



From left to right – Anderson Davis, Cullen Richardson, Grace O’Shell, Riley Stevens, Dillon Dixon, Jonah Bechtold and Riley Wandzilak.

The St. Augustine/Ketterlinus Alumni Association this past May 2022 awarded/disbursed the following scholarships to seven St. Augustine High School 2022 graduates.

Anderson Davis was awarded \$1,000 for the Annie Mae Davis & Sons Scholarship. Anderson will be attending the University of North Florida this Fall majoring in mechanical engineering. Anderson was the salutatorian of this year’s senior SAHS class. Anderson was Sunshine State Scholar, four-year academic letter recipient, AICE Scholarship Award winner, and AICE Diploma with Distinction award winner. Anderson was president/treasurer of SAHS Key Club, member of the National Honor Society, President of Senior/Freshman class, vice president/treasurer of SAHS Aerospace Academy Career and Technical Student Organization, member of SAHS Principal Advisory Committee and member of St. Johns County School District Superintendent Student Advisory Committee.

ANNIE MAE DAVIS & SONS SCHOLARSHIP fund was established this year by Brad & Dawn Davis (both SAHS c/o 1972) in order to honor the legacy of the various Davis Family members who have graduated Ketterlinus High School (KHS) and St. Augustine High School (SAHS) and went on during their post high school career to contribute to the St. Augustine community. Annie Mae Davis (decd.) graduated Ketterlinus High School in 1940 and her sons Wayne Davis (decd.) graduated KHS in 1959, Vernon Davis (decd.) graduated SAHS in 1960, Terry Davis (decd.) graduated SAHS in 1963, and Brad Davis graduated SAHS in 1972. This scholarship is awarded to the SAHS senior who best represents the Davis Family’s academic standards, involvement with SAHS school activities and service to the community.

Cullen Richardson was awarded \$1,000 for the Terrell Davis Scholarship. Cullen will be attending the University of North Florida this Fall majoring in nursing. Cullen was member of National Honor Society, an American Youth Character Award winner and an AICE Scholar

Award winner. Cullen from sophomore to senior year was a member of the SAHS tennis team and team captain his senior year. Cullen works at Chick-fil-a, was a Kids Praise Counselor at Anastasia Baptist Church and volunteered at various beach clean ups.

TERRELL G. DAVIS SCHOLARSHIP fund was established in 2008 by the Class of 1963 and the Davis family. A 1963 graduate of St. Augustine High School, Terry was co-captain of his football team as well as lettering in basketball and baseball. He was also voted “Most Popular” by his classmates. After high school graduation, Terry served in the U.S. Navy, City of St. Augustine Police Department and the St. Johns County Sheriff’s Department. This scholarship is awarded to the SAHS senior who best represents Terry’s academic standards and service to the community.

Grace O’Shell was awarded \$1,000 for the Carol Melton Scholarship. Grace will be attending University of Florida this Fall majoring in biochemistry and becoming a forensic scientist. Grace was the 10th ranked student in this year’s senior class. Grace was a member of the National Honor Society, member of the Environmental Club, an Academic Letter Award winner and Cambridge Learner Award winner. Grace is a camp counselor at Stepping Stores Farms and team member at Dunkin Donuts. Grace enjoys horse-back riding and is the only student in SAHS history to earn all state honors all four years in classical guitar ensemble.

CAROL A. MELTON SCHOLARSHIP fund was endowed in 2012 by Carol Melton. A 1972 co-valedictorian graduate of SAHS, Ms. Melton was inducted into the 2011 Hall of Fame. She earned her bachelors from Wake Forest University, masters from the University of Florida and Juris Doctor from the Washington College of Law. Currently, Ms. Melton served in senior management at Time Warner Inc., overseeing Time Warner’s public policy offices in Washington, D.C., London, Brussels and Hong Kong before leaving from Time Warner in Summer 2018 when Time Warner merged with AT&T. Carol is currently involved with angel investing into early stage companies as CEO of an LLC named Adept Capital, and serving on several boards. The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage leadership and achievement through educational opportunities.

