

Kay Marrs is the 16 year old daughter of Paul and Linda Marrs. At the conclusion of the two day pageant in Belle Fourche, Kay was honored to be crowned Junior Miss Rodeo South Dakota 2011. "It has always been a dream of mine to become Junior Miss Rodeo South Dakota and to not only promote our state sport of rodeo, but our western heritage as well." Growing up on the family ranch near Whitewood, Kay naturally acquired a love for horses, rodeo, livestock, and the outdoors as a young girl. She enjoys helping out on the ranch especially when there is a chore that can be done on horseback. Kay will be a junior this fall at Spearfish Classical Christian School. In addition to school and horse related activities, she is an active member of the Range Riders 4-H club in Lawrence County. During the past 8 years in 4-H, Kay has taken an interest in several different project areas including livestock judging, showing cattle and sheep, and archery. She has also been president of the Butte/Lawrence County 4-H Junior Leaders Club. Kay is looking forward to an exciting year as Jr. Miss Rodeo South Dakota and plans to attend as many rodeos and other events as possible during her reign.