

## NORTH IOWA BAND FESTIVAL ROYALTY 2017

### CENTRAL SPRINGS HIGH SCHOOL BAND



#### **Bridget Badker**

**Parents:** John & Kim Badker

**Music:** Band, choir, musicals (including Grease, Alice in Wonderland, and Shrek), Director's Choice Outstanding Senior Award for choir

**Beyond Music:** Softball, volleyball, basketball, track, cheerleading, speech, church youth group, Humane Society volunteer

**Future Plans:** Play softball and participate in choir at NIACC and then transfer to the University of Northern Iowa to major in elementary education and special education



#### **Jacob Shafer**

**Parents:** Bill & Barb Shafer

**Music:** Jazz Band

**Beyond Music:** Football, wrestling, track, rugby, baseball, trap shooting, National Honor Society, student council, leadership committee, T.A.G, 2<sup>nd</sup> All-State Linebacker, Shrine Bowl

**Future Plans:** Attend the University of Iowa to study English and play rugby

## CLEAR LAKE HIGH SCHOOL BAND



**Kiersten Baalson**

**Parents:** Brad & Gayle Baalson

**Music:** Band, jazz band, choir, chamber singers

**Beyond Music:** Volleyball, basketball, tennis, softball, Model UN, National Honor Society, Academic Excellence

**Future Plans:** Attend Luther College in the Fall



**Noah Copney**

**Parents:** Robyn Copney

**Music:** Jazz band, band letter winner, 2<sup>nd</sup> Alternate for All-State Auditions

**Beyond Music:** Robotics club, chess club, cross country, tennis

**Future Plans:** Attend NIACC for two years before transferring to Iowa State to get a Master's degree in Mechanical Engineering.

## FOREST CITY HIGH SCHOOL BAND



**Genna Bertram**

**Parents:** Lisa & Charlie Vanoverbeke

**Music:** Band, choir, show choir, musical

**Beyond Music:** Speech, student council, interact group, "Outstanding Junior Award"

**Future Plans:** Attend Waldorf University and participate in band



**Austin Yeager**

**Parents:** Brad Yeager & Denise Hagen

**Music:** Band

**Beyond Music:** Speech

**Future Plans:** Attend University of Northern Iowa and study Biology

## GARNER-HAYFIELD/VENTURA HIGH SCHOOL BAND



### **Kat Groom**

**Parents:** Mitzi McCann & Shaun Groom

**Music:** Jazz band, concert band, pep band, marching band, Jazz outstanding solo award, Louis Armstrong Jazz award

**Beyond Music:** Volleyball manager, golf, boys' track manager

**Future Plans:** Attend NIACC to obtain an AA in chemistry while playing in the NIACC jazz and concert bands. After NIACC, attend the University of Iowa to obtain a Bachelor's Degree in chemistry while playing in the jazz and concert bands. After Iowa, attend a two-year music college for an undecided major.



### **Derek Brown**

**Parents:** Paul & Stacy Brown

**Music:** Jazz band, band

**Beyond Music:** Track and field, cross country, wrestling, Interact group, Keeping it Real group, National Honor Society, teen Council, student Council, Clear Lake Bank Jr. Board, farm work, Uganda well fundraiser, Homecoming King, community service, Honor Roll

**Future Plans:** Attend University of Iowa to study Business

## LAKE MILLS HIGH SCHOOL BAND



### **Rylee Bowman**

**Parents:** Richard & Rachel Bowman

**Music:** Concert band, field marching, street marching, percussion captain, drumline, winter guard, percussion/mallets ensemble, Karl King Honor Band, NCIBA Honor Band, North Iowa Honor Choir, chorus

**Beyond Music:** Student council, Student Body President, National Honor Society, speech/drama, volleyball, basketball, softball, track, honor roll, Sunday School, Toys for Tots volunteer, hospital volunteer, mentor at Elementary Book Club, 4-H Club President, 4-H National Congress Delegate, State Fair volunteer

**Future Plans:** Attend Iowa State University and enroll in the College of Human Sciences with an interest in Political Science and International Relations.



## MASON CITY HIGH SCHOOL BAND



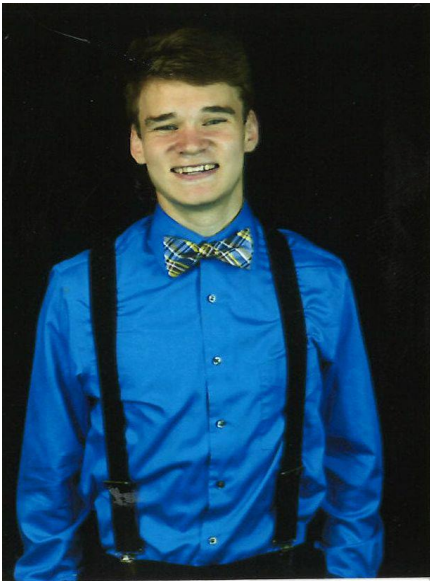
### **Anna Godfrey**

**Parents:** Robin Meyer, Michael Godfrey

**Music:** Band, pep band, jazz band, choir, chorale, summer musicals, Choral Excellence Award

**Beyond Music:** Art club, National Honor Society, Stebens Children's Theatre, speech, drama, soccer, swimming, cross country, MacNider Art Museum and Music Man Square volunteer, Student of the Month in Art, 4 All State Speech Awards, Outstanding Backstage Actress

**Future Plans:** Attend the School of the Art Institute of Chicago for a BFA in Studio Art, focusing on incorporating film, music, and art into the act of storytelling



