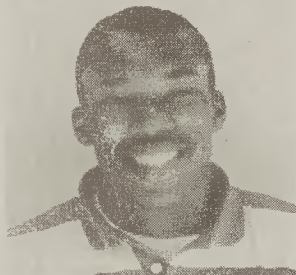




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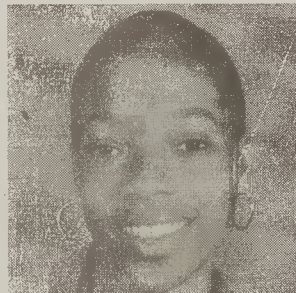
Nicholas Ray
Parent(s): B. Sabrina Ray
School: Charlotte Latin School
GPA: 5.0
Activities: Chess Club, Varsity Football, Varsity Wrestling, Varsity Track, Boy Scouts,

After-school Tutor, NC State Design Camp Graduate

"I thank everyone who has helped me up to this point and especially my mom, for whom I want to show that her hard work has paid off and that I am going to make her proud. The final battle I have to fight myself."

Colleges Accepted: University of Pittsburgh, NC State, VA Tech, GA Tech, Clemson, Drexel, Lehigh, RPI

Dawn Sankary
Parent(s): Iris Sankary
School: David W. Butler High School
GPA: 4.39



Activities: Spanish Honor Society, Nat'l Honor Society, Venture Scholar, AVID, volunteers with hospital, school blood drive and church events

"The way I figure it, if I have to come

to the same place five days a week, one hundred and eighty days a year, for twelve years out of my life, I am going to do something to leave my mark, at least to show that I accomplished something."

Colleges Accepted: UNC Chapel Hill, NC State, East Carolina University, Howard University

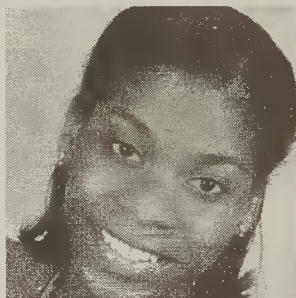


Chinara Corey
Parent(s): Quincy and Sheila Corey
School: David W. Butler High School
GPA: 4.28
Activities: Honors Orchestra, Nat'l Honor Society,

Nursing Explorers, HOSA, Physical Therapy Internship, part time job

"I also deserve to be Top Senior because I've kept school my top priority in life while resisting temptations and things that will not help me in life."

Colleges Accepted: UNC Greensboro



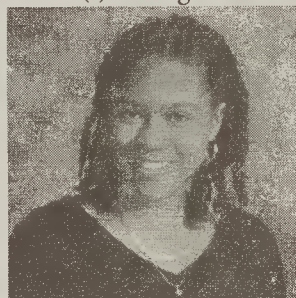
Ashley Reid
Parent(s): Orlando and Doris Reid
School: David W. Butler High School
GPA: 4.01
Activities: Debate Team, Explorer's Club, Diversity

Club (Founder), Student Council (Sr. Vice President), NCCJ, AVID, Nat'l Honors Society, volunteers with church

"Just as it is important to have a good academic record and leadership skills, it is important to have high moral values to live up to."

Colleges Accepted: Hampton, University of Pittsburgh

Eliotte Danielle Bennett
Parent(s): Emogene Bennett



School: East Mecklenburg High School
GPA: 4.08
Activities: Nat'l Honors Society, NAACP, Peer Mediator, Dream Team, Student Congress, Varsity Basketball, visits

rest homes

"I feel I have lived a demanding life, full of various activities, however I know that they will pay off for me in the future."

Colleges Accepted: UNC Chapel Hill, NC State, UNC Charlotte, Johnson C. Smith, Spelman, Central University

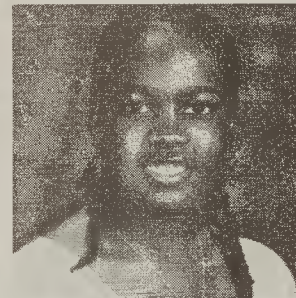


Maiba Ife Bodrick
Parent(s): Leonard and Sharon Bodrick
School: East Mecklenburg High School
GPA: 4.45
Activities: Captain Varsity

Indoor and Outdoor Track, FCCLA (Class President), NAACP, Thespian Honor Society, Habitat for Humanity, Share the Warmth

"It has taken the time and patience of others to ensure that I use well the blessings that have been bestowed upon me."

Colleges Accepted: UNC Greensboro



La Gina Gause
Parent(s): Charles and Veronica Gause
School: East Mecklenburg High School
GPA: 4.58
Activities: Nat'l Honor Society, Honor Roll,

Dream Team, Captain Varsity Basketball, DECA, NAACP, Peer Tutoring, voter registration

"I am a very motivated person. I love to be involved."

Colleges Accepted: NC Central University, Furman University, Howard University

Brittany Samone May
Parent(s): Samuel and Angela May, Jr.
School: East Mecklenburg High School
GPA: 4.37

Activities: Habitat for Humanity, Kitty Hawk Air Society (Secretary), FCCLA (ICC Representative), Jr. Marshal, Non Profit fundraising
"Helping others help themselves is a cause I am truly passionate about. I am constantly



trying to lift my fellow brother or sister up to the standards which I set for myself."

Colleges Accepted: UNC Greensboro, NC State

Kimberly M. Tillman
Parent(s): Dwight and Loretta Tillman, Jr.
School: East Mecklenburg High School
GPA: 4.7



Activities: Nat'l Honor Society, NAACP (President), CEM Scholar, church choir, volunteers at women's shelter
"The reason I feel I should be Top Senior is because

this award is not for me, but for the people that have fought diligently to get me into the position to even be nominated for this honor."

Colleges Accepted: Fisk University, Howard University, Hampton University