

# Congratulations Class of 2019



## GRADUATING IN THE TOP SIX FROM EACH MARIES COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL FOR 2019

Maries R-1 Vienna, standing from left: Sarah Backues, Grace Rowden, Emily Veasman, Jordyn Steffen, Makayla Honse and Emily Veasman.

Maries R-2 Belle, sitting, from left: Denni Horstman, Abigail Keeney, Jozlyn Belcher, Heather Parrish, Jacy Bock and Ashley Tegart.



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**VHS SENIOR** Jordyn Steffen is pictured with members representing the Missouri and Vienna Chambers of Commerce as she received a \$1,000 Missouri Chamber Foundation Show-Me Scholars Scholarship. Only two of these are given each year. Pictured with her are Dan Collier (right of Steffen) Kathy McKay, Amber Bock, and Karen Buschmann.

## Thanks for the memories — VHS Class of 2019

The members of the Vienna High School Class of 2019 will took their last walk across the stage at graduation on Sunday. It was their last curtain call as a group in Allen Gymnasium as each one received a diploma and now will go out into the world and make their

mark upon it, whatever that may be. While at VHS they left their legacy with the friendships they made and the group effort they showed when it came to getting things done. The Advocate asked the class officers some questions about their class. Here

are their answers:  
 What is it about your class that sets it apart from the others?  
 Renee Logan said, "I think what sets our class apart is that everyone is in-  
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## We have BIG plans...

**Logan Agan** plans to attend Southeastern Community College, West Burlington, Iowa, to study Conservation, and will play baseball for the SCC Blackhawks.

**Bailey Alexander** plans to attend State Technical College, Linn, to study Accounting.

**Sarah Backues** plans to attend Ozark Technical College, Springfield, to complete her general education requirements, then transfer to Missouri State University to study Dietetics.

**Levi Bauer** is currently employed by Mid-Missouri Fence Company, Dixon, and plans to attend State Technical College, Linn, to study Light-Duty Diesel Technology.

**Braden Carnes** plans to enter into the workforce and pursue a career at Simmons Food, Inc., Decatur, Arkansas, and attend college in the

future to study Culinary Arts.

**Aaron Carper** plans to enter into the workforce and pursue a career at Quaker Windows and Doors, Freeburg.

**Trace Clark** plans to attend East Central College, Rolla, to complete his general education requirements, then transfer to Columbia College, Rolla, and study Sports Management.

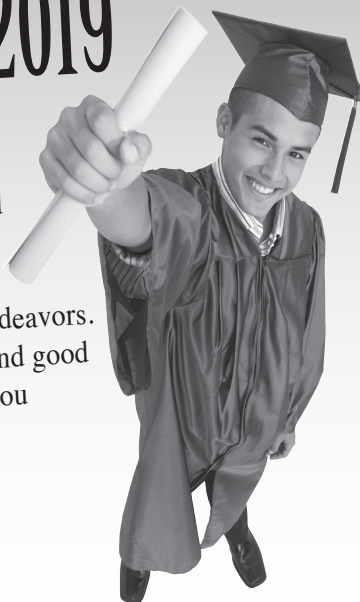
**Brenden Crowe** plans to attend State Technical College, Linn, to study Welding.

**McCrae Fuller** plans to attend North Arkansas College, Harrison, Arkansas, to study Construction Equipment Operation, and will play baseball for the Northark Pioneers.

**Rachel Garro** plans to attend East Central College, Rolla, to com-  
 See **VHS Plans** on Page 6

## Congratulations Class of 2019

On your graduation day, we'd like to congratulate you and wish you good luck as you embark upon new and exciting endeavors. May good fortune and good health be yours as you continue to achieve great things!



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**ALL NINE** of the VHS Show Me Scholars who met the rigorous program criteria received \$500 scholarships this year. Pictured are EmiLee Moeslein (front, left), Grace Rowden, Renee Logan, Shaunda Johnson, Rachel Garro, and Bailey Alexander. VCOC Officer Amber Bock (back, left), Cheyenne Murdie, Jordyn Steffen, Emily Veasman, and VCOC Officer JoyAnna Buschjost.

## All nine of the VCOC Show Me Scholars receive \$1000

Last Friday the Vienna Chamber of Commerce (VCOC) hosted a donut and juice reception to honor the Maries R-1 Class of 2019 Show Me Scholars, their parents, and our generous donors.

These students have met and exceeded the Show Me Scholar guidelines which are: to

complete all of the required courses with at least a "C" average, complete 50 hours of community service, finish all state requirements for a high school diploma, maintain attendance as mandated by the school district (95%) and to not violate the Missouri Safe Schools Act.

This year's Show Me Scholars are Bailey

Alexander, Rachel Garro, Shaunda Johnson, Renee Logan, EmiLee Moeslein, Cheyenne Murdie, Grace Rowden, Jordyn Steffen and Emily Veasman.

The VCOC also attended the scholarship assembly today at VHS, where we were able to award all nine of these ladies a \$500 schol-

arship each. "This is the third year we have awarded scholarships, but this is the first year we have been able to award all of the Show Me Scholars a scholarship," said chamber board member Amber Bock. "We are incred-

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## Facing the Future

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The best of luck to all our ambitious young graduates. You're the hope and the future of our community, and we look forward to great things from each and every one of you.



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**THE ACHIEVEMENTS** of many seniors were recognized at the awards and scholarship program at VHS last Friday. Pictured at top are the students who received bronze, silver or gold National Career "Work Keys" Readiness certificates: Alisa Johnson (front, left), Samantha Hertzling, Emily Heavin, Bailey Alexander, Tori Morgan, Kendra Iven, Rachel Garro, Cheyenne McNeill, Allie Miller, Sarah Backues, Cheyenne Murdie and Allie Zimmer. Abigail Lutz (back, left), Ethan Obenauer, Annie Hutson, Logan Agan, Trace Clerk, Aaron Carper, Brenden Crowe, Clayton Pippin, Jordyn Steffen, and Emily Veasman. Ethan Obenauer and Grace Rowden, pictured with Counselor Natalie Martin, received the Missouri Higher Education Academic Bright Flight Scholarships (left) and Logan Agan and Jordyn Steffen, pictured with Principal Ian Murray, received the US Marine Corps Distinguished Athlete award (lower left). Grace Rowden, (bottom left and right) received the US Marine Corps Scholastic Excellence award and Missouri Scholars 100 Honorable Mention. Emily Veasman received a perfect attendance award for not missing any days of high school. Principal Murray suggested she include this information on any job application she completes.



To the graduates of 2019, go our very best wishes for health, happiness and success both today and in the future.

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**VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE** awards (top left photo) were earned by Renee Logan (front, left), Brenden Crowe, Emilee Moeslein, Kaitlyn Neubert and Taylor Russell. Caid Stockstill (back, left), Gavin Stricklan, Katie Tappel, and Maries County Farm Bureau President Chris Rowden was present to present the awards. FACS awards (bottom left photo) from Mrs. Thompson were presented to Cheyenne Murdie (back) and Kendra Iven (front) and Cheyenne McNeill. Business education awards (top right photo) were earned by Kendra Iven (front, left), Rachel Garro, Trace Clark, Sarah Backues and Bailey Alexander. Makayla Honse (back, left), Ethan Obenauer, Jordyn Steffen, Mrs. Angie Combs, teacher, and Ethan Weeks. The Semper Fidelis award for music excellence was received by Emily Veasman and Grace Rowden received the John Phillip Sousa award, both presented by Eagle Pride Band Director Ray Spiller.



