## Ambassador Highlight

The ADSBS is excited to highlight the ambassador program through an ambassador highlight. One of these young leaders will be highlighted each month on the web and a few in each Dorper Report.

**Brier Hollis Day** 

**Age: 17** 

Hometown: Marshfield, Missouri

**School: Marshfield High School** 



Brier Day has not only been an advocate and mentor for youth in agriculture, but also a mentor to kids in different facets. When he was younger, Day was president of his local 4-H Club for 2 years. He is currently serving as the Marshfield FFA President and was on the Missouri State Third Place Farm Business Managment Team. He is a member of the livestock judging team and a member of the National Honor Society.

"Hove to see others succeed," Day said. "There was always someone helping me, and I like to pass that along to the next group of kids."

Day started raising sheep 10 years ago after helping a friend with some commercial sheep. "I saw some Dorpers at the fair and I just loved everything about them," he said. "I loved their temperment and their conformation. To me, they were the perfect project." But Day's love of Dorpers won't end when he graduates high school in 2026.

"I take great pride in being a part of the Dorper industry. Just like many people want to leave their land better than when they bought it, I want to leave the Dorper breed stronger and more prosperous than when I started. This is one reason that I enjoy the Ambassador Program. I am excited about the other juniors that I get to share this year with."

<mark>The ambassador program allows students to combine their many skills. While helping with show activities, these </mark>

ambassadors are learning life-long skills, such as leadership and team dynamics, as well as event organization and execution. These youth members assist at youth and open shows across the United States by helping with gate check-in, taking photos in or around the shows, handing out ribbons in the ring, serving as a ring steward and assisting with other various youth functions. They may be called upon to help with other responsibilities that may pop up at shows and events.

Day wants to continue giving back to the agriculture industry by majoring in ag business, but he is still deciding on which college he wants to attend.



Congratulations, Brier, on being accepted into the ADSBS Ambassador Program for 2025-2026.

