

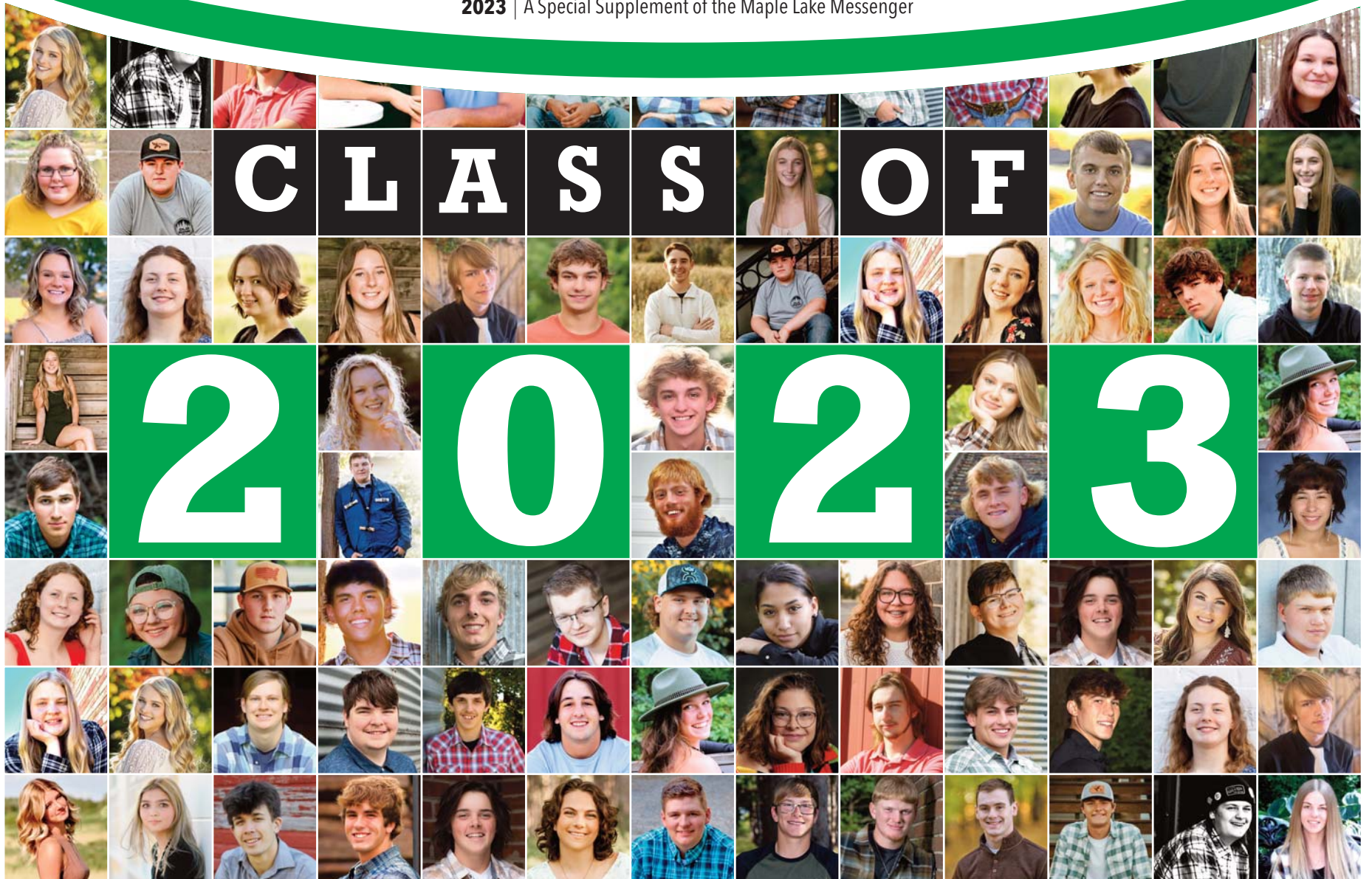


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# To the Class of 2023

Dear MLHS Class of 2023,

*It* is with great pride that we extend our heartfelt congratulations to the Maple Lake High School class of 2023. As you cross the threshold from high school to the real world, we acknowledge your remarkable achievements and commend you for your determined spirit throughout your educational journey. This significant occasion is a testament to your courage, leadership, perseverance, and compassion.

