

# Senior Spotlight: Billie Moeller

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Billie Kaylynn Moeller, daughter of Bill and Dora Moeller, and sister of Nick Moeller, was born March 13, 1997.

Billie has been in Competition Cheer, Sideline Cheer, Band, Chorus, RHS Plays, RAAC Plays, Christmas Cantata, Track, Small Group Contest, Mixed Voices in Brookings, and Female Voices in Brookings throughout her high school years.

Along with her activities, Billie also has a great amount of accomplishments, including being in the National Honor Society, All-State Chorus, All-State Band, the 4.0 Honor Roll, North Area Honor Band, 2012 Competition Cheer State Champions, and Drum Major. Billie also got a DAR Good Citizen Award and was picked for the 2013 and 2014 Competition Cheer Runner-Up, the Outstanding Sophomore Musician, Outstanding Junior Musician, and Most Improved Instrumentalist 2012-2013. Billie has also received a 3-year Academic Letter, a 3-year Music Letter, a 3-year Cheer Letter, and a 2-year Track Letter. Playing the piano, singing, baking, and reading are a few things she enjoys doing.



When Billie was younger, she said that she wanted to be a veterinarian, but now her plans have changed and she has decided that she would like to attend Oklahoma Wesleyan University for four years then proceed to medical school to become a surgeon or a radiologist.

In ten years, Billie sees herself finishing college or living somewhere warmer and completing her internship, depending on what she does for her occupation.

After being asked what her favorite memory of high school, Billie said, "Nothing can beat the short bus rides; I practically lived in the short bus because of competition cheer and All-State Chorus, Choral Leadership, and NSU Bland Clinic. Let's just say that it is possible to have a dance off in a moving short bus."

Including all the fun Billie had on the short bus, she says that this is what she will miss the most: "The people. My friends, teachers, and classmates always find ways to make the days go by easily! I have known most of the people for a long time; it's going to be very hard to leave them. There will be no more going to Mrs. Lunstrum's room every spare minute; no more laughing at Mr. Suchor's jokes; no more seeing 'Mama Frost' every day who goes out of her way to see that all her students are OK. I know that I can still talk to them over the phone, but it's not the same."

After graduation Billie says "I would like to be remembered as a person who won't give up when things get hard. I want to be remembered as a serious person whom you can still laugh and have a good time with."