

## Red River Valley & Western Railroad Awards Scholarship

The Red River Valley & Western Railroad Company will award four scholarships to college-bound children of railroad employees. This year the RRV&W awarded scholarships to William Grage, Austin Gruebele, Sara Kriz and Elizabeth Kautz.

William Grage is a 2005 graduate of Enderlin High School and the son of George and Joan Grage. William will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to further his education at North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton, ND. He will major in computer and network support.

Austin Gruebele is a 2005 graduate of Breckenridge Senior High School and the son of Cal and Gayle Gruebele. Austin will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to further his education at North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton. He will major in liberal arts.

Elizabeth Kautz is a 2005 graduate of Breckenridge Senior High School, and the daughter of Vincent Kautz and Lynn Kautz. Elizabeth will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to further her education at North Dakota State College of Science in Wahpeton. She will major in liberal arts.

Sara Kriz is a 2005 graduate Wahpeton Senior High School and the daughter of Jeff and Diane Kriz. Sara will receive a \$1,000 scholarship to further her education at Skin & Bodywork Institute, Inc. in Grand Forks, ND. She will major in Esthiology and Cosmetology.

The Red River Valley & Western is a short line railroad headquartered in Wahpeton with operating offices in Breckenridge, Kindred, LaMoure and Carrington. The RRV&W serves agricultural customers, processors, and manufacturers in southeast and central North Dakota, and Breckenridge, Minnesota. The company has awarded scholarships to 44 children of railroad employees since the program's inception in 1995.