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Brown Awarded Mary Cripps Special Education Scholarship

BISMARCK, N.D. – Madison Brown, of Bismarck, has been awarded the Mary Cripps Special Education Scholarship from the North Dakota United Foundation for the 2015-16 year. Brown, the daughter of Tamara Brown Volk, Bismarck, will receive a cash award of \$750 for her sophomore year of Speech Language Pathology study. The Mary Cripps Special Education Scholarship is awarded annually to either an undergraduate or graduate student pursuing initial or advanced training in special education.

Brown is majoring in Speech Language Pathology at the University of Mary. In addition to her studies, she is a University of Mary Marauders cheerleader and a member of the Emerging Leadership Academy. She works as a lifeguard, teaches swimming lessons at the BSC Aquatic Center, is an assistant cheer coach at Century High School and is a Patient Service Coordinator at Sanford Walk-In Clinic.

North Dakota United is the state's largest professional association of public educators and employers. Membership includes over 11,000 K-12 school teachers and support staff, higher education faculty and staff, city, county and state employees, retirees and students pursuing a degree in education. The purpose of the NDU Foundation is to promote educational excellence and quality public service in North Dakota. The Foundation's goal is to aid educators, public servants and students in achieving greater educational success. The Foundation accomplishes this by providing grants and scholarships to individual educators, public servants and college students, to use toward continuing education and developing skills.

North Dakota United is the largest professional organization of public employees in the state, representing over 10,000 public school teachers, school staff, university faculty and staff, and city, county and state workers. Our association represents our members in the state Capitol, the Legislature, in worksites and in our communities, promoting the great public education and great public services we provide to the state of North Dakota.

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