The world today needs resilient individuals who possess the ability to rise above challenges and make a positive impact. The class of 2023 has repeatedly proven that it possesses these essential qualities. From navigating the unprecedented obstacles brought about by the global pandemic to overcoming personal adversities, you have exemplified courage in the face of adversity. You have refused to be stopped by setbacks, demonstrating an unwavering determination to achieve your goals.

Leadership is a quality that can transform communities, organizations, and the world at large. Throughout your academic journey, you have exhibited exceptional leadership

skills, inspiring those around you to strive for greatness. Whether it was creating innovative projects, trying to create positive change, or guiding your peers through challenging times, you have shown that leadership is not merely a title but a responsibility to uplift others and foster a better future

Perseverance has been your constant companion, driving you forward even when the path seemed difficult. You have tackled tough coursework, long hours studying, and countless sleepless nights. You have displayed unwavering determination through it all, proving that resilience and hard work can overcome any obstacle. Your perseverance will serve as a beacon of hope and motivation for those who follow in your footsteps.

While academic achievements are vital, the class of 2023 has demonstrated that true success lies in compassionate action. Your empathy and compassion have touched the lives of many, whether it was through community service, volunteering, or supporting your fellow classmates. Your willingness to lend a helping hand and support those in need showcases the remarkable depth of character within your graduating class.

As you embark on new adventures and pursue diverse paths, remember that the qualities of courage, leadership, perseverance, and compassion will continue to guide you toward excellence. The world eagerly awaits your contributions, knowing that you are equipped with the necessary tools to create positive change.

On behalf of the Maple Lake school board, administration, teachers, and staff, we extend our warmest congratulations to the graduating class of 2023. May your future endeavors be filled with endless opportunities, meaningful connections, and profound success. You have already made a difference, and we cannot wait to witness the remarkable impact you will have on the world.

*Congratulations, Class of 2023!*



Trevor Pribyl ★ Julianna Hageman ★ Joe Reiber

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8:00 p.m.

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David J. Hansen, Principal

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# The Maple Lake High School Class of 2023



Aaron Altoff

## Aaron Altoff

**Parent(s):** Mike and Shelly

**Employer:** Ryan Auto Mall

**High School Athletics:** Football from 5th to 10th grade and got a letter in 9th

**Other Activities:** All kinds of Hunting and Fishing

**Future Plans:** I want to stay in the Automotive Mechanics field of work



Audrey Beffel

## Audrey Beffel

**Parent(s):** Allyson and Damain Beffel

**Employer:** Clearwater Travel Plaza

**High School Athletics:** Basketball and Softball since third grade and have continued playing all throughout high school. I was second team All-Conference in Softball last year; Captain of the Softball team this year; State for Softball 2 times in my high school career.

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Homecoming Court

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Homecoming Candidate, "A" Honor Roll and "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Camping

**Future Plans:** Attending University of Minnesota State, Mankato to pursue a degree in Dental Hygiene



Ashanti Blahut

## Ashanti Blahut

**Parent(s):** Craig and Tami Blahut

**Other Activities:** WSCA, Physical Training, Horseback Riding, Swimming, Archery.

**Future Plans:** My future is uncertain but I will try as hard as I can to reach my dreams. For a year I will work as a barn hand and in 2024 work towards a career in the military.



Lena Bougie

## Lena Bougie

**Parent(s):** Natt Bougie, Matt Bougie

**Employer:** Maple Lake Subway

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band, Jazz Band, Speech

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Minnesota Youth Symphonies, Tennis, UMN



Mario Brown  
No bio available at press time

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**Future Plans:** I plan to go to the University of Minnesota, to get my BA in Music Education, and my Master's in Flute Performance.

## Lilly Cachej - No Photo at Press time

**Parent(s):** Thomas Cachej and Nicole Cachej (Host Parents: Tanya and Bob Bursch)

**High School Athletics:** 1 year Basketball, 1 year Track and Field, 1 year Cheer

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Student of the Month for Art, "A" Honor Roll last semester

**Other Activities:** Reading, Snowboarding

**Future Plans:** Graduate high school in Germany

## Zachary Carlson

**Parent(s):** Jeff Carlson & Sherri Olson

**Employer:** CMP Attachments

**Academic Honors & Awards:** 8th grade Honor Society, "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Work, Boating

