

# Central Holmes names second quarter honor students

## Staff Report

Central Holmes Christian School in Lexington has announced honor students for 1st through 12th grades, second quarter. Honors are for All A's and A/B honor rolls.

### FIRST GRADE

All A's - Wayland Fancher. A/B Honor Roll - Ryder Goss, Benjamin Hudspeth, Benton Killebrew, Alivya Rogers, Cecilia Tucker, Braylee Winstead and Mason Young.

### SECOND GRADE

All A's - Ainsley Ashley, Drew Durff, Denson Edwards, Brayden Langford and Sophie Wentworth.

A/B Honor Roll - Annaleigh Bowers, Mia Brannon, Houston Cain, Jaylen McBride, Chasity McLellan, Pierce Thomas and Alana White.

### THIRD GRADE

All A's - Makenzie Bishop and Chance Langford.

A/B Honor Roll - Trina Calvin, Braylee Kate Grubbs, John Hoover, Ava Horne, Ellie Lloyd, Paxton Miles, William Scott and Wilson Tucker.

### FOURTH GRADE

All A's - Brice Robinson and Lauren Walbert.

A/B Honor Roll - Avery

Engle, Landry Lawshe, Dalton Ledbetter and Lailon Walbert.

### FIFTH GRADE

All A's - Skylar Ashley, Conley Bryant and John Johnson.

A/B Honor Roll - Messiah Cornelius, Addi Floyd, Collin Ingram, Emma Kate Word and Sara Word.

### SIXTH GRADE

All A's - Paicey Ingram, Dalton Rayburn and Wilkes Rutledge.

A/B Honor Roll - Kamryn Aguilar, Nora Grace Grubbs, Mary Hathcock, Austin Horne, Heidi Hudson, Lydia Killebrew and Brayden Rigby.

### SEVENTH GRADE

All A's - Preston Carnathan and Hallie Fancher.

A/B Honor Roll - Gauge Brantley, Addi Hill, Hanna Hood, Elise Lancaster, Jon Wyatt Langford, Cooper Logan, Emma Steen, Claire Tate, Xander Thompson, Joseph Walbert and Chloe Word

### EIGHTH GRADE

All A's - Hattie Melton and Kate Riley.

A/B Honor Roll - Brandon Byrd, Anna Duke, Logan Engle, Matthew Jefferson, McKenzie Lloyd, Collin McGee-Carlisle, Cardell Mitch-

ell, Daynie Parish, Ryleigh Scott, Anna Simmons and Bennett Word.

### NINTH GRADE

All A's - Cayton Edwards, Aaliyah Granderson, Hudson Haffey, Drue Johnson, Harley Rayburn, John Ward and Kamiyah Warner.

A/B Honor Roll - J.J. Brown, Lemarion Buchanan, Kenzie Cochran, Macie Collins, Carmen Edwards, Gage Millett, Mason Wiysel, Lane Womack and John Word.

### TENTH GRADE

All A's - John Riley, Rylee Sizemore, Shelby Stokes and Lilly Claire Word.

A/B Honor Roll - Aiden Adcock, Gracie Burell, Eli Carr, Bryce Hester, James Marshall, Gibson Parish, Taylor Spell and Makalah Sumner.

### ELEVENTH GRADE

All A's - Kam'Ron Bell, Aubrey Carr, Jurden Engle, Ellis Harris, Noah Steen and Mackenzie Ward.

A/B Honor Roll - Sadie Angell, Anna Diffey, Eric Jones, Shawn Lewis and Sequoya Williams

### TWELFTH GRADE

All A's - Breann Bell, Artino Brown, Addie Burrell, Jesse Burton, Landry Gardner, Kelsy Gilmore, Hayley Haffey, Kayla Jefferson, Cameron Martin, Shelby Sullivan, Audrey Tate and Lindsey Turner.

A/B Honor Roll - Samuel Dean, Kayla Frances, Bayleigh Tate and Lawrence Wiley.

# Local business makes donation to child protective services



Hunter Engineering Company of Durant donated \$1000 to Holmes County Child Protection Services in December 2020. Presenting the check to Irene Stewart (pictured center), area social work supervisor, is David Dalton (pictured left), senior operations manager for Hunter Engineering, and Carol Sanders, receptionist for Hunter Engineering. In previous years, Hunter's employees typically support this organization by donating gifts for the children, but due to the pandemic that was not able to be accomplished last year.

(Photo Submitted)

## DURANT NEWS

by Rowena Hill

All of the many friends, family and loved ones of Edwin Ed Sudduth regret to have lost a good friend and Christian. He was a former resident of Durant and all loved him. We are thankful to be his and the families friends. He was appreciated also for his Christian faithfulness and ability. We will all miss him. Sympathy is to his wife and many friends.

