

Message from the President:

Dear Family & Friends:



Fall classes are now in full swing around here, but before the last school year ended, we hosted our annual Bailey Scholars Reception honoring the 2016 scholarship winners. For a change, we had one event and were pleased so many students could attend. You can

Kyle Bailey

see some of the highlights to the right.

We're currently gearing up for the 2017 Scholarship Program that begins January 1st. Last year's total of nearly 3,200 applications will be hard to beat! Please contact us if you'd like to join our Scholarship Selection Committee and help review and score applications. Current and previous winners can volunteer as well.

Also, if you won a scholarship this year, your 2016 Yearbook will be mailed to you in October. So, keep a look out for that beautiful blue book!

I hope you enjoy this edition of the Newsletter.

Warm Regards,

Kyle Bailey President

2016 Bailey Scholar Reception:



Guest Speaker Samantha Seal

This photo truly captures the emotion of the event.





Jazmine Huggins and Laura Osborne

Ron Bailey and recipients from Starting Right Now





Joseph Hamelberg and family with Ron Bailey

Samantha Hanemixay and her mom with Ron Bailey



What's Happening?

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Descendants of George Patton Bailey:

Bailey, Randall: graduated from California State University – Chico, with a Bachelor's of Arts Degree in Physical/Environmental Geography.



Randall Bailey and family at his California State University graduation

Scholarship Recipients and Friends of the Foundation:

Hicks, Emma: married Ben Hicks on July 9th, 2016 at their home church where they first met in Lake Wales, FL.

Emma (Hill) Hicks, 2016 Bailey Scholar on her wedding day

Houllis, **Alex**: received his Ocean Engineering Degree on May 6, 2016. It was a 5 year specialty program at Florida Atlantic University.



His mom, Vicki writes, "Thank you again for all of your support and the foundation is doing such a wonderful public service by providing the opportunity for talented persons to attend college and help to make their future brighter."

Alex Houllis, 2011 Bailey Scholar, and his mom Vicki at his FAU graduation.

Huynh, Hieu, D.O.: After receiving a High School Program Scholarship in 2004, he finished his undergraduate degree at the University of Virginia.

Dr. Hieu Trong Huynh, 2004 Bailey Scholar

Hieu writes,

"Which then led to medical school at Nova

Southeastern University College of Osteopathic Medicine. I then completed my internship and residency at Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine. I now practice internal medicine and I am also a fellow in cardiovascular diseases at Deborah Heart and Lung Center."

Kessel, Rebecca: shared some of her beautiful miniature artwork.

Boardwalk Buddies





Ship at Sunrise

She writes, "For a work to be considered miniature, the piece must be created using 1/6th scale of the actual size of the subject being painted. I enjoy this challenge!" Rebecca is a 2013 Bailey Scholar.

Miller, Salli: graduated from Central Pennsylvania College (Class of 2016 Valedictorian). She writes, "I can't thank Ron, Bev, and

the Bailey Family Foundation enough for selecting me as a recipient of a \$5000 scholarship. As a single mother of a graduating high school senior at the time, this scholarship allowed me to focus more on my studies at Central Penn College and community service through Lions Clubs International instead of worrying about racking up more in student loans."



Salli Miller, 2015 Bailey Scholar

Pugh, Dominique: graduated from Jacksonville University with a Bachelor's Degree in Management.

Dominique Pugh, 2012 Bailey Scholar



Quesenberry, Tierney: Completed her Associate's Degree in Radiologic Technology at Bluefield State College and is working towards her Bachelor's Degree in Radiologic Sciences.



Tierney Quesenberry, 2015 Bailey Scholar, receiving her Associate's Degree.



Stafford, Blake: shared his recent college experiences with us. He writes, *"Flagler College has provided me with a job as a Historic Tour Guide for the former Ponce De Leon Hotel as well as an ambassador position. I get to represent Flagler College to prospective students and show them around the beautiful campus all while informing them about the amenities that Flagler offers."* Blake is also Vice President of CRU (Campus Crusades for Christ) and will be head worship leader for the Fusion Band. In addition, he made the Dean's list with a 3.45 GPA. Blake continues, "Thank *you so much for investing into my future and for renewing my scholarship another year. It has been so beneficial and helpful, and will be even more helpful in years to come!"*



Thurman, Gabrielle: graduated from the University of Central Florida in December 2015 and is attending Florida A&M University Pharmacy School for Fall 2016. She writes. *"Your blessing has truly helped relieve the stress of financial issues. I can't thank you enougb."*

Gabrielle Thurman, 2011 Bailey Scholar

Tran, Ly: writes, "I bave finally made it! I graduated with a doctorate of physical therapy degree. Thanks to BFF, I was able to make my dreams a reality. I'm going to leave the world a better place!"



Dr. Ly Tran, 2009 Bailey Scholar

Foundation News & Activities

Tampa Theatre WineFest

The Bailey Family Foundation's sponsorship of the Tampa Theatre's annual WineFest supports the Theatre's artistic and educational programs as well as its ongoing preservation and restoration. This year's WineFest theme was Caskablanca.



Dan Hammond, Kimberly Czabaj, Cassie Zayne & Ryan Barry at Caskablanca

Bailey Family News & Activities

Camp Creek Family Reunion

The annual family reunion takes place on Memorial Day Weekend at Camp Creek State Park in West Virginia. Robert Youther hosted a cookout at his home the day before the reunion. Here are some photos:









First Day of School

Brandon, Justin, Cameron and Megan are heading back to school.



Letters of Appreciation:

Andrade, Alma: "I believe everyone deserves a chance and I am thankful you have given me a chance to make my dreams and my future possible."

Green, Thomas: *"Thank you for the kindness you are spreading throughout our world and thank you for making such a positive impact on my own life."*





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Hanemixay, Samantha: "With your support, I will be able to pursue a college education which would have not been possible without your altruistic contribution. Your generosity has lifted a buge financial burden off my shoulders which gives me the opportunity to pursue my dreams."

Holland, **Erica**: *"Thank you for believing in the future of young people and realizing that college is a personal investment."*

Morris, Danielle: *"I am extremely grateful. I cannot express my gratitude enough. Without the scholarship, I probably wouldn't have been able to afford college this fall."*

Webb, Joseph: *"Thank you so much for choosing me out of the many scholarship applicants. Your generosity is an answer to prayer!"*

Whiting, Dana: "Thank you for transforming our community through your commitment to help fund higher education."

Wilson, Shannon: *"Your scholarship has listed the financial burden of furthering my education and allowing me to focus on learning rather than funds."*

Message from the Editor:

It has been my pleasure serving as editor for the Fall 2016 Bailey Family Foundation Newsletter. Thank you to everyone who shared photos and stories with us. Please keep 'em coming!

If you have any questions, suggestions or would like to contribute to the next newsletter, don't besitate to contact me. I would love to hear from you.

> Kimberly Czabaj & son Tyler



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