

# 2024

## ANNUAL REPORT



BISMARCK STATE COLLEGE

FOUNDATION





# From the Executive Director's Desk

*Kari Knudson, BSC Foundation Executive Director and Vice President for College Advancement*

As I reflect on the last year, I am very thankful for our wonderful donors, board members, alumni and employees working together to support BSC students. It is truly a team effort, and the positive results are contributing towards the success of BSC!

Our net assets have grown to \$66.2 million, which is an increase of \$12.3 million over the prior year. The increase in donations for endowed scholarships and strong investment returns contributed towards the growth in assets.

The ND Challenge Grant matching funds program has provided donors with an additional incentive to contribute towards scholarships. As a result, many donors have established endowed scholarships to create a permanent source of funding for BSC students. Since the beginning of the Challenge Grant Program in 2013, the BSC Foundation has received donations of over \$12 million and has secured over \$6 million in matching funds for an overall impact of \$18 million.

The BSC Foundation provided \$900,000 in scholarships and other student support and secured a grant from the National Science Foundation that provided \$185,000 in scholarships to BSC students. In total, approximately \$1.1 million in scholarships was awarded to nearly 900 BSC students. We are continuing to see critical needs for student support and will seek additional grants and other funding sources in the future. As you can see, your scholarship donations have helped so many students each year. We appreciate your generosity!

The BSC Foundation also contributed \$2.3 million in grants and other support to BSC for student and employee recognition events, lab equipment, music and theater events, employee education and other items.

The College Advancement grant writing team finished another fiscal year by successfully securing 31 grants from external sources worth over \$5 million. Funding was provided to purchase equipment and other support for Geographic

Information Systems (GIS), Unmanned Aerial Systems (UAS), Agriculture, Energy, Cybersecurity, Humanities and other programs, outreach for BSC programs and the start-up of an Electrician program at BSC.

Groundbreaking for the new Bavendick Center took place in June. Construction is moving forward with an estimated completion in early 2026. The 80,000 square foot facility will accommodate the growth of BSC athletics and address issues within the Armory.

Approximately 95% of the funds have been committed for the \$40 million multi-purpose athletic facility. We are thankful to the Bavendick family for providing the lead gift for the capital campaign. Individual donors and companies have also stepped up to contribute to the project. Fundraising efforts will continue for the project in order to complete the goal by the end of 2025.

I am grateful for the generous support of our donors and board members over many years. The BSC Foundation Board of Trustees have provided sage advice and guidance to our Foundation, which has helped pave the way for a bright future.

The wonderful work of the BSC Foundation and College Advancement staff has resulted in many successful fundraising and other events during the year. I am inspired by their fantastic teamwork and enthusiasm in support of our students and BSC.

Thank you for investing in education and our future workforce!

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Kari Knudson".

**On the cover:** Rendering of the new BSC Bavendick Center

# 2023-2024 Fiscal Report

The Bismarck State College Foundation abides by all guidelines of the Association of Fundraising Professionals and the Donor's Bill of Rights. Our cost to raise a dollar is 2.9¢, which is competitive with other organizations and well below the percentage required by oversight agencies. The BSC Foundation is a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, and all donations are tax deductible as allowed by state and federal tax laws. Most of our funds are permanently endowed, so the assets will be available to assist BSC and students for many generations. Our endowment qualifies for the State of North Dakota 40 percent tax credit.

2024 TOTAL ASSETS

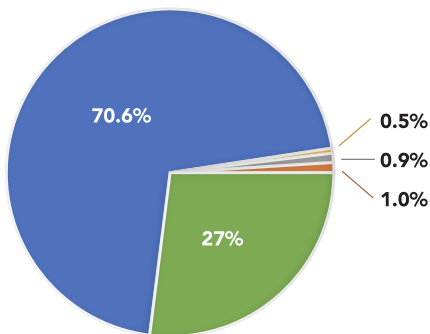
\$66,196,650

## SUPPORT & REVENUE - 2024

Contributions .....	\$9,048,619
Direct Contributions to Programs .....	\$1,419,626
Investment Gain (loss) .....	\$6,050,897
Rent & Lease Income .....	\$357,994
Special Events .....	\$47,215
Other Income .....	\$33,252

TOTAL SUPPORT & REVENUE = \$16,957,603

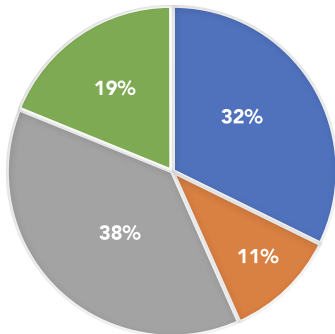
## EXPENSES - 2024



### PROGRAM SERVICES (SUPPORT TO BSC)

Scholarships	\$878,922	27%
Grants program	\$2,287,942	70.6%
Student Recognition	\$16,680	0.5%
Employee Recognition	\$27,565	0.9%
College Development	\$31,212	1.0%

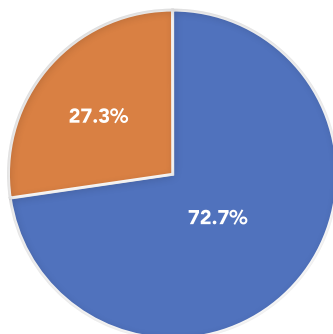
TOTAL SUPPORT TO BSC = \$3,242,321



### OPERATIONS

Salaries & Benefits	\$382,894	32%
Interest Payments	\$129,343	11%
Depreciation	\$439,230	38%
Other Operating Expenses	\$220,559	19%

TOTAL OPERATIONS = \$1,172,026



### FUNDRAISING

General Campaign	\$65,134	72.7%
Special Events	\$24,464	27.3%

TOTAL FUNDRAISING = \$89,598

SUPPORT & REVENUE  
OVER EXPENSES  
\$12,453,658

TOTAL FOUNDATION EXPENSE & PROGRAM SUPPORT = \$4,503,945



Danette Welsh

# Trustee Spotlight *Danette Welsh*

Danette Welsh grew up as the fourth generation on a farm near the town of Woodworth, N.D. After graduating from high school with a class of five students, she attended college where she studied history, political science and music. With those degrees, she began a journey to where she is today. After college, she moved to Bismarck because she said she has always loved the community. "I worked a bunch of really strange jobs," Danette said. "From a flooring store to Fort Lincoln to the circulation department at The Bismarck Tribune. Looking back, I can see that the collection of jobs all have one thing in common: they were public facing and helping people; relationship building." To continue honing her skills, she returned to school and earned her master's degree in public administration.

In 2003, she interned with the legislature, and after the internship, Danette was employed by the Association of Counties to work for the secretary of state where she began working with county election officials implementing federal election policy. Danette attributes her time in communicating and relationship-building with the counties to her employment with ONEOK. She has been with the company for almost 12 years and is currently the Director of Government Relations for the northern region.

"The projects vary from day to day, but it is relationship building," Danette said. "I work with our internal and external stakeholders. Externally, everybody from township to city to county to state government officials, both elected and appointed. I also manage

government stakeholders' relationships within the company, ensuring we know internally what's expected of us—a kind of 'manager of messaging'—internally and externally." Her relationship with Bismarck State College is connected to ONEOK and the growth of the company over the years. "We went from having just a handful of small gas processing plants to having a number of very large ones," Danette said. "We grew our asset base and many of the employees were coming through BSC because of the quality of education and training and workforce preparation."

"The visionary *leadership* at BSC has been **PHENOMENAL...**"

BSC works closely with ONEOK to offer programming and training for company employees with a curriculum designed for specific needs. These include process plant technology, mechanical maintenance and instrumentation and control.

Danette said her involvement with the BSC Foundation Board happened through a one-off situation when Executive Director, Kari Knudson, approached ONEOK about having someone on the board. "I'm the only one stationed in Bismarck," Danette said. "So by default, they got stuck with me." This year, Danette is serving as the BSC Foundation President. One of her goals has been to identify new members and bring diversity to the board. Her community outreach background and public-facing business sense support that goal. "One of the key things the board is responsible for is bringing new board members into BSC's

realm of influence, if you will—creating a larger sense of community awareness and involvement," Danette said. "It is literally businesses who are benefiting from the work BSC is doing. They need to be at the table helping direct and giving their input into what their needs are so BSC knows what direction to head."

Another focus for Danette and the BSC Foundation Board is growing scholarship dollars and attracting students to the disciplines needed in the workforce. Danette emphasized BSC offers career options that support the well-being of the community. "It's taken me maybe longer than the average person to wrap my head around what polytechnic actually means," Danette said, "and what it means for students.