Our prayers and love to John and Nancy Brown. They moved here from California some time ago but haven't been feeling well for some time. They are loved by a host of friends and are very active at First Baptist. Hope to see them feeling very well real soon.

Joey and Jackie Hill visited with Jodi, Derek May and family during the week. Grant returned home with his grandparent for an over night stay and attended church with them Sunday.

Joey Hill and Mark Underwood visited Mark's doctor in Jackson last Friday. He hasn't been well lately.

Love and prayers to the family of Joe Crowder who passed away some time ago. We really miss them in church and around town. Mary Evelyn is a resident in

a home in Castlewood Place in Brandon. Hope to see her soon.

The many friends of George and Margie Edwards want them to know they are missed at church and around town. Prayers are that you are loved and appreciated. Please come to see all in Durant who love and miss you lots.

May all who read this be safe. We trust you won't get the virus that's so dangerous. I pray we will all be safe and May God send meds and healing soon.

## TV series on Emmett Till filmed in Durant

### Press Release

On the 65th anniversary of Emmett Till's murder, ABC (network) gave approval to "Women of the Movement," a six-episode limited series focusing on Mamie Till Mobley, who devoted much of her life fighting for justices for her son in the Jim Crow South.

Marissa Jo Cerar ("The Handmaid's Tale," "13 Reasons Why," "Shots Fired") and producers, Jay Z, Will Smith and Aaron Kaplan started shooting scenes in

We also need to sincerely pray for all. Hope to see you out and about enjoying life.

If anyone has made a trip or had out of town guests, please let me know.

I enjoyed a visit last Friday afternoon from my sister Shirley and husband, Jack Ables of Sallis. I look forward to visits from family. We were very close in age growing up and I love and miss them. Sisters Frankie Farmer and Anna Maude Corley have gone to Heaven along with my parents, Frank and Della (Cain) Aldy. I sure loved and miss them. Let your family know while they are living.

Mississippi on Monday, January 11, and scheduled to shoot opening scenes for the series in Durant the week of January 18 at the historic train depot.

The first episode will be filmed by Gina Prince-Bythewood ("Love and Basketball," "The Old Guard," "Shots Fired") and is inspired by the book "Emmett Till: The Murder That Shocked the World and Propelled the Civil Rights Movements" by Devery S. Anderson. Cast members include Adrienne



- January 28** - Francis McBride, Chetara Hampton, Joe W. Smart, Chris Rucker, Kristan Carroll Pounders, Marianna K. Chapman, Billy May
- January 29** - Dink Wilson, Hilliary O'Briant, Lawson Barrett, Michele Holder, Linda Rogers, Linda Moore, Ellis Harris, IV
- January 30** - Carter Huddleston, Ashley Gilmore, Doris Kuhn, Janie Buford, Madison Autry
- January 31** - Karen Eldridge, Lindsey Turner, Carlis Gatson, Jean Hughes, Carol Dickerson, Paxton Miles, Lorraine Travis, Taylor Spell, I. H. Montgomery, Jr.
- February 1** - Shane Ables, Wildarius Brooks, Edward Pierce, Jr., Cassandra Ford, Pat Barrett, Jr., Billy Russell, Tina Irby, Mary Faye Hooker
- February 2** - Earnest Ross, Linda Waters, Debra Waters, Ryleigh Byrd, Otis Anderson, Brittney Grace Atkinson
- February 3** - Jamarria Ja'Niya Watson, Tyree Thomas, Gloria Hathcock, Leigh Barrett, Matthew Chisolm, Lisa Montone, McDaniel, DeVonte Lewis

## Happy Anniversary

- January 30** - Mr. and Mrs. Don McBride, Houston and Judy Pickett
- February 1** - John and Angela Lamey
- February 2** - Bruce and Libby Hill
- February 3** - Jerry and Fay Ables

Warren, Cedric Joe, Tonya Pinkins, Glynn Turnman, Chris Coy, Julia McDermott, Carter Jenkins and others.

The Durant mayor and board of aldermen are excited about the project and have

worked hard to ensure the success of the filming. We look forward to Durant being spotlighted in the series.

Episodes are set to air on April 2021 on the ABC network.

**Bridal Registry**

Lily Fran McCrory  
Rosario Guastella  
May 22

**Peoples Drug Store**

Court Square 834-2721 Lexington

**DEVANTE RUSSELL**

**January 27, 1995**

**May 21, 2018**

**IN OUR HEARTS YOUR MEMORY LINGERS**

MOTHER, STEPFATHER, DAUGHTER, SISTERS, AUNT, UNCLES, TERESA, GRANDFATHER, TEE, BUBBA AND GRANDMA SHELL