



Press Release

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12 Outstanding Students to Receive Awards

MCCCE Announces Educational Assistance Winners

The McCracken County Community Career Endowment, Inc. (MCCCE) is pleased to distribute the first round of educational assistance scholarships at a **reception honoring 12 students at 2 p.m., Sunday, May 17, at Julian Carroll Convention Center located at 1 Executive Blvd., Paducah, KY.** The scholarships are made possible through the endowment, established by the late Fred Paxton and his wife, Peggy, and the Community Foundation of West Kentucky in January 2006.

The event's keynote speaker is **Dr. Eddie D. Hamilton, MD FAAP Founder and Administrator of Centennial Pediatrics** The event is open to the public. **A \$10 donation is appreciated, but not required.**

The 12 students were chosen based on their GPA, financial need, achievements and future goals. The scholarship winners are:

Jeremiah Malik Curtley —University of Louisville, Freshman Business Mgmt. Major.

Bradley James — Murray State University Freshman, Electronic Media Major.

Carmen L. Johnson — Murray State University, Junior Nursing Major

Jamanda Johnson —West KY Community & Technical College, Nursing and X-Ray Tech Major

Ashley Keeling — Murray State University, Junior Nursing Major.

Jaeven Lee Langley — Paducah Tilghman Senior Honor Student, plans to attend Florida A&M to study Physical Therapy.

Natasha Lee—Paducah Tilghman High School Senior honor Student, Ball State University to Pursue Nursing

Andrea Polk —WKCTC Nursing major seeking RN degree.

LaShanda Stills — West Kentucky Community Technical College, Nursing Major

Elaina D. Taylor —WKCTC, Art Major and Minor in Business

Beirut C. Wall — University of Kentucky, Chemical Engineering Major

Chastity N. White — Lone Oak High School Senior, Murray State University Medicine is her choice of Study.

Please join myself and the MCCCE Board of Directors in congratulating our 12 recipients of the 2009/2010 McCracken County Community Career Endowment Scholarship. We hope to see you there.

Sincerely,

Judy Calhoun, MA
Executive Director,
MCCCE, Inc.