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Sacred Heart seniors reflect on their time at the closing school

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Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School's Class of 2022 graduates are (from left) Ashley Garcia, Anahi Jose, Nathan Auvil, Sofia Fernandez, Erin Henry and Tiffany Nguyen.

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Sacred Heart's graduating class of 2022 consists of (front row) Anahi Jose, Sofia Fernandez, Tiffany Nguyen and (back row) Ashley Garcia, Nathan Auvil and Erin Henry.

THE END OF AN ERA

Sacred Heart's final graduates reflect on their time at the closing school

BY DONNA BARTON

Special to The Star

When Anahi Jose arrived at Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic School two years ago, she was, by her own admission, "painfully shy."

That all changed the first day of school. "I initiated a conversation with another student," she said. "Ashley Garcia. She and I clicked immediately. That was a first for me."

Another first was overcoming her timidity in order to be a lector at weekly Mass, standing in front of the entire student body, faculty and parents to read Scripture. "I've learned to come out of my shell," she said. This week, she spoke before an even larger crowd when she delivered the Valedictorian address at the school's graduation ceremony.

Ashley Garcia understands the importance of stepping out of one's comfort zone. "I've learned that we don't

always get the same opportunity twice, so take the risk and don't be afraid to fail," she said. "Throughout my time at Sacred Heart, I've been open to trying more things."

Tiffany Nguyen also describes herself as more of "an introverted person." English, for example, is not her first language, but she credits her English teacher, Matthew Tyson, for helping her overcome any anxiety she may have felt. "Being in his class was a game-changer," she said. "I can now say I'm not scared of any type of essay. That's for sure!"

Nathan Auvil also enjoyed English class. In fact, studying Shakespeare's MacBeth is one of his favorite school memories. "Mr. Tyson inspired me the most," he said. "He has a true passion for what he does."

Nathan is the only boy in the Senior class, something he says "took some getting used to." He credits his classmates with making it easy. "They've been great

friends," he said. One advantage of being the only male came during prom season. "I was the prom king," he said, then grinned and added, "By default."

Erin Henry appreciates the effort all the teachers go through to make the learning experience more fun. "I can tell they're all passionate about the subjects they teach," she said. She's enjoyed getting to know her teachers, especially on more relaxed days when everyone engages in ordinary conversation. "They keep it real when we ask for advice on how to handle certain situations. We've gotten plenty of life lessons."

Ashley agrees. "The teachers have made such an impact on my life," she said. One, in particular, is Kelly Matson, who began teaching math at Sacred Heart the same year Ashley arrived. "We both started here together and now we are leaving together," Ashley said. "She



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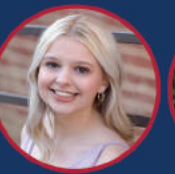
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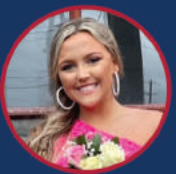
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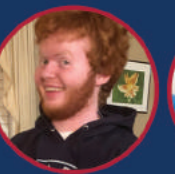
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Alivia Grace Ward

SACRED HEART

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was my sponsor when I received the Sacrament of Confirmation. She has guided me to where I am now and I couldn't be more grateful."

Sofia Fernandez also feels "blessed" to have been taught by Kelly Matson as well as science teacher, Glori Hart. "They've influenced me tremendously," she said. Sofia has been at Sacred Heart since Kindergarten and knows she will use all the knowledge she has acquired when she leaves. What she feels she has gained the most is a "trusting, faithful and lovable relationship with God," she said. "It is something I will take with me everywhere I go."



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'At Sacred Heart, I learned how important it is to have a tight community of people who care about one another' said senior Nathan Auvil.

Anahi has also experienced a deeper spirituality and an appreciation for attending mass. She credits Alex Harb, the religion and Latin teacher, with inspiring her to learn more about her faith. "Mr. Harb has helped me understand what's going on in the world today from a Catholic perspective."

Sacred Heart is a small school, but to Tiffany, "it's

a big family. The teachers feel like parents and her friends like siblings. "Being with them is a gift from God," she said.

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Sadly, Sacred Heart will be closing its doors at the end of the month after 69 years of providing a comprehensive Catholic education to the children of east Alabama. When asked how they felt about

being the high school's last graduating class, all six seniors were in agreement. "Simply put, it's sad," said Nathan. "Being the last of a good thing is always a shame."

After 13 years as a Sacred Heart student, Sofia considers it to be her second home. "I suppose all good things must come to an end, but I will forever appreciate the opportunity to have been a Sacred Heart student," she said.

Ashley also treasures her time at Sacred Heart. "The school shows so much love to the students," she said. "I'm very glad I got to share these last memories with everyone here."

Tiffany feels the same. "This may be a small school, but the love is huge," she said. "All the people, all the laughs, and all the joy will still be here. It's carved deep in my heart."

WHAT THE FUTURE HOLDS

Tiffany Nguyen will be attending the University of Alabama at Birmingham (UAB), majoring in marketing. "I still haven't decided what type of job I'd like to have, but I know that I want to be a good citizen for my family, America, and the world."

Ashley Garcia and Sofia Fernandez will also be heading to UAB. Ashley plans to apply to the School of Nursing. "My ultimate goal is to work as a travel nurse."

Sofia wants to study criminal justice. "I want to become a lawyer and make my family proud," she said.

Nathan Auvil is still "iffy," as he puts it, on what career he wants to pursue as he heads to Jacksonville State University. He's always been interested in psychology. "How the brain works," he said. "So more than likely, something in that field."

Anahi Jose would love to follow her heart and pursue a career in art. "I love drawing and designing," she said, but she will also be attending Gadsden State Community College for the pre-pharmacy program before transferring to Auburn's School of Pharmacy.

Erin Henry plans to attend the Gulf Shores Coastal Alabama Community College to become a marine biologist. "My other goal is to travel," she said. "It doesn't matter where as long as I get to explore new things."

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ALEXANDRIA HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 134 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Lou Scales Stadium **Baccalaureate:** 2 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Mount Zion Baptist Church

VALEDICTORIAN

Bryson Scott Calhoun

PARENTS: Scott and Christie Calhoun of Alexandria

GRANDPARENTS: Tommy and Ethelene Calhoun of Alexandria and Terry and Barbara Feazell of Oxford

HONORS AND AWARDS: Summa Cum Laude Honors, Principal's Club, National Honor Society, Geometry Award, ACT 30+ Club

ACTIVITIES: FBLA Secretary, Varsity Baseball Team, Christian Club, and Fellowship of Christian Athletes

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama on a Presidential Scholarship and major in business



SALUTATORIAN

Emma Nanette Bowers

PARENTS: Michael and Elizabeth Bowers of Alexandria and Gary and Paula Lee of Glencoe

AWARDS AND HONORS: Summa Cum Laude Honors, Principal's Club, National Honor Society President, ACT 30+ Club

ACTIVITIES: Alabama Girls State Representative, FBLA President, SGA Secretary, and Men and Women of the Valley Ambassador

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama on a Presidential Scholarship, an Alabama Girls' State Scholarship and a UA Alumni Scholarship and major in finance



HISTORIAN

Ashley Diane Phillips

PARENTS: Chris and Karen Phillips of Alexandria

GRANDPARENTS: Mary Phillips of Ragland and the late Talmadge Phillips, and Darrell and Diane Reaves of Ohatchee

GREAT-GRANDMOTHER: Mary Hester Hale of Ohatchee

AWARDS AND HONORS: Summa Cum Laude Honors, National Honor Society, Principal's Club, Algebra II with Trigonometry and College MTH 112 Awards

ACTIVITIES: Varsity Basketball and Softball, Class 5A All State Basketball and Softball Teams, member of the AHSAA North All Star Softball Team, All County Softball and Basketball

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on an Athletic/Softball Scholarship and a Leadership Scholarship to study Exercise Science and Wellness, then attend Life University's Chiropractic School



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Austin Heath Abernathy, Xander James Abernathy, Bernard Keshawn Anthony, Kealoha Destiny Torres Atoigue, Elizabeth Grace Austin, Kaley Bre Ann Barker, Timothy Derek Bearden, Tanner Andrew Bedford, Raven Elizabeth Black, Kandyn Kylie Ann Blankenship, Emma Nanette Bowers, Quendeja Nichole Bowie, Jackson David Brannon, Melvin Aundrey Wallace Brewster, Marissa Kate Briley, Emilee Grace Brown, Mark A Brown, Matthew Franklin-Lee Bunn, Michael Hayden Burdett, Evie Kathleen Burt, Kathryn Grace Bussey, Bryson Scott Calhoun, Mason Cole Castleberry, Nicholas Brian Cobb, Christian Michael Conn, Samuel James Cooper, Gaven Joseph Cramer, Michael Bradley Crane, Juddson Lee Cromer, Emma Claire Curvin, Ivonte Mekhi Davis, Mary Kathleen Eller, Daniel Gage Finley, Reagan Kay Finley, Whitley Morgan Frazier,

Cole B Freeman

G-L

Cason Hunter Gaddy, Chloe Inez Gattis, Rylee Elise Gattis, Aliyunna Jerliyah Dionne George, Miley Lynn George, Annalee Elizabeth Ginn, Andrew Ryan Grayson, Zackary Ethan Green, Peyton Douglas Gunnoe, Connor Alexander Hall, Marissa June-Kalisse Hardy, Caden Lane Hartsfield, Brennon Frank Day Haver, Jaida Sharee Hawkins, Kylieya Ja'Nae Shandale Henderson, Tyler Christopher Hines, Joshua Andrew Horton, Tylea LaBre Hunt, Austin Riley Jeffers, Addison Grace Jennings, Aleigh Jade Joiner, Ethan Taylor Kemp, Samuel Braxton Kiker, Cierra Faith Lacks, Colton River Lacks, Stefanie Caryl Lawson, Kevin Van Le, Kelsey Ray Lique, Noah Reilly Livingston

M-Q

Caroline Grace Major, Andrew Ryan May, Ambria Nicole McDaniel, Beau Issac McFather, Javais Dewone McGhee, Canyon Tyce Mickler, Nikera Myel Minniefield, Blakeley Hope Mobbs, Tristen Hunter Morgan, Colin Taylor Morris, Jaden Tyler New, Ashton Gage Noah, Cedric Lamar Northard, Damon Kane Parr, Timber Lee Parris, Isabella Rose Ellen Perez, Ashley Diane Phillips, Landon C Phillips, Khamar DeRon Pickens, Ryleigh Dawton Pierce, Logan Riley Ponder, Abigail Kathleen Prichard, McKaden Weston Prickett, Jackson Christopher Primm, Brittany Danielle Putman

R-T

Ignacio Emilio Rabadan, Emma Katherine Ray, Jessalyn Danielle Rhoads Paslay, Hali Elizabeth Rhoads, Savanah Dawn Riker, Cortney Katherine Robinson, Kaley Cheyenne Rogers, Angela Grace Russell, Ryan Winfield Scott, Lauren Olivia Sechrest,

Adeline Grace Shaw, Brittany Denise Smith, Charles Tristan Smith, Keshawn Isaac Ray Smith, Makenna Leigh Smith, Gracie Lynne Smitherman, Kathryn Rebecca Snow, Crossley Kaye Sparks, Katelynn Savanna Stewart, Grace Madison Stitt, Jaylen Breanne Stovall, Nolan Michael Sweet, Collin Jovon Taylor, Jaden Keith Tolbert, Emily Cheyenne Trapp, Braxton Tyrel Tucker, Davis Michael Turner, Latrentis Demond Turner

U-Z

Jake Alan Upton, Benjamin Hunter Wade, Samuel Wayne Wade, D'Anthony Keith Walton, Princess Michaela Lynn Watts, Alexia Cole Weber, Ashley Elizabeth Wells, Darion Scott Wenzinger, Jonathan Austin West, Jaeson Alexander Williams, Ja'Various Amon Williams, Kodie Lynn Williams, Denver Isaac Wills, Julian D Wright, Janet Elaine Wyer and Nathaniel David Yingling

ANNISTON HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 104 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Lott Mosby Stadium **Baccalaureate:** 9 a.m. Sunday, May 22, Anniston High School Performing Arts Center

VALEDICTORIAN

Tadyn Jerrell Jones

PARENTS: Dr. Marlon and Sonya Jones of Anniston

GRANDPARENTS: Mary Jones of Oxford, Marvin Jones Sr. of Oxford, and Dora McBride of Opp

ACTIVITIES: Top Ten, Top 40, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, A Honor Roll all 4 years, varsity basketball, Anniston Youth Council member, Calhoun County Youth Leadership, FBLA, Bulldog Branch A.O.D. Teller, and 10th grade Class President and Ambassador

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Alabama State University on a Merit Scholarship and major in biology and pursue a career as an orthopedic doctor



SALUTATORIAN

Tashiyah Brashay Caldwell

PARENTS: Marjorie Jordan of Anniston

GRANDPARENTS: The late Otis Stewart, and the late Virginia Jordan

ACTIVITIES: A/B Honor Roll, A Honor Roll, Top Ten, Mu Alpha Theta, National Honor Society, Perfect Attendance and softball

COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of Alabama at Birmingham on a Merit Scholarship and study biology



HISTORIAN

DiMichael Anthony Burton

PARENTS: Pam Vincent of Anniston and Michael Sanders of Anniston

GRANDPARENT: The late Cynthia White

ACTIVITIES: A/B Honor Roll, Top Ten, Mu Alpha Theta, Spanish, Club, National Honor Society

COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of Alabama at Birmingham on a Merit Scholarship and major in engineering



THE DONOHO SCHOOL

Class: 44 Commencement: 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Lentz Field **Baccalaureate:** 5 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Anniston First United Methodist Church

VALEDICTORIAN

Naira Rehman

PARENTS: Ataur Rehman and Bilqees Fatima of Anniston

GRANDPARENT: Khadija Bibi of Pakistan
AWARDS AND HONORS: Academic Excellence Award, Varsity Volleyball Class 1A State Champions, Varsity Volleyball Area 10 Best Defensive MVP, Spanish National Honor Society President, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta

ACTIVITIES: Key Club, Varsity Volleyball, Volunteer at Salam Free Clinic, Yearbook Staff, Snack Sacks Volunteer, Cards for Care

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama at Birmingham Honors College on a Merit Scholarship R1 and a Supplemental Scholarship. Naira will major in chemistry and minor in neuroscience with plans to attend medical school and become a physician.



SALUTATORIAN

Julia Pelham Wiedmer

PARENTS: Lucy and Michael Wiedmer of Anniston

GRANDPARENTS: Wynelle Ballard of Anniston and Joyce Wiedmer of Hopkinsville, KY
AWARDS AND HONORS: AISA 2021-2022 All-State Academic Team, 5-time Alabama All State Choir Member, Student Body Vice President, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and Tri M Music Honor Society

ACTIVITIES: Cheerleading Captain, Math Team, Choir, and Soccer

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Virginia. Julia will major in Global Public Health on the Pre-Med track.



