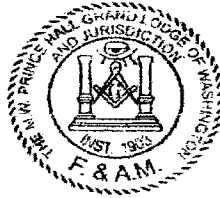


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TO: The Most Worshipful Grand Master Kenneth B. Anthony, Past Grand Masters, Right Worshipful and Worshipful Grand Lodge Officers, Worshipful Master, Past Masters, Wardens Visiting Dignitaries and Brothers.

Subjects: Annual Report of the Scholarship Committee

Greeting and fraternal good will from the office of the Grand Junior Warden and the Scholarship Committee. This committee has completed the task put before it. We were small but we were committed to getting the job done and taking care of our youth.

Last year then Grand Junior Warden Torrence did a great job revising the scholarship forms and grade sheets. This year the committee had very little work to do to get it ready to put on the street. With minor changes we were off and running. A new letter was prepared describing the program and encompassing all the rules for each student to submit the completed application. The Most Worshipful Grand Master approved it and it was passed out and placed on the Website. The follow are the **mandatory requirement** for the scholarship award:

- a. 1 April 2009 deadline for application submittal
- b. Minimum 2.5 GPA
- c. An official transcript
- d. Three current letters of recommendation
- e. A personal essay of yourself
- f. Recommended by a member of this Grand Lodge

The committee received 29 applications by the deadline. I made copies of the applications and got them out to the committee members. The graded score sheets were evaluated and a recommendation was made by each committee member. If the student complied with all the **mandatory requirements** he or she would get a scholarship Award. Of the 29 applications received 24 were recommended for scholarship award. The following are the names of the student and amount that we recommend they receive as a scholarship award from this Grand Lodge for the 2008-2009 Masonic Year.

Desiree Jackson	\$416.66	Kendra Flute	\$416.66
Jazmine Troutt	\$416.66	Admire Brown	\$416.66
Kamil Weston	\$416.66	Julian Eggleston	\$416.66
Jazmyne Graham	\$416.66	Garneisha Torrence	\$416.66
Alexis Morris	\$416.66	Danyell Bivens	\$416.66
Immanuel Garraway	\$416.66	Roberautrice Eddie	\$416.66

LaKeisha Davis	\$416.66	Venise Baxter	\$416.66
Sharlay Butler	\$416.66	Devanee Taylor	\$416.66
Wynton McClary	\$416.66	Yamira Sanabria	\$416.66
Jefferey Hartke II	\$416.66	Jasmine Chong	\$416.66
Trisha Smith	\$416.66	Skyler McCode	\$416.66
Christina Mullins	\$416.66	Tiffany Sharpe	\$416.66

I believe as long as the numbers stay small we will be able to use this system. Therefore we will not have to pick and choose who we give scholarship awards. \$10,000.00 is the base number we use for scholarship award for this Grand Lodge at this time. That is how we arrived at the above dollar amount for each student.

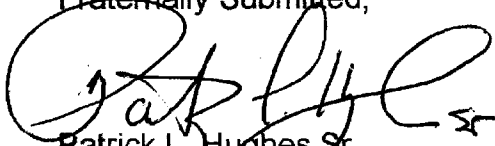
An overview of this year's program is as follow. There were 5 boys and 19 girls, for the total number of 24 awarded. The GPA ranged from 2.53 thru 3.95. The student that has the highest GPA is a young lady that overcame a learning disability. That is what hard work and a goal will do. Five students were not awarded scholarship and here are the reasons: No official transcript; no transcript at all in the packet; missing letters of recommendation; GPA below 2.5; no personal essay. We encourage them to re-apply again next year after making the above corrections. Also, it should be noted that the Master Mason that recommend the student please review the packet for completeness.

My committee members were as follow:

RW Patrick L. Hughes Sr. #72 Chairman
 RW Mario Williams #62 Member
 PM Clarence Garraway #16 Member

In Closing, I want to thank my committee for their hard work and express our appreciation for the opportunity to service this Great Grand Lodge on this committee. Our last thanks is for Sister Cameron-John wife of PM John from District #9; she reviewed each packet that was submitted to this committee from District #9 and they were all correct, Thank You. You will hear more about her later.

Fraternally Submitted,



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