**Future Plans:** Welding at CMP Attachments

## Madi Clapp

**Parent(s):** Dave and Nicole Clapp

## Sophia De Leon

**Parent(s):** Andrew & Anne De Leon

**Employer:** The V by HH

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Drama, Speech, One Act

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll; National Honor Society

**Future Plans:** Attending Carthage College with an intended major in Elementary Education

## Freeziana Daorueng

No bio or photo available at press time



Brandon Carlson  
No bio available at press time



Zachary Carlson



Madi Clapp



Sophia De Leon

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Colin Dearing

**Colin Dearing**

**Parent(s):** Wayne and Kara  
**Employer:** Peak Spray Foam  
**Future Plans:** Work



Colton Ellingson

**Colton Ellingson**

**Parent(s):** Jennifer Ellingson and Chad Ellingson  
**Employer:** Walmart  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band, Jazz Band, Drama, Irish Mentors  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll  
**Future Plans:** I plan to pursue a degree in Accounting and Music Performance

**Jarret Faue**

**Parent(s):** Nick and Connie Faue  
**Employer:** Custom Concrete  
**High School Athletics:** Basketball 11th grade, Baseball 11th grade letter, MVP 11th grade, 1st Team All-Conference; Football 12th grade letter; Captain Baseball 12th grade; Baseball 7-9th grades; Football 7-8th grades; Ski Club 6-7th grades, Track 10th grade  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Maple Lake Irish Mascot, STMA Mascot, Student Council 7-11th grades; Freshman Mentor  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** 2 Irish Pride Awards in one month,



Jarret Faue



Rachel Fobbe

11th grade year; "B" Honor Roll 5-11th grades  
**Other Activities:** Cornhole, Deer Hunting, Fishing, Family, Weight Lifting, Baseball  
**Future Plans:** Going to Valley City State University to become a Health and Physical Education Teacher and play Collegiate Baseball

**Rachel Fobbe**


**Parent(s):** Bill and Doreen Fobbe  
**Employer:** Annandale Care Center  
**High School Athletics:** Volleyball 7-11, lettered in Track  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Journalism  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** National Honor Society, "A" Honor Roll, "B" Honor Roll  
**Other Activities:** Camping, Volunteer Work; Work as a Dietary Aide  
**Future Plans:** My future goals are to go to Ridgewater Community College and get my Associates Degree as a Vet Technician

**Grace Fritz**



Grace Fritz

**Parent(s):** Steve and Jenny Fritz  
**Employer:** Caribou Coffee, Dunkin'  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Senior High Band 7th-12th grades; Marching Band 7th-11th grades; Jazz Band 9th-12th grades; Speech 7th-12th grades, Captain 12th grade; Student Council 7th-12th grades, Media Coordinator 9th grade, Vice President 12th grade; Knowledge Bowl Peer Coach 9th-11th grades; Robotics 9th-12th grades, Captain 11th-12th grades; PSEO 10th-12th grades  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** J.H. Honor Society 8th-9th grades; S.H. Honor Society 10th-12th grades; "A" and "B" Honor Roll Student 7th-12th grades; University of Minnesota Land Grant Legacy Scholar; University of Minnesota Gold Scholar; University of Minnesota Dayton Kirkham Scholarship



**The Class of 2023**

Congratulations

## Jacob Galles

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IS THAT THIS LIFE  
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**JOE**



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You Joe!**  
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Travis Gaffaney

**Other Activities:** Wilderness Trip Leader for Camp Birchwood, Landscape photography  
**Future Plans:** I will be attending the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities. I plan on majoring in Forest and Natural Resources Management and minoring in Photography and Percussion Performance.

**Travis Gaffaney**

**Parent(s):** Andrew Gaffaney and Jaclyn Gaffaney

**Employer:** Andy Gaffaney

**Other Activities:** Fishing, Hunting

**Future Plans:** Plumb



Jake Galles

**Jake Galles**

**Parent(s):** Randy and Marianne

**Employer:** T&R Meats

**High School Athletics:** 1 Year Baseball

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" and "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Hunting Waterfowl, Deer, Turkeys, Fishing and Riding Four Wheelers

**Future Plans:** Alexandria Technical Community College for Welding

**Gwen Geyen**

**Parent(s):** Lisa and Adam

**High School Athletics:** Volleyball 9 years, Basketball 9 years, Softball 9 years; All-Conference Team for Volleyball, 2nd team All-Conference for Basketball and Softball; Basketball captain. Went to State for Softball.