The idea that you can start from a certificate and work your way through to a four-year degree in a discipline—just gradually advancing your way through—is pretty amazing." She said BSC offers the benefit of training while working in the industry, which can help students make the right career choice. "The visionary leadership at BSC has been phenomenal—seeing the demand before the demand becomes a critical need," Danette said. "And the willingness and diversity of the donors is the driving force that allows the vision to happen. It is proof of an ever-growing recognition of the advantage of being at BSC and being in the polytechnic program."



Robert, Ben and Glenda Berg

# Benefactor Profile *Berg Family*

In 2016, Century High School graduate Ben Berg enrolled at Bismarck State College. With aspirations to become a pharmacist, he planned

to complete his general education courses and begin the pre-pharmacy program while playing baseball for the Mystics. Ben joined the BSC team with friends who had been part of his many youthful years of baseball. "We played summer ball growing up," said Jaden Scott, the BSC head baseball coach. "We went to different high schools, but in the summer, we played ball together, from the time we were 11 to when we turned 18. Now we were teaming up to play college ball."

Besides baseball, hunting was another of Ben's passions his grandparents, Robert and Glenda Berg, shared. The family gathered at the farm during pheasant season for festivities that rivaled their Christmas celebrations. They made happy memories. Unfortunately, in October of the year Ben began his BSC college career, his dreams were cut short when he drowned in a tragic accident while duck hunting. The family had to accept living without their loved one. The Mystics had to learn how to play without their teammate, and play they did! The team, made up of nearly all North Dakota talent, dedicated their season to Ben going 33 and 13, winning the conference and region tournaments.

After his death, Robert and Glenda worked with the BSC Foundation to start a scholarship in Ben's name. "It's a gift that we shared in memory

of our grandson, Benjamin," Robert said. "We didn't want to forget him," Glenda added. "He was a very caring boy—a good young man." Robert shared the story of the year when he played Santa for the family. Ben was only 3 or 4 years old at the time. Thinking that he had made it through without anyone knowing, Robert was sitting in a chair in the living room when Ben jumped up onto his lap. Robert's shirt pulled back a bit on the sleeve, and Ben looked down and said, "You know what, grandpa? Santa's got a watch just like that."

The Ben Berg scholarship is an endowed scholarship, so the interest will allow it to continue in perpetuity. Every year the fund provides scholarships for five athletes with a preference for Bismarck or Mandan students playing baseball for the Mystics. For such a young man and the only child of James and Carrie Berg, Ben impacted many in the community in which he grew up and called home. His memory remains alive as part of Sanford's Ben Berg Baseball Academy and the annual Ben Berg Memorial Tournament through Bismarck Youth Baseball.

On a global scale, Ben has even affected the life of a young man on the other side of the world. "The last couple of years, each of our teams have been doing gratitude projects," BSC Director of Athletics, Myron Schulz, said. "The gratitude project that baseball and softball have taken on is Christ the King, an orphanage in the Dominican

Republic. They have an equipment drive to help collect baseball gear to send to the youth in the orphanage. "They love baseball down there—they use baseball as their outlet," Myron said. Ben's father James heard about the program and donated Ben's catcher's equipment. "So, we sent it down to the Dominican Republic, and they sent back photos of the young man that had worn the gear all year," Myron continued. That same young man received a scholarship and will play college baseball in the United States. "It's a big cycle," Myron said, "and Ben's gear helped somebody else."

Ben's legacy will live on forever at Bismarck State College through the BB#13 Ben Berg Memorial Scholarship and the new Ben Berg Baseball/Softball Hitting Room in the upcoming remodel of the BSC Armory.



James, Ben & Carrie Berg

# BSC Foundation Annual Giving from

July 1. 2023 - June 30. 2024

## ANNUAL GIFTS UP TO \$249 TO THE BSC FOUNDATION

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Tami Aberle  
Elissa Ackermann  
Advanced Cleaning &  
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Ahmann  
Adel Al Bader  
Rachel Alber  
Charles Allen  
Kenneth Allen  
Phil Almanza  
William Altringer  
American Air Limousine  
Ameriprise Financial  
Services  
Christina Amerman  
Richard Amundson  
Brock Anderson  
Dorothy Anderson  
Duane Anderson  
Dusty Anderson  
Katie Anderson  
Marlene Anderson  
Paula Anderson  
Shannon Anderson  
Shawn Anderson  
Stephanie Anderson  
Warren Anderson  
Jake Arehart  
Teryl Armstrong  
Mitzi Arnold  
Kathy Asetamy  
Toni Atkins  
Susan Aukes  
Milton Aus  
Tonya Averill  
Judy Bachman  
Randall Bachman  
Richard Bachman  
Kendra Bachmeier  
Michael Backman  
Allison Bader  
Christopher Bader  
Carol Bair  
Richard Bair

LaRoy Baird  
Alexander Bakardjiev  
Nicolai Bakardjiev  
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Dawson Bancroft  
Corinne Bantle  
Larry Bantle  
Rodney Bantle  
Tina Bark  
Chad Barta  
Terri Barth  
Anna Batke  
Janice Batke  
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Justin Bauer  
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Tyler Bauer  
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Maxine Beckwith  
Marty Beene  
Bonnie Bendfeld  
Christie Bendfeld  
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Kathleen Benz  
Aaron Berg  
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Cody Berger  
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Trevor Besyk  
Sarah Bickert  
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Eric Bless  
Shane Block  
Jamie Bloms  
Loretta Blotske  
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Jason Bohrer  
Dwight Bollinger  
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Bullinger  
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Mick & Carlene Cremers  
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Peter Dobitz  
Cristie Dockter  
Jason Dockter  
Arthur Dokes  
Craig Dolbear  
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David Dombrowski  
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Aimee Drew  
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Susan Fiechtner  
Bridget Firehammer  
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Rebecca Fischer  
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Justin Folk  
Charli Fool Bear-Vetter

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Thomas Ford  
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Jo Foss  
Angela Fowler  
Corinne Fowler  
Matthew Fowler  
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Christian Fredericks  
Coleman Fredericks  
DoMonique Fredericks  
Kimberly Froseth  
Adam Gabbert  
Dennis Gangl  
Susan Garcia  
Jacqueline Gaylord  
Leo Gefroh  
Thomas George  
Vicki George  
Lori Germundson  
Shanwia & Christian  
Gertz  
Valorie Gibson  
Amanda Giesbrecht  
Landon Giese  
Martha Gilchrist  
Diane Gioioso  
Michael Gioioso  
Matthew Godlewski  
James Goetz  
Ashley Gold  
Bobbie Gold  
Rosella Grant  
Jeff Graves  
Payton Graves  
Gerry Grensteiner  
Kurt Grensteiner  
Terence Grimes  
Mitchell Grochow  
Brian & Paula Grosinger  
Kevin Gross  
Michel Grotrian  
Jennifer Grove  
Lisa Grover  
Earlyne Gruber  
Howell Gruetzmacher  
Tracy Gullickson  
Dawn Gullingsrud

Aaron Gundersen  
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# President's Cup

The Bismarck State College Foundation enjoyed another summer of successful fundraising events to support BSC students with scholarship opportunities.

The BSC President's Cup held its 29th annual event on June 14, 2024, at Prairie West Golf Course in Mandan, N.D., raising more than \$30,000 for student-athlete scholarships. The tournament sold out early with 38 teams registering for what turned out to be a picture-perfect summer day. Over \$350,000 has been raised for BSC Mystic athletes throughout its history.



Mystic Merlin greets golfers at the 29th annual golf event.



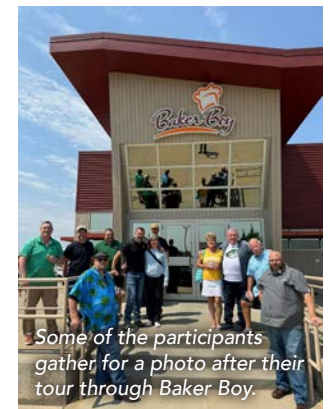
Golf Team Harvestone Low Carbon Partners hits the green on a beautiful June day in North Dakota for the annual golf tournament.

# President's Run

In July, BSC hosted its annual President's Run to visit Baker Boy in Dickinson, N.D. Participants learned about the current operations at Baker Boy and received a tour of the facility, which concluded with some delicious samples. Donations raised through the event assisted the BSC Foundation in providing scholarships to BSC students studying abroad through the Dr. Amy Juhala Memorial Scholarship. The BSC President's Run has raised more than \$115,000 throughout its 17-year history.



Participants of the 17th annual President's Run line up to depart Bismarck State College to Dickinson.



Some of the participants gather for a photo after their tour through Baker Boy.

