

# Retired educators observe Black History, donate school supplies



Retired Education Personnel of Holmes County held their Black History Observance Program on Friday, February 28 at the Holmes County Consolidated School District Education Services Building. In addition, they held their annual school adoption drive in which two schools are selected to receive supplies for needy students. Adopted schools were S.V. Marshall and Durant Elementary. Pictured above, (from left): Gwen Shaw, Bobbie Smith, Jaqueline Saffold, Shirley Menzies, Irish Price, Dorice Buchanan, Carolyn Powell, Carmella Hart, China Stephens, Florine Lewis, Van Alice Williams, Joann Garner and Sherri Reeves. Not pictured: Annie Waddell, president.

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Pictured at left (from left): Durant Elementary teacher, Mr. Frizell, and Mr. Allen, principal, receive donated school supplies donated from Retired Education Personnel of Holmes County, with Sherri Reeves, retired educator, delivering the supplies.

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Pictured above (from left): S.V. Marshall Coach Ingram, Addysen Hayes, student, Cynthia Harris, Sherri Reeves, retired educator with Retired Education Personnel of Holmes County, and Dr. Peterson, principal, receiving the school supplies.

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# Creative writing contest winners named at Holmes CC Goodman



Pictured above are the 2020 Goodman Campus Creative Writing Contest Winners. They are (front row, left to right) Jurtis Culp, Lundy Hawthorne, Thomas Barnes, Justin Porter, (back row, left to right) Jim Turner, Brantley Holder, Kaleigh Cosgrove, Jenson Williams and Draven Howell. Not pictured: Ra'Darius Williams and Tyeisha Quinn.

### Press Release

English instructor W. Chad Moorer recently announced the winners of the 2020 Creative Writing Contest for the Holmes Community College Goodman Campus.

Winners of the Personal Essay Category included Jenson Williams, first place for "A Catfish Catastrophe;" Kaleigh Cosgrove, second place for "From Foe to Friend" and Thomas Barnes, third place for "Family Propaganda." Ra'Darius Williams also received an Honorable Mention for his essay, "That Dreadful Day."

Winners of the Short Story Category included Lundy Hawthorne, first place for "Ritual;" Jurtis Culp, second place for "A Mind of Darkness" and Tyeisha Quinn, third for "The Ty That Binds."

In the Poetry Category, Draven Howell took home


first place for "The Movies;" Jim Turner placed second for "His Lions Are Real;" Hawthorne placed third for "Stick Out Your Tongue" and Justin Porter received an Honorable Mention for "Absence."

Finally, Brantley Holder was awarded first place in the Literary Essay Category for "'The Yellow Wallpaper': Through the Eyes of Feminism."

The competition was open to all students on the Goodman Campus of Holmes, regardless of their major, and entries were judged by the English faculty members. First and second place winners in each category will appear in Reflections, the campus literary magazine, and are sent to the statewide contest. State-level winners receive monetary prizes and publication in the literary magazine of the Mississippi Community College Cre-

ative Writing Association.

For more information on the Creative Writing Contest, contact English instructor W. Chad Moorer at wmoorer@holmescc.edu or (662) 472-9009.



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# THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who has supported, prayed, and cared for Sherry Clausen Ingold and our family during this tragedy. She was a great wife, a great mother, a great memaw, and a great friend. Thanks to the amazing support to each one of you as it makes this tough time a little easier to make it through each day. She was our rock and with all of the love from our amazing community, we feel that we have so many who stand behind us and beside us as we start this new journey in life, learning a new normal, striving to become the rock that she was to us. Each one of you deserve a hug and huge blessings from God in this life. As we continue in life we want to make sure that everyone who has been here for us doesn't go unnoticed, so please know that this goes out to each and everyone of you. Everyone knows how amazing Sherry was, how much faith she had in God, how caring she was to absolutely anyone, and how her smile would light up the world and not one single day went by that she wasn't smiling. I want her remembrance to be the help to all of those who have helped our family. On your bad days or on your sad days, ask yourself what would Sherry do. In a world of evil, be a Sherry Clausen Ingold. God bless each and everyone of your kind souls.



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