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Homecoming Court

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll, Homecoming Queen, Irish Pride Award



Gwen Geyen



Noah Gindele

**Other Activities:** Camping; Going on the Lake

**Future Plans:** St. Cloud for Elementary Education

**Noah Gindele**

**Parent(s):** Paul and Allison Gindele

**Employer:** Carlson Sod Farm

**High School Athletics:** Baseball, I won the Ironman Award and lettered 2 times. Wrestling. I was a captain and MVP and lettered 4 times. I was All-Conference and made it to State.

**Co-Curricular Activities:** I am in Irish mentors

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll every quarter, and National Honor Society

**Other Activities:** Hunting, Fishing, and Weightlifting

**Future Plans:** I am attending NDSU and majoring in Engineering.



Corbin Golby

**Corbin Golby**

**Parent(s):** Katie and Kyle

**Employer:** Cutting Edge

**High School Athletics:** Football and Baseball

**Other Activities:** Archery, Hunting and Fishing

**Future Plans:** Heavy Equipment Operator

**Mencia Garcia** - No Photo at Press time

**Parent(s):** Jessica Hall

**High School Athletics:** Cheerleader team, Basketball for a while, and Track and Field

**Other Activities:** Reading, Skiing

**Future Plans:** I want to study Sports Journalism



**Congratulations Sophia De Leon**



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**Mom, Dad and Mikayla**





JuliAnna Hageman

**JuliAnna Hageman**

**Parent(s):** Anna Pribyl and Matthew Hageman

**Employer:** Legacy of St. Michael

**High School Athletics:** Softball - 11th grade (lettered); Basketball - 9th grade.

**Academic Honors & Awards:** National Honors Society; Academic Letter; "A" Honor Roll; "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** 4-H; Wright Saddle Club; WSC Queen; WSC Junior Board Member; Volunteer Work

**Future Plans:** St. Cloud Technical Community College to study Dental Hygiene



Skylar Hayes

**Skylar Hayes**

**Parent(s):** Christy and Tim Farber

**Employer:** Holiday/Circle K in Annandale

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Choir

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll, "B" Honor Roll, Irish Pride Award, National Society for High School Scholars

**Future Plans:** Gap year then attend Lake Superior College. Continue employment at Holiday in Annandale, employer is Mary Ellen Hannon



Harmony Heath

**Harmony Heath**

**Parent(s):** Shara and Richard Heath

**Employer:** Maple Lake BP

**High School Athletics:** Volleyball, Track and Field

**Co-Curricular Activities:** BABD, Student Council, Homecoming Court, Knowledge Bowl

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll, Homecoming Candidate

**Other Activities:** Reading, Running

**Future Plans:** Bemidji State University for Nursing, also committed for Track and Field



Riley Hall

**Riley Hall**

**Parent(s):** Rebs & Jessica Hall

**Employer:** Culver's in Buffalo

**High School Athletics:** Football- 6 years, Captain 2 years, letter 4 years, All-Conference; Wrestling- 6 years, Captain 2 years, letter 6 years, All-Conference; Track and Field-6 years, letter 6 years

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Irish Mentor

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll,

**Other Activities:** Weightlifting, Camping, Fishing, Hunting, Running,

**Future Plans:** Attend University of Minnesota Morris, Major in Biology, Sports Management, and Physiology while also playing college football



Riley Hill-Forbes

**Riley Hill-Forbes**

**Parent(s):** David Forbes and Ashley Hill Forbes

**High School Athletics:** Wrestling- 1 letter; Football- 1 letter; Golf- 1 letter

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Irish Pride Award; "B" Honor Roll 6 times

**Other Activities:** Weightlifting, Fishing, Hobbies

**Future Plans:** I want to go to Mankato for college to be a Video Editor, but during the summer I'm going to be working in Block Lane