*You  
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We're so proud of you, graduates! You've worked hard to get here, and now it's time to enjoy the sweet rewards.



Special congrats to Allie Miller & Shaunda Johnson

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## The Best Is Yet to Come

We're proud of you, graduates. Good luck and best wishes in all of your future endeavors!

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## VHS Plans • from page 2

plete her general education requirements, transfer to Missouri State University, Springfield, to study Elementary Education, and complete a masters degree in Counseling.

**Emily Heavin** plans to attend Rolla Technical Center, Rolla, to study Practical Nursing.

**Samantha Hertzling** plans to attend Lincoln University, Jefferson City, and study Nursing.

**Nathan Hollis** plans to attend Ozark Technical College, Springfield, to complete his general education requirements, then transfer to Missouri State University, Springfield, to study Electrical Engineering.

**Makayla Honse** plans to attend Lincoln University, Jefferson City, to study Nursing.

**Shaylee Honse** plans to attend Rolla Technical Institute, Rolla, to study Automotive Technology.

**Annie Hutson** plans to attend Moberly Area Community College, Columbia, to study Business.

**Kendra Iven** plans to attend Southeast Missouri State University, Cape Girardeau.

**Alisa Johnson** plans to attend

Missouri Western State University, St. Joseph, to study Biology.

**Shaunda Johnson** plans to attend Missouri State University, Springfield, to study Pre-Professional Health Studies.

**Annalise Jordan** plans to attend Lincoln University, Jefferson City, to study Biology.

**Renee Logan** plans to attend Ozark Technical College, Springfield, to complete her general education requirements, then transfer to Missouri State University, Springfield, to study Nursing.

**Abigail Lutz** plans to attend East Central College, Rolla, or Missouri Western University, St. Joseph.

**Allie Miller** plans to enter the workforce and pursue a career as a Phlebotomist.

**Emilee Moeslein** plans to attend Missouri State University, Springfield, to study Animal Science, and will play for the Missouri State Pride Marching Band.

**Tori Morgan** plans to attend Lincoln University, Jefferson City, to study Nursing.

**Cheyenne Murdie** plans to attend East Central College, Rolla, to complete her general education requirements,

then transfer to Lincoln University, Jefferson City, to study Elementary Education.

**Kaitlyn Neubert** plans to attend Missouri State University, Springfield, to study Elementary Education and Agricultural Business.

**Ethan Obenauer** plans to enlist with the Missouri Air National Guard, and attend University of Central Missouri, Warrensburg, to study Professional Pilot.

**Clayton Pippin** plans to attend State Fair Community College, Sedalia, to complete his general education requirements, transfer to a four year university to study Secondary Education with an emphasis in Social Studies, and complete a masters degree in Counseling.

**Dillan Pritchett** is currently employed by Missouri Association Management LLC, Lake Ozark.

**Grace Rowden** plans to attend Truman State University, Kirksville, to study Biology with an emphasis in Pre-Medicine Studies.

**Taylor Russell** has enlisted with the United States Marine Corps and will pursue a specialty in the Infantry Occupational Field.

**Jordyn Steffen** plans to attend Truman State University,

Kirksville, to study Exercise Science with an emphasis in Pre-Medicine Studies.

**Caid Stockstill** plans to attend East Central College, Rolla, to complete his general education requirements, then transfer to Lincoln University, Jefferson City, to study Journalism.

**Gavin Stricklan** plans to attend North Arkansas College, Harrison, Arkansas, to study Construction Equipment Operation, and will play baseball for the Northark Pioneers.

**Katie Tappel** plans to attend State Technical College, Linn, to study Networking Systems Technology.

**Emily Veasman** plans to attend Lincoln University, Jefferson City, and study Accounting.

**Ethan Weeks** plans to attend State Technical College, Linn, to study Physical Therapy.

**Anthony Wiles** plans to enter into the workforce and pursue a career at Walmart Supercenter, Jefferson City.

**Allison Zimmer** plans to attend East Central College, Rolla, to complete her general education requirements, then transfer to Lincoln University to study Elementary Education and Special Education.



**VIENNA SHELTER** Insurance Agent, Courtney Jeremy, presented a \$2,000 Shelter Foundation Scholarship to VHS senior Jordyn Steffen (top photo). Maries R-1 CTA Officer Rachel Hays presented Allison Zimmer with this year's CTA scholarship for students interested in becoming teachers (bottom). There were five applicants.



## Proclamation

**WHEREAS:** The Vienna High School will graduate 42 seniors at the school's annual commencement exercises Sunday, May 5, 2019.

**WHEREAS:** These 42 graduating seniors represent the future of this community, the state, and the nation; and

**WHEREAS:** Among these 42 graduating seniors of the Vienna High School Class of 2019 will be tomorrow's civic and business leaders, political figures and educators, and will contribute unselfishly to the continued growth and well being of the Vienna community, the state and the nation,

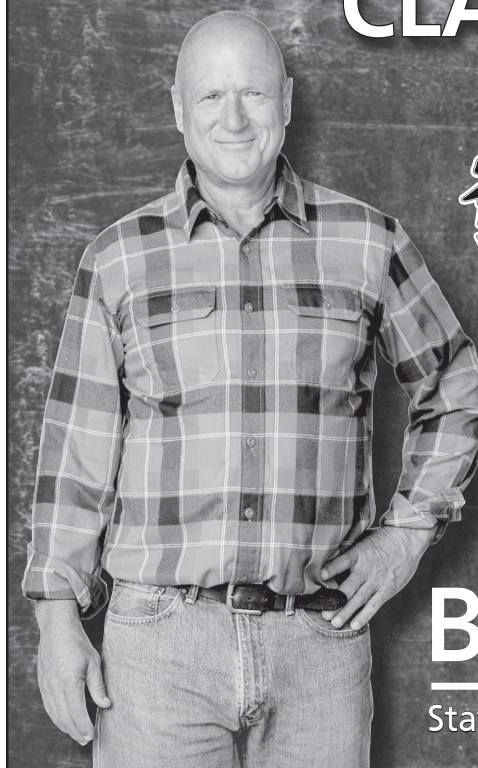
**THEREFORE,**

The City of Vienna extends sincere congratulations to each and every one of the 42 members of the Class of '19, their parents and their teachers, and honors them for the success they have achieved and recognizes the potential for their future success.

The City of Vienna, Missouri ~ May 5, 2019

*Jeremy Smith* MAYOR

# Congratulations CLASS of 2019



**Mike Bernskoetter**

State Senator – District 6







**THE MARIES** R-1 Jeans scholarships of \$500 (left photo) were awarded to Brenden Crowe, Katie Tappel, and Samantha Hertzling. They were presented by Principal Ian Murray. The Vienna Lions Club Scholarships of \$750 each were awarded by Todd Schoene to Annie Hutson (left), and Cheyenne Murdie.

