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Bryer Jones
Son of Barry & Kim Jones, Midland

My name is Bryer Jones. I live in Midland and am a senior at Kadoka High School. I work on our family ranch during the summer. I'm a member of the Lutheran Church at Midland. During the school year I participate in football, basketball and rodeo. This fall I will be attending Mitchell Technical Institute. I will be majoring in Architectural Design and Building Construction.



Jordan Stout
Son of Jerry & Annie Stout, Kadoka

I have grown up and lived in the Jackson County area my entire life. I have three brothers; Landon, Colter and Clint, also I have one sister, Donelle Cobb, and a brother-in-law, Clint Cobb. My parents are Jerry and Annie Stout. We live

approximately ten miles west of Kadoka, and manage the Stout Charolais Ranch. We are calving right now, and during the summer we hay and plant crops. I have gone to Kadoka School District my whole life, from kindergarten to my senior year. There have been good times and bad ones, but the overall outcome has had a good and positive affect on me. I have played football and basketball all four years of my high school career, and also I have run track for five years as well.

My name is Whitney Stoesser. I am the daughter of Jim Stoesser and Deb Stoesser and I have three siblings: A.J. and his wife Amanda, Brenda, and Kayleen. I am a senior at Stanley County High School and I participate in vol-



Whitney Stoesser
Daughter of Jim & Deb Stoesser, Hayes

on my family farm. This fall I plan to attend the University of Sioux Falls and major in Business Administration/Marketing.



Taylor Michalek
Son of Thomas & Linda Michalek, Murdo

for professional sports team.

leyball, track, and softball. I am the President of the Letter Winner's Club, a member of the United Way Booster Fund Committee, and this year's Homecoming Queen. I enjoy hanging out with my friends and family, playing sports, and being

I am currently planning on attending Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell, South Dakota. My major will be Sports Management where I could interact with professional sports team, manage a small workout gym, or advertise



Britney Sinkey
Daughter of Dennis & Edna Sinkey, Midland

in Brookings, South Dakota and major in business. I enjoy playing a variety of sports and spending time with my friends and family.

I am the daughter of Dennis and Eddie Sinkey. I grew up in the Midland area where I attended school until the high school closed in 2006. I am currently attending Kadoka Area High School. After graduation I plan to attend SDSU



Tanner Ozanne
Son of Lee & Syndi Ozanne, Kennebec

who both attend SDSU. I have attended school in the Lyman School District since kindergarten. In my school years I have participated in football, basketball, track, and rodeo. During the summer I 4-H and Little Britches rodeo, as well as work for the American Creek Conservation District. I plan on attending South Dakota School of Mines and Technology next fall.



Erica Thompson
Daughter of Avery & Dixie Thompson, Reliance

May. I have been involved in Gymnastics, Cheerleading, FCCLA, Youth 2 Youth, Drama Club, Student Advisory, Key Club, Choir, Show Choir, Band, Fall Plays and Evening with the Arts throughout my high school career. After graduating I plan to attend DWU majoring in secondary education with a minor in history.

I live in Vivian with my Dad and Mom, Larry and Lezlie Moore, and younger brother Lane. During my high school years I have been very active in

My name is Tanner Gilman Ozanne. I was born in Pierre, South Dakota on December 27, 1988. I have lived my whole life in Kennebec, SD. My parents are Lee and Syndi Ozanne. I have two older sisters, Randi and Jordi,

My name is Erica Thompson and I live with my parents, Avery and Dixie in the Fort Hale district on the Lower Brule Reservation. I have two older brothers, Avery and Chris. I attend Chamberlain High School and will graduate in



Lex Moore
Son of Larry &
Lezlie Moore,
Vivian

and will be a member of the golf team. My major is undecided.

band, National Honor Society, football, basketball and golf. I enjoy spending time with my friends and watching or playing all sports. This fall, I plan to attend Dakota Wesleyan University in Mitchell, SD on an academic/athletic scholarship



Marla Kelly
Daughter of William & Lori Kelly,
Quinn

all through high school with rodeo, volleyball, wrestling, FFA, student council, and church. I am now looking forward to attending college.

My name is Marla Kelly and I am a senior at Philip High School. I am the daughter of Bill and Lori Kelly. We live on a ranch northwest of Philip. I have attended all four years of high school in Philip.

I have been active



Cody Schreiber
Son of Mike &
Jill Schreiber,
Oacoma

Jazz Band, Boys State, Band, National Honor Society, FCCLA, and C-Club. Cody's college plans are to attend USD in Vermillion to major in the medical field.

Cody Schreiber will graduate from Chamberlain High School with the class of 2008. His family includes parents, Mike and Jill, and sister, Shelby, all of Oacoma, South Dakota. Cody has been active in baseball, basketball, golf, football,

West Central Names Youth Tour Winners

Three area high school juniors will represent West Central Electric on the 2008 Rural Electric Youth Tour to Washington, DC. As this year's Youth Tour winners, Faith Begay from Lower Brule, Grace Schnabel from Quinn, and Ben Stout from Kadoka will travel with other South Dakota teens to Washington, DC on June 13 and return June 19.

Meet your 2008 Rural Electric Youth Tour Winners:



Faith Begay
Daughter of Robert Begay & Julie Brinckmeyer,
Lower Brule

My name is Faith Begay and I am a junior at Lyman High School in Presho, SD. My parents are Robert Begay and Julie Brinckmeyer. I live in Lower Brule and am an enrolled member of the Lower Brule Sioux Tribe.

I have attended Lyman since 4th grade and enjoy it very much. I enjoy participating in volleyball, basketball, golf, band, student council, and National Honors Society.

I consider myself fortunate to be selected to participate in the South Dakota Rural Electric Youth Tour 2008 sponsored by West Central Electric Cooperative, Inc. I have always been intrigued with Washington, DC and had hoped some day I would be able to visit our nation's capital. This is a dream of a lifetime and I am so grateful and excited for this opportunity.

My name is Grace Schnabel. I am a junior at Philip High School. My parents are Doug and Nancy Thorson. I have a 14 year old brother, Cassidy, and a three year old sister, Hannah.

I live on a ranch in rural Haakon County. I am active in volleyball, FFA, FCCLA, and my church youth group. I enjoy hanging out with my friends, reading books, and shopping.

After high school I plan to attend college, and I am thinking about pursuing a degree in accounting.

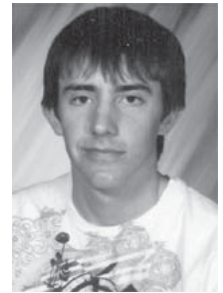
My name is Ben Stout. I am a sixteen year old junior at Kadoka Area High School. My family and I live on a farm south of Kadoka, and I have attended Kadoka School my whole life.

Some of the activities I have participated in include basketball, golf, FFA, band, chorus, and LYO (Lutheran Youth Organization). In my spare time I like to play baseball and play the guitar.

I am looking forward to going on the Washington DC Youth Tour, and I appreciate being selected.



Grace Schnabel
Daughter of Doug & Nancy Thorson,
Quinn



Ben Stout
Son of Thad & Penny Stout,
Kadoka