Jakob Hanson

**Jakob Hanson**

**Parent(s):** Jessica, Tom Hanson

**Employer:** Centra Sota

**High School Athletics:** Baseball and Trap

**Other Activities:** Work, Hanging with buddy's

**Future Plans:** Electrician



Blake Jarman

**Blake Jarman**

**Parent(s):** Cody and Sheri

**Employer:** Jerry Liebhard

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Irish Pride Award Winner

**Other Activities:** Ice Fish, Snowmobile, Waterfowl & Turkey Hunt.

**Future Plans:** O.T.S. Grading & Landscaping Jerry Liebhard

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Layton Johnston

**Layton Johnston**

**Parent(s):** Duane, Lindsey  
**Employer:** D&M Mechanical  
**High School Athletics:** Basketball-letter junior and senior year, Captain senior year  
**Other Activities:** Snowmobile, Work  
**Future Plans:** Work for D&M Mechanical, Plumber



Jordana Jude

**Jordana Jude**

**Parent(s):** Paul and Tanya  
**Employer:** Madigan's  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Choir 1 year, Friends of Rachel (7th-12th grades); Knowledge Bowl (3 years); Student Council  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll, "B" Honor Roll, Irish Pride Award; Jr. High Honor Society.  
**Other Activities:** Reading, Fishing, Kayaking, Long Boarding, Volunteer Work  
**Future Plans:** St. Cloud Technical Community College



Mitchell Koss

**Mitchell Koss**

**Parent(s):** Mike & Michelle  
**High School Athletics:** 3-year captain on the ANML wrestling and received All-State Honors, played Golf, Cross Country; Football and Baseball through my high school career  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Lettered in Choir and received highest rating possible in Solo Ensemble, also I lettered in Student Council and Irish Mentors.  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** Triple "A" Award for exceeding in arts academics and athletics  
**Other Activities:** Fishing and Wakeboarding  
**Future Plans:** I plan to attend the University of Sioux Falls and pursue a pre-med degree and wrestle Division 2 for the Cougars.



Evan Krasnow

**Evan Krasnow**

**Parent(s):** Sue and Eric Krasnow  
**Employer:** Elfmann Excavating  
**High School Athletics:** Swimming for 5 years, lettered all 5 years and made it to Sections every year and State 3 times and was Rookie of the Year my 8th grade year; currently in Golf- 2 years after this season, made it to Sections first year and got Most Coachable Award; Track one year in 7th grade  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Choir-3 years  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll  
**Other Activities:** Junior PGA Golfer, Hunting, Wood Working, Welding, Snowmobiling



Cooper Latour

**Cooper Latour**

**Parent(s):** Brad and Mindy Latour  
**Employer:** Maple Lake BP  
**High School Athletics:** Baseball- 3 letters  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll  
**Other Activities:** Fishing, Hunting, Weightlifting  
**Future Plans:** Apprenticeship as an Electrician



Allison Lee

**Allison Lee**

**Parent(s):** Loren and Lori  
**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band- 1 year; Choir- 1 year; Friends of Rachel- 6 years; PSEO- 1-year  
**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll; "B" Honor Roll; Irish Pride Award; National Honor Society  
**Other Activities:** I am involved in Friends of Rachel and I enjoy hiking, reading and hanging out with friends and family. I volunteer for the local food shelf alongside my friends to provide for the local community.  
**Future Plans:** I plan on continuing my education at Saint Cloud University and get my business degree.

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Audrey Lee

**Audrey Lee**

**Parent(s):** Beth Lee

**Employer:** Lundeen Ford

**High School Athletics:** Robotics 2020-2023; Track and Field 2018-2023

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Irish Mentors junior and senior year; PSEO classes, sophomore, junior, and senior year

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll- all years; National Honor Society- all years

**Other Activities:** Maple Lake Royalty 2022-2023; Other Volunteer Work; Reading

**Future Plans:** Undergrad years at University of Minnesota Rochester for a BSBS degree and then on to medical school



Fred Main

**Fred Main**

**Parent(s):** Fred and Catherine Main

**High School Athletics:** Football 9-12th grade; Basketball 9,10,12th grades

**Future Plans:** Alexandria Tech, Mechatronics

**Samuel Marquette**

**Parent(s):** Kevin & Peggy Marquette

**Employer:** T&R Meat Processing

**High School Athletics:** Baseball 7-12, Captain in 11th grade.



Samuel Marquette

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band 7th-9th grade

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll 9th & 10th grade, "B" Honor Roll 11th grade, Honor Society 10th grade.

**Other Activities:** Volunteering at my church; Gardening

**Future Plans:** I plan on attending the University of Minnesota, Duluth. I plan on obtaining a Computer Science B.S. and a Management Information Systems B.B.A.