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-G

Tyler Rhett Allen, Anna Christina Amaral Torres, Jackson Matthew Barnett, Judson Tuggle Billings, Madison Grace Brown, Anastasiya Budrevich, William Jackson Burgess, Griffyn Brooke Burrage, Olivia Isabella Caballero, Cailin Emma Campbell, Quynh-Anh Le Dang, Hunter O'Neal Davenport, Nicholas Gorospe Goad, Wesley Connor Goodson

H-P

Slade Ryan Haney, Dean Thomas Harrell, Norman Ridge Hopkins, Ivy Kathryn Hughston, Dorien Trenton Johniken, Daniel Riley Johnson, Anna Grace Jones, Mercy Michelle Mangum, Dena Mustafa Kamal Musa, Yana Vitaliyivna Osovskva, Mihir Ketan Patel, Brady Samuel Patterson, Samuel Thomas Payne, Marian Grace Perry, Emily Caroline Poe

Q-Z

Naira Rehman, Charles Ethan Rogers, Ayomide Oluwatosin Anuoluwa Sanusi, Kathleen Brooke Seals, Kathryn Grace Sheppard, Ayesha Siddiqua, Tristan Michael Smith, Grant Thompson Steed, Carter Timothy Stremmel, Eric James Tolson, Emma Kate Tucker, Marshall James Twigg, Margaret Ann Wakefield, Julia Pelham Wiedmer and Savannah Maddux Wright

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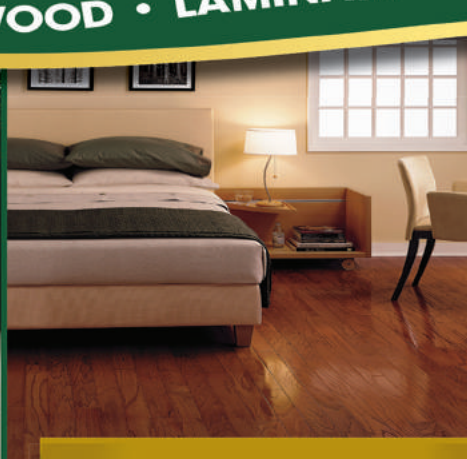
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FAITH CHRISTIAN SCHOOL

Class: 26 Commencement: May 13, Harvest Church of God, Anniston **Baccalaureate:** May 12, Faith Presbyterian Church, Anniston

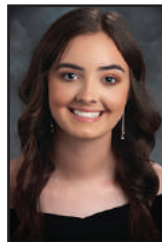
VALEDICTORIAN

Avarie MacRae Daniel

PARENTS: Jody and Angie Daniel of Munford
GRANDPARENTS: Joe and Kathy Daniel of Munford, Dianne Corman of Munford, Jim Lackey and Sherry Lackey of Talladega

ACTIVITIES: DAR Good Citizen Award, Ben O Character Math Scholarship, Piano Studio Award, HOBY nominee, SGA representative, Jr.-Sr. Beta Club Secretary, Mu Alpha Theta Treasurer, varsity soccer team, varsity basketball, National Honor Society

COLLEGE: Plans to attend UAB on a VA Scholarship, Merit Scholarship and a Spirit of AOD Scholarship and major in Digital Forensics and the Air Force ROTC program



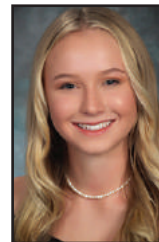
SALUTATORIAN

Nancy Jean-Marie Brock

PARENTS: Gene and Kristin Brock of Anniston
GRANDPARENTS: The late Doris and Edward Brock, and Ludwig and Nancy Opager of Milton, Fla.

ACTIVITIES: Etowah Youth Orchestra, Principal Flute Chair, Youth Leadership Calhoun County, HOBY nominee, Operation Christmas Child, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Addison Street Community Church Mission Trip, Sable Learning Center, varsity soccer, Student Government Association (Vice President her junior year and President her senior year), National BETA Club Vice President, Mu Alpha Theta Secretary, Faith Friends

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Auburn University on a Spirit of Auburn Founders Scholarship, Ever to Conquer Scholarship, Andrew HSU Endowed Scholarship and major in chemical engineering with specialization in biomedical engineering and a minor in business



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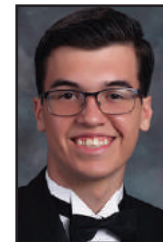
Justin Shane Smith

PARENTS: Jonathon and Gabriela Smith of Anniston

GRANDPARENTS: The late Jean and Anisoara Micu, Yvonne Smith and the late Larry Smith and Curtis and Annette Winkler

ACTIVITIES: Varsity soccer team, Junior Beta Club, Senior Beta Club President, Mu Alpha Theta, Faith Friends, volunteer at the Boys and Girls Club in Anniston, volunteer at a League of Our Own and volunteer at Work Day at the Big Oak Boys Ranch

COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of Alabama at Huntsville on a Merit Scholarship and major in physics and pursue a Master's Degree in Aerospace Engineering



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-K

John Davis Abney, Ariana Ziel Arevalo, Damian Antonio Arevalo, Demonde Jernard Bell, James Daniel Blackstone, Nancy Jean-Marie Brock, Avarie MacRae Daniel, Brodie Klint Dodson, Meagan Elaine Ford, Levi Roland Garrett, Nicholas Hughel Goodgame, Jona Aliza Harrison, Grace Judith Johnston, Hannah Anjali Kramer

L-Z

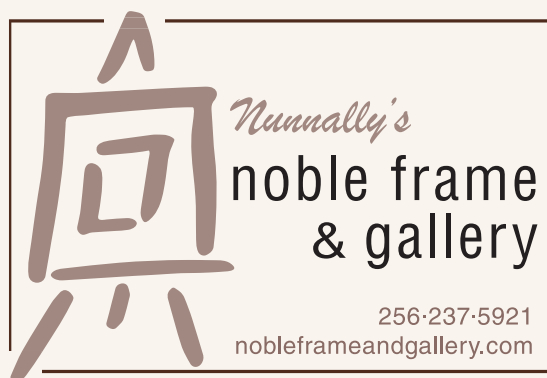
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JACKSONVILLE CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Class: 8 Commencement: 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 24, Dr. Tommy G. Miller Field on the Jacksonville Christian Academy campus **Speaker:** Pastor David Haynes
Baccalaureate: 5 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Westside Baptist Church, Jacksonville **Speaker:** Pastor Frank Reid of Faith Temple Christian Center



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Jacie Lynn Brackett, Brodie Tide Clay, Krymson Lee Clay, Hannah Nicole Clayton, Jordan Ray Harper, Asher Patrick Mills, Allison Kaeli Walz and Kylee Grace Williams

JACKSONVILLE HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 109 Commencement: 8 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Jacksonville High School, Golden Eagle Stadium **Speakers:** Victoria Moses, Natalie Patterson and Juan Canales Alvarado
Baccalaureate: 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 24, Jacksonville First United Methodist Church **Speaker:** Steve West, Pastor, Jacksonville First United Methodist Church

VALEDICTORIAN

Victoria Elizabeth Moses

PARENTS: Josh and Kellee Moses of Jacksonville

GRANDPARENTS: Ted and Amanda Fink of Piedmont and Clara Jackson of Fairhope

ACTIVITIES: National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, Golden Eagle Scholar, Youth Leadership of Calhoun County (YLCC), State Track and Field Qualifier for 5 years, National Society of Leadership and Success, varsity volleyball, varsity track and field, Double Dozen Club (DD's), Key Club Treasurer

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University (where she is already a Junior) on a Gamecock Tradition Scholarship and a Physical Plant Book Scholarship and pursue a biology degree with a minor in chemistry. She then plans to attend veterinary school and pursue a career as a doctor of veterinary medicine



SALUTATORIAN

Natalie Ashtin Patterson

PARENTS: Lane and Leigh Ann Patterson of Jacksonville

GRANDPARENTS: Martha and Otis Patterson of Jacksonville

ACTIVITIES: Alabama Girls State, AP Scholars Award, AP Capstone Diploma Candidate, Homecoming Queen, JHS Ambassador, Class Vice President, HOSA President, National Honor Society, Spanish Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, volleyball and soccer

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a JSU Honors Scholarship, double majoring in forensic investigation and biology, then attend medical school to pursue a medical degree and a career in forensic pathology



SENIOR SPOTLIGHT STUDENT

Luke Ellis Alvidrez

PARENTS: Michael and Debbie Alvidrez of Jacksonville

GRANDPARENTS: Barbara Little of Jacksonville and Louis and Olivia Alvidrez of Santa Teresa, New Mexico

ACTIVITIES: National Hispanic Recognition Program Scholar, AP Scholar with Distinction, Alabama Boys State Delegate, Academic Excellence Award, varsity cross country, varsity tennis, marching band, Helping Hands community volunteer, National Honor Society and National Spanish Honor Society

COLLEGE: Plans to attend California Institute of Technology (Caltech) on a Caltech Scholarship and an Elks MVS Quarter Finalist Scholarship and major in mechanical engineering with a minor in aerospace with a goal to work at NASA



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Steven Dewayne Ackey Jr., Jaylyn Jamall Ackles, Jaylon Miguel Aguirre, Arthur Judson Allen, Luke Ellis Alvidrez, Arizona Ella Arrington, Christian Sage Barnett, Matthew Rainier Barnett, Erin Nicole Bean, Emma LaSha Dillon Bell, Christian Raheim Nathan Bledsoe, Presley Jade Bohannon, Lyndon Walker Bolt, Caleb Garrett Boothe, Wilson Slade Boothe, Angel Gabriella Brewer, Jeffrey Lynn Brothers, Matthew Luciano Brown, Tavarea Amareion Burton-Veasley, Chloe Rachel Cabrer, Juan Fernando Canales Alvarado, Jayvinn Marquis Chambers, Ashton Michael Crenshaw, Jacob Richard Cummings, Amanda Brianna Cunigan, Amarie Jakia Curry, Logan Tyler Dean, Katelyn Dianne Downing, Anslin Rose Dryden, Kaylee Cheyanne Eden, Tirra

Renee Ellis, Jamarius Jashun Ervin, Alexander Charles Evans, Kendyl Jesslyn Fletcher, Jasmine Armiet Lucille Flowers, Adesia LeAnn Floyd, Bryan Douglas Floyd, Sarah Katherine Francis, Chloe Elizabeth Fuller

G-L

Evan Fuller Garner, Morgan Mae Garoutte, Aarynn Danielle Gibbs, Yari Zure Goggins, Devon Juwon Hamilton, Kaitlyn Rae Hamm, Alyssa Grace Harris, Isaac Stephen Hensley, Julian Wayne McMillan Hill, Emma Catherine Honaker, Emily Elaine Hudgins, Makynlee Kaylin Desiree Hudson, Edniyah Armani Hunt, Lyric Renee Hunt, Jamauri Dontrell Jefferson, Isaac Lee Joiner, Audrey Delan Keeton, Olivia Marie King, Andrew Phillip Knight, Jamiya Amir Lauderdale, Jonathan Kyle Leyden, Quintavius

TreJuan Long

M-Q

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inson, Zakary Alexander Roney, Amber Nicole Rowland, Cameron Antoine Russell, Nicholas Edward Salmon, Emilee' Olivia Sandlin, Amiah Josephine Seward, Hunter William Sexton, Grace Magdalena Shelton, Destiny Jade Shiflett, Reagen Rebecca Simmons, David Matthew Simpson, Summer Leanne Skinner, Kaylee Brooke Snead, Kennedy Reese Sparks, Brittany Davalynn Spurgeon, Madison Lynn Stewart

U-Z

Ashlyn Nicole Valachi, John Benjamin Van Cleave, Trinity Malca Vann, Edward Damon Wade, Jaden Christopher Warren, Demetrius Jacques Weatherly, Dakota Bryant Willingham, Molly JoAnne Wilson, Miracle Renee Wyckoff and Jacoby Lashaun Zackery

OHATCHEE HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 72 Commencement: 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Roy C. Owens Field

VALEDICTORIAN

Rachel Celeste Dunaway**PARENTS:** Ricky and Kim Dunaway of Ohatchee**GRANDPARENTS:** Wanda and Delford Johnson of Scottsville, Kentucky**AWARDS, HONORS:** All A's Principals Club every year, National Honors Society, Mu Alpha Theta, All Area Volleyball, All County Volleyball 1st Team, and AP Literature Student of the Year**ACTIVITIES:** FFA Officer, FCA, FCCLA, Key Club Officer, FBLA Secretary, Math Team, Scholars Bowl, volleyball, golf and basketball**COLLEGE:** Plans to attend Kentucky Christian University on a Lusby Excellence Scholarship major in University Studies and play volleyball

SALUTATORIAN

Emma Wiggins**PARENTS:** Jennifer and Irby Wiggins of Ohatchee**GRANDPARENTS:** Cynthia McCarley, Byron Haynes, and Donna Sloan of Oxford**HONORS AND ACTIVITIES:** National Honor Society and FBLA**COLLEGE:** Plans to attend Auburn University on a Spirit of Auburn Founders Scholarship and pursue a bachelor's degree in Biology as a Pre-Medicine student, and later attend medical school

HISTORIAN

Kylee Jewell Barnes**PARENTS:** Brandi and Jason Barnes of Wellington**GRANDPARENTS:** Johnny and Jewell Mulkey Annison**AWARDS AND HONORS:** All-A's Principal's Club every year, National Honors Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and Precalculus Student of the Year**ACTIVITIES:** All-County Varsity Softball Team, All-Area Varsity Softball Team, FCA, SGA, cheer captain and volleyball**COLLEGE:** Plans to attend Gadsden State Community College on a "Start Strong Scholarship."

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Jonathan Lee Adamson, Baylee Lynn Alward, Garrett Blake Alward, Kylee Jewell Barnes, Dalton Anthony Bennett, Kasin Isaiah Gaines Bramlett, Olivia Rae Branson, Jacob Daniel Brewster, Gracie LeAnn Cash, Joshua Wain Cash, Brittany Shea Caywood, Madison Kay Cody, Travis Poole Curry, Cassandra Lynn Davis, Jayme Deanna Lei Davis, Rachel Celeste Dunaway, Payton DeWayne Duncan, Taylor Rose Edwards, Joe Dylan Emanuel, Branham Elijah Ennis, Katerina Fabiola Feliciano Marroquin, Morgan Bayleigh Foushee, Brody Lee Freeman, Tyler Jordan Freeman, Hershel Cole Frost, McKenzie Nicole Fuller

G-L

Troy Daniel Galloway, Gracie Hope George, Malachi Nathaneul Goble, Malik Ulysses Guthrie, Savannah Crystal Bell Hansford, Rebecca Danice Harrell, Ashton Christopher Haynes, Alyssa Rae Hicks, Kinidi Blaine Hodge, Brenton Jay Honaker, Tristian Ray Jackson, William James Jenkins, Jason Scott Kilgore, Aubrey Hope

Lackey, Haleigh Elaine Lowe

M-R

Jacob Scott Magouirk, Dalton Lee Maye, Chance Brody McCarter, Samuel Jack McCombs, Gillian Michelle McInnish, Akira Jeffery Minton, Kyleigh Paige Moore, Samuel Tyler Mullinax, Cassidy Leann Portwood, Jennifer Leigh Posey, Justin Lane Powell, Millie Grace Rainwater, Isabella Lane Reaves, Wyatt Kole Reaves, Autumn Rayne Reed, Keely Raeanna Rollins, Clara Lynn Ryan

S-Z

Ava Marie Somers, Nathaniel Lawrence Somers, Abby Nicole Stephens, Sarah Ann Sullivan, Crystal Cheyenne Joyce Taylor, Laci Jane Teem, Ethan Brock Thrash, Bryant Denny Turner, Kyler Scott Vice, Abbi Elisabeth Whitehead, Ella Grace Whitehead, Emma Jane Wiggins, Devon Ray Wilson and Weston John Wyatt

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A-F

Treasure Lashaun Armstrong, Adrion C. Benjamin, LeDarius A. Bowen, Kalista A. Brown, Pariss C. Brown, Shelby Cora Brown, Sandra S. Burnette, DiMichael Anthony Burton, Takayla Kelis Burton, Anthony D. Bush, Tashiyah B. Caldwell, Cameron A. Calloway, Sequoyah Renee Campbell, Mikelin Isaiah Carmichael, Keyonta T. Carter, Jai'real Anii Cavitt, Xavier J. Colbert, Niveah Jewls Compton, Samuel Jacob Console, Keyona D. Cosby, Jada N. Crutcher, Summer R. Cunningham, Malichi Dontya Deramus, K-Royelle J'Fredrick Demming, RaShaun

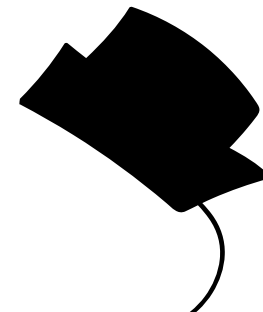
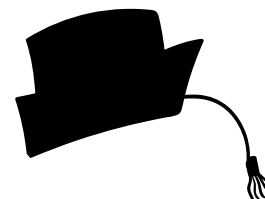
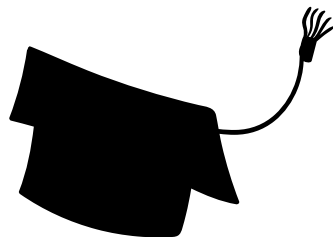
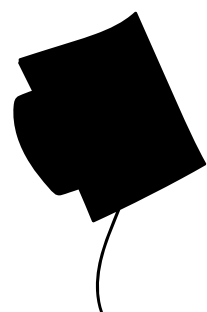
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G-Q

