultural Society

Megan is attending the University of Saskatchewan in the Animal Bioscience program with the goal of getting a degree in Ag. Science. Her long term goal is to become a Veterinarian.

Megan was able to balance a strong academic career with demanding extra-curricular and volunteer commitments. She participated in volleyball and basketball at school as both a player and an assistant coach. Megan was involved for many years with Melfort trailblazers 4 H where she held a variety of office positions, as well as volunteering on numerous 4 H programs. Every year the club hosts a 4 H Equine camp. She worked tirelessly helping to organize the camp, as well as working and supporting the younger members of the 4 H Club.

She has been very involved with dancing, singing and theatre, which have led her into volunteering with many other groups. She was involved with the Tisdale Highland Dance Club as an assistant teacher. She is very involved with the Melfort United church as a Sunday School teacher, but has also helped out with fall suppers, teas and garage sales.

Megan loves horseback riding, which has led her to helping out with the Melfort Agricultural Society as a volunteer in their display hall and with their light horse show. She also volunteered with the Carrot River Valley Arabian Horse Assoc. and other horse shows. Congratulations Megan on being one of this year's SAASE scholarship recipients.