**Anna McClelland**

**Parent(s):** Angie and J McClelland

**Employer:** Caribou Coffee and Dunkin'

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band: 6 years, Irish Mentors- 2 years, Knowledge Bowl Peer Coach- 4 years

One-Act Play- 3 years; Speech- 6 years, 5-year letter winner; Student Council- 6 years, President 1 year, 5-year letter winner

**Academic Honors & Awards:** National Honor Society-5 years; "A" Honor Roll-6 years; Irish Pride Awards from Mrs. Fynboh and Mr. Rowe; Student Council President

**Other Activities:** Camping, Backpacking/Hiking, Playing music, and Art

**Future Plans:** I plan to attend Gustavus Adolphus College in Saint Peter this fall, finishing my generals as I figure out what path I would like to continue down

**Audrey Miller**

**Parent(s):** Samantha Miller

**Employer:** The Glenn Memory Care

**High School Athletics:** Lettered in Track in 9th grade

**Co-Curricular Activities:** I was part of my Post Prom Committee my junior year

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Honor Society in 9th grade, got an academic letter in 7th, 8th, and 10th grades; "A" Honor Roll throughout my senior year, and made "A" and "B" Honor Roll many other times throughout my high school years

**Other Activities:** Outside of school I work. I have previously worked at Christ the King Retreat Center and Maple Lake BP. Currently I work at The Glenn Memory Care facility in Buffalo assisting the cognitively impaired elderly. I have always loved working and helping others and working at The Glenn combines the two, which is a perfect fit for me.

**Future Plans:** I plan to go to NDSU next fall to further my career as a nurse. I also plan to get a job in Fargo and continue working at The Glenn during holiday breaks.

**Gavin Miller**

**Parent(s):** Colleen and David

**High School Athletics:** Baseball, grades 11-12

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Senior High Honor Society



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Eddy Neu

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Senior High Honor Society, Irish Pride Award, Incredible Irish Award

**Other Activities:** Weightlifting, Legion Baseball, Volunteering

**Future Plans:** Work and continue to take business classes at a local community college

**Elisa Montagnin**

- No Photo at Press time

**Parent(s):** Luca and Paola Montagnin (Host Parents: Lenny and Keri Wurm)

**High School Athletics:** Maple Lake Golf

**Future Plans:** I plan to attend university in Italy to become a Brain or Heart Surgeon

**Eddy Neu**

**Parent(s):** Tom, Pam

**Employer:** Lundeen Ford

**High School Athletics:** Baseball Captain lettered 4, Football Captain lettered 4

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Hunting, Fishing, Snowmobile, Golf

**Future Plans:** Hennepin Technical for Auto Mechanic and will work at Lundeen Ford

**Sarah Neutz**

**Parent(s):** Brad and Michelle Neutz

**Employer:** Walmart

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Speech - 5 years; Irish Mentors- 2 Years; One Act- 1 Year; Marching Band- 7 years; Jazz Band- 3 years; Trap Shooting- 5 years

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll, "B" Honor Roll 9-11th grades

**Other Activities:** 4-H Shooting Sports; 4-H, Hunting; Archery; Community Band; Drawing; Photography

**Future Plans:** Attending South Dakota State University with a major in Conservation and Park Management

**Kayla Paumen**

**Parent(s):** Jeff and Lanette Paumen

**Employer:** Hidden Acres

**High School Athletics:** Basketball since fourth grade, past year was a Captain on the varsity team, I have been lettering since my sophomore year. I have played Softball since fourth grade and am also a Captain on the team this season, lettered my junior and senior year, as I did not play my sophomore year. I played Volleyball from 6th-11th grades, and lettered my 11th grade year

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Participated in Connecting Links my junior year, every week for 30 minutes I would go down into the elementary to work with an individual who needed some extra help in some different areas; Journalism my junior year

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Honor Society from my 8th grade year, when it started, up until my junior year; nominated onto the Homecoming Court in October.

**Other Activities:** One thing I love to do with family and friends is camping, I love being on the lake in summer, in the winter I enjoy skiing and ice skating. I really enjoy shopping and hanging out with friends.

