

Emma began playing hockey at age 4. Her youth teams qualified for 8 straight state tournaments from 2003 to 2011. Emma played boys hockey through Bantams and participated in numerous tier one and triple A programs on the way such as Jr. Badgers, Jr. Admirals, and Team Wisconsin. She represented Team Green Bay at the 2010 tier 1 U-14 Nationals where she led the team in scoring and was selected to represent the team in the Skills Competition. She was fortunate to be the captain of the National tournament qualifying U-16 Team Wisconsin squad last year. She was invited to two consecutive USA National Development Camps.

Emma finished her freshman year with a trip to the State Tournament. Her 31 goals and 15 assists are an Appleton United Freshman scoring record. She has received State and Conference honors all 4 years. She will end her High School Career with Appleton United Second in all time scoring behind Anna Westmark. Emma will be attending Lake Forest College (IL) next season where she will be pursuing a double major in psychology and neuroscience and continuing her hockey career with the Foresters.

Emma has been a captain for United for the last two years. She has been both a leader and a mentor on and off the ice. Truly and an unselfish player, Emma is always willing to lay her body out to block a shot and pass to set up a teammate. Her "whatever it takes for the team" attitude makes her team and teammates stronger and better. Emma's love of the game is contagious and brings out the best in her and her teammates.

Academically, Emma is a member of the National Honor Society with a GPA of 3.76. She takes on a rigorous course schedule with CAP Spanish and multiple advanced placement courses. Emma has received Academic honors every semester. She is a member of League of Leaders, a leadership program for juniors and seniors who excel in academics and sports. Emma was a part of Key Club and is the President of the Psych Club. Emma was also recently voted as School Representative for Compassion.

In addition to her Hockey and School Activities Emma takes time to give back to her community. Some of Emma's activities include, Special Abilities Prom Night, Special Olympics Basketball, she helps teach life skills to students with Special Abilities, Fox Valley Community Table, where she serves lunch to the homeless, the Smiles Program where she tutors struggling elementary School Children, and she has helped with the Learn to Skate Program. Emma also Volunteers for the Community Benefit Tree, Community Blood Center and Salvation Army. In the Summers Emma is Employed as a Parks and Rec Leader.

Emma's other sport is varsity Tennis where she has received conference honors.

It is truly an honor and privilege to nominate Emma Kohl for Miss Hockey Wisconsin.