

the Bailey



Family foundation

FALL 2022 NEWSLETTER

Message from the President:

Dear Family & Friends:



Kyle Bailey

In May, we were excited to, once again, host The Bailey Scholars Reception honoring the new 2022 High School Scholarship winners. After a few years, it was great to meet our new recipients and their families and we trust everyone who attended had a great time as well. Please see some of the photos to the right.

The 2023 Scholarship Program will begin on January 1st, so if you know a high school senior or undergrad that would make an excellent candidate, please spread the word – deadline is February 28th.

As you know, Tampa was originally in the direct path of Hurricane Ian and many of us were forced to evacuate our homes. We were luckily spared. Now, our thoughts are with South Florida as they recover from the devastating storm. We are #FloridaStrong.

Please let me be the first to wish you and your family a wonderful holiday season. I hope you enjoy this edition of the newsletter. Thank you to all who contributed.

Warm Regards,

Kyle Bailey
President

2022 Bailey Scholars Reception:



What's Happening?

NEWS & UPDATES

Descendants of George Patton Bailey:

Kornowski, Marsha Blankenship: retired from Medina County Public Health Dept on August 31st, 2022 after 39 years. Marsha was the go-to “Communicable Disease Nurse” at the Medina County Health Department



for the past 33 years, as well as an inspiration to so many other residents, family and friends. She is enjoying her retirement days, especially with her first grandchild Caleb. Marsha has and always will be a blessing to all!



Congratulations, Marsha Kornowski! Happy Retirement!

Scholarship Recipients and Friends of the Foundation:

Curtis, Kalista: has been named to the Dean’s List at Embry Riddle Aeronautical University in recognition of outstanding scholarship and accomplishment. Kalista writes, *“Starting my engineering classes has been such a dream come true and it would not be possible without the help from your amazing foundation. I once again would like to thank you for trusting me and offering me this scholarship.”*

Donovan, Erin: graduated from the University of Central Florida with the degree of Bachelor of Hospitality Management. Erin is a Hope for Tomorrow Trust recipient.

Erin Donovan, UCF Graduate



Lanning, Victoria: graduated from the University of Florida with a Bachelor of Science in Tourism, Event and Recreation Management. She writes, *“Thank you so much for everything you’ve done for me over these last 4 academic years. I’m so proud to be involved with your incredible foundation because you truly do change lives.”*

Victoria Lanning: UF Grad and 2018 Bailey Scholar



Mahan, Courtney: graduated from the University of Central Florida with a Degree in Health Science and is now applying to medical school.

Courtney Mahan: UCF Grad and a 2018 Bailey Scholar.

Tran, Christine: writes, *“I was elected for a board position for a student organization whose primary goal is education and destigmatization of mental health through active service in the field of psychiatry or psychology. I have [also] started my journey to medical school and cannot be more excited to one day become a pediatric neurologist! The Bailey Family’s funding has been such a blessing that has allowed me to focus on my studies and there’s no words that can accurately describe my gratitude.”* Christine is set to graduate in Spring 2023.

Foundation News & Activities

Tropical Nights

Held in July, this annual event supports Keep Tampa Bay Beautiful.

Dan, Kim, Jaki & Jerod attended Tropical Nights



Tampa Prep

The Bailey Family Foundation gave a \$1.5M Commitment to Tampa Preparatory School.

In recognition of this gift, Tampa Prep will name the Atrium of the new building after Beverly Bailey, who died in November 2018. Mrs. Bailey's greatest joy was her family, including her husband of 56 years, Ron, her sons, Kent and Kyle, and their families, especially her grandchildren.

Rays of Hope

The children visited Washington, D.C. this summer:

Rays of Hope outside the White House.