**Future Plans:** Next fall I will be attending University of Minnesota Rochester to become an Ultrasound Technician. It is a four-year program that is involved with the Mayo Clinic, my third year in I will be getting taught through the Mayo Clinic

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Trevor Pribyl



Derek Rose



Carter Scanlon



Josiah Schafer



Sydney Staloch



**Viet Tran**

No Photo or Bio at Press time



Joseph Rieber



Logan Rogness

**Trevor Pribyl**

**Parent(s):** Mark and Rachel

**High School Athletics:** Wrestling 7-9th grades, Track 7-9th grades, Cross Country 7-11th grades, Robotics 9-12th grades (lettered 9-12th ), Golf 10-12th grades

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Student Council 9-12th grades, Irish Mentors 11-12th grades

**Other Activities:** Camping, Gaming

**Future Plans:** Plan on going to Dakota State University to major in Cyber Operations and Master in Cyber Defense

**Joseph Rieber**

**Parent(s):** Vicki & Troy

**High School Athletics:** Track & Field, Cross Country and Ski Club. Lettered in track and Cross country

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band

**Other Activities:** Hunting, Fishing, Snowmobiling, Snowboarding and Riding horses. 4-H

**Future Plans:** To hopefully work in the HVAC field

**Logan Rogness**

**Parent(s):** Kerrina Bergenson

**Employer:** Maple Lake Legion

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Reading

**Future Plans:** Go to college for Graphic Design

**Line Rogoss**

- No Photo at Press time

**Parent(s):** Silwia and Jochen Rogoss (Host Parents: Tana and Robert Fobbe)

**High School Athletics:** Basketball, Track and Field

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll, Irish Pride Award

**Future Plans:** finish high school in Germany, travel after school and go to university in Germany

**Derek Rose**

**Parent(s):** (John) and Eileen Rose

**Employer:** T&R Meats, and JE Properties

**High School Athletics:** Lettered in

Football and Baseball:

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll 9-12th grades; National Honor Society

**Other Activities:** Fishing, Hunting, Camping, Snowmobile/ATV

**Future Plans:** Attend NDSU for a Bachelor's Degree in Mechanical and Design Engineering.

**Carter Scanlon**

**Parent(s):** Jeff and Tammi

**High School Athletics:** 1 year Football, 3 years Basketball, 4 years Baseball

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll and Irish Pride Award

**Other Activities:** Weightlifting and Sports

**Future Plans:** College for Business Finance

**Josiah Schafer**

**Parent(s):** Elise and Joel

**Employer:** Maple Lake Bar and Grill

**High School Athletics:** Cross country, Wrestling, Track & Field

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Choir

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll; Irish Pride Award

**Other Activities:** Work, Disc Golf, Slow Pitch Softball

**Future Plans:** Electrician

**Sydney Staloch**

**Parent(s):** Kim and Tim Staloch

**High School Athletics:** Basketball grades 4-12; Volleyball grades 5-10; Lettered for Basketball 10-12. Golf 12th grade.

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Irish Mentors and Connecting Links, Journalism my junior year and Homecoming Court.

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Honors Society 8-12th, "A" Honor Roll 7th-12th, Homecoming Candidate.

**Other Activities:** I love spending time at the cabin on the lake in the summers, playing Recreational Volleyball and Golf; Hanging out with friends and family.

**Future Plans:** I will be attending the University of St. Thomas and am undecided on what degree I want to pursue

**Congratulations**

**Eddy NEU GRAD**



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**Kayla Paumen**

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### Boston Trent

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**Parent(s):** Mike and Angela, Alisha and David

**Employer:** Mike Trent

**High School Athletics:** Football, Baseball, Wrestling

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Muay Thai and BJJ

**Future Plans:** Military (Army); Start masonry business.

### Ashley Triplett

**Parent(s):** Sophia Triplett & Joshua Triplett

**Employer:** Jen Doherty

**High School Athletics:** Soccer, Cross Country, and Swimming for Monticello HS



Ashley Triplett

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band for Monticello HS

**Academic Honors & Awards:** Courtesy and Respect Award STMA, Respect Award Maple Lake, "A" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Barrel Racing

**Future Plans:** I will be going to Ridgewater College at the Hutchinson Campus to become an RN

### Erin Uecker

**Parent(s):** Chris and Clare Uecker

**Employer:** Maple Lake BP

**High School Athletics:** Volleyball 1 year

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band 7-12th grades; Volleyball 7-12th grades