## VHS Class • from page 2

involved in something! We are widely spread throughout the community in every aspect! Kaitlyn Neubert said, "Our unity. We always come together when anything happens." Shaunda Johnson said, "I think something that sets our class apart is the variety and characteristics in every single person in the class." Jordyn Steffen said, "Our class is diverse in the fact that we are all involved in a variety of many different extracurricular activities including softball, basketball, cross country,

track, band, FFA, speech, and other academic clubs." What would be a good theme for your senior year? Renee Logan said, "I think a good theme would be "senioritis at its finest". Kaitlyn Neubert said, "Girls just want to have fun!" Shaunda Johnson said, "A good theme would be the final countdown or the last hurrah as this has been a year of many last time moments."

Jordyn Steffen said, "Senior year has been a very busy time for all of us. We continuously have to fill out scholarships forms, housing applications, and register for college classes next semester while participating in extracurricular activities and keeping our grades up." What is your favorite memory of senior year? Renee Logan said, "My favorite memory from our senior year was winning the first eagle cup. Our class was going crazy and it was the first time we all came together to feel like the upperclassmen!"

Kaitlyn Neubert said, "Taking Logan, Brendan, and Gavin to get their ears pierced on senior trip." Shaunda Johnson said, "My favorite memory was riding waves in the ocean with everyone on senior trip. We all laughed and enjoyed every minute of it." Jordyn Steffen said, "Winning our second district title in four years on the softball field was my favorite senior year memory."



**Chalk it up to hard work and dedication: you've graduated!**

*Congratulations*  
**on a job well done,  
Class of 2019!**

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## Community Scholarships awarded to class of 2019

**Maries R – I Certified Teachers Association Scholarship**  
Allison Zimmer

**Board of Directors Scholarship**  
Allison Zimmer

**MFA Scholarship and Vienna Tax Service Book Scholarship**  
Katie Tappel

**Maries County Bank Four Year Scholarship**  
Jordyn Steffen

**Leo Thompson Memorial Scholarship**  
Jordyn Steffen

**Vienna-Bassett Fraternal Order of Eagles Aerie #4340**  
Renee Logan

**Argyle V.F.W. POST 8045 Scholarship**  
Sarah Backues

**Gascosage Electric Cooperative - Luther A. Riddle Scholarship**  
Kaitlyn Neubert, Renee Logan, Cheyenne Murdie and Grace Rowden

**Shelter Insurance Scholarship**  
Jordyn Steffen

**Dr. David Marc Segall Family Scholarship**  
Jordyn Steffen

**Vienna Lions Club Scholarship**  
Annie Hutson and Cheyenne Murdie

**Vienna Chamber of Commerce Show-Me Scholars Scholarship**  
Emilee Moeslein, Grace Rowden, Renee Logan, Shaunda Johnson, Rachel Garro, Bailey Alexander, Emily Veasman, Jordyn Steffen and Cheyenne Murdie

**Thomas Coffey Scholarship**  
Emily Heavin, Shaunda Johnson, Cheyenne Murdie and Emily Veasman

**Roy Bassett Memorial Scholarship**  
Abigail Lutz

**Missouri Chamber Foundation Show-Me Scholars Scholarship**  
Jordyn Steffen

**Maries County Bank Vocational Scholarship**  
Katie Tappel

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**FOUR VHS** seniors received the Gascosage Electric Cooperative Luther A. Riddle Scholarships presented by VHS alumna Jane (Hale) Humphrey. Receiving the scholarships were Kaitlyn Neubert (front, left), Renee Logan and Cheyenne Murdie, and back row Grace Rowden with Jane Humphrey.

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We wish all of you a beautiful, unforgettable day. We would like to personally congratulate Nathan Hollis, Kaitlyn Neubert, Sarah Backues, & Annie Hutson. And always remember: There's no limit to what you can do if you keep believing in yourself!

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**MARIES COUNTY** Bank employees Amber Bock and Jodi Smith were at the VHS awards assembly to present bank scholarships. Jordan Steffen received the bank's four-year \$500 per semester scholarship, and Katie Tappel received the vocational two-year \$250 per semester scholarship. Allison Zimmer received the MCB employee and board of directors scholarship of \$500 and the Tom Coffey scholarships of \$500 were given to Shaunda Johnson, Cheyenne Murdie, Emily Veasman, and Emily Heavin. Abigail Lutz received the \$500 Roy Bassett Memorial Scholarship. Pictured are Allison Zimmer (front, left), Jordyn Steffen, Katie Tappel and Abigail Lutz. MCB's Amber Bock (back, left), Emily Heavin, Shaunda Johnson, Cheyenne Murdie, Emily Veasman, and MCB's Jodi Smith. The top four students academically in the VHS Class of 2019 are Sarah Backues (left), Grace Rowden, Jordyn Steffen and EmiLee Moeslein (bottom photo).



## Scholarships • from page 8

**The Schwartze Family Scholarship**  
Shaunda Johnson

**Maries R – I Jean Scholarship**  
Nathan Hollis, Katie Tappel and Samantha Hertzling

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to all the graduates. We're proud of you. Keep working hard as you continue to face new and exciting challenges!

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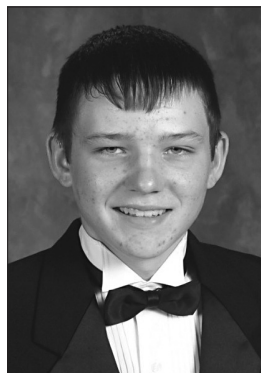
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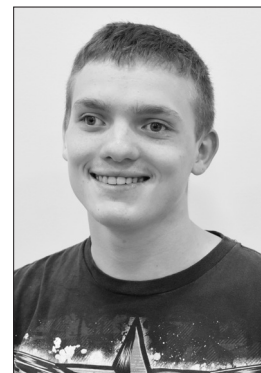
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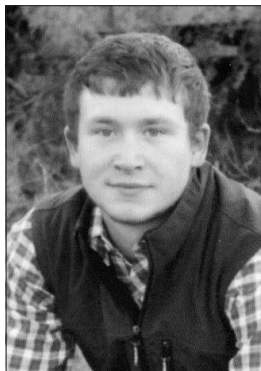
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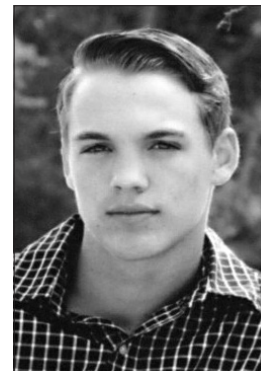
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Emily Heavin



Samantha Hertzling



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Makayla Honse



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Alisa Johnson



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Renee Logan



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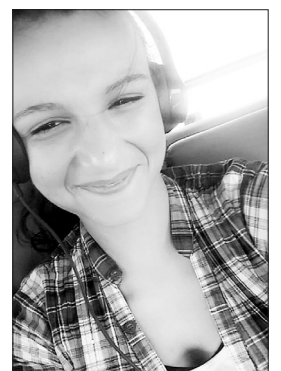
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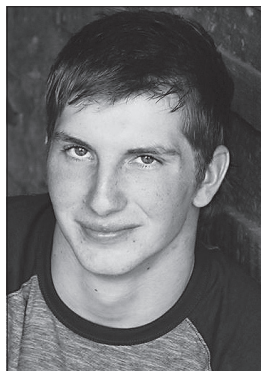


