

CLASS OF
2024
Graduation
CONGRATULATIONS



Autumn Yellow Horse

Autumn is a graduate of Crawford High School. She plans on attending Portland State University to major in Exploratory Pathways of Design, Creativity, and Performance. Her dream is to become an artist.

Wyatt Brady

Wyatt is a graduate of Crawford High School. He plans on attending Southeast Community College to become an Automotive Technician. His goal is to complete his certification in auto mechanics and then work at a car dealership.



Ashlyn Hack

Ashlyn is a graduate of Alliance High School. After graduation, she plans on attending WNCC to obtain her Associate's degree. Ashlyn will then transfer to CSC to work on her Bachelor's and Master's degree. She plans on studying Psychology and becoming a school counselor.



THE BIG EVENT—SATURDAY, APRIL 13TH

Ten Upward Bound students and one UB alumna participated in the annual Big Event at Chadron State College on April 13th. Students had the opportunity to give back to their community through trash pickup and alley-way clean-up. The students worked hard and did a great job!



UB STUDENTS VISIT MID PLAINS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AND NCTA—APRIL 8TH—10TH



Ten students and two staff members ventured East on April 8th to North Platte, NE. Students had the opportunity to tour both campus at Mid-Plains Community College in North Platte on April 9th where they got insight on many hands-on degrees such as Construction, Nursing, EMT,

Electrician, and many more. The next day was spent touring the NE College of Technical Agriculture in Curtis, NE. This college presented some engaging activities such as Ag Olympics and majors in Agriculture and Veterinary Technology.



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Cici Hudson

Cici Hudson is a graduate of Alliance High School. After graduation she plans on continuing her education and softball career at Doane University. Cici is considering majoring in either Athletic Training or Physical Education.

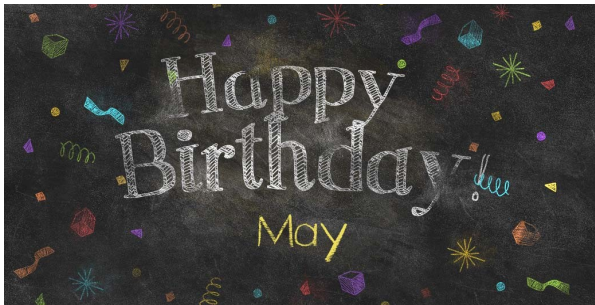
Holliann McMann

Holliann McMann is a Chadron High School graduate. Her plans are to attend Chadron State College where she would like to major in Pre-Vet Medicine. Holliann dreams of becoming a vet tech and working a vet clinic after college.



Alex Williams Hardy

Alex Williams Hardy is a graduate of Chadron High School. Alex is a Pell Grant recipient and plans on attending WNCN in the fall where he will study Information Technology and Computer Science. Alex envisions himself working on business technological systems in the future.



5/1—Piper Scherbarth

5/13—Eladio Campos

5/19—Hailey Rodman

5/23—Jocelyn Vergil

5/26—Tatiana Abdelgabar

Makiah Craig — May Student of the Month

Hometown: Lincoln, Nebraska **Grade:** 10th

What is your favorite class? Why? “My favorite class this year was Geometry with Mrs. Golembiewski. This was my favorite class because Mrs. G is my favorite teacher, and she provided a fun learning environment.”

What is a goal that you want to accomplish this year? “I want to get my CNA certification this year.”

What are your favorite hobbies? “My favorite hobby is riding dirt bikes with my cousin.”

Who is your biggest peer supporter? “My biggest peer supporter is probably my closest friend, Kilee.”

What is your favorite part of UB? “My favorite part about UB is the summer trip and the activities we have after dinner.”

Where do you want to attend college? “I want to go to college at UNL in Lincoln.”

What would you study while attending college? And why? “I want to study to become an ultrasound tech, it's my dream job because it's just a little bit of college and makes lots of money.”

What advice would you give to your peers or others? “I would advise others to do stuff that they enjoy instead of what others think you should do.”

Teacher Quote: “I had the pleasure of getting to know Makiah during her time in my class as an algebra student. Makiah has a keen mathematical ability and she worked hard to improve her skills while in my class. I was impressed with her work ethic and the way she was able to link ideas together. I am excited to see what Makiah does with her life!”- Mrs. Golembiewski, CHS Math



TIP OF THE HAT

Each month we will tip our hat to ONE student at each individual school for something admirable they have done. This month's Tip of the Hats go to.....



Crawford High—Gabe Frazee

Gabe has been actively participating in all Upward Bound events—including the college visits and Quarterly Meetings. He participated in the District Music Contest with a solo and in a band—receiving 1's (the highest score) for both. On top of that he is currently in the All-School Play! Way to go Gabe!

Chadron High—Alex Williams Hardy

Alex received a 1 (Superior Performance) on Tenor Sax at District Music. Mr. Rischling (Alex's band teacher since 6th grade) has witnessed Alex's talents playing a variety of instruments, stating “It wasn't an easy solo and Alex scored a 1. He has been practicing a brief time compared to most and I was impressed by the outcome of his rating and proud of him and his achievement!” Nice job Alex!

Alliance High—Ashlyn Hack

Ashlyn has been consistently writing articles for the AHS—THE SPUD all year long. Some articles include highlights and activities at AHS, while others feature Upward Bound events. The pieces she has contributed have been entertaining and packed full of information and overall good reads! Thank you A Hack for your amazing work!