Erin Uecker

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll; Student of Excellence; National Honor Society

**Other Activities:** Reading; Coaching Volleyball

**Future Plans:** I will be attending UMD and getting my Elementary Teaching Degree.

### Jolie Uecker

**Parent(s):** Clare Uecker and Chris Uecker

**Employer:** Maple Lake BP

**High School Athletics:** Volleyball- letter 11th and 12th grades; Most Valuable Teammate Award.

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band; Irish Mentors



Jolie Uecker

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Kali Uecker

**Academic Honors & Awards:** National Honor Society and "A" Honor Roll; Student of Excellence

**Other Activities:** I like to read; I coach 5th/6th Volleyball

**Future Plans:** I am going to go to the University of Minnesota Duluth to get a degree in Elementary Education.

**Kali Uecker**

**Parent(s):** Debbie and Micheal Uecker

**Employer:** Dunkin' Donuts

**Other Activities:** Hanging with friends, Camping, Running

**Future Plans:** P.C.I. Academy for Cosmetology, Hair Stylist



Matti Vieths

**Mattie Vieths**

**Parent(s):** Shannon Vieths  
**Employer:** Park View Care Center

**High School Athletics:** Cheer-leading- 2021-22; 2022-23

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Speech- 7,8,9,12 grades; Drama- grade 12; Choir- 7-12th grades; Friends of Rachel- 7-12th grades; Band- 7,8 grades; One Act- grade 9; PSEO- grade 12; Student Council- grade 12; Prom Committee- grade 11

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll- 7,8,11,12th grades

**Other Activities:** Painting; Volunteering at Nursing Home; Tutoring; Connecting Links Mentor; Maple Lake Royalty

**Future Plans:** I currently work at Park View Care Center in



Susan Walz

Buffalo, as a Certified Nursing Assistant; in the fall I am attending Bethany Lutheran College to pursue Nursing

**Susan Walz**

**Parent(s):** Jessica

**Employer:** Pearl Lake Lodge

**High School Athletics:** All-State

**Co-Curricular Activities:** Band, Jazz Band, Drama, One Act Play

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "A" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Performing in an orchestra (U of M Summer Orchestra), performing in Howard Lake Community Band, Art

**Future Plans:** Degree in Business Music



Jacob Weese

**Jacob Weese**

**Parent(s):** Chad and Jenny

**Employer:** Cedar Lake

**High School Athletics:** Football- one year Captain; All-District, Basketball- one year Captain, Second-Team All-District; Golf

**Future Plans:** Going to Work

**Marcus Weimer**

**Parent(s):** Ivy and Jason

**Employer:** Menards

**High School Athletics:** Basketball (9th,12th) Captain, Baseball (9th,10th,11th); Golf (12th); Football (9th)

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Weightlifting, Work, Hanging out with friends

**Future Plans:** Possibly go to Anoka for Entrepreneurship, and then do that for two years.

**Vincent Wolf**

No bio or photo available at press time



Marcus Weimer



Wesley Zuelke-No Bio



Wyatt Wurm

**Wyatt Wurm**

**Parent(s):** Josh and Staci

**Employer:** Optical Xperts

**High School Athletics:** Played Football, Baseball and Basketball until 10th grade

**Academic Honors & Awards:** "B" Honor Roll

**Other Activities:** Snowmobiling, Wake Surfing, Hunting

**Future Plans:** Continue working for Optical Xperts and attending a tech college

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Derek Rose Jacob Galles Sam Marquette



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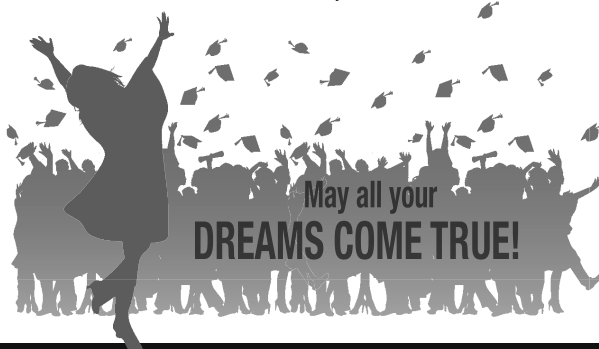


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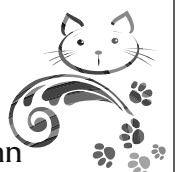
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# Colin Dearing

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