# Mystic Lemonade Day

As part of the Bismarck Mandan Chamber EDC's Lemonade Day, 11 of BSC employees' kids created the Mini Mystics Lemonade Stand to raise funds to support our BSC student food pantry. These young entrepreneurs and future leaders had to design, develop, and implement a lemonade stand, make products to sell, market it to get the word out, and select a charity to donate their hard-earned profits. The Mini Mystics had a goal to raise \$500 to support our Mystics Magic Food Pantry. By the time their stand closed on Saturday, they raised over \$1,600. The Mini Mystics then went shopping to purchase food and other items for the BSC pantry.





Jaxon and Mari Volk

# Donor Story *Mari Volk*

Mari Volk attributes her education at BSC as the foundation for her career in medicine and education. "I was not the typical straight out of high school student," Mari

director. It was a blast. I loved it. It was great for me too, because I was the phlebotomy supervisor, and I could hire the phlebotomists right out of the classroom. There are still a few [former students] who work at the hospital."

In 2017 Mari completed her master's degree and after earning her degree, she decided to go overseas with Sanford Go Global, which has clinics around the world. "My dad, who passed away the year before, was the kind of person that said 'nothing bad will happen if you stay home,'" Mari said. "But I had never gone anywhere—I'd never left the country, and then I thought I'm going to

baby's finger because you hit the bone and cause an infection," Mari said. She has shared what she learned with students and has given talks in the lab community about her time in Ghana.

Mari is now the BSC Dean of Current and Emerging Technologies and serves on the BSC National Alumni Association board, which she said gives her the opportunity to help students. "Sometimes students come to my office because they're in trouble or they need to drop out or they can't find a ride to school," Mari said. "I call and help them figure out how to get their car fixed—perhaps through the auto program on campus—or calling the BSC Foundation and asking if there is anything we can do for this student." She stressed the importance of being part of the alumni association and the foundation and the power of donating because the resources go back to the students. It may be through Project Care, a program that directly helps students whether they can't afford a textbook or need help getting to campus, or it may be a scholarship to help with tuition.

Mari explained that she had help going to college. She paid her own tuition, but her parents were able to help pay for rent and other things. "But I know from experience not every student has that relationship with their family, or their family's not in the place to help them," Mari said. "I have gone to four or five colleges other than BSC, but if someone asks me where I went to college, it's BSC—my associate degree was the basis for everything I've done. Without that, I have no idea where Jaxon and I would be now." And Mari's ultimate goal would be to 100% help another person to have that opportunity.

said. "I actually had my son in November of the year I graduated from high school. Jaxon and I came to BSC together. Before he was even a year old, he was a BSC Mystic." Her choice to come to BSC was prompted by her oldest sister who had gone through the laboratory technician program in the 80s. Mari decided to check it out and registered for the program.

"In the lab tech program, we had a phlebotomy class and had to draw blood," Mari said. "I'm terrified of needles. I hate them. I hate the thought of getting a needle poked into my arm. But I thought, I want to teach this class. I think teaching this class would be the most absolute fun experience." She graduated in December of 2005 and started working at the hospital. At that time, the hospital and BSC had a partnership agreement of sending people to teach as part of the MLT program, so Mari got to teach that phlebotomy class. "I really, really wanted to teach," Mari said. "I taught that before I came up here as the program

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...I have gone to four or five colleges other than BSC, but if someone asks me where I went to college, **IT'S BSC...**

take a chance." They sent her to Ghana because they needed help to standardize their labs. Mari spent 11 days in Ghana and said the experience will be with her forever. After she came back, Mari continued to work with them for about a year, helping to write their policies and to pass their inspection. "It's kind of amazing the things you take for granted—like every patient there has a parasite because they have an open sewer system or explaining why you can't use a needle to poke



## DID YOU KNOW?

There are more than 28,000 BSC graduates across the globe.



Kristen Kincaid

# Student Spotlight *Kristen Kincaid*

Kristen Kincaid's journey has taken some twists and turns, but as soon as she started the mom-baby classes in the program, Kristen knew what kind of nurse she wanted to be. "Maybe I have more background than your traditional student because I'm not so young anymore," Kristen began her story. "I grew up mostly in Indiana and graduated from high school in Richmond, Indiana." She earned a bachelor's degree in elementary education in 2003 and married John Kincaid during her senior year of college.

Their life together began by moving to multiple states while he pursued his doctor of philosophy degree in theology. Before they started their family, Kristen worked at a child abuse/neglect prevention agency in St. Louis. "When we started our family, I had the privilege of staying at home with them—we have seven children—Natalie, Jack, Evelyn, Olivia, Gabi, Mary Grace and Paul." In 2019, their family moved to Bismarck, and Kristen continued as a stay-at-home mom and homeschooled their children.

They continued to homeschool until their youngest was born. "I enjoyed being a stay-at-home mom, but at the same time, I wanted to do something more, so I decided to go back to school for nursing because that's something that I had always wanted to do." Kristen explained that she originally chose elementary education because she didn't feel confident about nursing. The choice evolved when two of their children had medical issues, including surgeries, and time was spent in the neonatal intensive care unit. It was the experience in the NICU that drew Kristen to her pursuit of the nursing degree. "I just remember being in my hospital room by myself with my husband but without a baby," Kristen said. "It was almost 16 years ago now—my nurse came in at 3 in the morning to check on me, and she brought a wheelchair and said 'We're going

to go see your son—I'm going to sneak you in tonight.' That's an example of a nurse recognizing the need for a mother to bond with her newborn, despite being separated. What a difference it makes when somebody thinks of those things. They're not just doing their job—they're thinking of the person that they're caring for."

Kristen's Bismarck State College journey to a nursing degree began in the fall of 2021 when she enrolled to complete her prerequisites for the program. In 2022, she entered the licensed practical nursing program and in 2023 the registered nursing program. Kristen graduated in May 2024.

"Having a large family, going back to school was hard but manageable," Kristen shared. As a mom of seven and living on one income, Kristen and John were intentional about how they spent their money for school, daycare, and managing the children's activities. While at BSC, Kristen received the 40 Et 8 Nursing Scholarship.

Kristen recognized the capabilities of the nursing faculty at BSC and their approach to learning, asking questions and being hands-on to try things that may have been intimidating. As

new graduates, they are prepared because of the foundation they received in the program. "It was a great program to be a part of, and I feel so grateful that I got my degree from BSC," she said. In September of last year, Kristen applied for a position at the Sanford Family Birth Center. She accepted the position in October and began working after her graduation this past spring. Her dream of becoming a mom-baby nurse has come to fruition. "It was very motivating to know where I would be working—like a carrot dangling in front of me throughout the rest of my degree," Kristen said. "I started on June 17, and I absolutely love it."





Piper Harris

# Student Spotlight *Piper Harris*

"I guess I've been playing sports basically my whole life," Piper Harris started her story. "Before we moved here, my dad was the head coach at Bottineau, and we lived in the

dorms." When Piper was about three years old, the Harris family moved to Mandan, N.D., and her father, Jason, began coaching at Bismarck State College. He left BSC when the girls were growing up so that he was able to attend more of their sporting events.

Piper participated and excelled in softball, volleyball, basketball and track while attending Mandan High School. When it came time for college, BSC was the right fit. "I was always growing up around BSC—it was homey," Piper said. "It just made sense for me to come here—especially for volleyball and basketball. It was such a fun environment to me." Piper graduated from Bismarck State College in May of this year, and along with her diploma, she is taking many

memories of her time in Mystics sports. She played basketball for two years and volleyball during her second year.

"The coaches were super," she said. "Kyle Kuether and Val, and I've known Thai Haggin for a long time because she was a gym teacher at Mandan when I was there—she's always been around my life." Assistant Director of Athletics, Thai Haggin, remembered Piper from when she was teaching in Mandan and continued to watch her grow at BSC. "I used to call her my little bulldog," Haggin said. "She would go out there and give everything during the whole game—she played 40 minutes a game, and she never quit until that fourth quarter buzzer."

Haggin shared that she appreciated not only Piper's competitive edge, but also her dedication to the game and her leadership skills with the team as a role model—on the court and in the community. Piper returned the appreciation saying staff, students, and coaches were there for her, especially Coach Haggin.

"Everyone loves her. She is the coach, but she's also a person you can go to—she could always tell if something was off," Piper said. "She wouldn't hesitate to make sure you're okay, which is super cool to have as a coach—to have that relationship."

While attending college, Piper received a Bavendick Family Scholarship for athletics. "BSC's a great choice to go for generals and figuring it out," Piper said. She started her academics in criminal justice but switched to accounting because she wants to travel in her future. "The scholarship made it a lot easier for me to take it on myself." This summer Piper has been playing softball and was on a sand volleyball league. She has also been helping coach some younger basketball and volleyball teams. "I wouldn't be surprised if I stick with it," Piper said. "I don't know if I would coach high school or college but definitely some younger teams for a while and see where that goes."

Piper will continue her academic education at BSC, pursuing a bachelor of applied science degree in finance. She is currently working at an accounting firm and said she plans to become a certified public accountant.

