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**KENTUCKY CRUSHED STONE ASSOCIATION
ANNOUNCES SCHOLARSHIP AWARD RECIPIENTS**

FRANKFORT, KY, April 19, 2005 – The Kentucky Crushed Stone Association (KCSA) Scholarship Committee, co-chaired by **Chad Swallows, Rinker Materials, Inc.**, and **John Haydon, Nally & Haydon, LLC**, recently announced the 2005 Scholarship Award Recipients. The total allocation of \$21,500.00 will be distributed to the students during the 2005-2006 school year. KCSA has awarded over \$120,000.00 to help deserving students achieve their educational goals since the Scholastic Grant Program began in 1999. Congratulations and good luck to the following students.

Master's Degree - \$1000

Sharon Williams Pipkin of Columbia. Sharon's husband Michael Pipkin works for Gaddie-Shamrock, LLC, Columbia. Sharon is pursuing her Master's Degree in Counseling at Lindsey Wilson College. She is Vice President of Jamestown Descendants Reunion, as well as a member of Kentucky Council of Crime and Delinquency, Southern States Correctional Association, Kentucky Counseling Association and Greens Chapel Baptist Church Youth Leader.

Vocational / Technical School First Year - \$1000

Tracy Lynn Caudill of Jackson. Tracy's father Timmy Ritchie, works for Natural Bridge Stone a division of the Hinkle Contracting Corporation. Tracy enjoys playing basketball and softball along with attending the First Church of God in Jackson with her family. Tracy plans on attending Hazard Community and Technical College while studying to be an LPN.

Associate Degree- First Year - \$1,500.00

Jessica D Gill of Fredonia. Jessica's father James Gill, works for Vulcan Materials, Grand Rivers. She is involved in numerous extracurricular activities such as: National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Cross Country Team, FFA and a member of the Fredonia Cumberland Presbyterian Church. Jessica plans on attending Paducah Community College in the fall.

Associate Degree – Second Year - \$1,500.00

Heather Cress of Delphia. Heather's father, Wesley Glenn Cress is employed with Mountain Enterprises in Lexington. Heather is pursuing to be a Registered Nurse while attending Hazard Community College. She was very active in her volunteerism, collecting for the salvation army, working with her children's church, delivering baskets at Christmas and visiting the sick and shut in.

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Bachelor's Degree – Freshman - \$1,500.00

William Ray Baker of Somerset. William's father Stanley Baker is employed at Somerset Stone a division of the Hinkle Contracting Corporation, Somerset. He plans on attending Somerset Community College in the fall where he will pursue a degree in engineering. William is a member of the Sinking Valley Baptist Church and President of his FFA Chapter.

Victoria Rhyan Belcher of Parksville. Victoria is the daughter of Tamela Young who works for the Allen Company of Winchester. She is enrolled at Eastern Kentucky University in the Nursing Program for this fall. She is also active in her church youth group and a member of FFA and Beta Club in school.

Rachel Hamilton lives in Owensboro where her father, Jeffery Hamilton works for Yager Materials. Rachel plans on attending Kentucky Wesleyan College in the fall where she will study Journalism. In her spare time she is involved with the National Honor Society, Quill & Scroll, a member of the Newspaper Staff, the French club and helps with the Church Newsletter. She also holds down a part-time job at Dairy Queen.

Kandi M. Kessens of Tell City, IN. Her father, Donald Kessens works for Yager Materials in Owensboro. Kandi plans on attending Western Kentucky University in the fall to pursue a degree in Nursing. While in high school she was involved in the National Honor Society, 4-H, the German Club, the Art Club, the Pep Club, Volleyball and track to name a few.

Garnett Roney of Louisville. Garnett's father David Scott Roney works for Whayne Supply of Louisville. He is involved in the Shively Baptist Church Youth Group and Creative Ministry, the Future Business Leaders of America, National Honor Society, Beta Club, the Latin Club and much more. Garnett plans on attending the University of Louisville in the fall, to study Biology.

Andrea Turner of Hazard. Andrea is the daughter of Jackie Turner who works for Whayne Supply of Louisville. She plans on attending the University of Kentucky in the fall and pursuing a degree in Civil Engineering. Andrea's extra curricular activities include the Beta Club, Cheerleading, a Hospice volunteer, and a Volunteer with Salvation Army.

Bachelor's Degree – Sophomore - \$1,500.00

Casey Allen Underwood of Lancaster. Casey's mother Peggy Underwood is employed at Caldwell Stone in Danville. Enrolled at Eastern Kentucky University, Casey's extra time is spent volunteering at church in a variety of areas.

Angela M. Haynes of Ferguson. Angela's father, Fred Haynes works for Hinkle Contracting Corporation in Somerset. In the fall, she will be transferring to pursue a degree in Psychology / Education at the University of Kentucky. She plans to become a school psychologist. Angela is heavily involved in community service. She is a member of Big Brothers/Big Sister, currently a volunteer at the Somerset Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, a volunteer for the March of Dimes and in the church youth group.

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Bachelor's Degree – Junior - \$1,500.00

Samantha Jo Manley of Central City. Her father George Hornsby works at Scotty's Contracting & Stone Co., LLC., Bowling Green. Samantha is working toward a degree in Psychology with a minor in Biology at the University of Louisville. She is a certified Tutor for U of L and a member of the U of L Psychological Association.

Kayla R. Triplett of Frankfort. Her father Charles Triplett works at The Walker Company of Kentucky, Mt. Sterling. Kayla's goal is to earn a bachelor degree in business management/administration at Morehead State University. She is involved in the Baptist Student Union at Morehead State and an avid member in her youth group.

Bachelor's Degree – Senior - \$1,500.00

Scott Alan Abney of Winchester. Scott's mother, Virginia Abney works for the Allen Company in Winchester. Scott is a political science major at Eastern Kentucky University. In his spare time he coaches basketball at the YMCA for 9th – 12th graders.

The Kentucky Crushed Stone Association, based in Frankfort, represents over 100 aggregate producers and related manufacturers and service companies statewide. Last year more than 72 million tons of aggregate products were produced in Kentucky at a value of more than \$356 million, thus generating jobs and revenue for the Commonwealth.

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