Jeremy J. Green, Lazarus Groce, Troy A. Hall, Devion Tlyik Harris, Royce Isaiah Harris, Terrance N. Hunter, Tiarraha N. Hunter, Shiwanua Elease Jackson, Natasha Regina Johnson, Maurice Kadarrius Jones, Michael Kendarius Jones, Samya Kediajah Jones, Tadyne Jerrell Jones, Adayshia Somone Jordan, Keonte L. Kimble, Briana Monique Kirkland, Jonathan Dean Kirksey, Antonio Kevin Kite, Jakobe JonIsaac Lawler, Nakolbi V. Lunsford, Deyjah M. Matthews, Hala Waleed Mohammad Mustafa, D Najiah R Montgomery, Lanecia S. Moore, Symia V. Moore, Carl B. Munford, Juliana Murillo, Christian Xaziar Myles, Alexe'Ana M. Neal, Edgerin Xavier Nichols, Terrianna Rashelle Nixon, Daria Christine Parker, Sameria M. Parker, JaQuan M Perry, Rasheed D. Phillips

R-T

De'Marko Rio Reed, Martez Demontae Reed, Kayla Deona Reeder, Deven Maurice Richardson, William Roblero Jr., A;Mya Blakley Ross, Darren Rudolph, Mikaela J. Scales, Logan M. Shaw, Charliese Dashunay Simmons, Mykhel Ja'Rae Simmons, Demeja Michelle Simon, Courtnee Naryah Sims, James Michael Smith, Ursula B. Smith, Omarion Xerche Stanford, Tytera Jenea Sterling, Jonathon Onesimus Storey, Kaitlyn C. Summers, Demondri L. Sykes, Darius D. Thagard, Jacoren Devontae Thomas, Jacques L. Thomas, Jeremiah JiKeen Thomas, Madison Elizabeth Thomas, Tiauna M. Thomas, Zakarri Tyree Thornton, Ariana Lashay Threatt, Mark Anthony Toyer, Kashyia Maqwayla Tucker, Demarcus Q. Vincent, Herschel Williams Walker, Terrance Michael Watts, Taysia De'nae, Malik J. Whitfield, Kaleigh Angelina Wilkins, Aumori Jaimon Wills, Kameron J. Wynn and Lonah Nicole Young



ANNISTON ELKS LODGE #189

Congratulates our Scholarship Recipients 2022



Pictured above are 37 of the 54 scholarship recipients as selected by the Lodge Scholarship Committee representing 17 High Schools from the East Central Alabama area. We awarded \$66,000 in scholarships this year. These young scholars were recognized for their accomplishments at a banquet conducted by the Lodge on Thursday, April 28, 2022. Eight of these recipients were legacy scholarships awarded to Lodge member's children and grand children. The Lodge presented Taylor Jones and Daniel Johnson with our Memorial Scholarships the Alan Pierce Memorial and the Ken Shropshire/Kathie Kruppa Memorial.



◀ Lodge Exalted Ruler Susan Allison opened the presentation with a welcome to all of the students and their parents.



◀ The Scholarship Committee, Jackie Sawyer, Mary Umetsu, and Amy Lane along with PER (2021-2022) Don Richey.

Anniston Elks Lodge No. 189 Proudly Presented the Following Scholarship Winners to this Year's ★ Academy of Stars ★

ALEXANDRIA

Marissa Hardy

CLAY COUNTY

Makayla Lacy

Tanner Higgins

CLEBURNE COUNTY

Benjamin Adams

Marley Aders

Elizabeth Altman

Jaci Boozer

Matthew Brown

Paolo Gutierrez

Sarah Hunt

Taylor Jones

Jacy Littleton

Marissa Roberts

Emma Rollins

CULLMAN

Bailey Roberts

DONOH

Judson Billings

Slade Haney

Daniel Johnson

Samuel Payne

FAITH CHRISTIAN

Anna Strautman

GLENCOE

Briana Beyerle

LINCOLN

Christopher Curry

MUNFORD

Laura Gray

PELL CITY

Macie Holcombe

JACKSONVILLE

Luke Alvidrez

Katelyn Dianne

Kaitlyn Hamm

Quintavius Long

Jayde Parker

Natalie Patterson

Emilee Sandlin

PIEDMONT

Sarah Farmer

OXFORD

Riley Bass

Kadence Hawkins

Zaccheus Johnson

Kaylee Patterson

Robert Pilkington

Hailey Smallwood

Anna Tapley

PLEASANT VALLEY

Elizabeth Hall

Brian Hopper

PRATTVILLE

Joseph Lane

RANBURN

Madison Alewine

Zoe Braggs

Eli Davenport

Ashline Herrell

Jennifer Howle

Martina Ledbetter

WHITE PLAINS

Duke Barnett

Emily Robinson

Maggie Ross

Adriana Sotelo

Aliva Ward

Alexis Westerhausen

OXFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 270 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Lamar Field
Baccalaureate: 3 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Oxford Civic Center

VALEDICTORIAN

Cloie Dale

PARENTS: Adam Dale and Tanya McCright of Oxford and Tara Turner of Anniston
GRANDPARENTS: Danny and Sharon Dale of Attalla, Lance Turner of Oxford, and the late Rita Commer

AWARDS AND HONORS: 33 ACT Composite Score, NCWIT Aspirations in Computing North Alabama Affiliate Award Winner, University of Alabama Honors College member, National Honors Society membership, Academic Excellence Awards from Oxford High School, Oxford High School Honor Roll of Academic Integrity member

ACTIVITIES: Archery team, Mu Alpha Theta, Oxford Public Library volunteer, Scholars Bowl, and FIRST and VEX Robotics

COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of Alabama on a Presidential Scholarship, an Engineering Scholarship and a Tutwiler Engineering Scholarship as a computer science major with a focus in machine learning and as a member of the Honors College



SALUTATORIAN

Emily Parrish

PARENTS: April and James Parrish of Oxford

GRANDPARENTS: Becky Norton of Heflin, Gary Parrish of Heflin, Chris Linn of Graysville and Charlotte Calloway Burdette of Fairburn, Georgia

AWARDS: 33 ACT Composite Score, National Honors Society, HOSA State Qualifier, HOSA State Finalist, HOSA Secretary, varsity swim team, swim team Coach's Award

CLUBS/ACTIVITIES: HOSA, OHS Ambassador, Mu Alpha Theta, Archery, Anniston Museum of Natural History volunteer, and SCUBA (Open-Water Certified)

COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of South Alabama Honors College on a Whiddon Honors College Scholarship and major in Biology with a concentration in Marine Science



HISTORIAN

Anna Abernathy

PARENTS: Clyde and Andrea Abernathy of Oxford

GRANDPARENTS: Clyde and Janice Abernathy of Oxford and Mark and Janet Weems of Oxford

AWARDS and HONORS: 33 ACT Composite Score, Jenny Howell Volunteer of the Year Award, Top 6 in the state of Alabama for HOSA all 4 years in Cultural Diversity and Disparities, National Honor Society, Lane Thweatt Jacket Pride Award and varsity cheerleading Leadership Award

CLUBS/ACTIVITIES: HOSA Future Health Professionals, HOSA President, Mu Alpha Theta President, OHS Ambassador, Key Club, varsity cheer captain for football and basketball, Antioch Student Ministries

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Georgia Tech at the Ivan Allen College of Liberal Arts as an Honors Student on a Georgia Tech Grant, an Ivan Allen College Dean's Grant and an AOD Star of Excellence Scholarship and major in Literature Media & Communications and minor in Sports Society and Technology



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G-L

Amaya Marie Garrett, Zurrell Xydale Garrett, Cara Nicole Gauldin, Collin Walker Goff, Dylan Scott Goodson, Ethan Tate Gregory, Chance Stephen Allen Griner, Reagan Marie Guillory, Nicolas Uriel Gutierrez, Makayla Janae Hale, Christopher Marshall Hall, William Scott Hamilton, Hannah Lynn Hankerson, Gretchen Abigail Harrell, Kloey Layken Harris, Kadence Randi Hawkins, Za'Kerria Sharva Hawkins, Aiden Thomas Haworth, Aejia Janay Heard, Carlos Eduardo Hernandez, Rodrigo Gonzalez Hernandez, John Gabriel Herndon, Jasper Macon Holcombe, Shiann Alexis Holt, Rylan Pierce Houck, Kennedy Jordan House, Dalton Dewayne Hudgins, Dylan Jordyn Huff, Kinsley Elisa Humphries, Briteon Lee Husk, Jeremiah Shannon Wayne Ingram, De'Asia Armoni Jackson, Imaryan Melan Jackson, Kiya Marie Jackson, Marquise Jairrels, Blake Alan Johnson, Karrye Janae Johnson, Liburti DeAsianae Johnson, Zaccheus Datron Johnson, Chloe Marie Jones, Haley Sheree Jones, Jadarian O'Neal Jones, Lynlee Claire Jones, Jeslyne Michelle Kelley, Brayden Paul Kellum, Landon Christopher Kennedy, Kylie Marie Kiker, Kara Alexis King, Jada Dyneisha Kirksey, Kasia Marie Kline, Kaylee Kritlow, Dylan Jacob Lackey, Ashley Myra Lamb, Kaylee Jonae-Louise LaPlante, Hasaan E Lawson, Chance JaBari Lemons, Rafael Leon, Anna Elizabeth Lewis, Anna Hope Lockridge, Wendy Maria Lopez-Gaspar, Sergio Angel Luevano-Aleman, Paola Alexandra Luis-Rosales

M-Q

Brooklynn Hope Maddox, Serena Grace Marable, Janiya Cornecia Marbury, Alexis Brian

Marcial-Hernandez, Anna Grace Marlow, Dakota Seth Martin, Isabella Day Martin, Christopher Martinez Barrios, Alex Martinez Reyes, Juan Manuel Martinez-Alvarado, McKinnlee Alana Mata, Jakayla LaShae' Mathews, Diarra Shanece Maull, Timothy Hayden Mayfield, Kayleigh Breonna McAbee, Aaron David McFarland, Jacob Carlton McFarland, Derrian Latrel McGee, Michael LaDarius McGraw, Nicholas Tyler Merriweather, Patrick Wesley Miller, Christopher Luke Milstead, Miguel Aiden Mitchell, Cynthia Monasterio Hernandez, Duvall Moore, Hunter Allen Moore, Madelyn Brooke Moore, Gavin Dakota Moseley, Terry Denota Mosley, Asia Muhammad, Mary Alexandra Munroe, Christopher Daniel Nava-Cardenas, Jayla Angelina Jolie Newell, Ngan Hoang Nguyen, Thuan Hung Nguyen, Karese DaMael Nolan, Kinslee Grace Nunn, Sebastain Nicholas O'Conner, Joseph Cole Painter, Gael Sabas Paredes, Arryanah LaShay Shontrell Parker, Zymir Kentrell Marqavis Parker, Emily Nicole Parrish, Kaylee Brooke Patterson, Ashley Nichole Paulson, Christopher Roland Perrelli, Mckenzie Grace Phillips, Tasia Marcella Phillips, Cecelia Isela Pierce, Robert Kyle Pilkington, Tanner Ryan Porter, Anna Maria Lynn Pruett, Kayla Madison Pruitt

R-T

Payton Michael Paul Ratliff, David Blake Ray, Hayden Reeves Ray, Jamal Christian Reddick, Abigail Elisabeth Reimer, Alex Reyes Romero, Layla Elise Reynolds, Nikolai Markovich Rider, Gerardo Rios Reyes, Brian Alan Rivas, Trenton Wayne Roberts, Jonathan Wesley Robinson, Samuel Henry Robison, Joey Nicholas Rochester, Yahir Rodriguez

Delgado, Damian Castellanos Rodriguez, Caroline Grace Rogers, Gracelyn Elizabeth Roney, Laci Paulette Rowe, Ashanti NiCole Ruffin, Allannah Teyria Scott, Madison Lee Scott, Payton Bradlye Scroggins, Brodie Ray Sewell, Kaleb Gregory Shelton, Mary Abigail Shulch, Savion Gervez Simmons, Antonia Simon, Christiyanna L Simon, Hailey Alexis Smallwood, Andrew Michael Smith, Donovan Heath Smith, Jordan Bray Smith, Parker Brannan Smith, Kinley Blake Sparks, Madison Paige Sparks, Garrett Ray Sprayberry, Mattison Brooke Sprayberry, Lauren Brooke Steeley, Jordan Antonio Stephens, Isabell Naomi Strickland, Ariana Leann Swain, Skylar De-lene Sword, Anna Caroline Tapley, Ajia Aree Taylor, Devin Kyle Taylor, Kaleigh Baylee Taylor, Thomas William Teeple, Caleb Andrew Tidwell, Isaiah Enrico Jamal Tijndaal, Luis Miguel Tims Becerra, Luke Nathan Turley, Jalon Jimmy Turner, Nia Jacole Twyman

U-Z

Diona Kennedy Ulmer, Jose Antonio Uroza Gonzalez, Minh Khoi Vu, JaKameron Tyree Walker, Megan Elizabeth Warhurst, Natalie Jo Warrington, Savannah Belle Watts, Sierra Grace Dyane Weekley, Dylan Deschain Whatley, Shay'nadd D Whitfield, Grayson Allen Whitley, Michael Ryan Whitley, Dillion Seth Wiggins, Madison Sue Wiley, Akaia' JaNera Williams, Ja'Mya Deanna Williams, JaKayla Myrunna LaTonya Williams, Maylaisha Nicole Williams, Tori Ann Williams, Justin Tyler Willis, Liam Conner Willis, Ella Nicole Wilson, Isaiah Rashaud Wilson, Mikiya Shanell Wilson, Gavin Lee Wixon, Kyler Braxton Wright, Raven Shantell Wright, Nicholas Lamont Young and Jaiden May Ziehr

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PIEDMONT HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 72 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Field of Champions **Baccalaureate:** 2 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Piedmont First Baptist Church **Speaker:** Kevin Ward

VALEDICTORIAN

Emily Farmer

PARENTS: Tiffany and Carlos Farmer of Piedmont
GRANDPARENTS: Beth and Michael McFry of Piedmont
AWARDS AND HONORS: All State Softball, All County Softball, All Area Softball, All Area Basketball, Mu Alpha Theta and ACT 25+ Club
ACTIVITIES: National Honor Society President, Student Government Association President, HOSA Future Health Professionals Treasurer, Peer Helpers, varsity softball and basketball
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University to pursue a nursing degree and become a travel nurse



SALUTATORIAN

Landon Smart

PARENTS: Amanda Smart of Piedmont and Brandon Thompson of Piedmont
GRANDPARENTS: Myra Kay Shankles of Gadsden and Carolyn and Ray McDonald of Piedmont
ACTIVITIES AND HONORS: All State Inside Linebacker, State Champions, 3A Lineman of The Year finalist, 4.0 GPA, football team captain, FFA, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta and wrestling team
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Davidson College on an Alabama Football Coaches Association Scholarship and play football and pursue a career as a math teacher and a football coach. I want to be able to have in impact on kids like my coaches have had on me. Coaches in the world do not realize how much they actually help young children mold into the people they are today



HISTORIAN

Breanna Roberts

PARENTS: Chris and Jodi Roberts of Jacksonville
GRANDPARENTS: Marie Kerr of Piedmont and the late Ralph Kerr, and the late Wayne and Linda Roberts of Weaver
AWARDS AND HONORS: ACT 30+ Club, National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, Highest Academic Average in Honors 11 Physics, Highest Academic Average in Honors 11 English, and Senior Homecoming Representative
ACTIVITIES: Marching band, drum major, Piedmont Centerstage Society Vice President, Student Government Association President, Health Occupations Students of America (HOSA) Secretary and Senior Leadership Team member
COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of Alabama at Birmingham on a Merit Scholarship and a UAB Supplemental Scholarship and pursue a doctorate degree in clinical psychology



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Thomas Jacob Adams, Hayley Skye Adkison, Marquis Alexander Baker, Raven Gambriia Baker, Hannah Nicole Barbee-Dobbs, Anna Grace Barber, Cloey Grace Bedwell, David Earl Bryan, William Edward Burkhalter, Courtney Ellen Burns, Michael Ethan Byers, Cody Tysean Calloway, Megan Dalilah Carruth, Jon Rusty Escamilla, Shane Austin Estes, Douglas Ridge Fagan, Emily Faith Farmer, Sarah Elizabeth Farmer, Ella Grace Floyd, Hayden Shane

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Breanna Michelle Roberts

G-L

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M-R

Adia Alexis Maddox, Daniel Robert Martin, Kaylin Grace McElroy, Tanner Reid McQueen, Jayloni Martel Morgan, Dawson Blake Morrison, Nakita Yakarra Owen, Josephine Paige Pace, Cayla LeeAnn Parris, Emilee Lynn Parris, Huntley Shane Pointer, Jordyn Alexis Pressley, Jamason Bryant Rainey, Steven Marcus Raney, Audrey Elizabeth Raulerson, Noah Bruce Reedy, Coleman Cale Reid,