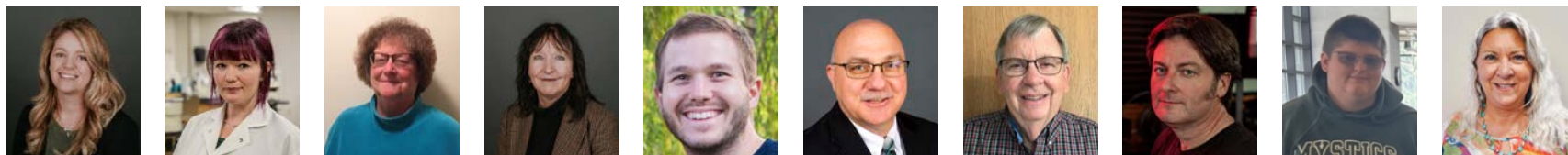
Unfortunately, Piper will not be playing sports for BSC this year, but it's a safe bet to say she will be at the games, cheering on the team and her dad, who has returned to BSC to coach women's basketball.



## Looking to leave your Legacy?

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# 2023-2024 BSC National Alumni Association Board



The BSC National Alumni Association is dedicated to connecting alumni and students in lifelong loyalty to BSC, as well as promoting and serving the interests of its membership and the College. The 2023-2024 board members were, from left to right: Mari Volk; Katie Robinson, President; Deb (Guy) Igoe; Deborah Mantz, Chair/Past President; Eric Carufel; Rob Koppinger; Jerry Chaussee; Troy Nies; Mitch Fisher; and Donna Fricke, Vice President.

The 1939 Society is a unique alumni program. With a contribution of \$1,939, alumni are inducted into the 1939 Society and established as lifetime members of the Alumni Association. The funds are permanently endowed in the 1939 Society Fund. Earnings from this fund support and sustain association programs that connect alumni with BSC while serving the needs of today's students. Members are recognized online, on a plaque, and at the Alumni Awards Dinner. If you're interested in joining this prestigious group of alumni and friends, contact Cory at 701-224-5700.

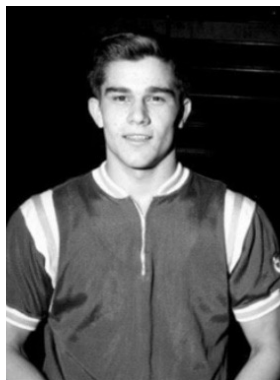
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Mari Volk  
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# BSC Mystics 2024 Hall of Famers



## ROGER KELLER

was a student-athlete at Bismarck Junior College, and won a national title for the team in 1964 at 157 pounds. Notably, Roger was the first athlete from North Dakota to win a National Championship in wrestling. Roger's remarkable performance also helped lead the Bismarck Junior College Matmen to a fifth-place finish as a team. Additionally, his performance earned him the opportunity to qualify for the Olympic Trials. Unfortunately, his wrestling career was cut short due to an injury he sustained at the Trials. Despite being known as a fierce competitor on the mat, Roger's teammates described him as a jokester

and a happy-go-lucky guy off the mat. This recognition is a testament to Roger's skill, dedication, and sportsmanship during his time at BJC. The induction of Roger Keller into the Bismarck State College Hall of Fame is a well-deserved honor, and the college community extends its heartfelt congratulations to him for this achievement.



## DAVE HUMMEL

will forever be remembered in the college's history as he played football, basketball and baseball at Bismarck Junior College, now Bismarck State College. Dave's athletic abilities were evident from his earlier days, where he competed at St. Mary's Central High School. During the years 1956 and 1957, Hummel was a part of the American Junior Legion Baseball State Championship teams, batting .643 and having a 10-0 record as a pitcher. Dave's dedication and passion for sports led him to receive numerous Hall of Fame inductions, including North Dakota Softball Hall of Fame, North Dakota Amateur Basketball Hall

of Fame, Mayville State Hall of Fame with the 1961 football team and the 1962 basketball team, and St. Mary's Central High School Hall of Fame. BSC is proud to welcome Dave Hummel to its Hall of Fame and recognizes his contributions to the world of sports. Hummel's achievements serve as an inspiration to aspiring student athletes.



## THE 1985 WOMEN'S VOLLEYBALL TEAM

had a record of 34-6, becoming the first-ever Mystic volleyball team to make it to nationals. This team was no stranger to competing everywhere they went. Their road trips included driving to Chicago as well as flying to Miami. At the National Tournament they would play three matches. They faced off against Charles Community College in Maryland, Penn Valley in Kansas, and NW Community College in Wyoming. The 1985 Women's Volleyball Team's success is a testament to the hard work and dedication of each player and coach. Throughout the season, they defeated several four-year colleges, demonstrating their ability to compete against any opponent. Honors earned by the team included Charlotte Rothermel receiving All-American nomination, voted onto the all-region 13 team and first all-state team. Laura Couckuyt also earned a spot on the all-state first team. Laurie Zacher and Lisa Enns were both voted all-conference and second team all-state. Head coach Cynthia Graham won coach of the year for District 6. Bismarck State College is proud to honor the 1985 Women's Volleyball Team for their outstanding achievements and contributions to the college's athletics program. This induction into the Bismarck State College Hall of Fame is a well-deserved recognition of their extraordinary efforts and abilities. We congratulate the team on their incredible accomplishment and thank them for their continued representation of the college's values of excellence, integrity and teamwork.



Carroll L. Dewing

## 2024 Alumnus of the Year

Carroll L. Dewing graduated from BSC in 1976 with a notable career trajectory in the field of Civil Engineering. As a Registered Professional Engineer since 1982, he currently serves as the Senior Vice President and Chief Operating Officer at NACCO Natural Resources, showcasing his expertise and leadership skills. His dedication and contributions have not gone unnoticed, with accolades such as the Theodore Roosevelt Medora Foundation, Harold Schafer Founders Society, the BSC Honor of Silver in 2015, and the BSC Sapphire Award in 2017. Dewing's

commitment to his community is equally commendable, having served as a past Wilton City Commissioner and the President and member of the Sunne Lutheran Church Council. His past involvement with the BSC Foundation as a Trustee further underscores his unwavering support for his alma mater and its alumni community.



Lori Furaus

## 2024 Rising Star Award

Lori Furaus is a dedicated educator and community leader, who graduated from BSC in 2013. Lori has been teaching middle school in Bismarck and coordinating the AVID program, showcasing her commitment to student success. Recently, she transitioned to a role as a field consultant at North Dakota United, answering a call to further support educators and students in the west central region of North Dakota. Lori's passion for education and service is evident through her numerous achievements and community involvement. She has been elected to the Mandan public school board multiple times and received accolades such

as the Pre-Service Teacher of Excellence award. With a heart for service, Lori has been actively involved in various organizations, demonstrating her dedication to giving back to her community. Her impactful leadership extends to her role as the president of CREA and past president of the Bismarck Education Association, where she tirelessly advocates for students and educators alike. Through her engagement with BSC and commitment to promoting the benefits of community college education, Lori continues to inspire and support the growth of those around her.

### NOMINATIONS FOR THE 2025 ALUMNI AWARDS

are due December 1, 2024, at <https://bismarckstate.edu/alumnifoundation/about/awards/BSC-Alumnus-of-the-Year-Nomination/>. If you have any questions, please contact BSC Alumni Coordinator Christina Burns at 701-224-2486, 800-272-2586 or by email, [christina.burns@bismarckstate.edu](mailto:christina.burns@bismarckstate.edu).





*The Wachter Family*

## 2024 Legacy Family

Spanning multiple generations, the Wachter Family has established themselves as a beacon of generosity and commitment towards BSC. With their legacy deeply rooted in the institution's history, Lance and Gail Wachter, along with Chad and Stacy Wachter, have demonstrated unwavering dedication. They have significantly contributed by establishing a substantial scholarship endowment, which benefits students enrolled in the Carpentry program and other technical fields. Their efforts have made it possible to award 10 scholarships annually, enabling students to achieve their educational ambitions. Furthermore, Chad's contribution extends beyond mere financial assistance. Yearly, he generously donates a residential plot of land, allowing BSC Carpentry students to acquire practical experience through the construction of a house. Since 2007, Chad's involvement with the BSC Foundation Board of

Trustees has been instrumental, further emphasizing the family's profound influence on the institution. Dating back to 1947, the Wachter Family's connection with BSC encompasses four generations and includes 15 family members who have attended the college. Their impact on the local community is monumental, tracing back to 1885. The family's contributions are diverse, ranging from land donations for schools and recreational facilities to public services. They have played a pivotal role in the development of Bismarck, and the Wachter Family's legacy in Bismarck is unparalleled.



