Casey Wright named NSHSS member

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The National Society of High School Scholars (NSHSS) recently announced student Casey B. Wright from Clinton has been selected to become a member of the esteemed organization. The Society recognizes top scholars who have demonstrated outstanding leadership,

scholarship and community commitment. The announcement was made by NSHSS Co-founder and President James W. Lewis.

"On behalf of NSHSS and our co-founder Claes Nobel, a member of the family that established the Nobel Prizes, I am honored to recognize the hard work, passion and commitment that Casey has demonstrated to achieve this exceptional level of academic excellence," said Lewis. "Casey is now a member of a unique community of scholars - a community that represents our very best hope for the future."

"We are proud to provide lifetime membership to young scholars to support their growth and development," stated Lewis. "We help students like Casey build on their academic success by connecting them with learning experiences and resources to help prepare them for college and meaningful careers."

NSHSS members automatically become lifetime members at the time of their initial membership.

Each step along the way - from high school to college to career - NSHSS connects outstanding young scholars with the resources they need to develop their strengths and pursue their passions.

Wright is entering his junior year at Clinton High School. His freshman year, he served on the Peer Leadership Committee at Sumner Hill and was awarded certificates for discipline and integrity. His sophomore year, he served as the Clinton High School Career Complex Law and Public Safety Ambassador and was invited to represent Clinton at The National Youth Leadership Forum in Law and CSI that will be held in Washington, D.C. this summer.

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Wright is a veteran member of the CHS Track and Field team and Cross-Country team and was awarded the 2021 Most Improved Runner award for his performance last season, where he won first place in the 4x800 relay at the State Championship and set personal records in the 800 m throughout the season.

Wright is also active in the community as a lifeguard at the local YMCA and is currently in the process of becoming a volunteer junior firefighter for the city of Raymond. He attends Pineview Baptist Church. Casey is the son of Kelly and Chris White of Clinton.

Formed in 2002 by James W. Lewis and Claes Nobel, member of the family that established the Nobel Prizes, the National Society of High School Scholars recognizes academic excellence at the high school level and helps to advance the goals and aspirations of high-achieving students through unique learning

experiences, scholarships, internships, international study, and peer networks. Currently there are more than 1,700,000 members in over 170 countries.

For more information about NSHSS, visit www.nshss.org.



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