S-Z

Jaylon LaBronze Sherrill, Landon Rayshon Smart, Hayden Joseph Smith, Lucas Chase Smith, William Peyton Smith, Anna Leigh Terry, Christopher Jacob Thompson, Cassius Gene Thompson-Fairs, Sherry Louise Tibbetts, Jackson Reece Tolbert, Javion Latrell Vanderford, Clayton Dale Vaughn, Trey Ashton Waddell, Kylie Madison Walker, Z'Hayla La'Faye Walker and Aaron Dwight Woodard

PLEASANT VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 70 **Commencement:** 4 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Pete Mathews Coliseum
Baccalaureate: 6 p.m. Tuesday, May 24, First Baptist Church of Jacksonville **Speaker:** Kelli Lloyd

VALEDICTORIAN

Marlie Kay Wright

PARENTS: Anthony and LuAnne Wright of Jacksonville
GRANDPARENTS: Maurice and Kay Wildman of Alexandria and Barbara Wright of Weaver
AWARDS AND HONORS: Student Government Vice President, Senior Class Treasurer, Homecoming Queen, Microsoft Certified, Dual English 101 and 102 awards
ACTIVITIES: Member of FBLA, FCA, First Priority, FCCLA, FOCUS Club and Beta Club, played basketball and golf, and is a member of Ohatchee Church of Christ Youth Group
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Merit Scholarship, a Leadership Scholarship and a JaxApp Scholarship and pursue a degree in Graphic Design & Entrepreneurship



SALUTATORIAN

Callie LeeAnn Ewing

PARENTS: Stacy Ewing of Jacksonville and Cody Ewing of Lincoln
GRANDPARENTS: Wayne Johnson of Jacksonville, Judy Johnson of Weaver, the late Betty Jennings and the late Wilbert Ewing
AWARDS AND HONORS: Top average in MS 112-113, All-A's throughout high school, and received a "Superior" rating at majorette competition
ACTIVITIES: JSU Dual Enrollment, member of the Beta Club, FCA, FCCLA, FOCUS Club and Key Club
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Auburn University and pursue a Bachelor's Degree in Pre-Pharmacy and a Doctorate of Pharmacy soon after



HISTORIAN

Laura Katherine Knight

PARENTS: Keith and Amie Knight of Jacksonville
GRANDPARENTS: Ted and Judy Knight of Birmingham and Larry and Laura Hughes of Jacksonville
AWARDS AND HONORS: Received the Speech Award and the Exchange Club "Youth of the Month" Award
ACTIVITIES: Dual Enrollment Social Media Chair, Dual Enrollment Representative, member of the Beta Club, FCCLA, FBLA, FCA, Key Club, plays golf and attends First Baptist Jacksonville
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Merit Scholarship and a Leadership Scholarship and major in Family Consumer Science, then attend Liberty University and pursue a school counseling degree and become a high school guidance counselor



SACRED HEART OF JESUS CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Class: 6 Commencement: May 17, Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church gym
Baccalaureate: May 16, Sacred Heart of Jesus Catholic Church **Speakers:** Bishop Steven Raica and Father John McDonald

VALEDICTORIAN

Anahi Jimenez-Jose

PARENT: Martha Jose Pascual of Gadsden

ACTIVITIES: Mu Alpha Theta, National Beta Club, A Honor Roll, 3rd place in National Beta Club state competition for creative writing Division III, 3rd place National Beta Club state competition poetry Division III, International Club, Beta Club and Art Club

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Gadsden State Community College on a Presidential Scholarship and a Start Strong Scholarship and major in pharmacy and then transfer to Auburn University



SALUTATORIAN

Ashley Garcia

PARENTS: Jesus Garcia and Maria Luna of Anniston

ACTIVITIES: All-A Honor Roll, Math Award, Science Award, Leadership in Beta Award, Senior Beta Club, International Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Art Club, Anniston Youth Council, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Calhoun County, Youth Leadership Calhoun County, Rotary Youth Leadership Award and Anniston Changers

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama at Birmingham on a Merit Scholarship to obtain a Bachelor of Science in Nursing and become a travel nurse



HISTORIAN

Tiffany Nguyen

PARENTS: Helen Nguyen of Anniston and the late Phillip Nguyen

GRANDPARENT: Bui Nga of Charleston, West Virginia

ACTIVITIES: Highest Average awards in English 11, US History II, Pre-Calculus and Earth and Space Science, Art Award and Beta Club

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama at Birmingham on a Merit Scholarship and major in marketing



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Nathan Caleb Auvil, Sofia Fernandez, Ashley Garcia, Erin Henry, Anahi Michelle Jimenez-Jose and Tiffany Hoang Kim Sang Nguyen

SAKS HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 76 Commencement: 8 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Saks Stadium, Jack Stewart Field **Baccalaureate:** 2 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Saks Baptist Church, 2945 US 431, Anniston

VALEDICTORIAN

Athiwat Promraj

PARENTS: Supatta Pruett and Tie Pruett of Anniston

GRANDPARENTS: Maliwun Pongprot and Somjun Pongprot of Ban Tai, Sawang Daen Din District, Thailand

AWARDS AND HONORS: All-County Soccer, broke Saks football PAT record, chosen Who's Who "Most Intelligence" and "Mr. Einstein," Perfect/Outstanding Attendance

ACTIVITIES: Honor Society, highest grades in Anatomy, Chemistry, Physics, Dual Math 101, Economics and Government, SADD Club and yearbook editor

COLLEGE: Plans to join the Navy as an SECF (submarine electronic/computer field) and attend school after a gap year



SALUTATORIAN

Katie Lynn Eberts

PARENTS: Jennifer and Shawn Eberts of Saks

GRANDPARENTS: James and Pam Walker of Warrior

AWARDS AND HONORS: Had a poem published by the American Library of Poetry, National Honor Society President, Senior Class Vice President, Leadership Award from Upward Bound, Who's Who "Miss Einstein," third place in Writer's Bowl

ACTIVITIES: Honor Society, SADD Club, FCCLA, Youth Coalition, Scholar's Bowl, Writer's Bowl and WWAP.

COLLEGE: Plans to attend UAB on a merit based scholarship and a supplemental scholarship and pursue a degree in Psychology and a Doctorate degree.



HISTORIAN

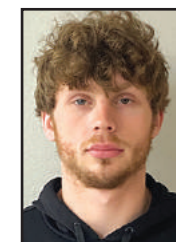
Connor Martin

PARENTS: Brandy Martin and Matthew Martin of Anniston

GRANDPARENTS: Karen Rust of Columbia City, Indiana and Clarence and Janet Martin of Anniston

AWARDS AND HONORS: National Honor Society, 4.3 GPA

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Gamecock Achievement Scholarship and study Forensics



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Mykail Javarek Abney, Cameron Dartanun Alexander, Darius Excel Almon, James William Barrett, Jahkeria Ceonna Beavers, Kace LaJuan Blake, Markeya Rezay Brown, Kendra Raeshawn Burks, Quenada Myona Carter, Taylor Leigh Carter, Alexa Abigail Castillo, Felicia Mary Chavez, Alexander David Coogler, Katie Lynn Eberts, Edricus Lashon Elston, Javion L Elston, Devon Metrius Fain, Jaiylla Angelie Fears, Tyrese Dion Funderburg

G-M

Rickey Jaquan Garrett, Shakerrian Lavon Gay, Jae' Kwon De'Marcus Glass, DeNiro Michael Raemon Goode, Jalana Latricia Gooden, Trinity Niobe Griffin, Keith Andrew Hall, Caitlin Brionna Harper, Ta'Zoria Unique Hester, Isis Si'Aona Kirby, Yahir Lazcano Serrano, Arthello Shamir Loundy, Naya Alyssa Lynch, Connor Lee Martin, Emma Elizabeth Ann Mason, Jamari De'ontae McBride, Jalen Curtis McCants, Darius LaDale McGhee, Nicholas Cameron McGhee, Andrew McLester, Etana LaShann

McLester, Jocelyn Dawn McWilliams, Andrew George Mifsud

N-S

Stormy Lee Nolen, Devon Lee Norman, Ryan Julius Owens, Sean Mekiya Parnell, Addison Elise Parton, Hunter Vernon Perez, Ikiaria Tashae Phillips, Tamaryn Marissa Pierce, Athiwat Promraj, Jashaun Emanuel Prothro, Hamani Ayauna Raines, Even Daniel Rios Torres, Braelan Myles Robinson, Parker Clay Rucker, Eduardo Santillan, John Reed Shaver,

TaVante' Seth Shropshire, Arielle Nicole Sillmon, Jonathan Rufus Simmons, Travis Antonio Stone, Keshawn Lee Streeter, Da' Cora Ienya Sullivan

T-Z

Brittany Faith Tenney, Collin William Tevepough, Cory Mershawn Thomas, Kayleigh Ireanna Thomas, Titus Abraham Thurman, Kendale Patrice Welch, TraDarion Montize Welch, Jerkeria Nicole Whitters, Devia'n Lane Wilkerson, Keilynn Meshona Williams, Joseph Ethan Wilson and Landon Scott Wilson

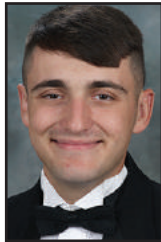
TRINITY CHRISTIAN ACADEMY

Class: 7 Commencement: 7 p.m.
Wednesday, May 25, Trinity Baptist Church
Speaker: Pastor Dale Butler

VALEDICTORIAN

Londen Matthew Springer

PARENTS: Matthew and Suzanne Springer of Ohatchee
GRANDPARENTS: Dale and Cheryl Butler of Ohatchee and Gene and Joetta Springer of Council Bluffs, IA
ACTIVITIES: National Christian Honor Society, National Honor Society, Beta Club, 2020-2021 basketball season MVP, All State tourney team
COLLEGE: Undecided but plans to pursue a degree in business



SALUTATORIAN

Samantha Maria Hughes

PARENTS: Amy Hughes of Lincoln and the late Roger Hughes Jr.
GRANDPARENTS: Catherine Ford of Lincoln and the late Roy Ford, and Roger Hughes Sr. of Montevallo and the late Teresa Hughes
ACTIVITIES: Member of the 2021 Volleyball State Championship Team, Best in Class Drum Major, Superior Drum Major, National Christian Honor Society, National Honor Society, BETA Club Vice President
COLLEGE: Plans to take basic courses at Gadsden State Community College and complete an Undergrad Degree in Biology at Jacksonville State University on a Gamecock Achievement Scholarship and an Academic Leadership Scholarship, then pursue a Doctorate in Pharmacology at Samford University



HISTORIAN

Jolie Elizabeth Rooks

PARENTS: Mark and Heather Rooks of Lineville
GRANDPARENTS: Jimmy and Ina Kay Rooks of Delta and Pat and Gay Hurst of Lineville
ACTIVITIES: National Christian Honor Society, National Honor Society, Beta Club, SGA, 2020-2021 Volleyball All Tournament Team, 2020-2021 Softball Team MVP
COLLEGE: Undecided but plans to pursue a degree in business



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Brandon Cohen Christopher Cheatwood, Anthony Heath Haynes, Samantha Maria Hughes, Ryleigh Genevieve Lindsey, Jolie Elizabeth Rooks, Brennen Chase Smith and Londen Matthew Springer

WALTER WELLBORN HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 64 Commencement: 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Wellborn High School stadium
Baccalaureate: 2 p.m. Sunday, May 22, West Park Heights Baptist Church

VALEDICTORIAN

Kamryn Amir Jackson

PARENTS: William Jackson of Anniston and Elston Marquia of Anniston
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Gadsden State Community College



SALUTATORIAN

Riley Sean Bushey

PARENTS: Dennis Bushey and Tiffany Bushey (step-mother) and Tracy Parton Bushey, all of Anniston
ACTIVITIES: Marching band (7 years)
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University and major in Criminal Justice and Law Enforcement and become a police officer with the Anniston Police Department and later apply to the FBI



HISTORIAN

Brayden Dempsey

PARENTS: Lee and Ashlon Dempsey of Jacksonville
GRANDPARENTS: Dennis and Diane Christopher and Kenneth and Jewel Dempsey, all of Jacksonville
AWARDS AND HONORS: A-B Honor Roll (6 years), Academic Letter (10th and 11th grades). Football: All County first team (11th and 12th grades), All Region first team (11th and 12th grades), All-State first team (12th grade), Quarterback Club Award. Baseball: 9th grade first team All-County Catcher, 11th grade All County first team DH, second team All-State (11th grade)
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University and major in mechanical engineering



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Cheyenne Nicole Alexander, Octavius Laray Allen, Janna Day Bentley, Tavaris Daniel Berry, Jacob Brian Blankenship, Landan Gregory Boyd, Riley Sean Bushey, Mariah Lynn Carroll, Beverly Chavez-Morales, Kevin C Clark, Mason Cole Cooper, Robert Dean Cooper, Caitlyynn Hope Daniel, Chase Hunter Davidson, Brayden Ross Dempsey, Heather Ann Downs, Chandler Andrew East, La'Quita Ann Ferguson

G-L

Ezra Lane Gilreath, Scott Christopher Gray,

Antoine Alexander Hale, Sallie Kate Hall, Laura Marie Hardy, Zachary Dalton Hayes, Kaleb Edward Holley, Faith Elizabeth Hulsey, Katelyn Brooke Hulsey, Amia Lashay Hunter, Camden Cole Ingram, Camden Cole Ingram, Cameron Cardell Jackson, Kamryn Amir Jackson, Kylee Alexis Jarrell, Gaebriel Kaege Southard Jenkins, Brady Alexander Johnson, Zachary Mason Land, Braxten Leevi Layton

M-T

Laila Dianne Manis, Franklin Wayne McCormick, Katy Alyse Milstead, Ella Noel Minor, Messiah Moore, Amari Michelle Morris,

Savannah Nicole Morrow, Jayden Sebastian Mosley, Beau Zane Neely, Joselynn Anastacia Newton, Timothy Ferrell Owen, Jaiden Vince Prestidge, Jaylon Shawn Saffold, Jeremiah Dewayne Scarbrough, John William Searcy, James Brody Smith, Meagan Elizabeth Thrasher, Austin Blake Tomlin

U-Z

Chase Login Webb, Mason Macarthur Webb, Donovan Scott Whatley, Braxton Jeremiah Wilkins, Zaybien Jamal Willis, Ja'Quil M. Wilson, Brianna Nycole Wyatt, Joseph Glenn Wyatt and Madison Grace Young

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

PLEASANT

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A-F

Annah Tyler Allen, Jacob Connor Amberson, Mackenzie Rhea Bailey, Hunter Alstin Bell, Jacob Shawn Bellew, Samuel Marshall Benningfield, Brody Robert Boozer, Luke Stephen Bridges, Kassie Malyia Britton, Conner Harris Bryant, Jason Wayne Burks II, Chloe Ashley Cram, Garrett Taylor Cranmer, Malcom Jerome Cross, Carolyn Grace Davis, Angelina Gianna

Diaz, Ruthie Elizabeth Dyer, Breanna Lynn Eubanks, Matthew Ryan Eubanks, Callie LeeAnn Ewing, Savannah Marie Fielder

G-M

Erin Danelle Gossett, Caleb Ray Green, Elizabeth Ellis Hall, Rylee Jade Haynes, Brooke Christine Herron, Logan Avery Hill, Gracie Lynn Hood, Brian Alan Hopper Jr., Joshua Glenn Hughes, Taylor Brooke Hunt, Brittany Diane Jennings, Ansilee Leavon Johnson, Lucas Dee Johnson, Sophia Caroline Johnson, Zeke Riley Johnson, Aliah Shae Kines, Laura Katherine Knight, Braydon Koa Woodrow Maye, Kidwyn Ciara McCollough, Serena Lin Swart Miller, Alexis Mae Mize, Kane Anthony Moncrief, Kay-

lin Michelle Moncrief, Jason Branson Mullinax

N-W

Taylor Brooke Nix, Keeley Elizabeth Ann Novak, Samuel J. Palmer, Chloe Madyson Parris, Pelham Hudson Parris, Jasmame Rose Pittenger, Jackson Douglas Ponder, Aspen Cheyanne Reaves, Ava Faye Register, Brayden Rodrick Robinson, Clayton Neal Robinson, Sylvia Rose Runfola, Tristen Lee Shaddix, Nathan Ryan Shaw, Jasmine Faythe Sommers, Hunter William Sparks, Jacob Asher Teal, Logan Dean Tulley, Abby Grace Whisenant, Destinye Carol Williams, Jaxen Sharon Williams, Carson Michelle Willis, Anna Elizabeth Worthy, Marlie Kay Wright and Nolan Blain Wyatt