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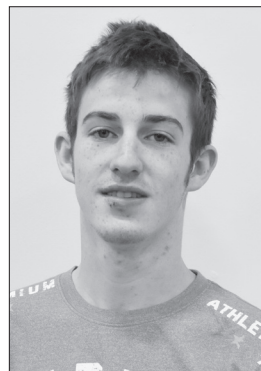
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Katie Tappel



Emily Veasman



Ethan Weeks



Anthony Wiles



Allison Zimmer



**SHAUNDA JOHNSON** (photo on left), is pictured with Counselor Natalie Martin who presented the \$1,000 Schwartz Family Scholarship for excellence in high school. Tom Eads presented the Vienna Eagles Club Scholarship to Renee Logan (photo above right), and Anna Thompson presented the Leo Thompson Memorial Scholarship of \$1,000 to Jordyn Steffen (left).



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## Congratulations Class of 2019!



Wishing all our local graduates a wonderful day and a future filled with success.



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- Renee Logan .....President
- Kaitlyn Newbert ... Vice President
- Shawnda Johnson.....Secretary
- Jordyn Steffen .....Treasurer

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**THE A+** Scholarship program helps students who otherwise may not get to attend college as the state pays for a two-year associate's degree program. The students have to mentor other students and be good role models. They volunteer many hours at the school each year. VHS seniors who qualified for the A+ Scholarship include: Caid Stockstill (front, left), Gavin Stricklan, Katie Tappel, Emily Veasman, Ethan Weeks and Allison Zimmer. Tori Morgan (second row, left), Cheyenne Murdie, Kaitlyn Stockstill, Ethan Obenauer, Grace Rowden, Clayton Pippin and Jordyn Steffen. Kendra Iven (third row, left), Annie Hutson, Shaunda Johnson, Renee Logan, Abigail Lutz, Annalise Jordan, Allie Miller and Emilee Moeslein. Rachel Garro (fourth row, left), Emily Heavin, Samantha Hertzling, Brenden Crowe, Nathan Hollis, Makayla Honse, and Alisa Johnson. Logan Agan (back, left), Bailey Alexander, Sarah Backues, Levi Bauer, Trace Clark, and McCrae Fuller.

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**VHS SENIORS** who received scholarship awards from colleges and universities include Kendra Iven (left), Abigail Lutz, EmiLee Moeslein, Shaunda Johnson, Makayla Honse and Emily Veasman. Logan Agan (back row), Ethan Obenauer, Jordyn Steffen and Grace Rowden.

## University scholarships accepted by graduates

### LINCOLN UNIVERSITY, JEFFERSON CITY

**Makayla Honse**

Curator's Scholarship - 90% of Tuition and Fees, Room & Board and \$500 Book Scholarship per semester

**Emily Veasman**

Curator's Scholarship - 90% of Tuition and Fees, Room & Board and \$500 Book Scholarship per semester

### MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY, SPRINGFIELD

**Shaunda Johnson**

Missouri State Promise Scholarship \$1,500 per year

**EmiLee Moeslein**

Board of Governors Scholarship \$5,000 per year  
Missouri State Pride Band Grant \$600 per year

### MISSOURI WESTERN STATE UNIVERSITY, ST. JOSEPH

### Abigail Lutz

Missouri Western A+ Scholarship \$1,500 per year  
Dean's Academic Scholarship \$1,000 per year

### SOUTHEAST MISSOURI STATE UNIVERSITY, CAPE GIRARDEAU

**Kendra Iven**

Copper Dome Scholarship \$2,000 per year  
Residence Life Leadership Award \$1,000 per year

### SOUTHEASTERN COMMUNITY COLLEGE, WEST BURLINGTON, IOWA

**Logan Agan**

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**HARD WORK** paid off for these young ladies who were the top ten students academically in the VHS Class of 2019. Pictured are Sarah Backues (front, left), Grace Rowden, Annie Hutson, Makayla Honse, and Emilee Moeslein. Shaunda Johnson (back, left), Jordyn Steffen, Cheyenne Murdie, Emily Veasman, and Katie Tappel.

## University scholarships • from page 13

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**KATIE TAPPEL** received the \$2,000 Farmer's Elevator/MFA Scholarship as presented by Carl Henderson last Friday during the assembly. She also received Henderson's \$300 Vienna Tax Service Book Scholarship (photo left). Jordyn Steffen (center photo) received the \$500 David Marc Segall Family Scholarship presented by Counselor Natalie Martin. Sarah Backues received the Argyle V.F.W. Post 8045 Scholarship presented by Larry Kampeter (photo right).

## Show Me Scholars • from page 3

ibly proud to be able to support these young ladies in their future endeavors and we owe it all to the amazing support of this wonderful community and our amazing Chamber Members who continuously support our cause.”

In the past three years we have had 33 VHS seniors graduate with the Show Me Scholar distinction and of those 33 Show Me Scholars, the VCOC has awarded 25 - \$500 scholarships for a total of \$12,500! That is a substantial amount of scholarships in three years for a small school.

In addition to what the VCOC is able to award locally, the MO Chamber awards \$1,000 scholarships yearly and since the VCOC is a member, one of our seniors have been awarded the \$1,000 Mo Chamber Show Me Scholar Scholarship

every year, for an additional \$3,000 being awarded. This year's MO Show Me Scholar \$1,000 Scholarship winner was Jordyn Steffen.

So thanks to the Show Me Scholar program VHS seniors have been awarded an additional \$15,500 in scholarships in the past 3 years.

The scholarships were possible due to the generous donations from within the community. Eagle Gold Donors of \$500 or more include The Maries County Bank employees, The Maries County Bank, and Loyal and Stephanie Henderson. Eagle Silver Donors of \$250-\$499 is Checo's Mexican Restaurant. Eagle Bronze Donors of \$100 to \$249 include Barnhart Dental, Brinktown Farmers Mutual Insurance Company, Dallas and Terry Snodgrass, Leo Kleffner, Jr.

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Each Show Me Scholar was gifted with a swag bag with donations by chamber members. Donations this year for the swag bags were received from The Maries County Bank, Sinks Pharmacy, Crump Law Office, MCSWCD, Maries County Advocate, Heartland Regional Library, The Color Bar Salon, and from the VCOC.

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## Congratulations, Class of 2019!



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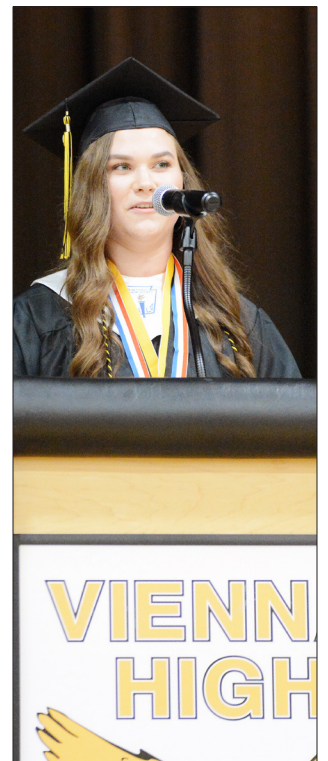
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**BHS CLASS** treasurer Mason Butler gets pick up by fellow officers, Heather Parrish, secretary, Natalie Koch vice president and Denni Horstman, class president,

## 2019 BHS class steps out

Look for Belle High School's motivated 2019 graduating class to go places, class student council says.