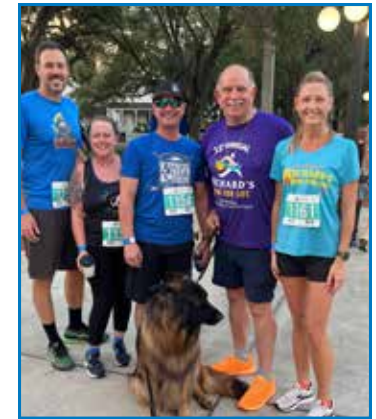


Richard's Run for Life

In its 21st year, Richard's Run for Life is a 5K event held annually in Ybor City and 100% of the revenue is donated to Moffitt Cancer Center for research and patient care. Moffitt is one of the leading cancer treatment and research facilities in the U.S. The work they do in Tampa is life changing and lifesaving.

Some members of Team BFF:

Dan, Jaki, Jerod and Kim w/ Richard Gonzmart & his dog.



St. Robert Bellarmine Fund

Junior BFF Board Member Justin Bailey, along with two college friends from Catholic high school, have launched a scholarship fund to help others experience faithful Catholic education.

For more information visit: <https://www.saintrobertbellarminefund.org/>

2022 Red Kettle Kick-off Salvation Army Luncheon



Kim, Stacy, Gail & Ettie attended the Red Kettle Kick-Off

Bailey Family News & Activities

2022 Camp Creek Family Reunion

The annual family reunion takes place on Memorial Day Weekend at Camp Creek State Park in West Virginia. *Here are some photos:*



Letters of Appreciation:

"You've already supported me in many ways, so I'm truly grateful for the monetary support as well."

-Kennedi Adams

"Thank you for the continuous support you not only provide to myself but to all the other recipients of the scholarship."

-Angelic Alex

"Being awarded this scholarship has brought me closer to achieving these goals and I again, sincerely thank you for choosing me."

-Aleigh Bonner

"I would like to personally thank each of you for your commitment to our youth to expand the availability and enhance the quality of post-secondary education."

-Diamond Brown

"Being recognized by the Bailey Family for my accomplishments was incredibly rewarding and motivates me to keep it up as I enter college."

-Eric Cisliek

"I am truly grateful to you for your continued support of my education. Your generous gift will allow me to continue to attend the school of my dreams...and major in Aerospace Engineering. I would like to thank you for trusting and supporting me through this scholarship."

-Kalista Curtis

"As I continue in my educational journey, I will remain thankful and grateful for this opportunity you have presented to my future."

-Cassidy Edwards

"Being awarded the Bailey Family Foundation Scholarship allows me to believe [my] academic plans are very much feasible for me, being one step closer, and has also inspired me to give back to others in the community one day."

-Christian Field

"My family and I are so incredibly thankful for you and your generosity. Your support and kindness will be felt and appreciated by my family and I for so many years to come. I cannot thank you enough!"

-Mackenzie Friday

"This scholarship has given me the opportunity to expand my college choices, and, what is most important to me, to continue to study at Jesuit institutions."

-Jackson Graham

"I will forever be grateful for your faith in my education and granting me this amazing opportunity I could only ever dream of."

-Valencia Henry

"Words cannot describe how grateful and thankful I am to be a recipient of your scholarship. I am beyond blessed and cannot thank you enough!"

-Molly-Beth Maggard

"This scholarship is taking an immense amount of financial stress off my family and I am incredibly grateful."

-Lauren Mercer

"Thank you so much for all you have done for me and your community; you have made a huge difference and [it] has greatly boosted my confidence to know there are so many who believe in me. I will make sure to pay it forward."

-Sam Prete

"Thank you so much and I am eternally grateful that I was chosen for this scholarship."

-Olivia Senentz

"[This scholarship] is going to be very helpful when funding for my next college year, and it's a big step also into helping me prepare for my future at my transferred college!"

-Veronica Querio

"Thank you once again for your continuous support in my education. This scholarship has been a wonderful help each semester."

-Monica Shipman

Message from the Editor:

It has been my pleasure serving as editor for the Fall 2022 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 hesitate to contact me. I would love to hear from you.

Kimberly Czabaj and son, Tyler (Rays won!)

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