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WEAVER HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 76 **Commencement:** 10 a.m. Thursday, May 26, Jacksonville State University's Pete Mathews Coliseum **Speaker:** Mayor Wayne Willis
Baccalaureate: May 17, First Baptist Church of Weaver **Speakers:** Pastors Keith Merritt and Mark Walker

VALEDICTORIAN

Dillon Michael Schlerf

PARENTS: David and Melissa Schlerf of Weaver

GRANDPARENTS: Sherry Schlerf of Weaver and Francis Weathington of Anniston

ACTIVITIES: Yamamoto Memorial Cup 1st Place point sparring, JSU Gamecock Gallop 2nd Place in age and sex division, All-County Honor Band, Solo and Ensemble superior rating (Alto Saxophone), UCP Walk, Run and Roll 5K 1st Place overall, Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Anniston Runners Club, National Leaders of America, karate, Math Team and Scholars Bowl

COLLEGE: Undecided



SALUTATORIAN

Jacob Wayne Hambrick

PARENTS: Kristin Hambrick of Anniston and Wayne Hambrick of Anniston

GRANDMOTHER: Joyce Brock of Anniston

ACTIVITIES: Trumpet Section Leader, Best Marcher Award, A Honor Roll, Microsoft Certified, Tech Team County 1st Place award, Scholar's Bowl, Math Team, Mu Alpha Theta, Tech Team, Beta Club, Marching Band and Concert Band

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a JSU Jax App Scholarship, merit-based scholarships, Mu Alpha Theta Scholarship and the Cody Watson Scholarship and pursue a career as a computer programmer



HISTORIAN

Lauren Michelle Powell

PARENTS: Rick and Sonia Powell of Weaver

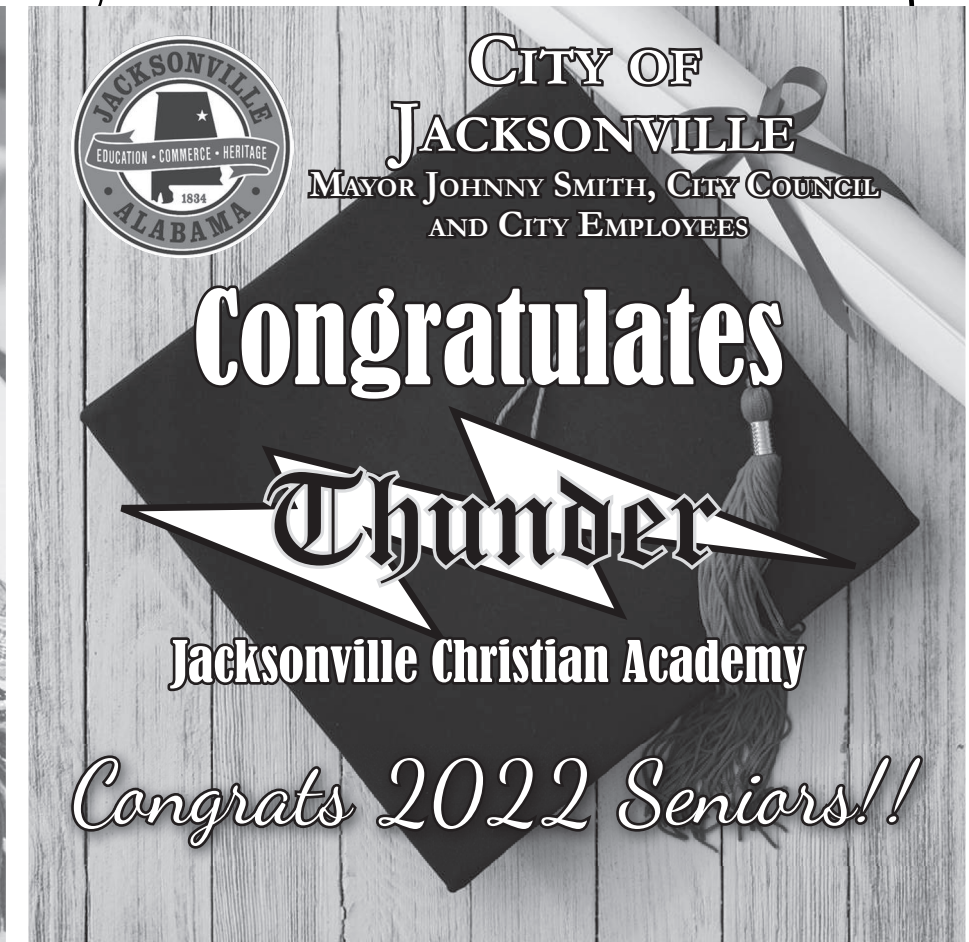
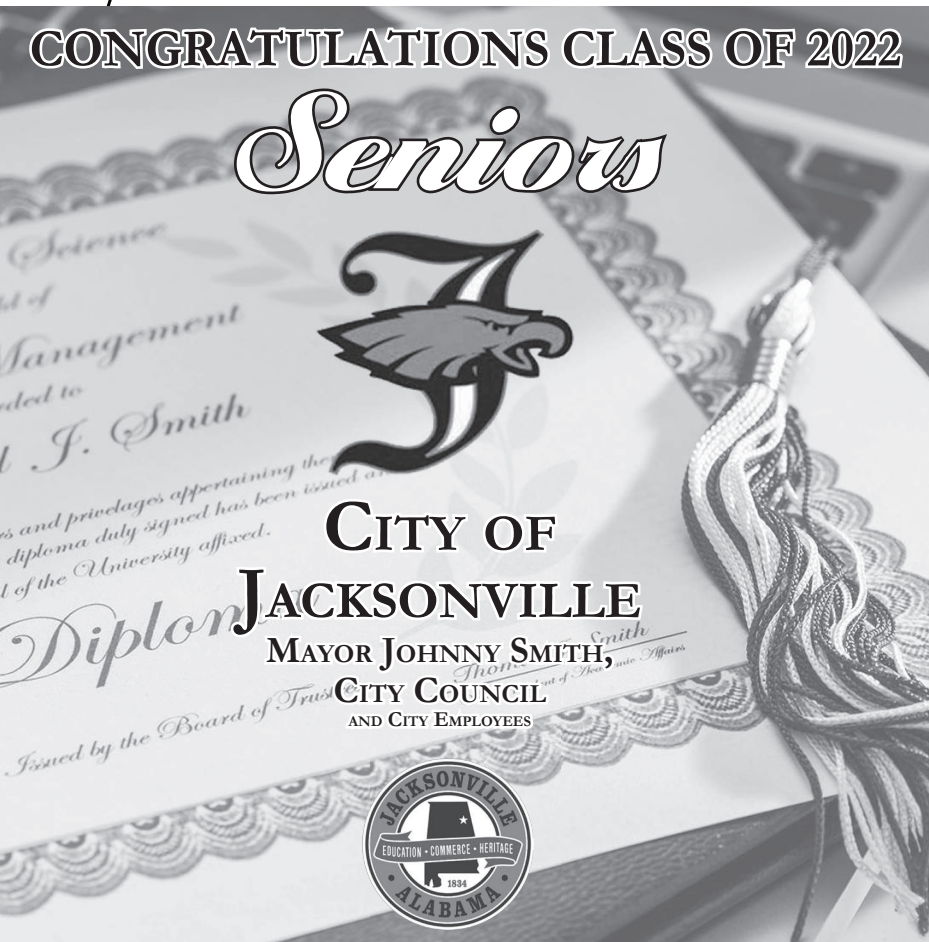
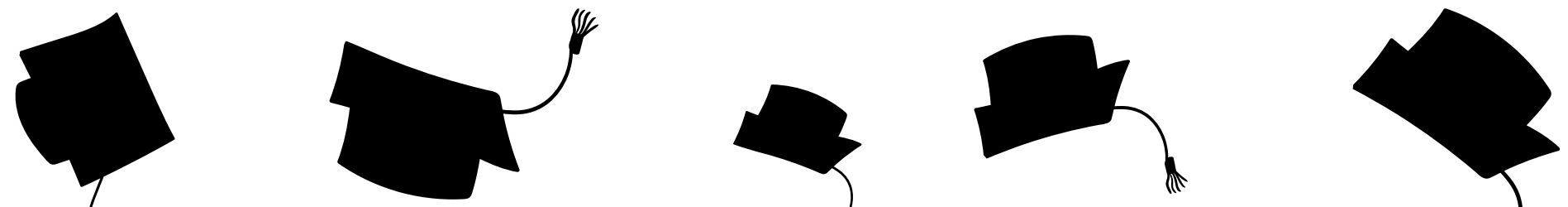
GRANDPARENTS: Martha Pate of Moody and Rick Powell of Gadsden

ACTIVITIES: 1st Place Calhoun County Math Tournament Algebra I, 1st Place ACTE Technology Fair at JSU two years in a row, two superior rating awards at Alabama Bandmasters Association, and saxophone section leader

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama on a Recognition Scholarship and an Alabama Advantage Scholarship



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WHITE PLAINS HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 106 Commencement: 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Robertson Field - White Plains High School
Baccalaureate: 7:30 a.m. Sunday, May 22, Golden Springs Baptist Church

VALEDICTORIAN

Baylie Layne Webb

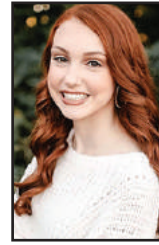
PARENTS: Derek and Amy Webb of Anniston
GRANDPARENTS: Carter and Diane Gable of Anniston and Teresa Heath of Anniston
AWARDS AND HONORS: Golf 2021 State Champion, Cross Country 2021 State Runner-up, 2021 Golf North-South All Star Team, Bryant-Jordan Scholar-Athlete Area 9 winner, cheer captain 10th and golf captain 11th and 12th
ACTIVITIES: Varsity golf, varsity cheer, varsity cross country, JSU dual enrollment student ambassador, and Beta Club
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Auburn University Auburn on a Spirit of Auburn Presidential Scholarship and the Jim and Lynn Hecathorn Scholarship and pursue a career in chemical engineering



SALUTATORIAN

Elizabeth Grace Ellis

PARENTS: Robert and Jennifer Ellis of Anniston
GRANDPARENTS: Marcia and Robert Ellis of Anniston, Bruce and Belinda Maddox of Anniston and Warren and Linda Turner of Anniston
AWARDS AND HONORS: Twelve consecutive superiors at the National Federation of Music Clubs Festival and Lettered in cross country
ACTIVITIES: FBLA, FCCLA, Beta Club, cross country, piano
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Gamecock Excellence Scholarship and major in elementary education



HISTORIAN

Maggie Michele Ross

PARENTS: Tony and Christy Ross of Anniston
GRANDPARENTS: The late Ed and Sarah Willis of Anniston and Bill Ross and the late Michele Ross of Anniston
AWARDS AND HONORS: Senior Class Vice President, A Honor Roll throughout high school, Varsity Letter in track and field, and Top 5 pole vault finisher at state track and field competition
ACTIVITIES: Beta Club, FCCLA, FBLA, choir, track and field, Key Club, and Praise team leader at Golden Springs Baptist Church's student ministry
COLLEGE: Plans to attend Auburn University on a Spirit of Auburn Founders Scholarship and an Ever to Conquer Scholarship, an AOD Federal Credit Union Star of Excellence Scholarship and an Elks Lodge Most Valuable Student Scholarship



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Emma Kenley Allred, Ruth Jasmina Alvarado Ruiz, Jayden Trace Alvarez, Jackson Alexander Arnold, Kendrick Darnell Ball, Brian Duke Barnett, Carlie Mattisyn Bell, Madison Lee Bonner, Tanner Patrick Boyd, Angel Cheyenne Bozarth, Landan Wesley Brimer, Sarah Roswitha Brosius, William Mason Busby, Rhett Edward Cain, William John Caldwell, William Michael Wayne Campbell, Conner Lane Cash, Layton Travis Cheatwood, William Fisher Chumley, Anthony Jacob Clements, George Arnold Coffee, Justin Wilson Crandall, Jaylee Grace Crow, Joshua Kyle Davis, Nicholas Wyatt Donaldson, Amber LeAnne Easterwood, Hayden Grant Eaton, Ashton Cole Elder, Elizabeth Grace Ellis, Peyton

Alexander Evans

G-L

Robin Faith Gardner, Dylan Richard Garner, Abigail Grace Gattis, Christian Adam Gooden, Savannah Danielle Griffin, Katelyn Rose Grounds, Avery Cole Guess, Jaxon David Haacke, Haiden Lee Hammett, Emma Brooke Harcrow, Paris Tylieak Hayes, Rome Tymieak Hayes, Peyton McKenzie Helms, Abigail Louise Hertz, Micah Brayden Hill, Hayden Shelby Hockenberry, Angelica Simone Hollings, Emma Katherine Howard, Hayden Lance Howard, Destiny Jean-Marie Isbell, Nicolas Drew Isbell, Alex Coan Jeffries, Caden Lowell Johnson, Ana Elaine Jones, Elijah Ray Jones, Samantha Danielle Kirby, Braden Cole Knight, Colby Brennan Knight, Kassidy Marie

Ledbetter, Daniel Amaru Lovett

M-Q

Callyn Benae Martin, Macey Lee Martin, Courtney Sue Masson, Shawn William Maverly, James Gage McClendon, Solomon Xavier Arthur McCoy, Janiyah Danielle McDonald, Joseph Wayne Morgan, Michael Davis Moudy, Summer Lee Moudy, Halle Lynn Nance, Daniel Joseph Norred, Henry Walker O'Steen, Jada Lee Anne Pace, Isabella Grace Parker, Tucker Marcus Pearson, Abbey Grace Peebles, Landon Wiley Poe, William Dywayne Pointer

R-T

Tanner Lee Reed, Emily Nicole Robinson, Maggie

Michele Ross, Tanner Cole Senciboy, Lucas Wayne Sewell, Emily Grace Sims, Madison Kylie Sims, Braydn Charles Smith, Billy Douglas Snyder, Adriana Christina Sotelo, Amaya Maricia Monique Spinks, Brenity Bless Sprayberry, Miller Reed Standley, Anna Cathryn Strickland, Thomas Glenn Taylor, Logan Reid Turner

U-Z

Lillian Hope Usry, Madelyn Diane Wade, Alivia Grace Ward, Baylie Layne Webb, Joshua Hunter Webb, Alexis Mykenzy Westerhausen, Sara Michelle Wheeler, Peyton Russell Wigington, Camden Marie Wilson, Brody Gray Woosley and Michaela Lynn Zimmerman

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

WEAVER

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A-F

Mya LaShea Allen, Devin Edwin Anderson, Jada Simone Anderson, Shalonda Renee Appling, Jacob Zane Benefield, Quinton Reed Blackerby, Miguel Angel Canchucaja, Briley Alexander Carter, Carley Jane Cash, Jesse Wyatt Cash, Brayden Glenn Character, Trevor William Clendenin, Americus Brooke

Conner, Carsyn Gray Crumley, Brandon Wayne Cummings, Kierra Maree Daugherty, Bradley Garrett Deese, Haleigh Alyssa Farrell

G-L

Damian Robert Generalo, Autumn Lora Grace, Katelyne Louise Gruber, Jacob Alexander Gunnoe, Jacob Wayne Hambrick, Nevaeh LaRaine Hawkins, Dylan Ryan Harrington, Hannah Rose Hise, Jabori Malik Hubbard, Adrianna Yvonne Jenkins, Layla Christina Jenkins, Kevin Dylan Kays, Jesse Shane Kelley, Mollie Maleah Kirby, Taylor Ann Lawrence, TiAna Elizabeth Lawrence, Johnathan Logan

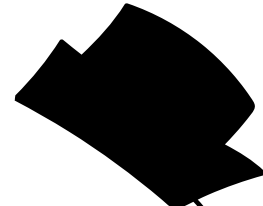
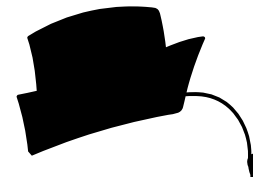
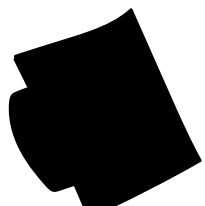
Levesque, Brianna Michelle Lewis, Brooklyn Kate Logan, Alexander Joseph Lowe, Richard Edward Lowe, Rebekah Grace Luce

M-Q

Brayden Heath Marvasty, Gabriel David Masaniai, Alanna Danielle McCain, Marcus Gavin McGinnis, Kendarrus Jerome McGregor, A'Lissa Marie McNeal, Grayson Scott Meers, E'Mya Janai Monroe, Jessica LeeAnn Nails, Ryan Christopher Odum, Gabriel David Omans, Caleb Allen Pelham, Kohl Aiden Perry, India JaMaurii Pope, Lauren Michelle Powell, Madison Ann Quick

R-Z

Carmella Michelle Reese, Lasha Renee Richmond, David Dewayne Riggs, Dalton James Alvin Rollins, Jazzmen Jade Salisbury, Madison Taylor Sawyer, Dillon Michael Schlerf, Pascal Laurin Schweizer, Paula Serrano, Ashton Dale Simmons, Katherine Elizabeth Simmons, Jace O'Neal Smith, Logan Grey-Sebastian Smith, Brooke Marie Taylor, Brooklyn Paige Thompson, Cameron D'Wayne Thornton, Hannah Marie Wade, Chandler Dakota Webb, Marlee Kayanna Wells and Aliyah Trinity Williams



CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL OF CLAY COUNTY

Class: 111 **Commencement:** May 19 **Baccalaureate:** May 15 **Speaker:** Joseph Stanford

VALEDICTORIAN

Amiyah Jade Smith

PARENT: Stephanie Smith of Ashland
GRANDPARENTS: Sandra and Jerry Smith of Ashland

HONORS AND AWARDS: Highest overall average in the school, member of the National Society of High School Scholars and the National Beta Club, SGA Reporter, voted "Most Likely to Succeed"

ACTIVITIES: Future Business Leaders of America - Phi Beta Lambda, Student Government Association, History Club, Math Club, volunteering and community service

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama on a Hagan Scholarship, Tallapoosa/Coosa/Clay Endowed Scholarship, UA Competitive Admission Scholarship and Weinstein Doran Endowed Scholarship and pursue a career as a personal nutritionist or dietician, own her own business (possibly a gym) and a nonprofit organization.