"I feel like everyone in our class has a goal, like everyone knows what they want to do and they are working towards that," said Heather Parrish, class secretary. "We don't have any people leaving here that have said 'we don't know what we are going to do with our lives.' People who are going to college have a plan."

Mason Butler, treasurer, said his classmates are not just motivated, they are competitive. Denni Horstman, class

president, agreed, adding that their group was also given options.

"Overall, our teachers, advisors, and councilors—everybody worked really, really hard to help us get where we want to be and give us those options," Horstman said. "There are a lot of different things that all the kids are doing, and we were given a lot of help and leadership to get us to where we are."

Parrish agreed their teachers and the school staff had a huge influence on the class.

"I definitely feel like we have all formed really strong relationships with

our teachers," Parrish said. "They are family now."

Horstman said everyone has a teacher they definitely connected with.

Natalie Koch, vice president, added that people are quick to judge the Belle school district.

"But in reality, they have prepared us pretty well," Koch said.

The group of four listed the many opportunities and clubs that are available to help students prepare for their lives and careers, such as Future Business Leaders

See **2019 BHS** on Page 25

## Belle Class of 2019 awarded community scholarships

### Maries County R-II Belle/Bland Booster Club Scholarship

Mason Butler - \$1000, Abigail Keeney - \$1000, Denni Horstman - \$500 and Brandi Thompson - \$500

### Belle Lions Club Memorial Scholarship In Memory of David R. Sassmann

Natalie Koch - \$500

### Bernetta J. Williams Scholarship for Academics and Citizenship

Clare Littrell - \$500

### Maries Co. R-II PTO Scholarship

Logan Miller - \$600

### The Ruth and Gene Ridenhour MD Scholarship (Linn State)

Ethan Loughridge - \$500

### The Ruth and Gene Ridenhour MD Scholarship II

Joleta Hiatt - \$500

### Kaeding-Winter Scholarship

See **Belle scholarships** page 20B



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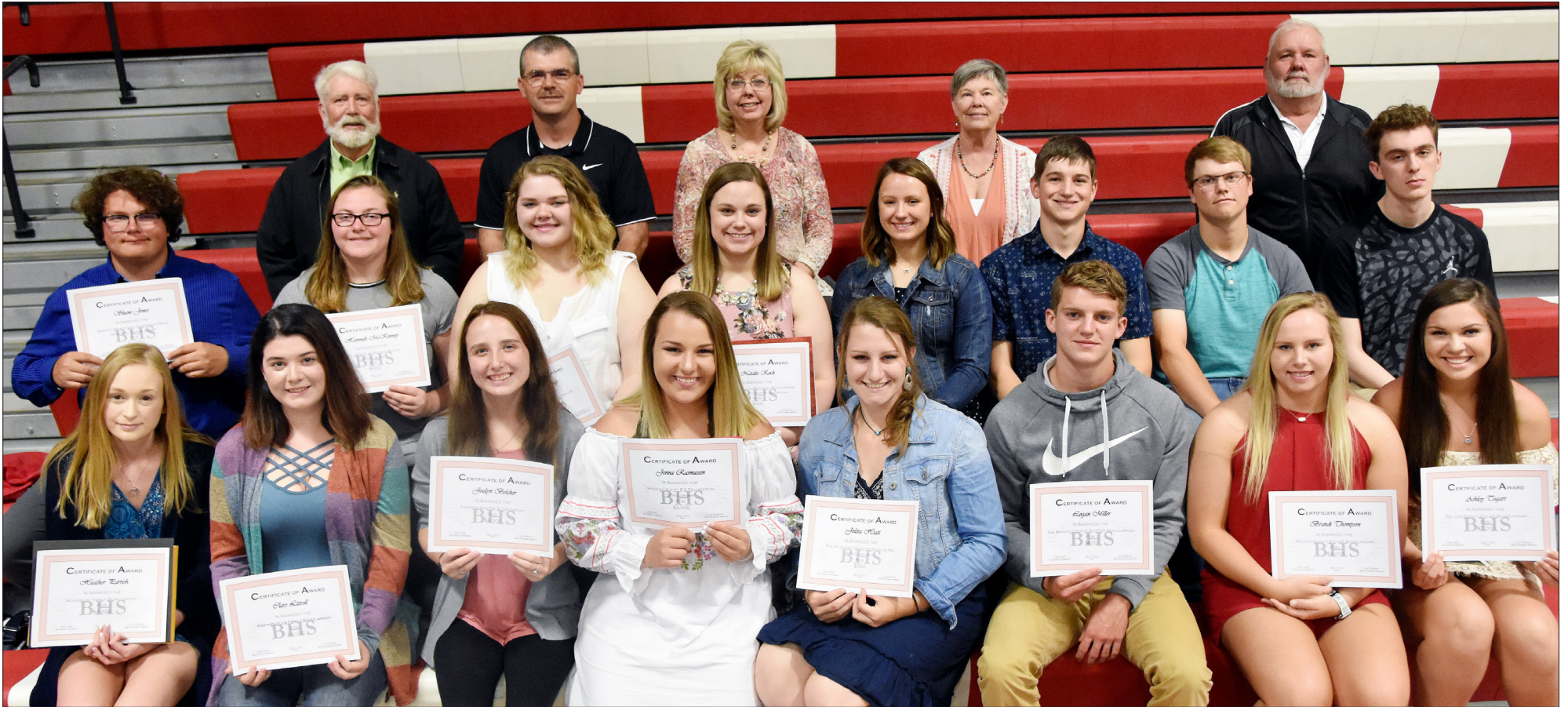
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**THE MARIES COUNTY R-II FOUNDATION** gave out 18 scholarships to 15 different students of the 2019 Belle graduating class equaling more than \$45,000. Natalie Koch was awarded the Belle Lions Club Memorial Scholarship in Memory of David R. Sassmann. Bernetta J. Williams Scholarship for Academics and Citizenship was awarded to Clare Littrell. The Beth and Gene Ridenhour MD Scholarship was awarded to Ethan Loughride and Joleta Hiatt. The Kaeding-Winter Scholarships were awarded to Jozlyn Belcher and Denni Horstman. The Theodore E. and Edna R. Leffler Scholarship was awarded to Denni Horstman, Brandi Thompson, Ashley Tegart and Logan Butler. Heather Parrish accepted the Schierloh Family Scholarship. The Party-Butler Family Scholarship was awarded to Mason Butler, Clare Littrell and Natalie Koch. The Alan D. and Yvone L. Skouby Scholarship was accepted by Isabel Gesellschaf. Hannah McKinney accepted the Mae, Grace and George Bacon Scholarship. The Maries County R-2 Foundation Scholarship was awarded to Jenna Rassmussen.

