

Scholarships, future plans announced for Class of 2009

Written by Holyoke Enterprise

Diana Baeza plans to attend the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley and major in Pediatric Nursing. She received the Mary Ann and Joel S. Biddle Scholarship Fund and the Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarship.

Brianna Bennett plans to attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling and major in Cosmetology.

Dylan Bradley plans to attend the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and major in Engineering. He received the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship, the George Beadle Scholarship, the University of Nebraska Engineering Scholarship and the University of Nebraska Honors Program Scholarship.

Kurtis Brown plans to attend Aims Community College in Loveland and major in Applied Sciences. He received the Grace Ferguson Memorial Scholarship, the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship and an Americorp Scholarship.

Michal Brown plans to attend Aims Community College in Loveland and major in Applied Sciences. He received the Mary Ann and Joel S. Biddle Scholarship Fund and an Americorp Scholarship.

Phawn Carper plans to attend the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley. She received the Chapter BM P.E.O. Scholarship in Memory of Betty Brown, the Highline Electric Association Tri-State Generation and Transmission Scholarship, the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship, the University of Northern Colorado Provost Scholarship, an Americorp Scholarship, the Johnson and Wales FCCLA Scholarship and the University of Wyoming Peak Achievement Scholarship-4 years.

Karla Cruz plans to attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling and then the University of Northern Colorado and major in Nursing. She received the Holyoke Educational Association Scholarship, the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship, the Len Balderson Education Scholarship Trust and the Cinco de Mayo Scholarship.

Alyshia Durbin plans to attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling and then Colorado Christian University and major in Elementary Education. She received the Holyoke Lions Club Scholarship.

Lizbeth Favela plans to attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling and major in Cosmetology.

Brett Gerik plans to attend Mid-Plains Community College in North Platte and major in Agriculture Business. He received the Grainland Coop Scholarship, the Clarence Robert Zoll Trust, the Vieselmeyer Seed Pioneer Community Investment Group Scholarship, the Mid-Plains Community College Academic Scholarship, the Ft. Hays Academic Opportunity Award, the McCook Community College Walsh Brady Academic Scholarship and the Nebraska College of Technical Agriculture Academic Scholarship.

Chelsy Gomez plans to work for a year and then attend college and major in graphic design.

Sarah Hamaker plans to attend Adams State College in Alamosa and work towards a four-year degree.

Trent Harshbarger plans to attend Aims Community College in Greeley. He received an Americorp Scholarship.

Katie Hoffner plans to attend Colorado State University in Ft. Collins. She will also be a part of the Cheerleading Team. Katie received the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship and the Hutt Family Education Trust.

Coltin Houghtelling plans to move to Greeley to work and then attend college in another

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year or two.

Aaron Kramer plans to work after high school.

Kent Loutensock plans to attend Adams State College in Alamosa and major in Computer Sciences.

LeAnne McWilliams plans to attend the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley and major in Statistics. She received the Holyoke Music Parents Association Scholarship, the V.F.W. Zeiler-Owens-Lindsay Post 6482—a 4-year scholarship—and University of Northern Colorado Provost Scholarship.

Vanessa Nishi will return to her home in Brazil and then plans to attend college in Sao Paulo.

Brandon Price plans to attend Iowa Lakes Community College in Estherville, Iowa and major in Wind Energy and Turbine Technology. Brandon received the Reimer Family Education Trust Scholarship, the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship and an Americorp Scholarship.

Eveliina Rantanen will return to her home country of Finland and complete two more years of high school.

Samantha Redfern plans to attend Fort Lewis College in Durango and major in Sociology with an emphasis in Criminology. She received the Tim and Larry Stroh Memorial Scholarship, the Ft. Lewis College Promise Scholarship-4 years, 2 Americorp Scholarships and the University of Northern Colorado Merit Scholarship.

Harlee Renner plans to attend the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley and major in Criminal Justice. She received the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship.

Tessa Reynolds-Dizmang plans to attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling and major in Nursing. Tessa received the Partners In Education Scholarship, the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship, an Americorp Scholarship and the Northeastern Junior College Americorp Scholarship.

Krista Schafer plans to attend Concordia University in Seward, Neb. and major in Sports and Exercise Sciences. She received the Phillips County Healthcare Foundation “Charla Berry Memorial” Scholarship, the Gracey Memorial Athletic Scholarship, the Holyoke Music Parents Association Scholarship, the Concordia University Achievement Scholarship-4 years, the LCMS Scholarship-4 years, the Lutheran Laymen’s League Scholarship, the University of Northern Colorado Provost Scholarship, the Chadron State College Silver Presidential Scholarship and the Chadron State College Leadership Scholarship.

Erik Scharin plans to return home to Sweden where he will continue high school for two more years. He then plans to attend a university in his home country.

Kelsey Scott plans to attend Colorado State University in Ft. Collins and major in Interior Design. She received the Chapter BM P.E.O. Scholarship, the Len Balderson Education Scholarship Trust, an Americorp Scholarship, the Saylor Family Scholarship and the Deinlein, Cornelius, Du Pont Memorial Scholarship Trust.

Maddie Starkebaum plans to attend Northeastern Junior College in Sterling and major in Business Administration. She will also be playing on the Basketball Team. Maddie received the FBLA Apprenticeship Business Challenge sponsored by Highline Electric, Bank of Colorado, Inklings Bookstore and Computers Etc., the FCE Jolly Dozen Club Scholarship, the V.F.W. Zeiler-Owens-Lindsay Post 6482-2 year Scholarship, 2 Americorp Scholarships, the Northeastern Junior College Americorp Scholarship, the Johnson and Wales FBLA Scholarship-4 years and the Johnson and Wales Academic Scholarship-4 years.

Austin Tharp plans to attend Doane College in Crete, Neb. and major in Business. He will

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also play on the Baseball Team. Austin received the Holyoke Young Farmers Scholarship, the Shirley Travis Memorial Scholarship, the Doane College Impact Player Baseball Scholarship-4 years, the Doane Community Scholarship, the Concordia University Baseball Scholarship-4 years and the Concordia University Academic Scholarship-4 years.

Flor Varela plans to attend the University of Northern Colorado in Greeley and major in Business Administration and Management. She received the Holyoke Music Parents Association Scholarship, the V.F.W. Zeiler-Owens-Lindsay Post 6482-2 year Scholarship and the Carolyn J. and Dennis J. O'Neal Scholarship Fund-4 years.

Colby Wailes plans to attend Aims Community College in Loveland and major in Natural Sciences. He received the First United Methodist Church Scholarship, the Fred and Ella Kropp Family Education Trust, the William Lutze Educational Trust Fund, the Holyoke Marketplace Scholarship and an Americorp Scholarship.

Kendra Walz plans to attend Central Texas College in Killeen, Texas and major in Criminal Justice.

Dustin Wieland plans to attend Oregon Coast Culinary Institute in Coos Bay, Ore. and major in Culinary Arts.

Mitch Wittman plans to attend Aims Community College in Greeley and major in Welding. He received the Larry Stroh Scholarship-Provided by the Holyoke Marketplace and the Clarence Robert Zoll Trust.

Sheng Xuezhi plans to return home to China for two months and then return to the United States to attend Michigan State University in East Lansing, Mich. and major in Math.