### **Danny Daugherty**

**Parents:** Nick & Sue Daugherty

**Music:** Jazz band, symphonic band, concert choir, chamber choir, madrigal choir, band president, choir vice president, NCIBA honor bands, Opus Honor Choir, All State Choir, Student of the Month for both instrumental music and vocal music

**Beyond Music:** Worship Intern at Grace Evangelical Free Church, camp counselor and chapel coordinator at Hidden Acres Christian Camp

**Future Plans:** Attend Moody Bible Institute to pursue a BA in Biblical Studies with Music Emphasis, then serving in Worship or Youth Ministry at a church after completing college

**NEWMAN CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL BAND**



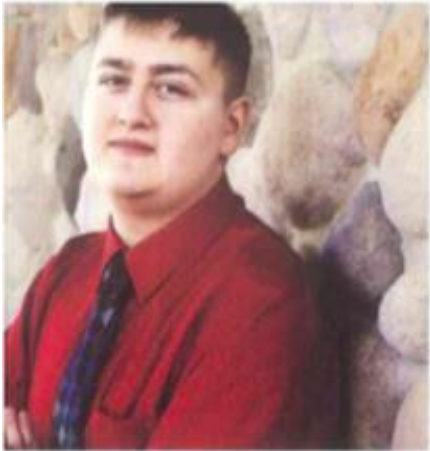
**Jillian Dunn**

**Parents:** Tom & Rita Dunn

**Music:** Concert band, jazz band

**Beyond Music:** Volleyball, Academic All State volleyball, basketball, Academic All State basketball, softball, First Team All Conference softball, First Team All District Softball, Third Team All State Softball, track, football Stats, Student Body President, student council, National Honor Society, Wendy's High School Heisman School Winner, Noon Rotary Student of the Month, high school mentor, high school tutoring leader

**Future Plans:** Attend Iowa State University to major in Engineering



**Drew Prestholt**

**Parents:** Dawn & Derek Prestholt

**Music:** Marching band, concert band, IBA conference band, concert choir, Knightsingers Chamber Choir, NIACC Honor Choir, Dorian Music Festival, musical

**Beyond Music:** Drew is a three-time open heart surgery survivor. He was born with congenital heart defects and has beaten all the odds.

**Future Plans:** Attend NIACC in the Fall

## NORTHWOOD-KENSETT HIGH SCHOOL BAND



**Tegan Cotter**

**Parents:** Marty & Jolene Cotter

**Music:** Band, Deer Creek Valley Lutheran Church Instrumental Group

**Beyond Music:** Volleyball, basketball, track, drama, speech, math club, student council, FFA, National Honor Society, 4-H, Honor Roll, Know Your Constitution Finalist, 2<sup>nd</sup> Team All Top of Iowa East Conference volleyball, Volleyball Defensive MVP, Basketball Newcomer Award, FFA Star Greenhand Award, 4-H Freshman Girl of the Year

**Future Plans:** Attend Iowa State University for Business



**Brett Bachtle**

**Parents:** Troy & Dawn Bachtle

**Music:** Band, choir, church choir

**Beyond Music:** Drama, speech, class president, National Honor Society, golf, math club, Viking Crew, quizbowl, Youth Tobacco Coalition, Honor Roll, Student of the Month

**Future Plans:** Attend Iowa Central Community College to major in Broadcasting



## RUDD-ROCKFORD-MARBLE ROCK HIGH SCHOOL BAND



**Nicole Kiefer**

**Parents:** Dana & Earl Kiefer

**Music:** Concert band, pep band, marching band, choir, Top of Iowa Honor Choir

**Beyond Music:** National Honor Society, yearbook photographer, Toys for Tots Volunteer, summer reading program volunteer, Bible School volunteer, Sunday school teacher, church youth group, church activities, community volunteer

**Future Plans:** Attend Luther College and major in Religion with a minor in Education



**Austin Duryee**

**Parents:** Troy & Becky Duryee

**Music:** Band, pep band, mixed chorus, Meistersinger Honor Choir

**Beyond Music:** Wrestling, cross country, FFA, FFA-Iowa degree, county fair, Toys for Tots, state conventions and national conventions

**Future Plans:** Attend NIACC to earn an AA in Agribusiness

## ST. ANSGAR HIGH SCHOOL BAND



**Elizabeth Esdohr**

**Parents:** Michael and Brenda Esdohr & Sue Shires

**Music:** Band

**Beyond Music:** Cross country, cheerleading, dance, track, Special Olympics medalist

**Future Plans:** Attend Iowa Lakes Community College to major in administrative work



**Dominic Steele**

**Parents:** Adam & Darcy Steele

**Music:** Marching band, jazz band, choir

**Beyond Music:** Theater, robotics, Big Brother/Sister program, Battle of the Books

**Future Plans:** Attend University of North Iowa to major in Education

## WEST FORK HIGH SCHOOL BAND



**Casey Fraser**

**Parents:** John & Michelle Fraser

**Music:** Band

**Beyond Music:** 4-H, Girl Scouts, church group

**Future Plans:** Attend Waldorf University with plans to major in Psychology



**Devin Ridgeway**

**Parents:** Darin & Mary Ann Ridgeway

**Music:** Band, Jazz band, concert band, NCIBA Honor band, marching band, show choir, chamber choir, concert choir, musicals, Dorian Vocal Festival, Meistersinger, Real Men Sing, UNI Vocal Festival, Top of Iowa Honor Choir

**Beyond Music:** Speech, plays, Lion's Club volunteer

**Future Plans:** Move to California to pursue acting