



4-H NEWS FLASH

Submitted by Deanna Rogers, 4-H Program Representative

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2012 GLENN COUNTY 4-H SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED

Five outstanding Glenn County 4-H graduating seniors were selected April 4, 2012, to receive a total of \$2,600 in scholarships, reports Glenn County 4-H Program Representative Deanna Rogers. Those receiving scholarships are Jeffery Flanagan, Karlene Shippelhoute, Courtney Thomson, Rebecca Pendergrass and Dominic Matteucci.

Jeffery Flanagan, of the Willows 4-H Club, is the recipient of a \$750 scholarship. He has been in 4-H for 7 years and is a senior at Willows High School. He plans to attend Butte Community College. He is interested in the medical field, becoming a nurse and volunteering in a third-world country. Jeffery obtained the highest 4-H rank available at the county level, that of an All Star, and has earned his Platinum Star. His projects include sheep, foods & nutrition, archery and cake decorating. He has also been a junior/teen leader for the foods & nutrition and sheep projects. He has served as President, Vice President and Treasurer for his club. Jeffery is the son of Angela Flanagan of Willows.

Karlene Shippelhoute of the Plaza 4-H Club is the recipient of a \$750 scholarship. She has been a 4-H member for 12 years and is a senior at Hamilton High School. She plans to attend University of California, Berkeley, in the fall. She plans to pursue a career in anthropology. Karlene has earned her Platinum Star. She has been a club officer twice and a junior leader. Karlene initiated a project in her club to work with Primary members during the meeting. She has been involved in the dried flower arrangement, sewing and goat projects. Additionally, she earned the honor of winning the 2011 National 4-H Photography Calendar Contest. Her picture of a peach blossom was selected

as the calendar's April picture. She was Jr. Leader for the goat project. Karlene is the daughter of Doyle & Nora Shippehouse of Glenn.

Courtney Thomson of the Capay 4-H Club is the recipient of a \$500.00 scholarship. She has been a 4-H member for twelve years and is a senior at Corning High School. Courtney plans to attend California State University at Chico in the fall. She plans to become a pediatric dental hygienist. Courtney has earned her Gold Star. She has been involved in the beef, archery, swine and Teen Council projects. Courtney has been a Jr./Teen Leader for the beef and Teen Council projects. She has also held positions of Vice President, Treasurer and Reporter for her club and has been a camp counselor for two years. She is the daughter of Robert and Laura Thomson of Orland.

Rebecca Pendergrass of the Schaffert 4-H Club is the recipient of a \$300.00 scholarship. She has been a 4-H member for thirteen years and is a senior at Orland High School. Rebecca plans to attend San Francisco State University to major in business administration and go on to own a business with an emphasis on career development or advertising. Rebecca has held offices in her club including President, Vice President, Treasurer and Secretary. She has been involved in the arts & crafts, cooking, cake decorating, photography and archery projects. Additionally, she has been a camp counselor for three years and this year was selected as one of the Youth Directors. Rebecca is the daughter of Jack and Carolyn Pendergrass of Orland.

Dominic Matteucci of the Schaffert 4-H Club is the recipient of a \$300.00 scholarship. He has been a 4-H member for ten years and is a senior at Orland High School. He plans to attend Shasta College and pursue a career in agriculture and attend school for auctioneering. Dominic has obtained a Gold Star. He has been involved in the sheep, goats and cake decorating projects. Dominic has been the Jr. Leader in the goat project. He has also been a camp counselor for three years and this year was selected as a Youth Director. He is the son of Anthony and Melinda Matteucci of Orland.

Thank you to our judging panel, Betsy Karle, Sara vanTol and Staci Buttermore.

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