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*Tara Hestermann*—from Sterling, Nebraska.

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*Elizabeth Loseke*—from Columbus, Nebraska.

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*Kinsey Hoogenboom*—from Terra Haute, Indiana.
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Colleagues and Friends:

On behalf of the Department of Animal Science, we extend a hearty “thank you” to alumni, scholarship donors and friends attending this event. We are delighted that you have joined us for this celebration.

In addition to those scholarship and award winners recognized tonight, many of our students have been fortunate in receiving other scholarships and accolades throughout the year. Your generosity and the diversity of scholarships awarded matches the diversity of our Animal Science students and their specialized interests. Congratulations to all our students who have received recognition for their academics and/or extracurricular activities!

Special thanks go to our alumni and friends in the livestock, poultry and companion animal industries who sponsor Animal Science scholarships. Animal Science awards and scholarships total over $70,000. As the cost of obtaining a college education increases, funding for Animal Science scholarships and support for our judging teams become even more important. We pay special tribute to the Nebraska Cattlemen and the tremendous commitment they have made to provide continued support for our Livestock and Meats Judging Teams and for scholarships. Additional financial assistance can always be put to good use by the Department. Please contact us if you or your friends would be interested in donating to a specific scholarship, establishing a new scholarship, or supporting our student teams and facilities needs. Special thanks goes to Merlyn Nielsen and his leadership team in organizing this alumni event and for his oversight of our scholarship program.

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The purpose of the Ambassador program is to recruit new students, generate an awareness about careers in the animal sciences, and to promote the Department.

The Animal Science Ambassadors will strive to promote Animal Science through work as Ambassadors, involvement in activities, dedication in the classroom and willingness to help others. As such, the Ambassadors will show strong character through our activities in representing the Animal Science Department.

14-15 Ambassadors:

2nd year:

Maci Lienemann—from Princeton, Nebraska.
Levi McPhillips—from Columbus, Nebraska.

1st year:

Curtis Wetovich—from Fullerton, Nebraska.
Ashley Buescher—from Lawrence, Nebraska.

FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIPS

FEEDLOT MANAGEMENT SCHOLARSHIP
Funded by the Klopfenstein Student Excellence Endowment.

Dalton Mohlfield—from Wisner, Nebraska.

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David Schuler—from Bridgeport, Nebraska.

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Kory Wagner—from Winnetoon, Nebraska.
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Liza Christensen—from Lincoln, Nebraska.
Dalton Obernier—from York, Nebraska.
Nicolas Herrera—from Cologne, Minnesota.
David Schuler—from Bridgeport, Nebraska.
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Spencer Noble— from Albion, Nebraska.

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Amanda Lambrecht— from Kennard, Nebraska.

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RICHARD & JOYCE FRAHM SCHOLARSHIP
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Elizabeth Cast— from Beaver Crossing, Nebraska.

Kimberly Johnson— from Hampton, Nebraska.

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Kellie Sholes— from Ainsworth, Nebraska.

Cody Welsch— from Fairbury, Nebraska.

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Brittany Martin— from Marquette, Nebraska.

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*Elizabeth Carreiro— from Rapid City, South Dakota.

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Elli Dearmont— from Hickman, Nebraska.

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Brandon Freeman— from Pierre, Nebraska.

Alissa Martindale— from Gretna, Nebraska.

Sara Peterson— from Tallahassee, Florida.

Raina Ripp— from Kearney, Nebraska.

Eleanor Wagner— from Petersburg, Nebraska.

*Top students in respective class.
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Daniel Chia—from Singapore.
Bernard Eilerts—from West Point, Nebraska.
Michele Gibbens— from Elwood, Nebraska.
Melissa Laughlin—from Omaha, Nebraska.
Kelly Schnoor— from Scribner, Nebraska.
*Lauren Welch— from Papillion, Nebraska.

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Laura Gorecki— from Farwell, Nebraska.
Darian Hansen— from Fremont, Nebraska.
Maci Lienemann— from Princeton, Nebraska.
Kara Ostrand— from Mason City, Nebraska.
Braden C. Troyer— from Millford, Nebraska.
*Curtis Wotovich— from Fullerton, Nebraska.

*Top students in respective class.

UPPERCLASS SCHOLARSHIPS

NEBRASKA CATTLEMEN FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

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Laura Gorecki— from Farwell, Nebraska.
Tyler Haun— from Spencer, Nebraska.
Hannah Kesterson— from Alliance, Nebraska.
Valerie Kesterson— from Bridgeport, Nebraska.
Maci Lienemann— from Princeton, Nebraska.
William Miller— from Culbertson, Nebraska.
Cory Peters— from Hickman, Nebraska.
Grant Potadlo— from Herman, Nebraska.
Rainen Ripp— from Kearney, Nebraska.
Eleanor Wagner— from Petersburg, Nebraska.
Curtis Wotovich— from Fullerton, Nebraska.
Morgan Zumpfe— from Friend, Nebraska.

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Hannah Arington— from Elkhorn, Nebraska.
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Established by Dee Boeckenhauer of Wakefield, in memory of her husband, Maurice.

Cole Geiser—from Merna, Nebraska.

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Cory Peters—from Hickman, Nebraska.

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Trevor DeVries—from Fairfield, Nebraska.

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Joseph Bennier—from Unadilla, Nebraska.

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Established in 1947 by Tom and Martha Wake of Seward, Nebraska, and continued by their son, Tim.

Melissa Laughlin—from Omaha, Nebraska.

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Lauren Welch—from Papillion, Nebraska.
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Alice Rockwell established this scholarship in memory of her husband, Walter.

Kyra Baldwin—from Mitchell, Nebraska.

Mackenzie Schneckloth—from Schuyler, Nebraska.

Ericka Spangler—from Murray, Nebraska.

Ashley Spilane—from Elba, Nebraska.

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Established by Ora Mae Stark, North Platte, Nebraska.

Kerrie Large—from Hayes Center, Nebraska.

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FEEDLOT MANAGEMENT SCHOLARSHIP
Funded by the Klopfenstein Student Excellence Endowment.

Austin Schroeder—from Kanesaw, Nebraska.

Darren Wright—from Bradshaw, Nebraska.

DON AND RAY GARD SCHOLARSHIP
Established by brothers Don and Ray Gard, both graduates of Animal Science.

Kelly Schmoor—from Scribner, Nebraska.

ROBERT H. HATCH SCHOLARSHIP
Established by Toni Stroup Hatch in memory of her husband, Robert.

Levi Schroer—from Nelco, Nebraska.

HARRY J. LATOUSH SCHOLARSHIP
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Established by the late William Goldner, an M.S. alum of Animal Science.

Alex Heino— from Yankton, South Dakota.
Maci Lienemann— from Princeton, Nebraska.
Cameron Menard— from Bennington, Nebraska.
Morgan Muhlbauch— from Ravenna, Nebraska.
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Kelly Saathoff— from Napanee, Nebraska.
Laura Gorecki— from Farwell, Nebraska.

WILLIAM J. & HAZEL J. LOEFFEL SCHOLARSHIP
Established in 1948 by Prof. and Mrs. Loefel of Lincoln and continued by their sons, Frank and the late William.

Elizabeth Carreiro— from Rapid City, South Dakota.
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Kara Ostrand— from Mason City, Nebraska.

OXBOW ANIMAL HEALTH COMPANION ANIMAL SCHOLARSHIP
Funded by a donation from Oxbow Animal Health, Murdock, Nebraska.

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