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## Belle scholarships • From page 18B

Jozlyn Belcher - \$4000 and Denni Horstman - \$2000

### Theodore E. and Edna R. Leffler Scholarship

Denni Horstman - \$3000, Brandi Thompson - \$2000, Ashley Tegart - \$2000 and Logan Butler - \$1000

### Schierloh Family Scholarship

Heather Parrish - \$3000

### Party-Butler Family Scholarship

Mason Butler - \$5000, Clare Littrell - \$3000 and Natalie Koch - \$2000

### The Alan D. and Yvonne L. Skouby Scholarship

Isabel Gesellschaft - \$500

### Mae, Grace, and George Bacon Scholarship

Hannah McKinney - \$500

### Maries County R-2 Foundation Scholarship

Jenna Rasmussen - \$2000

### Maries Co. Bank Scholarship

Natalie Koch - \$1000 renewable four years

### MFA Scholarship

Heather Parrish - \$2000

### Belle Livestock Committee Scholarship

Ethan Loughridge - \$250 and Joleta Hiatt - \$250

### CTA Scholarship

Ashley Tegart - \$750 and Jenna Rasmussen - \$750

### The Class of 1941 FBLA Scholarship

Shane Jones - \$700

### FBLA District 11 Scholarship

Shane Jones - \$500

### The FBLA Amanda Bradford Thompson Memorial Scholarship

Shane Jones - \$1000

### Maries Co. R-2 Archery Club Scholarship

Abigail Keeney - \$500 and Quinton Martin - \$250

### Shelter Insurance Scholarship

Abigail Keeney - \$2000

### Mid-America Bank Scholarship

Natalie Koch - \$1000

### VFW Post 3410 Scholarship

Halie Green - \$500

### Belle Fair Scholarship

Ethan Loughridge - \$500 and Ashley Tegart - \$500

### The Agricultural Experience Scholarship

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Joleta Hiatt - \$1000

### Belle High School NHS Scholarship

Ashley Tegart - \$500, Brandi Thompson - \$250 and Heather Parrish - \$250

### Hawkeye 4-H Scholarship

Ethan Loughridge - \$250

### Red Cross Scholarship

Natalie Koch - \$250

### Tri-County Youth Association

Ethan Loughridge - \$250 and Denni Horstman - \$250

### Continuing Athletic Scholarship

Levi Fortner - \$250

### The Last Chance Scholarship

Caitlyn Henley - \$300

### William Woods Awards

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**ASHLEYTEGART** (above) and Jenna Rasmussen (below) was awarded the CTA Scholarships.



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**LEVI FORTNER** (photo above) accepts the Continuing Athletic Scholarship. Logan Miller (photo top right) accepts the Maries R-II PTO scholarship. The Red Cross Scholarship was awarded to Natalie Koch (photo middle right) The VFW Post 3410 Scholarship was awarded to Halie Green (photo lower right). Ethan Lougridge accepted the Hawkeye 4-H Scholarship (photo right).



## Honor Students

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- Jozlyn Belcher
- Jacy Bock
- Logan Butler
- Mason Butler
- Baylie Cadwallader
- Isabel Gesellschap
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- Cameron Johnson
- Shane Jones
- Abigail Keeney
- Natalie Koch
- Clare Littrell
- Logan Miller
- Heather Parrish
- Jenna Rasmussen
- Ashley Tegar
- Chayse Thenhaus
- Brandi Thompson
- Trislynn Webster

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With hard work and dedication, you can achieve anything. Now that you've graduated, you'll be ready to soar to new heights, reaching your goals and ambitions.

*Special Congratulations to Daylee V. M. Walters, Hannah K. McKinney, Shane W. Jones, Jozlyn L. Belcher and Clare Allison Littrell*

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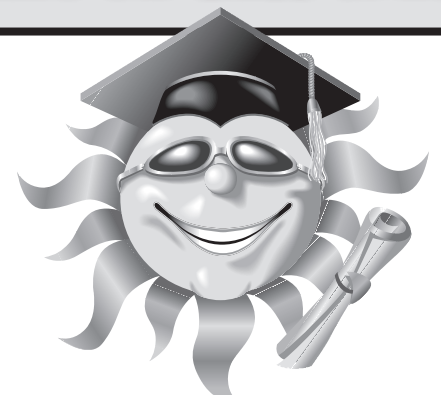
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**CAITLYN HENLEY** (photo far left) was awarded the Last chance Scholarship. The Belle Live stock Committee awarded scholarships to Joleta Hiatt (photo middle) and Ethan Loughridge (photo left)

## After graduation plans for the Belle 2019 class

**Following students will be attending State Technical College of Missouri in Linn, Mo.**

Bryant Anderson  
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Brett Butler  
Cameron Johnson  
Ethan Loughridge  
Casten Ness  
Abel Rehmert  
Alijah Sadler

Baylie Cadwallader  
Carson Gliser  
Caitlyn Henley  
Clare Littrell  
Logan Miller  
Ashley Tegart  
Daylee Walters

**Following students will be attending University of Mo. – Columbia**

Logan Butler  
Isabel Gesellschaft  
Heather Parrish

**Following students will be attending East Central College**

Luke Akins  
Jozlyn Belcher  
Jesse Bogle  
Mason Buddemeyer

**Following students will be attending Ozark Christian College**

Mason Butler

**Following students will be attending William Woods University**

Levi Fortner  
Abigail Keeney  
Lanken Kinstler

**Following student enlisted in the United States Army**

Carena Dittman  
Ethan Rutledge

**Following student will be attending Southeast Missouri State**

Hallie Green

Denni Horstman

**Following student will be attending Fort Scott Community College in Fort Scott, Kansas**

Joleta Hiatt

**Following student will be attending Rolla Technical Institute**

Quinton Martin

**Following students will be attending Missouri State University**

Shane Jones  
Hannah McKinney

**Following student will be attending Columbia College**

Natalie Koch

**Following student will be attending Webster University**

Lextoria Kottkamp

**Following student will be attending Missouri University of Science and Technology**

William Chayse Thenhaus

**Following student will be attending Missouri Southern State University**

Jacy Bock  
Jenna Rasmussen

**Following student will be attending Culver-Stockton University**

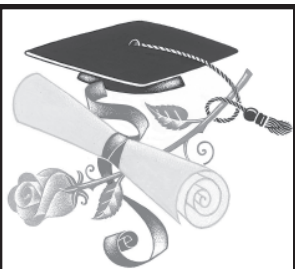
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**Following student enlisted in the United States Marine**