*Greg & Yvette Bavendick with  
Mystic Mascot, Merlin*

## Bavendick Center Breaks Ground

When you step onto the Bismarck State College campus, it doesn't take long before you hear the buzz of the new Bavendick Center being built. On June 27th the community joined the BSC family in breaking ground on the new 2,200 seat Bavendick Center, which is set to be completed by early 2026. This \$40 million-dollar facility would not be possible without the generous lead gift from the Bavendick Family, along with the financial commitments from many other local businesses and individuals.

This facility has been a dream for the Mystics and the Bavendick family for decades. Not only will this new facility help grow BSC's athletic programs, but it will be a space designed for the community. From intramural sports, youth sport tournaments,

youth camps and a community walking track, the Bavendick Center will have something for everyone. This new state-of-the-art facility will have padded seats throughout, nine suites, a club level for large groups, a rock-climbing wall, as well as two jumbotron scoreboards. The game day fan experience will be like no other in the region.

Fundraising is well underway for this project with 95% of total funds raised to date. For more information about this project or to learn about naming opportunities for this exciting addition to campus, please contact Development Manager, Cory Wrolstad at 701-224-5700.

# Kermit Lidstrom Memorial Faculty & Staff Excellence Awards



The BSC Foundation presented the 2024 Faculty & Staff Awards of Excellence to recipients at the May 2024 BSC Celebration Day Event. These individuals were nominated by peers and students and are recognized for their outstanding accomplishments and contributions to Bismarck State College. 2024 recipients include: Anna Anderson, Associate Professor of Nursing; Deb Shipman, Associate Professor of Microbiology; Matt Giddings, Campus Police Chief; and Emily Gullicks, Learning Management Systems Technician.



Thai Haggin

## 2024 Jack Fellowship Awardee

Thai Haggin, Assistant Director of Athletics, was the recipient of the 2024 Jack Fellowship Award. This award will assist Thai in pursuing her Master of Education, Physical Education & Athletic Administration at the University of Mary. The late Tom and Peg Jack created this fellowship to make BSC employees' dreams of an education come true. Whether getting specialized training to perfect a craft, obtaining a bachelor's degree or an advanced degree, the Jack Fellowship can help achieve this goal. The Jacks' hope is that by helping an individual achieve this goal, they will be investing in the future of Bismarck State College, one person at a time.



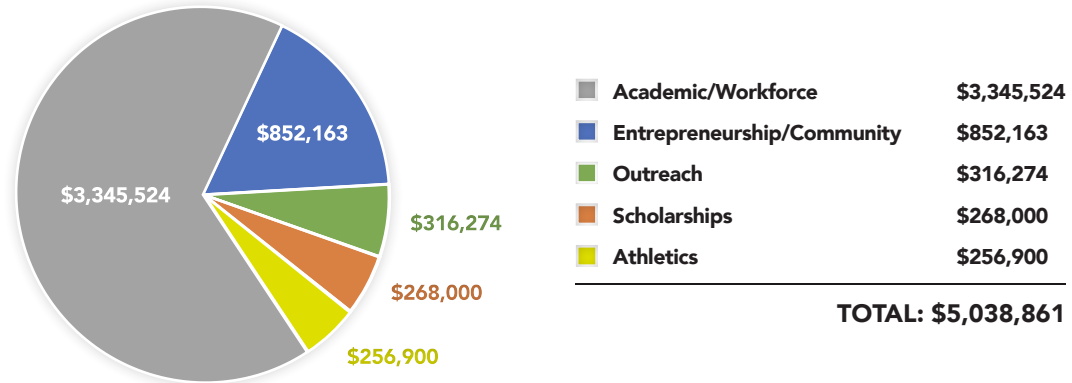
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# Bismarck State College and the BSC Foundation Celebrate a Successful Year in External Grants

From July 2023 – June 2024, Bismarck State College and the BSC Foundation were fortunate recipients of 31 external grants totaling more than \$5 million. Funding was provided for equipment for academic programs and workforce development, scholarships, outreach to potential students, and camps for youth to engage with BSC. The external grants also funded educational programming for entrepreneurs to support regional economic development as well as community enrichment and athletic programs. In addition, a grant was secured to start up a new Electrician program at BSC.



## The BSC Foundation Supports BSC Faculty, Staff, and Students Through Its Grants Program

### 2023-2024 BSC FOUNDATION GRANTS

During the 2023-2024 academic year, the BSC Foundation granted nearly \$50,000 to BSC staff, faculty, and student organizations for a variety of projects. These projects included professional development for faculty and staff, new classroom equipment to enhance teaching and learning, student trips for award competitions, bringing in guest speakers for student activities, Project CARE, and much more. These funds are provided through the generosity of Sam & Bertha Merritt.



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# BSC 2023-2024 Scholarship Awards

## ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIPS

### 40 Et 8 Nursing Scholarship

Kristen Kincaid Bismarck, ND  
Tera Sturre Lincoln, ND

### Chris Albin Memorial Scholarship

Jesse Reich Mott, ND

### Alec Anagnost Memorial Scholarship

Sierra Becker Bismarck, ND  
Dylan Stroh Bismarck, ND

### Debbie Anderson Memorial Scholarship

Lydia Wilkinson Mandan, ND

### Myron Atkinson Jr. Scholarship

Peyton Azure Mandan, ND

### Myron Atkinson Sr. Memorial Scholarship

Peyton Azure Mandan, ND

### Myron & Marjory Atkinson Scholarship

Isabella Nolan Hazen, ND  
Jaeley Schumacher Bismarck, ND

### Patrick Atkinson Scholarships for Enriching ND

Ena Alagic Mandan, ND  
Joshua Alarcon Bismarck, ND  
Isaak Boehm New Salem, ND  
Kaitlin Collins Bismarck, ND  
Emily Hyatt Bismarck, ND  
Rhenna Martin Bismarck, ND  
Jordan Wutzke Bismarck, ND

### Tim Atkinson Scholarship

Ena Alagic Mandan, ND

### Paul Bakkum Scholarship

Kaitlin Collins Bismarck, ND

### Bradley & Claudia Ballweber Scholarship

Cole Manolovits Mott, ND  
James Satcher Cohutta, GA

### Ronald R. Becker Memorial Scholarship

Elizabeth Woodward Bismarck, ND

### Scott Becker Scholarship

Hannah Hammes Bismarck, ND

### Don Bigwood Scholarship

William Bachman Fargo, ND  
Jenifer Bergstad Bismarck, ND

### Gordon & Paula Binek Scholarship

Alison Miller Bismarck, ND

### David & Myrna Blackstead Scholarship

Aissata Soumare Bismarck, ND

### Paul & Judith Bodmer English Scholarship

Rebecca Riepl Bismarck, ND

### Boekes Family Scholarship

Paisley Kleven Bismarck, ND

### Wade Boeshans Scholarship

Hannah Sisco New England, ND

### Ervin & Dorothy Bourgois Memorial Scholarship

Malea Bates Bismarck, ND  
Kari Burns Bismarck, ND  
Karley Cermak Center, ND  
Carleen Craven Bismarck, ND  
Ellen Duffey Bismarck, ND  
McKeon Honeyman Bismarck, ND  
James Hulstein Fargo, ND  
Brynn Hyttinen Washburn, ND  
Tina Johner Bismarck, ND  
Emma Kollman Kensal, ND  
Kaylee Mertz Bismarck, ND  
MiKayla Pfaff Bismarck, ND  
Ashlee Presser Turtle Lake, ND  
Skylar Schmeichel Jamestown, ND  
Alyssa Simonek Bismarck, ND

### Boyd Family Scholarship

Jacinta Ducheneaux Bismarck, ND  
Paiten Elkins Hebron, ND  
Breyah Lawrence Fort Totten, ND

### Daryl & Donna Braun Scholarship

Caitriona Hennessy Stanley, ND  
Maddy Johnson Mohall, ND  
Chloe Kolden Garrison, ND  
Madison Ptacek Linton, ND

### Walter L. & Lucille Braun Scholarship

Brandon Benally Bismarck, ND  
Traci Fiske Bismarck, ND  
Oscar Garcia Bismarck, ND  
Jaydon Johnson Bismarck, ND  
Bennett Vatnsdal Bismarck, ND