SALUTATORIAN

Harli Madelon Smith

PARENT: Kandycy McCain Smith of Ashland and Christopher Russell Smith of Cragford

GRANDPARENTS: Lori and Timothy McCain of Cragford

HONORS AND AWARDS: All A Honor Roll (grades K-12), CHSCC Marching VOLs Flute Section Leader, Lead Editor of CHSCC Multimedia Design, Varsity Scholar's Bowl Team Captain, CTE Student of the Month (February 2021), Marching Band, Symphonic Band, Multimedia Design, Scholar's Bowl, Math Team, FBLA and Senior Beta

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Gamecock Excellence Scholarship and a Pete Matthews Memorial Scholarship. Previously Dual Enrolled in 7 courses through JSU.



HISTORIAN

Mike Zheng

PARENTS: Yun Li and Gui Song Zheng of Ashland

HONORS AND AWARDS: Received a black belt, 6th grade class valedictorian, Art Camp Award, "Most Improved" section in band, All A Honor Roll and featured in a "Student Spotlight" newspaper article

ACTIVITIES: History Club, Math Club, Robotics Team and Drama Team

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Gamecock Achievement Scholarship and major in computer science.



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Bailee Elaine Baird, Brakston Cole Barkley, Jose Manuel Benitez Garcia, William Alexander Bentley, Kathy Michelle Blackmon, Brionna Paige Boivin, Lewis Ahmad Borders, Logan Tristan Bouck, Alley Nicole Businelle, James Kellen Caldwell, Ladarius Deontae Carswell Ward, Jarek Blake Character, Deborah Leigh Cleveland, Scottie Gene Cox, Fallon Seleste Crane, Destiny Cheyenne Craven, Harlee Shae Cullars, Jacob Ray Cushing, Jakob Wayne Denney, Isaiah Javon Denny, Zachary Lynn Duke, Christopher Nore Edison, Shacora Alexis Few, Hallie Rachel Fortner, Breana

Nicole Frank, Kenneth Beck Freeman

G-L

Rayven Sierra Garrett, Santana Diana Garrett, Kaleb O'Neal Gibbons, Brady Hunter Grice, Kobe Dustin Groce, Timothy Fain Hall, Austin Cole Harris, River Clay Hartley, Alayna Nicholle Hayes, Alexis Ann Marie Heard, Lori Marie Heard, Bethany Alise Hendon, Tanner Lee Higgins, Brooklyn Shyann Hill, Jonathon David Hill, Rodney Edward Hill, Hunter Lane Hornsby, Jamieon Marquest Hunter, Spencer Blake Johnson, James William Jordan, Jasmine Ariel Juarez-Perez, Thomas Brent Kiser,

Dakota Lane Knight, Peighton Claire Kunkle, Makayla Michelle Lacy, Zackary Ryan Lebeter, Autumn Jamie Lumpkin, Christopher Daniel Luria

M-Q

Lillian Paige Martin, Jayce Dean Maxwell, Jennifer Alicia Maya-Espinoza, Chandler Lane McClure, Anna Marie McCollum, Caleb Ryan McDonald, Landon Wayne McKay, Jakhiem Kadarius McLemore, Elisha Marittineze McNeil, Jordan Alexander Melton, Oseas Jaret Morales-Serafico, Caleb Griffin Morgan, Francesca Marie Morris, Carol Ann Oliver,

Rebecca Neomi Parsons, John Thompson Paschal, Cameron Lamar Pate, Catherine Maria Patterson, Julio Cesar Peraza, Jackson Lane Peterson, Colton Wayne Pettus, Raven Nicole Pierson, Brianna Nicole Pitts, Alexis Carol Price

R-T

Sydnee Rayne Reaves, Charlie Garrett Rice, Noah Alexander Roberson, Moises Solano Sandoval, Jenna Clair Saxon, EJay Tylee Simmons, Amber Leigh Smith, Amiyah Jade Smith, Harli Madelon Smith, Timothy James Staples, Austin Robert Stewart, Chasity LeighAnn Street, Judge

Bailey Strickland, Lauren Kate Strickland, Taylor Ryan Studdard, Wesley Ethan Suggs, Shyann Monae Thomas, Jakyis Amere Trammell, Autumn Nicole Traylor

U-Z

Kenneth Jacob Upchurch, Josue Nahum Villanueva, William Lane Wakefield, Anna Grace Waldrop, Kristofer David Wentzell, Amber Nicole White, Robert Evan Paul Whitley, Devin Bennett Williams, Kaylee Dawn Williams, Tyler James Williams, Paige Makenzie Woods, Clayton Kale Yates, Jennifer Adriana Zarate-Aguilar and Mike Zheng

CHEROKEE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 101 **Commencement:** 6 p.m. Friday, May 27, Cherokee County High School **Baccalaureate:** 5 p.m. Sunday, May 22, The ROC

VALEDICTORIAN

Audrey Josephine Green

PARENTS: Kevin Green of Centre and the late Tiffany Green

GRANDPARENTS: Jack and Brenda Loveless Clark of Centre and Faye Green of Centre and the late Douglas Green

AWARDS AND HONORS: Three-time Track State Champion, Girls State Representative, Bryant Jordan nominee, Prom Queen, and Basketball All Area/All County

ACTIVITIES: Beta Club, TAG, FCA, FCCLA, Youth Leadership Cherokee, Leo Club, basketball, track and cross country, cheerleader, tennis, and is an active member of Centre First Baptist Church Youth Group

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Villanova University on an Ian's Reason Scholarship and a Villanova Presidential Scholarship and pursue a degree in Biology on a Pre-Medicine Track



SALUTATORIAN

Alexys Bradley Jennings

PARENTS: Susanna Jennings of Centre and Gifford Jennings of Centre

GRANDPARENT: Edna Jo Jennings of Centre

AWARDS AND HONORS: Academic Excellence awards, ACT Award (scoring above a 30), scored a 5 on the AP Biology exam and scored a 3 on the AP English exam

ACTIVITIES: Leo Club, Beta Club, and yearbook editor

COLLEGE: Plans to attend the University of Alabama on a Presidential Scholarship and pursue a degree in Mathematics



HISTORIAN

Anna Brooke Ashlane Rainey

PARENTS: Sandie and Randy Rainey of Centre

GRANDPARENTS: Lane Stinson of Centre and the late Barbara Stinson, and James Rainey of Centre and the late Gaynale Rainey

AWARDS AND HONORS: 2nd Place in the State for Varsity Playwriting at the ACT Theater Festival, 4th Place for most questions answered at Scholars Bowl

ACTIVITIES: Leo Club Vice President, Beta Club Vice President, House of Representatives Chaplain for the Alabama Youth in Government Program (Legislative), Scholars Bowl Team Captain, Book Club, Math and Science Club, Teen Advisory Group (TAG), marching band, band captain, Sheet Music Librarian and Alto Saxophone Section Leader

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Troy University on a Scholars Award and a Music Scholarship to attain an English degree, then pursue a graduate degree and become an English Professor



CLEBURNE COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 114 **Commencement:** May 10, L.E. Bell Field **Baccalaureate:** May 1, Cecil E. Baker Gymnasium **Speaker:** Rev. Brad McVay

VALEDICTORIAN

Alexa Cheyenne Paredes Mize

PARENTS: David and Nazaria Mize of Heflin

AWARDS AND HONORS: Cleburne County High School 4x800 Track Record, Track & Field State Qualifier, Student Government Association Class Vice President, Homecoming Class Representative, Cleburne County High School Ambassador President, Student Government Association Class Secretary, Beta Club

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Gadsden State Community College to continue practicing precision machining and receive my certification. I am currently working at the Anniston Army Depot as a co-op machinist and will receive tuition assistance from the Anniston Army Depot to continue with my education.



SALUTATORIAN

Jayci Emma Boozer

PARENTS: Tammy and Chris Boozer of Delta

AWARDS AND HONORS: 2021 4A Alabama Softball Player of the Year and Area 7 Tournament MVP

ACTIVITIES: Beta Club, Math Club, FCCLA, Prayer & Bible Club
COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Tennessee Southern on an athletic scholarship.

FUTURE PLANS: Obtain a nursing scholarship and work while going back to school to become a Certified Nurse Anesthetist.



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Benjamin Andrew Adams, Marley Gale Ader, Elizabeth Frances Altman, Kalie Renee Angle, Cole Alexander Anthony, Brian Anderson Austin, Sesillea Lynn Becerra, Jacie Starr Bentley, Nickolas Drake Biggers, Zachary Arlin Biggers, Stacy Faith Blackburn, Jayci Emma Boozer, Karley Nise Boyd, Patrick Steven Bozeki, Ronin Elijah Brower, Alexis Elizabeth Grace Brown, Dayleon Elijah Brown, Jeromy Seth Brown, Matthew Layton Brown, Preston Doyle Brown, Trevor Wayne Brown, Kyree Ejeleah Bryant, Katelyn Elizabeth Burney, Brennen

Lee Butler, Robert Joel Campbell, Brodee Allen Cheatwood, Kit Allen Cheatwood, Maddeline Lee Cheatwood, Kadin Lennon Christy, Russell Harris Clanton, Jason Bryce Clark, Alyssa Brianna Cobb, Haley Spring Collett, Isabella Marie Contreras, Kayla Delane Dewberry, Ronald David Ervin

G-L

Landon Cole Gann, Trey Weston Gilbert, Trenton Ray Glenn, Katelynn Ann Gray, Molly Leigh Griffin, Paola Guadalupe Gutierrez Rubio, Lucas Grant Harcrow, Jacob Kurt Harris, Nevaeh Alishia Heard, Owen J. Henderson, Brody Nelson

Higgins, Ethan William Holt, Sarah Gwen Hunt, Camron Clay Hunter, Skylin Hope Hutchison, Jacob Charlie Jimenez, Eli Sebashton Johnson, Kayden Marie Johnston, Savannah Nyriah Jones, Taylor Ross Jones, Jaxson Scott Kemp, Caitlyn Lenae Lambert, Abreanna Charis Ledbetter, Anna Elizabeth Lee, Kayleigh Marie Lee, Megan Nicole Lehr, Jacy Layne Littleton, Marcus Antonio Lopez

M-Q

Isaac Joseph Marshall, Amber Marie Martin, Annsley Elizabeth Mayfield, Brooklyn Faith McDaniel, Coleton Lee McElroy, Lukkas Jake McNeese, Anna

Faith McVay, Brooklyn Mckenzie Messer, Jersee Reese Miears, Aric Michael Milinkovich, Alexa Cheyenne Paredes Mize, Brayden Oliver Moore, Kaci Elizabeth Morrow, Brody Wayne Oden, Tanner Laiden Pate, Glenn James Marcellius Payne, Landon Ayres Pointer, Hailey Autumn Price, John Thomas Pryor

R-T

Darius Ethan Ray, Rex Ezekiel Ray, Raven Michael Rider, Jackson Avery Roberts, Marissa Anne Roberts, Kieren Dayzion Robinson, Treasure Mashaiya Robinson, Emma Rae-Ann Rollins, Sarah Madison Rollins, Zachary Matthew Scott,

Jackson Andrew Lee Sessions, Tristen Terry Shelton, Kaitlyn Grace Shulch, Andrew Dale Smith, Ashley Hunter Smith, Omar Jose Socop, Tylar Blayne Stennett, Crimson Jacklyn Stone, Breanna Ellen Thompson, Jonathan Lee Tilley, Nolen Ashley Truett, Jonathan Andrew Tuggle

U-Z

Dakota Chantel Mae Waldrop, Sandi Grace Waters, Joseph Alden Weston, Alexander Brooks Whatley, Rosalie Elizabeth White, Sebastian Alexander Wilkerson, Evan Blaine Willingham, Tara Lynne Willingham and Kaleb Hunter Wright

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HANDLEY HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 103 **Commencement:** 7:30 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Handley High School Football Field **Baccalaureate:** 7 p.m. Monday, May 23, Handley High School Auditorium

VALEDICTORIAN

Nathaniel Ryan Pike

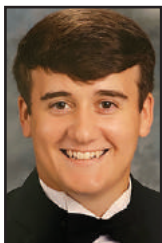
MOTHER: Amanda Horn of Roanoke

FATHER: Jody Pike

GRANDPARENTS: Debbie and Paul McMurray of Roanoke and Laura and Jerry Pike of Roanoke

ACTIVITIES: Academic Excellence with Academic Letters, Bryant-Jordan Student Athlete Achievement Award for Class 4A, National Honor Society, Homecoming King, Prom King, Grand Marshal for Roanoke's Christmas Parade, football, baseball, and FFA

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Auburn University on an All Auburn Leadership Scholarship, an Ever to Conquer Scholarship, The Spirit of Auburn Founders Scholarship, and the Thomas E. Turner Scholarship and major in genetics. He plans to pursue a medical career, become a hematologist, and practice in the blood and marrow transplant unit



SALUTATORIAN

Liana Caroline Mapp

PARENTS: David and Lisa Mapp of Roanoke

GRANDPARENTS:

Freddie and Debbie Boggs of Roanoke, Gerald Broach of Roanoke, and the late Billy and Gail Mapp, formerly of Roanoke

ACTIVITIES: Academic Excellence with Academic Letters, National Honor Society, National Society of High School Scholars, Theatre, Mu Alpha Theta, Anchor Club President and 2021-2022 DAAC Director

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Mobile of a Founders Merit Scholarship and major in musical theatre and go on to perform and minor in education to teach anatomy



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Shaniah MeAsia Allen, Yahir Alberto Altamirano-Acosta, Brannon Seth Arnett, Emelia Lashaye Askew, Almarion Raquez Bailey, Rondai Kendez Banks, Shy'keria Redesha Bell, Connor James Bickers, Tanaja Je'Nay Birdsong, Destiney Joi Brooks-Nolan, Caroline Elizabeth Brown, Derrick Omar Burton, Alayna Grace Calhoun, Maurice Duane Cameron, Donah Earl Pecasis Castor, Naomi Leigh Champion, Makylea Malone Cook, Jada Alexis Culbertson, Casen Gene Cummings, Arainna Nicole Dudley, Sidney Ruth Eidson, Sebastain Lee Exum, Annsley Brooke Farr, Chadie Michelle Farr, Trenton Adam Farr, Francisca Esperanza Flores, Omarion Tavon Foster, Jessica Amber Fuller