Suzanna Wade

**Following student will be attending Lincoln University**

Trislyn Webster



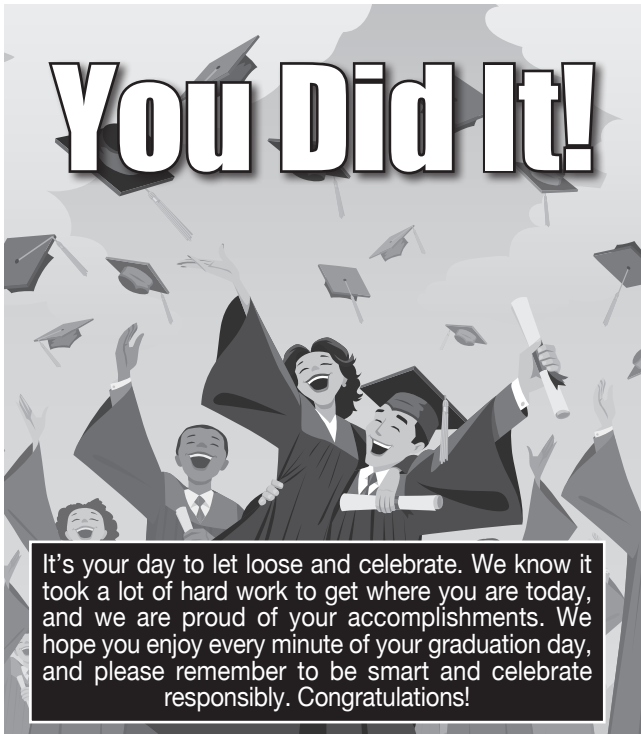
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## Proclamation

**WHEREAS:** The Belle High School will graduate 49 seniors at the school's annual commencement exercises Sunday, May 5, 2019.

**WHEREAS:** These 49 graduating seniors represent the future of this community, the state, and the nation; and

**WHEREAS:** Among these 49 graduating seniors of the Belle High School Class of 2019 will be tomorrow's civic and business leaders, political figures and educators, and will contribute unselfishly to the continued growth and well being of the Belle community, the state and the nation,

**THEREFORE,**

The City of Belle extends sincere congratulations to each and every one of the 49 members of the Class of '19, their parents and their teachers, and honors them for the success they have achieved and recognizes the potential for their future success.

The City of Belle, Missouri  
May 5, 2019

*Josh Seaver* MAYOR





**ABIGAIL KEENEY** (photo above left) accepted the Shelter Insurance Scholarship from Tonya Price. Chris Feeler (photo above) presented the Belle High School National Honor Society Scholarships to Ashley Tegart, Heather Parrish and Brandi Thompson. Natalie Koch (photo left) accepts the Maries County Bank Scholarship from Sara Stratman. Heather Parrish (photo bottom left) was awarded the MFA Scholarship. Vicki Nelson (photo middle left) awarded the Mid-America Bank scholarship to Natalie Koch.

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## CONGRATULATIONS

As you turn the page to the next chapter, the future is yours to write. Fill it with new experiences, good people and rewarding choices that help make the world a better place.

*Best wishes to all of the dedicated seniors who are celebrating their graduation today!*

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## 2019 BHS • from page 18

of America, Family, Career and Community Leaders of America, and Future Farmers of America.

“There are so many different things all the kids are in that are helping us excel in different areas in life,” Horstman said.

The group also pointed out that the class is widely varied on their future occupation choices.

“Some people want to be teachers, some are going into medical, there are alot going to Linn Tech,” Koch added.

Maybe it’s because of their differences that Parrish says everyone “gets along really good,” and they wouldn’t mind spending more time together.

“Our class song almost caused a riot,” Koch said about the list the council sent out, only to have their classmates reject them all.

“They all came together, and with teamwork, came up with “Five More Minutes” by Scotty McCreery,” Parrish said.

The “Class Song Riot of 2019” won’t be the only thing this class remembers about their years together though.

“Remember when Abel Rehmer cut his fingers with

scissors,” Koch said.

“When Julia Hiat ran face first into the wall and passed out and the ambulance had to come,” Parrish added.

“Or when I wrecked my tractor on my way to school on ‘drive your tractor to school day’ sophomore year and I was weeks away from getting my license,” Koch added.

Horstman remembered one day from seventh grade.

“We were playing kickball and Allan Wright ran into Jacy Bock while running the bases and they both had giant knots on their heads,” Horstman said.

“We have a lot of head injuries here,” Parrish laughed.

Koch said the class did have certain groups/cliques, “but that doesn’t stop us from all being friends and welcom-



**GEORGE WASHINGTON** Carver Awarded to the top ten percent of the graduating class was awarded to Denni Horstman, Abigail Keeney, Jozlyn Belcher, Heather Parrish and Jacy Bock.

ing everyone. Students have come and gone throughout the past 13 years, but we are really just one big family. A the end of the day, that is what I’m going to remember about the class of 2019.”

Butler said he will never forget that day in kinder-

garten.

“Austin Willson’s tongue got cut with scissors,” Butler said, then added the most that stands out about the 2018-19 school year now is, “It’s over. I’m glad it’s over.”

The year has been both long and short for every class

member, the group agreed, and now it’s bittersweet.

“I think they are realizing we may never see each other again,” Horstman said.

“It doesn’t seem like it should be our turn,” Parrish added.

After Sunday, the class of

2019 is officially history, but they took their best memories and will hold the class motto close to their hearts.

“Our lives are before us, our past is behind us, our memories are forever within us.”

## Congratulations, Class of 2019



Graduating in the top 6 from the Belle High School Class of 2019 are: (sitting from left): Denni Horstman, Abigail Keeney and Jozlyn Belcher; (standing from left) Heather Parrish, Ashley Tegart and Jacy Bock.

*Congratulations and may you succeed in your future endeavors.*

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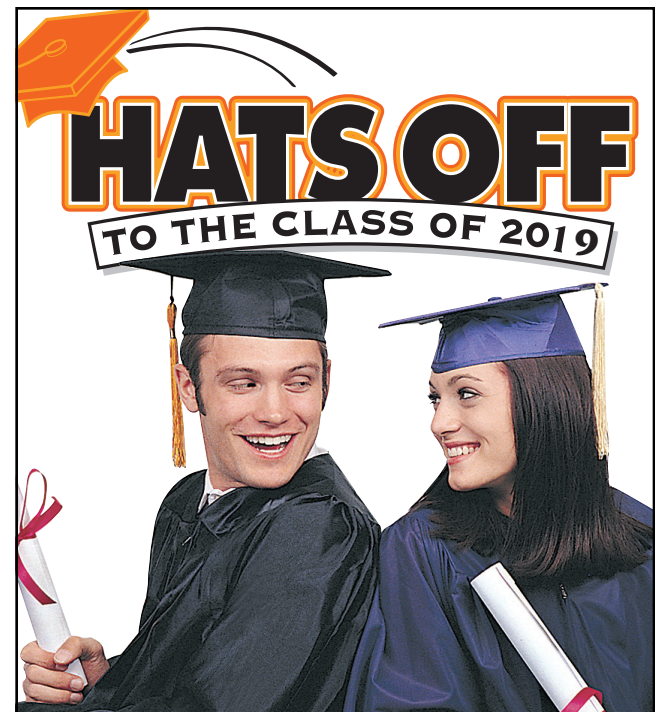
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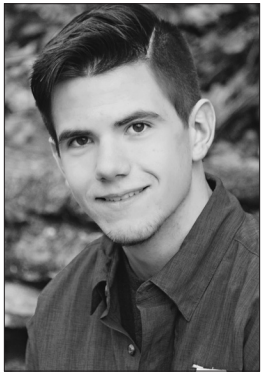