Two SAHS seniors were awarded the Curtis Westbrook Scholarship this year due to the generous donations of Cynthia Bird.

Riley Stevens was awarded \$1,000 for the Curtis Westbrook Scholarship. Riley will be attending Berry College this Fall majoring in business administration and possibly minoring in conservation or animal science. Riley was a four- year varsity football player/team captain and two-year varsity weightlifter/team captain. He was two-time academic letter recipient/honors student and volunteer for PAL, bible school and Samaritan Purse.

Dillon Dixon was awarded \$1,000 for the Curtis Westbrook Scholarship. Dillon will be attending the University of North Florida this Fall majoring in mechanical engineering and studying business administration/computer science. Dillon was member National Honor Society and four-year academic letter winner. Dillon volunteered at Family Worship Center Youth Group, volunteer at SAFE Animal Shelter and active member of Amp Hardcore Gym.

L. CURTIS WESTBROOK, JR. SCHOLARSHIP The SA/KHS Alumni Board would like to thank Mrs. Cynthia Bird for endowing this scholarship starting in the Spring of 2018 and into near future in order to honor her late husband's name. L. Curtis Westbrook, Jr. was born in St. Augustine in 1939. He attended Orange Street School and graduated from Ketterlinus with the Class of 1956. Curt completed his Bachelor's and Master's degrees in Finance at Florida State, and earned his C. P. A. certificate. He joined Price Waterhouse in the Miami office for several years, then established his practice in St. Augustine. He earned his Ph. D. at the University of Georgia, and continued his career in university teaching. Curt retired from California State University as Professor Emeritus. His brother Jim Westbrook graduated St. Augustine High School in 1964. This scholarship is awarded to a student with the determination and desire to continue their educational future with the goal of making a difference in the community.

Richard & Melinda Ash in honor their son 1992 SAHS graduate Jonah Ash (dec.) has funded two scholarships for two SAHS seniors this year.

Jonah Bechtold was awarded \$1,000 for the Jonah Ash Scholarship. Jonah will be attending University of Central Florida this Fall majoring in criminal justice in the hopes of working for the FBI or CIA. Jonah was member of the National Honor Society, member of Interact Club, peer pal volunteer and academic letter winner. Jonah was a four-year member of the Ancient City Regiment marching band and wind ensemble percussion captain.

Riley Wandzilak was awarded \$1,000 for the Jonah Ash Scholarship. Riley will be attending the University of Central Florida this Fall majoring game design with the hopes of working for large game corporation in game development. Riley was a member of the National Honor Society, member of National Technical Honor Society, member of Chess Club, member of Astronomy Club and member of Student/Principal Advisory Council. Riley

works part time for Publix and has volunteered for various clean-ups and setting up community events like the Lighthouse Luminary.

JONAH ASH SCHOLARSHIP was endowed this year by Melinda & Richard Ash in honor of their son Jonah Ash (decd.). Jonah Ash was a 1992 graduate of SAHS and earned a degree in business administration from Flagler College. He was a founding board member of the Alumni Association and also served as the organization's treasurer. This scholarship is awarded to SAHS seniors who most represent Jonah's determination, courage, high academic standards, involvement with SAHS activities, and dedication to the community.

The St. Augustine/Ketterlinus High Alumni Association is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization established in 1997 to provide scholarships to SAHS students as well as provide support funding for other projects at SAHS and its teachers. Despite not having our annual Hall of Fame fundraising event the last two years, we continue to provide support where we can to SAHS and its students thanks to the generous donations of past Yellow Jacket Alumni. After this past Spring, the SA/KHS Alumni Association has provided scholarship support since 1997 for around 175 SAHS students totaling over \$160,000 and have provided support for SAHS totaling over \$58,000.