G-L

Richard Wylie Green, Richard Elijah Greer, Destiny Sierra Gregg, Alexis Madison Henry, Gabriel Braxton Hester, Jordan West Hester, Sekoria Lynn Higgins, Seth Nathaniel Hill, Trenton Bryant Hodges, Eli Drew Hodnett, Gregory O'Brian Joiner, Brittany Allison Jordan, Rachel Somone Kelley, Kiley Mark Kirby, Olivia Victoria Kirby, Taviona Shatashia Tony Knight, Zacchaeus Diamond Lane, Jacob Alden Lathinghouse, Ryder Jackson Laws, Malachi Elijah Lemonds, Amitcheon Quadae Lewis, Jaylon Jermaine Linson

M-Q

Blayton Cole Mangram, Dylan Wayne Manley,

Liana Caroline Mapp, Damian Rufus McGuire, Montavious Dayshon Meadows, John William Morgan Meeks, Carley Nicole Melton, Madison Nicole Moody, Megan Faith Moore, Jacob Braxton Morton, Joshua Carson Nash, Madison Alana Nash, Mallary Brianna Nash, Quintavious Tramon Nolan, Tiana Shynae Nolan, Ariel Amiracle Nunn, Raveona Sharna Owensby, Katia Morgan Paige, Halie Nicole Pate, Beniah Zynique Phillips, Myah Janae Phillips, Mackenzie Mae Pike, Malia Brooke Pike, Nathaniel Ryan Pike

R-T

Zyterryus Quantez Rhodes, Alex Dewayne Rider, Kylie Brianna Breeze Rowe, Trae Maliek Rowland, Ashton Zane Roysdon, Jasmyne Paige Roysdon, Taya Nicole Rushing, Karley Brooke Salas, Timmon Cole Scott, Camden Wayne Sledge, Tuzdai ShaNyah Smith, Senayah Ja'Garrian Staples, Nykobie Marques Stevens, William Joseph Thompson, Jacoriah LaDaye Tigner, David Robert Towers, Jayla Aleese Trammell, Tarcory Marshun Trammell, Tydrick Ladez Treadwell, Ricklen Collier Tucker

U-Z

Kassidee Dawn Veal, Destiney Rebecca Ware, Teanna Monyae Watts, Leeya Denise Weaver, Richard Kyle Welborn, Micheal Travon Wilson Jr., Cody Ryan Wisener, Ethan Jake Wortham, and JaMarion DaQuan Wright

HARVEST HOMESCHOOL

Class: 25 **Commencement:** May 12, Harvest Church of God **Speaker:** Col. Joel Warhurst

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

Christian Roy Abernathy, Austin Lee Barker, Jordane T. Bell, Shannon Charis Boutwell, Josiah Boyd, SaraLynn Boyd, Tessa Noelle Chevalier, John Davis, Jackson Will Fetner, Hayden Grant Ford, Kaylee Breanna Glass, Abigail G. Gunter, Clayton Bryce Hamlin, Caroline Ruth Hawbaker, Maribel Z. Hernandez, Jacob Hylton, Kelsea Lea Johnson, Sarah Grace Kyser, Austin Caleb Mayne, Brooke Elizabeth Moore, Brenden L. Odom, Courtney Ann Roberts, Mystalin Winter Haven Silver, Elijah Reese Tankersley and Briana Rhyane Thompson

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

CHEROKEE

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A-F

Dillon Scott Adrian, Emily Lynn Allen, Cyrus Blake Ashley, Alexandria Isabella Ashworth, Alyssa Jade Baker, Breanna N Baker, MeAnn Nykia Barrett, Randee Allee Bartlett, Zachary Dekota Bell, Mariah Jade Bentley, Anna Grace Brock, Mia Grace Brown, Trinity Erin Brown, Heather Zoe Nikailyn Carter, Braden Andrew Chandler, Gabriel Grant Chester, Ansley Faith Christopher, Lucas Cayden Chumbler, Carson Blair Coley, Robert Eugene Cowser III, Sidney Nicole Cuddy Reed, Byron Ray Daughtrey, John Evan Davis, Abigail Grace Durham, Gwendolyn Abbigail Ely

G-L

Miranda Dyann Gable, Jackson Clay Garmany, Angelina Jade Gibbs, Rachel Lanie Gibbs, Nicholas Kyle Gossett, Krystian Renee Graham, Audrey Josephine Green, Brian Thomas Green, Clavius Kebir Gresham Jr., Giorgio Guzzetta, Skyleigh Rhnea Hall, Kiley McKenna Harmon, Olivia Nicole Harris, Marcus A Hearn, Cody Edward Herrick, William Cambron Lee Hindman, Eugenia Faye Hooper, Logan Randall Hughes, Mackenzie Brooke Hunter, Alexys Bradley Jennings, Kahlea Chantel Johnson, Matthew Whitfield Johnson, Kamdyn Thomas

Kellett, Luke Timothy Kelley, Macey Nicole Keown, Madison Nicole Leonard

M-R

Zora Irene Mackey, Ashlyn Reese Maples, Hagan Gene Matthews, Matthew George McMichen, Aiden Lorange Mefford, Josue David Mejia, Vicente Daniel Mejia, Briley Julianna Meyer, Katelyn Grace Moat, McKinsey Moles, Samuel Andrew Monteith, Camron Steven Mooney, Conner Eric Motes, Olivia June Mullins-Windsor, Makayla Marie Nelson, Brooks Andrew Norton, Cameron Scott Norton, Nathan Shane Pitts, Walker Jaxson Pruett, Autumn Elizabeth Pruitt, Anna Brooke Ashlane Rainey, Emmanuel Ben Rains, Charles Damien Skylar Ramsey, McKenna Faye Robbins, Christopher Michael Lee Roberts, Jameson Jai Roberts

S-Z

Jesse Allen Sartin, Madison Lynn Smith, Hannah Elizabeth Sparks, Samantha Jo Stanley, Jakobe Lee Stroup, Kaitlyn Rayanna Teal, Tyson Jae Trammell, Christopher Lee Turney, Colin James Vaughn, Abbey Nichele Walsh, David Jay Watts, Brian Alexander Drake Weeks, Abigaile Faith Wells, Lance Peyton Whestine, Tristan Alan Whitefield, Claire Victoria Williams, Shyann Eliz Williams, MarCelous Deangelo Wilson, Robert Isaiah Garrod Wood, Barrett Matthew Woodall, Austin Rayne Young, Call Rooks Young, Chelsi Sierra Young and Shawn Tanner Young



LINCOLN HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 134 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Keith Howard Memorial Stadium **Baccalaureate:** 6 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Eastaboga Baptist Church

SUMMA CUM LAUDES

Erin Reed Barker, Madison Elizabeth Barnhart, Jorji Nevach Cowger, Clarke Nichole Cunningham, Christopher George Curry Jr., Noah Cole Falkins, Keyana Necole Groce, Skyler Mackenzie Hickman, David Elijah Jacobs, Marissa Kay Jackson, Destiny Malissa Keener, John Scott Kelly, Jaylah Nickol King, Brianna Charleese Payne, Jack Cager Poarch, Cole Franklin Roberts, Reuben Luke Wallace, James Anthony Weldon Jr., Alexandra Grace Wilson, Addison Hope Woodruff, McKynlee CheyAnne Young and Ja'Brya Makerria Zackery

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-F

Hayan Denea Alverson, Kinidi Nikohl Areheart, Isaiah TayShaun Ashley, Erin Reed Barker, Madison Elizabeth Barnhart, Parker Reed Bass, Bryson Cole Bean, Keonzeay Ranasha Beavers, Billie Lynn Blackwell, Stephen Kaden Daniel Bowman, James Tillson Brasher, Olivia Grace Burke, Jena LaDuskie Burns, Kamden Lexxus Burns, Emily Grace Camp, Koby Braden Chastain, Shaylee Jade Clapper, Christopher Garris Clecker, Aden Luke Collier, James Curtis Cooper, Olivia Lauren Corby, Jorji Nevaeh Cowger, Mckenzie Lynn Cromer, Caleb Tristen Crow, Clarke Nichole

Cunningham, Christopher George Curry Jr., Jamarion Anthony Cross Curry, Shariya Nikole Curry, Kylie Madison Davidovich, Jakorrian Riley Davis, Kendall Kirksey Davis, Luis Daniel Diego-Avendano, Victoria Lynn Dooley, Shelby Elizabeth Dunaway, Cor'Tavion Marquise Elston, Noah Cole Falkins, Anya Shaylce' Flournoy

G-J

Zackery James Gable, Gavin Miller-Wells Gaddis, Connor Weston Gaither, Harley Allen George, Trenten Issac Givens, Cornelius Martez Glass, Morris Cornell Goode, Precious Monet Green, Keyana Necole Groce, Makayla Demetria Groce, Zackery Kyle Gurley, Glyntavius Anton Hall, Morgan Ansleigh Hallmark, Morgan Alexandria Haney, Timarion Tyrese Harmon, Ja'leel Quartre Harris, Shyana Grace Burgess Harris, Brandon Dudley Hawkins, Maegan Sheree Haynes, Ashton Wayne Heath, Jaime Renee Heath, Isaiah Denzel Herrington, Skyler Mackenzie Hickman, Emma LeeAnn Hobbs, Kenbria D Mya Howard, Zachary Ethan Hughes, James Adam-Micheal Ieronimo, James Clay Ingram, Marissa Kay Jackson, David Elijah Jacobs, Michael Lee Jacobs, Autumn Shey Johns, Hannah Makenzie Johnson, Hunter Lee Johnson



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Front, left to right: Keyana Groce, Clarke Cunningham, Marissa Jackson, Erin Barker, Addison Woodruff, Brianna Payne and Skyler Hickman. **Back, left to right:** Cole Roberts, David Jacobs, John Kelly, Ja'Brya Zackery, Alexandra Wilson, Destiny Keener, Jorji Cowger, Madison Barnhart, Jaylah King and Jack Poarch. **Not Pictured:** Christopher Curry, Noah Falkins, Luke Wallace, AJ Weldon and McKynlee Young.

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MUNFORD HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 100 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Munford High School Stadium

SUMMA CUM LAUDES

Jose Arroyo, Katelyn Blackerby, Corbin Callahan, Graham Callahan, Jazmyne Carlin, Breanna Clark, Taylor Darby, Tyler Ferguson, Abigail Gaither, Kyler Gibson, Kelsey Goodson, Gracie Irvin, Brooklyn Mayo, Kambrya Meadows, Connor Morgan, Mekiah Mosley, Baylee Pounders, Kirsten Rogers, Rachael Sanders, Jacob Shears, Tanner Thornton, Sara Tipton, Jayden Smith, Jaiden Turner

DaeShon Garrett, Alijah LaPaul Gooden, Khalia Miyone Gooden, Laura Addison Gray, Liliith Michelle Green, Macon Seth Griffin, Tomisha Raychelle Hayes, Zander Bruce Haynes, Nollan Ryan Haywood, Gabriel Carson Hodge, Caderio Zuriel Holland, Markell Lavon Holt, Colt Morgan Hotsenpillar, Conner Lee Hughes

I-R

Brody Cash Irvin, Dawson Luke Irvin, Jonas Alexander Jackson, Harley Steel Kerr, Jayden Blaze Lathem, Heather Shaye Ledbetter, Aiden Thomas Marquardt, John Allen Mayer, Haydon Paige Metzger, Cameron Keyshaun Miller, Dakota Daniel Miller, Nolan Anthony Miller, Aniyah Veronica Peeples, Aiden Bret Pope, Hannah Grace Rainey, Kaylin Mae Rainey, Kelly Jo Randall

S-Z

Savannah Teresa Sadberry, Dasia Sha'Quan Samuel Kadence Elizabeth Sanders, Andrew Antonio Shephard, Corbin James Smith, Jayden Kale Smith, Shaelyn Breanna Stephens, Tyler Martin Stephens, Briana Nicole Thomas, Jayden Xavier Traylor, Cameron Reese Wallace, Olivia Cheyenne Walton, Caleb Rodney Watts, Jessie Wayne Watts, Astrid Wren Wesley, John Paul Wesley Jr., Samuel Blackburn Whitten, Nieshia Deshontae Williams, Yasmin Nakiya Wilson, Jacoby Derell Young and Roderick Alijah Young



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Front row, left to right: Jazmyne Nichole Carlin, Mekiah Shandrea Mosley, Jacob Ryan Shears, Sara Kaye Tipton, Brooklyn Paris Mayo and Abigail Rose Gaither. **Row two:** Rachael Ray Sanders, Katelyn Michelle Blackerby, Gracie Marie Irvin, Kelsey Tru Goodson, Kirsten Leigh Rogers and Taylor Elese Darby. **Row three:** Kambrya Nylice Shonde Meadows, Tanner Patrick Thornton, Breanna Lynn Clark and Baylee Nicole Pounders. **Row four:** Jose Anthony Arroyo, Jaiden RaShad Turner, Joseph Connor Morgan and Graham Owen Callahan. **Row five:** Tyler Laine Ferguson, Kyler Glenn Gibson, Corbin Reese Callahan and Jayden Kale Smith.

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-C

Ja'Quan RaShad Anderson, Jessica Leann Anderson, Jayden Lee Bates, Gary Daniel Beckman, Devan Layne Bonner, Destiny Michelle Bowman, Lindsey Helena Bowman, Landry Scott Bradford, Landon Drake Bridges, Jacob Hiram Burdette, James Dilon Butterworth, Brooklynn Lauren Byers, Michael Andon Carney, Summer Lee Carr, Kevin Luke Carson, Davon Gray Casey, Vonquel Keshaud Chapman, Madelynn Diane Cobb, Mali Margaret Cofield, Alaina MaryEllen Colson, Tamiya Jabria Curry

D-H

Abigail Nissi Daniel, Cheslee Jayden Duke, Christopher Derundez Evans, Christian Garrett Foshee, Sherman

RANBURNE HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 44 **Commencement:** May 9, Harlen Robinson Field **Baccalaureate:** May 8, Ranburne High School gym **Speaker:** Chris Henderson

VALEDICTORIAN

Zoe Rae Braggs

PARENTS: Misty and Shane Braggs of Ranburne
GRANDPARENTS: Denise and Jerry Braggs and Linda and Terry Richardson, all of Ranburne
ACTIVITIES: Competitive dancer, teacher and choreographer at the Dance Center on Main, Hollywood Teen Connection Teen Company Team Captain, Senior Beta Club President, Senior Class Treasurer, Mentor with the RES Mentoring Program, Prayer and Bible Club leader, and a volunteer at Feeding Cleburne
COLLEGE: Plans to major in dance at Chapman University (Orange County, CA) on a Chapman Provost Scholarship and become a professional dancer



SALUTATORIAN

Joseph Randall Shearer

PARENTS: Joseph Hollis, Jr. and April Shearer of Heflin
GRANDPARENTS: Brenda and Joseph Hollis Sr. of Roanoke and Debbie and Danny Harris of Marietta, GA
ACTIVITIES: Varsity Football Team Captain, Math Team, Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Wrestling Team
COLLEGE: Plans to attend the United States Air Force Academy (Colorado Springs, CO) on an Air Force Academy scholarship and major in computer science



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-K

Madison Nicole Alewine, Zoe Rae Braggs, Aidan Wesley Carroll, Aden McCall Chambers, Clancy Lenore Cone, Jonathan Tyler Craft, Eli Martin Davenport, Gracie Alyssa Dearman, Sawyer Case Downs, Taylor Jordan Duke, Lila Noelle Forsyth, Riley Jase Gibson, Kaleb Dean Harman, Ashline Grace Herrell, Jes David Hewitt, Jennifer Abigail Howle, Christian Storm Isbell, Benjamin Robert Jackson

K-R

Tristen Arley Keeton, Jaxon Coy Langley, Martina Kayelee Ledbetter, Ashten Klaire Lewis, Tatum Bazz Martin, Mason William Merrell, Caden Ryan Mitchell, Kirsten Zoe Noles, Austin Drew Olds, Kylee Cornelia Prestridge, Jason O'Neal Lee Prichard, Auburn Danielle Rollins, Ethan Curtis Rowe

S-Z

Hunter Lee Salers, Joseph Randall Shearer, Jeremy Tyler Slaton, David Mack Smith, Santana Simone Smith, Riley Morgan Spruill, Mason Lee Stewart, Hailey Joanna Thompson, Jonathan David Vaughn, Nevaeh Faith Waits, Jacqueline Renee Weber, Jaydon Richard Williams and Chloe Myra Yates