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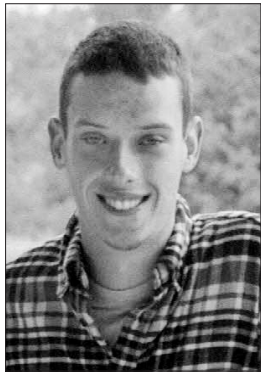
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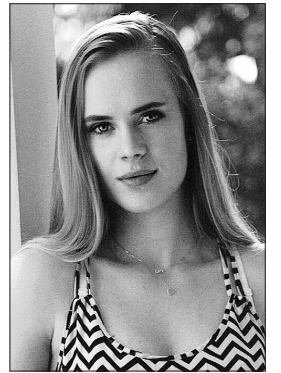
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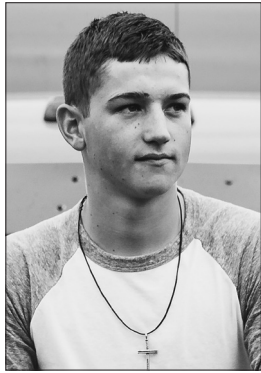
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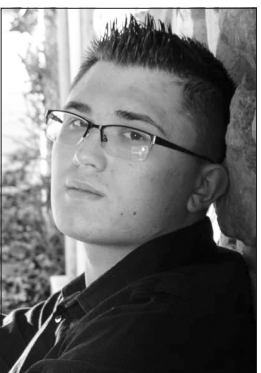
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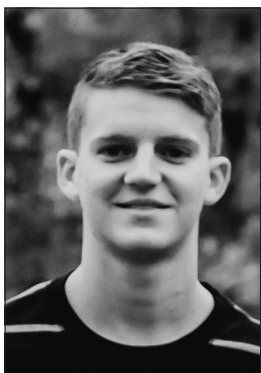
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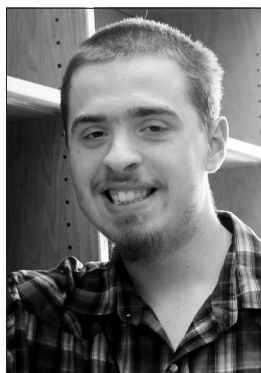
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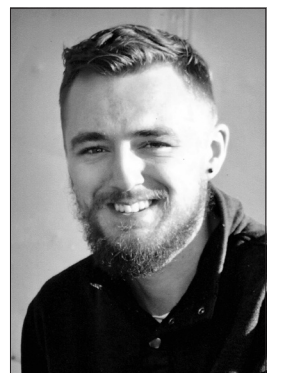
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## Way to Go!

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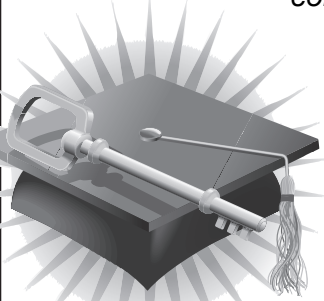
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Be proud of yourselves and continue to work hard knowing that dedication will lead to success. We wish you all the very best for today and in the future.



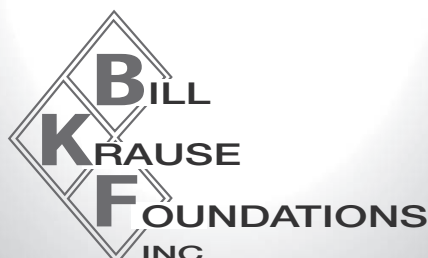
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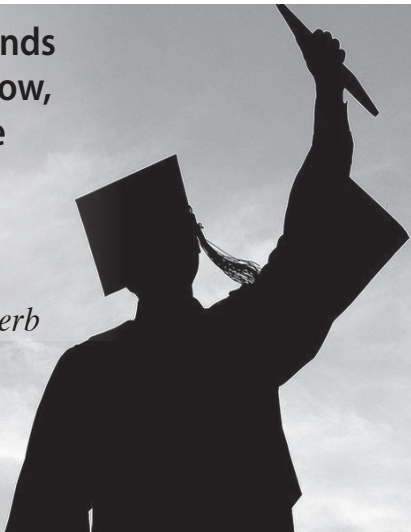


**THE BELLE/BLAND** Booster Club gave out four scholarships to Brandi Thompson (top left), Mason Butler (top right), Denni Horstman (above left) and Abigail Keeney (above right). Ethan Lougridge and Ahsley Tegart accepted scholarships from the Belle Fair. The Tri-County Youth Association awarded two scholarships to Ethan Lougridge and Denni Horstman (right).

## CONGRATULATIONS Class of 2019!

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Special Congrats to Denni Horstman and Mason Butler

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**WILLIAMWOODS** University came to the Belle award ceremony to announce university scholarships awarded to Belle graduates (above from left) Lanken Kinsler, Abby Keeney and Levi Fortner. Awards from the Maries R-II annual District Art Show where awarded to Lextoria Kottkamp, Heather Parrish and Alijah Sadlar.



## University scholarships

**DENNI HORSTMAN**  
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**MASON BUTLER**  
**Ozark Christian College**  
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 Ozark Alumni Scholarship-\$2,000/year

**LOGAN BUTLER**  
**University of Mo.- Columbia**  
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**JOLETA HIATT**  
**Fort Scott Community College**  
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**BRANDI THOMPSON**  
**Culver-Stockton**  
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 Access Missouri Award \$2,000

**JEANNA RASMUSSEN**  
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**HAILIE GREEN**  
**Southeast Missouri State University**  
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 Copper Dome Scholarship: \$500

See **University Scholarships** on Page 31

## Congratulations



## Class of 2019



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**GRADUATING AS** the top ten members of the 2019 Belle graduating class are; (back row from left) Mason Butler, Ashley Tagart, Brandi Thompson, Brandi Thompson, Baylie Cadwalader and Logan Miller; (front row from left) Denni Horstman, Abigail Keeney, Jozlyn Belcher, Heather Parrish and Jacy Bock.

## Flooray for Our Graduates!

Reach for the stars, Class of 2019. It's a brand new exciting century and anything is possible! We're proud of you, and we wish you all a bright and shining future with much happiness.

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Your years of hard work in the classroom have paid off, graduates. Now it's time to take what you've learned and put it to work in the real world. We know you'll go far and we wish you all the best!

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## Way to Go!

It's time to throw up your hats and celebrate. **Congratulations, Class of 2019!**

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*~ James 1:5a*

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**JOLETA HIATT** (photo top left) was awarded the Donald 'Eno' W. Zumwalt Memorial Agricultural Scholarship. The Maries Co. R-2 Archery Club awarded two scholarships to Quinton Martin (photo top right) and Abigail Keeney. Shane Jones (photo above left) was awarded the Class of 1941 FBLA Scholarship, FBLA Bradford Thompson Memorial Scholarship and the FBLA District 11 Scholarship. Caitlyn Henley (photo above right) accepted the Agricultural Experience Scholarship.

## University Scholarships

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Residence Life Leadership Award Scholarship: \$500

**DANIEL BOLTE**  
Linn State Technical College  
Fabick CAT Scholarship \$1000

**NATALIE KOCH**  
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1851 Collegiate Scholarship- \$560

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