### Brosz Engineering Foundation Scholarship

Zachary Webb Bismarck, ND

### Richard Brown Memorial Scholarship

Jordan Wutzke Bismarck, ND

### Robert R. & DeLayne M. Brown Scholarship

Isabella Castillo Mandan, ND  
Shaylan Heck Bismarck, ND  
Tamika Holte Jamestown, ND  
Robyn Huizenga Linton, ND  
Samantha Meehl Oakes, ND  
Joshua Moser Medina, ND  
Griffin Staahl West Fargo, ND  
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Alyssa Dockter Dawson, ND  
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Chloe Erickson Bismarck, ND  
Lukas Fast Mandan, ND  
Garrett Frohlich Bismarck, ND  
Luke Gader Bismarck, ND  
Brandon Hagerott Mandan, ND  
Katie Heid Bismarck, ND  
Abby Heinle Jamestown, ND  
Emily Hyatt Bismarck, ND  
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Paisley Kleven Bismarck, ND  
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Grace Letteer Bismarck, ND  
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Kenna Mutschelknaus Mandan, ND  
Kyle Odenbach Thompson, ND  
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Ashlee Presser	Turtle Lake, ND
Hailee Presser	Turtle Lake, ND
Paysha Rex	Bowman, ND
Alexis Ritzman	Mandan, ND
Noah Rose	Bismarck, ND
Samantha Schild	Bismarck, ND
Emily Schmitz	Bismarck, ND
Levon Schulz	Mandan, ND
Mya Sheldon	Mandan, ND
Cooper Stahlman	Laurel, MT
Emily Tryon	Hazen, ND
Mitchel Wald	Bismarck, ND
Casey Wilson	Clermont, FL
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Kari Burns	Bismarck, ND
Trent Froemming	Bismarck, ND
Rayce Gullicks	Bismarck, ND
Hunter Koble	Washburn, ND
Jessa Lee	Bismarck, ND
Taiven Loritz	Bismarck, ND
Tamera Martin	Driscoll, ND
Greg Painter	Bismarck, ND
Kylie Thompson	Mandan, ND

#### **Mike & Peggy Bullinger Scholarship**

Ginger Goven	Wilton, ND
Jacob Lelm	Bismarck, ND
Morgan McDowall	Bismarck, ND
Kelsey Sailer	Bismarck, ND

#### **Marcia Carlisle Memorial Scholarship**

Brooke Tanous	Bismarck, ND
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#### **Patricia Higgins Caudel Memorial Scholarship**

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Chey Camden	Bismarck, ND
Tenley Evans	Hankinson, ND
Magdeline Faul	Bismarck, ND
Jamie Haug	Bismarck, ND
Raelyn Klindt	Langdon, ND
Rylee Krapp	Jamestown, ND
Rachel Ruff	Fredonia, ND

#### **Jim Christianson Scholarship**

Ava Boyer	Bismarck, ND
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#### **Marc & Betty Christianson Memorial Scholarship**

Shelby Edinger	McIntosh, SD
Levi Hoyt	Tolna, ND
Brady Lettenmaier	Litchville, ND
Nicholas Schulz	Bismarck, ND

#### **William & Patricia Clairmont Family Scholarship**

Paige Baumann	Bismarck, ND
Justin Burud	Kenmare, ND
Landon Leno	Bismarck, ND
Tia McMillan	Jamestown, ND
Daisy Sparrow	Mercer, ND
Grant Titus	Mohall, ND

#### **Norm Clark Scholarship**

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#### **Becky Collins Scholarship**

Tiana Roberts	Bismarck, ND
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#### **CyberCon Scholarship**

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Levi Koelzer	Bismarck, ND
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Jacob Seaburg	Carrington, ND

#### **Cecilia Deichert Scholarship**

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#### **Warren DeKrey Memorial Scholarship**

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#### **Gordon Dietrich Scholarship**

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#### **Patrick & Mary Dirk Scholarship**

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Aiden Frey	Bismarck, ND
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#### **Vern & Lynne Dosch Scholarship**

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#### **James & Mildred Duffy Memorial Scholarship**

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#### **Edwin & Dorothy Edlund Memorial Scholarship**

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#### **Dr. Cheryl Senger Elsbernd Scholarship**

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#### **Richard Espeland Scholarship**

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#### **Dr. Marcus & Margaret Fiechtner Scholarship**

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Zoe Kyes	Bismarck, ND
Joshua Lakoduk-Ernst	Bismarck, ND

#### **Burt Finney Memorial Scholarship**

Grace Letteer	Bismarck, ND
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#### **Debra Gallagher Scholarship**

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#### **Debra Gallagher & Greg Tschider Scholarship**

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#### **Milan & Olivia Ganser Scholarship**

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#### **Gate City Bank Scholarship**

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#### **Gateway Pharmacy, LLC Scholarship**

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#### **John Giese Scholarship**

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#### **Laura Gilbreath Memorial Scholarship**

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#### **Jennifer Gladden Memorial Scholarship**

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Amy Lilly	Minot, ND
Lynzee Schepp	Minot, ND

#### **Ray Grabar Scholarship**

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Landyn Miller	Baldwin, ND

#### **John Hammer Scholarship**

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#### **Vern & Doris Hansen Memorial Scholarship**

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#### **Harvey Harris Memorial Scholarship**

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Mikayla Schneider Hebron, ND

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**William "Bill" Mills Memorial Scholarship**

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**Roy & Patricia Mindt Scholarship**

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 Kylar Hall Menoken, ND  
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 Nicholas Kamish Crystal, MN  
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 Sheldon Bauer Tappen, ND  
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 Rayna Blegen Keene, ND  
 Graden Bloom Taylor, ND  
 Jasmine Boeckel Bismarck, ND  
 Rylee Bowers Mandan, ND  
 Jessica Braun Bismarck, ND  
 Tarin Brennan Minot, ND  
 Tayley Bruer Bismarck, ND  
 Timothy Buchanan Bismarck, ND  
 Kari Burns Bismarck, ND  
 Kyle Butterfield Mandan, ND  
 Toria Cain Mandan, ND  
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Mallana Volk  
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Brenna Wert  
Kaitlin West  
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#### **Doris Orr Memorial Scholarship**

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Kayden Camacho  
Ethan Decker  
Danielle Gilstad  
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Joshua Jung  
Jaiden Krizan  
Paxtin Nichols  
Tate Rafteseth  
Mackenzie Schneider  
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#### **William Roesgen Scholarship**

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#### **Larry & Faye Rolfson Scholarship**

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#### **Erik Sakariassen Scholarship**

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Dylan Beckedahl  
Alece Blazek  
Wyatt Clark  
Brianna Danks  
Leeanna Edman  
Rebecca Freshwater  
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Katie Heid  
Jillian Hurt  
Emily Jochim  
Lexie Jundt  
Katrina Just  
Jacie Keller  
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Bismarck, ND  
Hillsboro, ND  
Wishek, ND  
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Langdon, ND  
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Aubree Schiermeister	Hazen, ND
Kelsey Smiley	Bismarck, ND
Aissata Soumare	Bismarck, ND
Amy Stringer	Lincoln, ND
Tera Sturre	Lincoln, ND
Mallana Volk	Bismarck, ND
Maigan Wilmes	Bismarck, ND

**Joan & Donald Schatz Memorial Scholarship**

Elijah Holkup	Beach, ND
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**Herb Schimmelpfennig Memorial Scholarship**

Sean Hughes	Bismarck, ND
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**Clara Schleicher Memorial Scholarship**

Conner Wald	Bismarck, ND
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**Kay Schlosser Scholarship**

Michenzie Korb	Bismarck, ND
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**Karen A. & Fred A. Schmidt Scholarship**

Monica Barber	Bismarck, ND
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**Schmit Foundation-In honor of Mary Magdalena and Andy & Myuang Schmit Scholarship**

ShayLee Bosch	Linton, ND
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**Michael Schmitz Scholarship**

Xavier Bedard	Bismarck, ND
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**Lyle & Charlene Schuchard Scholarship**

Gage Schuh	Wilton, ND
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**Harold & Karen Schulz Scholarship**

Joseph Christian	Bismarck, ND
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**Jane & Gary Schulz Scholarship**

Karleigh Baker	McClusky, ND
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**Steven & Janet Schwan Scholarship**

Kaden Herrington	Minot, ND
Hailee Luptak	Mandan, ND

**Mary Moses Schwichtenberg Memorial Scholarship**

Kylee Murrey	Bismarck, ND
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**John & Mary Shaffer Scholarship**

Hannah Miller	Bismarck, ND
Beckler Wangen	Bismarck, ND
Danielle White	Bismarck, ND
Connor Wrolstad	Bismarck, ND
Nathan Ziegler	Devils Lake, ND

**Ken & Anne Shaffer Memorial Scholarship**

Aleisha Condon	Bismarck, ND
Luke Gader	Bismarck, ND
Brendon Gibson	Bismarck, ND
Harlee Graham	Baker, MT
Jake Herr	Wishek, ND
Mary Hodell	Dickinson, ND
Abbey Kohler	Kenmare, ND
Mariann Kraft	Willow City, ND
Mya Reimche-Nelson	Carrington, ND
Sophia Okerson	Bismarck, ND
Medora Sailer	Hazen, ND
Taleah Sapin	Bismarck, ND
Catherine Sinner	Casselton, ND
Brayden Weidner	Bismarck, ND