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RANDOLPH COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 52 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Tuesday, May 24, Hulond Humphries Stadium,
Ron Watters Field **Baccalaureate:** 3 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Randolph County
High School auditorium **Speaker:** Timothy Alexander

VALEDICTORIAN

Matthew Riley Husk

PARENTS: Matthew and Crystal Husk of Lineville

GRANDPARENTS: James and Vickie Forester of Anniston

ACTIVITIES: Mu Alpha Theta, FFA, SkillsUSA, Osha Certified, NCCER Certified and BQA Certified

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University on a Gamecock Achievement Scholarship



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-L

Mollie Jo Akins, Juan Daniel Aquilar, James Connor Bain, Sarah Madison Barnes, Damien D'Von Bryant, Austin Chase Butler, Aurora Grace Cooper, Jennifer Sanchez Cortes, Samuel Cortes-Chalchi, Madison Danielle Daniel, Christopher Nathan Dick, Joshua Levi Dick, Jasmine Alyse Dorries, Blake Preston Evans, Jessica Maeve Gaines, Patrick Terrell Gordon, Olivia Renee Harris, Hunter Blake Wayne Holloway, Matthew Riley Husk, Lillyan Kate Jordan, Zatahia Lashay Keith, Davon Trent King, Arianna Michelle Knight, Bryson Lee Laney, Markel Javion Lee, Kristian Wesley Lipham

M-Z

Elizabeth Ann MacNear, Andrew Scott McKenzie, Caden Johnson Mercer, Aragonn Gauge Mitchell, Kaitlynn Laurel Overton, Summer Ann Pauley, Zachary Holton Payne, Gage Dakota Pinson, Sara Elena Roman, Hailey Alexis Sears, Timothy Alex Shelnett, Rickey Rodriguez Sims, Abby Larae Smith, Natalie Dale Spruill, Hailey Skye Stallworth, Kaeli Aiyana Stewart, Payne Garrett Stitcher, Shyann Nicole Swafford, William Brent Swanson, Chloe Marie Thackston, Zoie Lynn Thackston, David Bryant Thrower, Ronald Hernandez Torres, Diana Isabel Velazquez, Joseph Eugene Williams and Kiley Mckay Williamson

SALUTATORIAN

Diana Isabel Velazquez

PARENTS: Juana and Rumaldo Velazquez of Wedowee

GRANDPARENT: Israel Velazquez of Chiapas, Mexico

ACTIVITIES: Senior Beta Club, FCCLA, and received honors for career technical education and for an advanced diploma

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Southern Union State Community College on a Presidential Academic Scholarship, then transfer to a university



HISTORIAN

Kiley Williamson

PARENTS: Tina Jennings of Roanoke and Bill Williamson of Wedowee

GRANDPARENTS: Robert and Kathy Stewart of Munford, Katie Campbell of Oxford, and the late Imogene and Cecil Lindley, formerly of Wedowee and Oxford

ACTIVITIES: Competitive dance at The Dance Center on Main, Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, Junioresettes, FCCLA and Key Club

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Southern Union State Community College on a Presidential Scholarship



SPRING GARDEN HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 52 Commencement: 5 p.m. Thursday, May 26, Gadsden State-Cherokee Arena, Centre
Baccalaureate: 3 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Goshen United Methodist Church, Piedmont **Speaker:** Michael Dunbar

VALEDICTORIAN

Raegan Emily Rogers

PARENTS: John and Daphne Rogers of Spring Garden

GRANDPARENTS: Paul and Joan Rogers of Spring Garden and Jimmy Kennedy of Piedmont and the late Sherry Kennedy

ACTIVITIES: National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, Beta Club, A Honor Roll, Youth Leadership Cherokee, yearbook staff, President of the Spring Garden FFA Chapter and the Alabama FFA North District, varsity basketball videographer, varsity football statistician, volunteered with the McCords Crossroads Homemakers Club, and is a member of the Piedmont Church of Christ

COLLEGE: Plans to serve as an Alabama FFA state officer and attend Auburn University and pursue a degree in engineering



SALUTATORIAN

Abbey Grace Steward

PARENTS: Brandon and Stephanie Steward of Piedmont

GRANDPARENTS: Felicia and Mike Steward and Russ and Alicia Gilley, all of Piedmont

ACTIVITIES: National Honor Society, FCCLA, Mu Alpha Theta, Beta Club, All-A Honor Roll, Youth Leadership Cherokee, Prom Committee, yearbook editor, FCCLA co-president, Senior Class President, received Good Attendance awards, played volleyball, basketball and softball and received multiple awards including All County, All Area, All State in each sport, selected one of the 2020 Top 20 Players in 1A Softball, and is a member of the Piedmont Church of Christ

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University and major in elementary education



HISTORIAN

Emmaleigh Suzanne Carter

PARENTS: William Carter and Mallory Carter of Cedartown, Georgia

GRANDPARENTS: Elmo and Alice Carter of Cedartown, Georgia

ACTIVITIES: Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, yearbook staff, FCCLA, received her credentials for guest service gold, All-A Honor Roll, lettered on the varsity basketball team and the varsity volleyball team, was a 2021 All County Volleyball pick, and was a member of the 2018 Basketball State Championship Team, 2019 Volleyball Region Championship Team, 2019 Final Four Volleyball Team, 2020 Final Four Volleyball Team, and two-time Volleyball Area Championship Team, and was voted "Most Original" by her classmates. She attends the Second Baptist Church of Cedartown

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Jacksonville State University and pursue a marketing degree



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WOODLAND HIGH SCHOOL

Class: 41 **Commencement:** 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 25, Warren Sewell Field **Baccalaureate:** 6 p.m. Sunday, May 22, Bethel East Church, Highway 87

VALEDICTORIAN

Abbi Grace Adamson

PARENTS: Jennifer and Chase Adamson of Roanoke

GRANDPARENTS: Barry and Sandra Edwards of Woodland, Ken and Dianna Morrison of Rock Mills, and the late Tommy Adamson of Roanoke

AWARDS AND HONORS: Sr. Beta Club President, 1A/2A Cheerleading Gameday State Champion, Woodland FFA Chapter Sentinel and Alabama Girls State Court of Civil Appeals State Officer

ACTIVITIES: Member of the Sr. Beta Club, Mu Alpha Theta, FFA, yearbook staff, varsity cheerleading squad co-captain and played varsity volleyball

COLLEGE: Plans to attend The University of Alabama on a 4-year full tuition competitive academic scholarship and major in general business and minor in political science



SALUTATORIAN

Eli Daniel Rollins

PARENTS: Wayne and Mandy Rollins of Woodland

GRANDPARENTS: Jackie and Shelba Rollins of Woodland and David and Sandra Daniel of Woodland

HONORS AND AWARDS: Bryant Jordan Award nominee, Alabama Boys State Delegate, 1A Region 5 First Team for Football and 1A Area 7 First Team for Baseball

ACTIVITIES: Beta Club Secretary, Mu Alpha Theta Treasurer, basketball, yearbook staff, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and National Society of High School Scholars

COLLEGE: Plans to attend Southern Union State Community College on a Presidential Academic Scholarship, then attend Auburn University to pursue a degree in Agricultural Business and Economics



CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

A-K

Abbi Grace Adamson, June Michelle Akins, Mick Josh Bailey, Logan Edward Barrett, Tate Stewart Bradford, Luke'a William Brown, Austin Kenneth Champion, Chloe Bryce Chappell, Sailor Ace Cospier, Kendal Brooke Covington, Jake McCain Crowson, Samuel Kenton-John Dalrymple, Kenneth Craig Davidson, Caleb Patrick Dempsey, James Venton Fox, Ethan Scott Freeman, JT Terrill Garrett, Austin R Hawkins, Logan Chase Heard, Jaeden Nickolle Herring, Justis Charles Herring,

Riley Jaden Hines, Calen Jamar Houston, Laci Louise Kelley

L-Z

Jackson Edward Lovvorn, Ansley Samuel Maddox, Guy Lewis McManus, Chandler Maguire Mitchell, Shannon Denae Moore, Xander Guadalupe Morales, Hanna Mikayla O'Steen, Daniel Levi Pearman, Eli Daniel Rollins, Emilie Cora Smith, Jacob Nathanael Smitherman, Justin Kip Strain, Bradly Austin Terrell, Saranda Renae Traylor, Shayna Mae Waldrop, Abigail Makenzie and Parker Hayes Woodham

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

LINCOLN

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K-P

Destiny Malissa Keener, Chorion Zaruntae Kelly, John Scott Kelly, Skyla Nicole Kepple, Jaylah Nickol King, Aniya Breuna Kirksey, Michael Perry Lawson, Shurvortae Hoyett Lawson, Seth Cameron Lett, Elijah Ricardo Lewis, MaKayla Kylee Dawn Lovell, James Alexander Luker, Cameron Brace Marsh, Dawson Chase Matthews, Zavion Kamar McCluney, Payton Rae McDonald,

Landon Lee McLendon, Kawliga Edgar Miller, Peyton Tyler Miller, Le'Nayah Chantel Montgomery, Grace Olivia Muller, Nicholas Michael Munroe, Malikai Ostin Myers, Brianna Charlease Payne, Correuna Bre'shay Pearson, Alexa Valeria Pena, Jack Cager Poarch

R-Z

Jaylon Dewayne Rivers, Cole Franklin Roberts, Nicholas Colin Robinson, Alaina Rachele Saginar, Julian Miguel Sanchez, Angel Lynn Schube, Marcus Isaiah Sego-Hodge, Trinity Akasha Shannon, Krystal Mariah Shyann Simmons, Zakobe

Eli Simmons, TaNyiah Trena Sims, Landon Lee Smith, Emily Marie Sprayberry, Malakai Aleczander Straw, Makiah T'Nae Swain, Jai Aremu Tanner, Brooklyn Shay Taylor, Daniel Ray Taylor, Madison Dean Vick, Hayden Ray Vincent, Krista Fern Vincent, Reuben Luke Wallace, Brayden Huntley Watson, Ry'Daija Teshae' Wells, Charity Nicole White, Brodie Maguire Williams, Alexandra Grace Wilson, Kinsley Meikel Wilson, Gwendolyn Lee Windom, Devyn Marque Witten, Addison Hope Woodruff, Jaycee Gabrielle Woods, Jayden Gavin Woods, Zacchaeus Xavier Wren, McKynlee CheyAnne Young and Ja'Brya Makerria Zackery

CANDIDATES FOR GRADUATION

SPRING

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A-F

Cooper Reece Austin, Buffy Amaya Bailey, Gavin Scott Bass, Timothy Andrew Bates, Tanner Brooke Battles, Brianna Leigh Boles, Madison Nicole Brown, Emmaleigh Suzanne Carter, Faith Noel Chamblee, Zachary Eugene Champion, Matthew Thomas Christian, Jasi Alyssa Danford,

Devan Jacob Davis, Emily Faith Driskell, Christopher Brian Edwards, Connor John Edwards, Charles Andrew Floyd, Joshua Coleman Forrister

G-L

Haley Cheyenne Giddens, Bradley James Gordon, Meadow Elizabeth Gossett, Landon Jayse Gowens, Camille Rae Haggard, Aidenn Lestat Henderson, Dakota Andrew Hudgins, Denver Terry Jarrett, Alle Alexis Jennings, Daniel Lamar Johnson, Zachary Andrew Kerr, Kylie Breann Kirk, Allison Bayleigh Lambert, Elizabeth Shae

Langston, Zoie Hanna Ledbetter, Hunter James Lewis, Thomas Tristan Lewis, Kayley Rae Lovett

M-Z

Jessie Logan McGatha, Sarah Kate McKay, Katelyn Mckenzie Nation, Kashlynn Paige Perry, Jonathon Mark Poole, Phillip Charles Pope, Jackson Reynolds Rogers, Larry Jamal Rogers, Raegan Emily Rogers, Cristian Alexander Simon, Caleb Frank Smith, Abbey Grace Steward, Morgan Faith Walker, Neely Kate Welsh, Cade Christopher Williams and Abbie Leanne Woods



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Graduation ceremonies celebrate the accomplishments of students who worked hard to earn their diplomas and degrees. As significant as these ceremonies can be, they also tend to be lengthy, which can make guests uncomfortable and antsy.

Etiquette is important at graduation ceremonies, and that goes for graduates as well as their guests. Everyone receiving a degree during a graduation ceremony worked hard to do so, and it's important that guests adhere to proper etiquette so every graduate can enjoy their well-deserved moment in the sun.

• **RSVP as soon as possible.** Graduates are typically allocated a predetermined

number of tickets to their graduation ceremonies. Some may wish to invite more people than their allotment allows, so RSVP as soon as possible after receiving an invitation. If you can't make it, this will open up a spot for grads to invite another loved one in your place.

• **Arrive early.** Guests should aim to arrive to the ceremony early, as traffic tends to increase the closer it gets to the start of the ceremony. Arriving early ensures guests will find parking, and it saves them the trouble of asking guests who have already arrived to stand up so they can get to their seats. In addition, late arrivals may make it difficult for fellow

guests to hear their loved one's name called.

• **Don't celebrate too loudly.** Graduates' names tend to be read aloud rather quickly, so guests should not celebrate too loudly when their loved one's name is called. Doing so decreases the likelihood that families whose loved one's name is being called immediately after your loved one will hear that name called. Save the loud, lengthy celebrations for after the ceremony.

• **Remain seated during the ceremony.** Guests want to see the stage where the graduates are given their degrees, so they should avoid standing during the cere-

mony. Doing so blocks the views of those behind you. If you want to take photos during the ceremony, find a spot where you can do so without blocking anyone else's view.

• **Speak quietly during the ceremony.** Graduation ceremonies can last several hours, so it's all right to speak with fellow guests during the ceremony. But do so quietly and in a way that respects other guests.

Guests who adhere to certain etiquette during graduation ceremonies can make sure everyone enjoys the festivities and shows respect for the graduates and their families.

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Volunteer opportunities for recent graduates

During the months between graduating high school and beginning college, or between getting a university degree and entering the workforce, graduates may want to explore the personal growth that comes from volunteerism.

Volunteering provides various benefits. Some of these rewards include networking with an entirely different group of people. Volunteering also can help a person realize greater happiness by doing selfless acts for others, while they also can help one to realize a new passion. In the future, volunteering with an organization also may help with a student's job search.

There are many arenas where young people can focus their volunteer efforts. Here are some ideas.

• **Animal shelter:** Animal shelters rely on volunteers to help with their operations. They can be

a good fit for anyone with a passion for animals and animal rights activism.

• **Public service sectors:** AmeriCorp and Peace Corps have scores of opportunities for volunteers. AmeriCorp focuses on domestic issues, while the Peace Corp is a branch of the U.S. government that engages volunteers in international service work. Community involvement, health care, agriculture, homelessness, and combatting hunger are top priorities for these organizations.

• **English as a second language:** Volunteers can spend time abroad teaching English to students. Others may want to volunteer domestically by helping non-English-speaking individuals improve their language skills.

• **Community government:** A person may choose to sit on the board of a school, a neighborhood housing association, or

even explore volunteerism with a township municipal office. This will provide valuable hands-on experience and may help one lend a voice to issues that affect his or her living situation.

• **Religious groups:** Churches, synagogues and mosques may have volunteer opportunities focused on community outreach or programs affiliated with local nonprofits.

• **Conservation groups:** Volunteers can work on conservation projects across the country. From wildlife management to trail restoration to invasive species eradication, there are a wide variety of conservation-based volunteering opportunities.

• **Tutoring:** Graduates can volunteer to tutor students in local schools or overseas.

Volunteerism can fill gap years or add to resumes for recent graduates.



GAVIN DAKOTA MOSELEY

Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell Moseley are proud to announce the graduation of their son, Gavin Dakota Moseley, from Oxford High School with a diploma in Engineering Technologies. He was accepted into the FAME (Federation for Advanced Manufacturing Education) Program and will be attending Gadsden in the fall to pursue a degree for Industrial Automation. He is a current employee at CARES and has been very helpful and appreciated in the completion of special projects. He will begin his scholarship at Kronospan this summer.



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The Donoho School Class of 2022 was accepted to 77 colleges and universities across the country, including University of Chicago, New York University, Emory University, Rhodes College, University of Virginia, and Tulane University. 95% received a merit-based scholarship for the attending school with 84% receiving a range of half to full-ride scholarships. Congratulations! We are very proud of your tremendous accomplishments and can't wait to see what the future holds for all of you!