**Steve Sharp Memorial Scholarship**

Xavier Bedard	Bismarck, ND
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**Cliff & Mary Skogen Memorial Scholarship**

Devin Greff	Hettinger, ND
Cassie Kindsfater	Hettinger, ND

**Gerald Skogley Memorial Scholarship**

Mackenzie Miller	McHenry, ND
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**Edward & Gladys M. Smith Memorial Scholarship**

Lacey Bosch	Linton, ND
Emma Horner	Bismarck, ND
Lexi McEvers	Lignite, ND
Camryn Rystedt	Powers Lake, ND
Elizabeth Turcotte	Bismarck, ND
Kenna Zins	Baldwin, ND

**Jason & Dr. Nigeria Stahl Scholarship**

ShayLee Bosch	Linton, ND
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**Bob Stenehjem Memorial Scholarship**

Corey Schrader	Langdon, ND
Brock Walker	Bismarck, ND

**Dwayne Sticka Scholarship**

Morgon Brindley	Bismarck, ND
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**Student Government Association Scholarship**

Kenna Mutschelknaus	Mandan, ND
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**Swenson Hagen & Co. Scholarship**

Mason Mellmer	Beulah, ND
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**Margaret & Harley Swenson Scholarship**

Wyatt Johnson	Mandan, ND
Traiden Kalfell	Bismarck, ND
Sage Kwandt	Bismarck, ND
Carl Parkos	Menoken, ND
Mitchel Wald	Bismarck, ND

**Adrian & Ardeth Taylor Memorial Scholarship**

Evan Pena	Bismarck, ND
Paige Wanner	Bismarck, ND

**Aldeen Paris Welsh Taylor Memorial Scholarship**

Asiah Gross	Bismarck, ND
DeAnna Heinze	Glenburn, ND
Andrew Mantz	Bismarck, ND
Nathan Pegors	Bismarck, ND

**Francisco & Bertha Tello Memorial Scholarship**

Erika Hoffert	Bismarck, ND
Angela Ayon Jaime	Williston, ND

**Cedric K. & Mary K. Theel Scholarship**

Ryder Stramer	Bismarck, ND
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**Dr. Donna S. Thigpen Nursing Scholarship**

Kirsten Bird Horse	Bismarck, ND
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**Harvey Thorson Memorial Scholarship**

Conner Andress	Hettinger, ND
Miranda Attanasio	Mandan, ND
Jacob Bachmeier	Mandan, ND
Jada Berger	Dickinson, ND
Delaney Bohrer	Mandan, ND
Eliza Braden	Beach, ND
Garrett Byerley	Hazen, ND
Reese Campbell	Dickinson, ND
Kyle Conlon	Richardton, ND
Alexus Delzer	Mandan, ND
Devin Greff	Hettinger, ND
Ty Gregory	Dickinson, ND
Kendall Hewitt	Mandan, ND
McKaylee Kalstrom	Bowman, ND
Haley Keller	Mandan, ND
Benjamin Kleinknecht	Mandan, ND
Abby Lacher	Richardton, ND
Carlie Lawrence	Timber Lake, SD
Kaia Lehman	Dickinson, ND
Taylor Loerch	Mandan, ND
Kade Martin	Dickinson, ND
Morgan McMillan	Huff, ND
Ava Messer	Richardton, ND
Jayden Miller	Carson, ND
Raegen Miller	New Salem, ND
Gracie Muggli	Dickinson, ND
Lily Muggli	Carson, ND
Christopher Ness	Mandan, ND
Joseline Ortiz	Mandan, ND
Paysha Rex	Bowman, ND
Ariel Smith	Dickinson, ND
Rylen Soupier	New Salem, ND

Kylie Thompson	Mandan, ND
Teresa Thompson	Mandan, ND
Madelynn Watkins	Mandan, ND
Brenna Wert	New England, ND
Patricia Westberg	Bismarck, ND
Teresa Wolff	Hettinger, ND

**Linda & Robert Tonolli Scholarship**

Jenna Wojahn	Beach, ND
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**Bill Townsend Scholarship**

Caeleigh Goodman	Williston, ND
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**Irene Tschider Scholarship**

Hannah Hammes	Bismarck, ND
Mia Thinnes	Bismarck, ND

**Irene & Morris Tschider Scholarship**

Garrett Bader	Bismarck, ND
MacLain Becker	Bismarck, ND
Jasmine Boeckel	Bismarck, ND
Luke Darras	Mandan, ND
Calby Geiger	Mandan, ND
Jason Grueneich	Bismarck, ND
Jax Gums	Bismarck, ND
Lucas Haakenson	Bismarck, ND
Hope Hammer	Bismarck, ND
Alexas Johnson	Mandan, ND
Aryana Kingsley	Mandan, ND
Halle Mattern	Bismarck, ND
Logan Miller	Bismarck, ND
Benjamin Olesen	Bismarck, ND
Matthew Porter	Mandan, ND
Cain Trhlik	Bismarck, ND

**Richard Tschider Memorial Scholarship**

Frank Vondra	Park River, ND
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**Glenn C. & Leola Vantine Memorial Scholarship**

Abby Lengenfelder	Bismarck, ND
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Kristine Binstock	Bismarck, ND
Tavis Choukalos	Bismarck, ND
Kyle Conlon	Richardton, ND
Evan Jeglum	Bismarck, ND
Nathan Kamish	Crystal, MN
Nicholas Kamish	Crystal, MN
Kari Kramer	Mandan, ND
Jade Marshall	Mandan, ND
Cole Peterson	Bismarck, ND
Patrick Ross	Bismarck, ND
Nicholas Schon	Bismarck, ND

**Curt Walth Scholarship**

Estella Coghlan Bismarck, ND  
Duane Tate Bismarck, ND

**Curt & Beverly Ann Walth Scholarship**

Kayme Bartz Fessenden, ND  
Brianna Lasher Bismarck, ND

**Robert & Lillian Ward Scholarship**

X'Avier Vincent Bismarck, ND

**Lyle Warner Memorial Scholarship**

Nicholas Holcomb Bismarck, ND  
Garin Opdahl Fessenden, ND  
Megan Reems Bismarck, ND

**John Weeda Scholarship**

Jayden Fajardo Bismarck, ND

**Tony P. Welder Scholarship**

Tristan Gross Napoleon, ND

**Ralph Werner Memorial Scholarship**

Carson Zimmer Moorhead, MN

**Michael H. & Mavis Wickstrom Memorial Scholarship**

Camden Reimers Mandan, ND  
Aidan Weiand Bismarck, ND

**Anita & Loretta Wilson Scholarship**

Trystan Johnson Stanley, ND

**Albert & Karen (Rausch) Wolf Family Scholarship**

Lauryn Hoesel Bismarck, ND

**Howard Wolfe Scholarship**

Jordan Wutzke Bismarck, ND

**Barb & Dan Wrolstad Scholarship**

Karlie Petersen Driscoll, ND

**Kurt F. & Lois J. Zerr Scholarship**

Kimberly Gefroh Hague, ND

**Becky Ziegler Scholarship**

Delaney Honeyman Bismarck, ND  
Jaiden Krizan Hebron, ND

**Mark Zimmerman Scholarship**

Tate Rafteseth Elgin, ND

**ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIPS****Bavendick Family Scholarship**

Rydell Adair Swift Current, SK  
Sidney Amerman Fargo, ND  
Jazhan Amill Omaha, NE

Kiye Anderson

Teegyn Anderson

Garrett Bader

Dominique Baker

Nikolas Bantle

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Kennez Bozeman

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Kayden Camacho

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Harrison Cobb

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Bowman, ND

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Washburn, ND

West Fargo, ND

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Zimbabwe

Beulah, ND

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Bismarck, ND

St. Paul, MN

Dickinson, ND

Andover, MN

Red Deer, AB

Bismarck, ND

Bismarck, ND

Oakes, ND

Oregon, WI

Garrison, ND

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Hazen, ND

Fessenden, ND

Keenesburg, CO

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Bismarck, ND

Marlboro, MD

Bismarck, ND

Bowman, ND

Bismarck, ND

Bismarck, ND

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Mya Sheldon

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Raine Skjod

Daisy Sparrow

Ava Stafford

Cooper Stahlman

Gavin Thigh

Wiley Waller

Jada Walter

Halle Wetsch

Sophia Wood

Aisha Zaffino

Carson Zimmer

Kate Zimmer

Wilton, ND

Frazee, MN

Mandan, ND

Casselton, ND

Mandan, ND

Mercer, ND

Cody, WY

Laurel, MT

Lower Brule, SD

Buffalo, WY

Jamestown, ND

Bismarck, ND

Casper, WY

Beulah, ND

Moorhead, MN

Kenmare, ND

**BB #13 Ben Berg Memorial Scholarship**

Jaden Grefsrud Fargo, ND  
Stetson Kuntz Mandan, ND  
Kyle Odenbach Thompson, ND  
Matthew Porter Mandan, ND  
Mason Stoelting West Fargo, ND

**BSC President's Cup Golf Tournament Scholarship**

Alexia Anderson Jamaica  
Harys Beauchamp Beulah, ND  
Kaitlyn Brancroft Joliet, MT  
Trinidi Clarke Brooklyn Park, MN  
Piper Harris Mandan, ND  
Teila Jiron Rapid City, SD  
Connor Kerzmann Garrison, ND  
Brynnlee Murdock Herriman, UT  
Taryn Sieg Anamoose, ND

**Dr. James & Nancy Christensen Scholarship**

ShayLee Bosch Linton, ND  
Brooklyn Brendel Bismarck, ND  
Mia Gehring Garrison, ND  
Anastasia Kempenich Dickinson, ND

**Frank Gilchrist Memorial Scholarship**

Halle Mattern Bismarck, ND  
Riley Pearce Lethbridge, AB  
Lauryn Rydell Grand Forks, ND  
Wyatt Tweet Russel, MB

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Anthony Bertucci Orlando, FL

**Debra Hoistad & Jo Ann Koch Athletic Scholarship**

Carlie Lawrence Timber Lake, SD  
Elin Williams Pocatello, ID

**Ed Kringstad Memorial Scholarship**

Talen Farland Bismarck, ND  
Easton Frey Turtle Lake, ND

**Sam McQuade Sr. Charity Softball Tournament Scholarship**

Julie Dysart Casper, WY

**LeRoy Nayes Memorial Scholarship**

Talan Batke Hazen, ND  
Raymond Brown Fargo, ND  
DeAnna Heinze Glenburn, ND  
Paige McAllister Fargo, ND  
Paige Miller Beulah, ND

**Paul R. Swanson Memorial Scholarship**

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Nathan Mathern Bismarck, ND  
Gavyn Strand Rapid City, SD

**Angie Worley Plaine Team Builder Scholarship**

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**BSC Foundation Scholarship**

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Tinashe Makuve Bismarck, ND  
Ashlee Presser Turtle Lake, ND  
Hailee Presser Turtle Lake, ND  
Emily Tryon Hazen, ND

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Levon Schulz Mandan, ND

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Jayden Fajardo Bismarck, ND

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Kaia Lehman Dickinson, ND

**PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS****Lydia Bavendick Memorial Scholarship**

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Morgan Hartze Bismarck, ND  
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Lexi Van Beek Mandan, ND

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Bo Ellenbaum Bismarck, ND

**Brett R. Dvirnak Memorial Scholarship**  
Bryce Bennett Mandan, ND  
Lexi Van Beek Mandan, ND

**Tom Hanson Scholarship**  
Joshua Alarcon Bismarck, ND

**Martha Jack Memorial Scholarship**  
Ellie Turcotte Bismarck, ND

**Peg Jack Memorial Scholarship**  
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**John & Amanda Kuether Memorial Scholarship**  
Caitlen Nelson Mandan, ND  
Wyatt Staats Bismarck, ND

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Alyssa Bender Bismarck, ND  
Noah Johnson Bismarck, ND  
Janessa Metz Bismarck, ND

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**Sam & Bertha Merritt Memorial Scholarship**  
Geri Berg Bismarck, ND  
Carleen Craven Bismarck, ND  
Ivar Martell Bismarck, ND  
Landyn Meidinger Mandan, ND  
Belle Miles Bismarck, ND  
Luke Miller Bismarck, ND  
Chanel Pavlish Bismarck, ND  
Ryan Reamann Bismarck, ND  
Carson Schmidt Bismarck, ND  
Sydney Steiner Bismarck, ND  
Kexin Zhou Wallingford, CT

**Tom & Mary Probst Scholarship**  
Alex Armstrong Bismarck, ND  
Bo Ellenbaum Bismarck, ND  
Maddison Sable Drake, ND  
Hannah Smithers Bismarck, ND

**Larry & Faye Rolfson Scholarship**  
Andrew Keller Bismarck, ND  
Ivar Martell Bismarck, ND

**Betty Sakariassen Memorial Scholarship**  
Sam Geiger Bismarck, ND  
Luke Miller Bismarck, ND

**Paul & Patricia Sandness Scholarship**  
Isaak Boehm New Salem, ND

**Harold & Sheila Schafer Memorial Scholarship**  
Ava Boyer Bismarck, ND

**Harold & Karen Schulz Music Scholarship**  
Emily Hyatt Bismarck, ND

**Jane Gray Stewart Memorial Scholarship**  
Sammy Lapp Medora, ND

**Bertha Wanner Memorial Scholarship**  
Josie Long Langdon, ND  
Justin Moldenhauer Minot, ND  
Wiley Waller Buffalo, WY

## TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIPS

**Allen Energy Scholarship**  
Gary Dunlap Julian, WV

**Alliance Pipeline-Wayne Schonert Memorial Scholarship**  
Conner Sparks Bismarck, ND

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**Bis-Man Homebuilders Association Scholarship**  
Aiden Appelt Bismarck, ND  
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Ryder Stramer Bismarck, ND

**BSC Foundation Scholarship**  
Leila Grubb Bismarck, ND

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Jaiden Baker Bismarck, ND  
Cole Fahnestock Willow City, ND

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Sage Gusaas Litchville, ND  
Landyn Kutz Jamestown, ND

**CHS Foundation Scholarship**  
Lane Benson Maddock, ND  
Isabella Bitz Napoleon, ND  
Jacob Gunderson Berthold, ND  
Ty Iglehart Garrison, ND  
Connor Martin Lansford, ND  
Jayce Rivinius Gackle, ND  
Chloe Sandland Selfridge, ND  
Kennedy Schlafmann Bismarck, ND

**Bill Clairmont Memorial Scholarship**  
Scott Seim Frazee, MN

**ConocoPhillips Scholarship**  
Tysen Alford Plaza, ND  
Erik Benson Bismarck, ND  
Zachery Ehrmantraut Bismarck, ND  
Trystan Johnson Stanley, ND  
Luke Scherbenske Lehr, ND

**Corvettes of Dakota Territory Scholarship**  
Layton Krecklau Noonan, ND

**DarbyTech Training Equipment Scholarship**  
Kristofer Drain Claremore, OK

**Energy Progress & Innovation Conference (EPIC) Scholarship**  
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Kaden Heier Hazen, ND  
Kyler Klein Bismarck, ND  
Dawson Knudson Minot, ND  
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Calvin Sisson Carrington, ND

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Justin Moldenhauer Minot, ND  
Gregory Moore Jamestown, ND  
Ray Smith Bismarck, ND

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Charlie Herr Wishek, ND

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Carson Funk Bismarck, ND  
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Amanda Hairy Shirt Bismarck, ND  
Nathan Koppenhaver Crosby, ND  
Collin Krapp Jamestown, ND  
Hunter Stymeist Bismarck, ND

**Dean Gunsch Memorial Scholarship**  
Talen Farland Bismarck, ND  
Mackale Hoselton Richardton, ND

**Troy Hanson Memorial Scholarship**  
Charlie Herr Wishek, ND

**Sarah Ann Haugen Memorial Scholarship**  
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Estella Kottsick Bismarck, ND

**Hess Corporation Scholarship**  
Moses Carr Tioga, ND  
Dawson Knudson Minot, ND  
Isaac Nordloef Minot, ND

**Robert Kuntz Memorial Scholarship**  
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Cade Wyant Dickinson, ND

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Caden Germundson Washburn, ND  
Clay Heimer Rhame, ND  
Meghan Meyer Dickinson, ND  
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 Gavin Hauck Bismarck, ND  
 Cameron Hintz Bismarck, ND  
 Evan Jeglum Bismarck, ND  
 Alexandra Joersz Bismarck, ND  
 Ryan Kempel Bismarck, ND

Logan King Bismarck, ND  
 Brynn Lesmeister Harvey, ND  
 Jerome Levi Dickinson, ND  
 Jade Marshall Mandan, ND  
 Justin Martin Linton, ND  
 Reece Nagel Bismarck, ND  
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 Allanna Rabbitt Dickinson, ND  
 Broden Renken Bismarck, ND  
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 Kadence Reiser Turtle Lake, ND  
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 Conner Sparks Bismarck, ND

**Adam Wilkens Memorial Scholarship**

Tysen Alford Plaza, ND

**Xcel Energy Scholarship**

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 Wiley Waller Buffalo, WY

**Leibole Memorial Scholarship**

Colton Markel Mandan, ND

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Bailee Helm Mandan, ND



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