C.R.A.F.T.

FALL/WINTER 2019

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The Reason Why You Give!!



"I have found that among its other benefits, giving liberates the soul of the giver." — Maya Angelou

As you prepare your Christmas list this year, who better to add to your list than the C.R.A.F.T. organization. Two reasons why....

C.R.A.F.T.,

Thank you for awarding me with the Hezekiah Brady, Jr. Scholarship. Your continued support is always appreciated and has helped me tremendously during my time as an undergraduate student. I look forward to hearing from the organization this semester and participating in any upcoming activities or events. Thank you again.

Sincerely,
Mikayla Jones
Eastern Illinois University
Senior-Biology Major

C.R.A.F.T. Team,

Thank you for supporting me and my education through the generous award of \$275. I look forward to keeping up with (and one day giving back to) this organization.

With sincere thanks, Joi Strickland Illinois State University Freshman

C.R.A.F.T's Annual Awards Ceremony

n Friday evening, July 26, 2019, the C.R.A.F.T. Board of Directors and the recipients of the Student Assistance Fund (SAF) along with family, friends and the community came together to celebrate another year of God blessing the organization to award funds to the 18 college students for their fall semester. The Words of Inspiration were given by Mr. Ascenyo Carson, a Student Adoption Program Alumni. Mikayla Jones was also awarded the 2019-2020 Hezekiah Brady Jr. Scholarship during the ceremony by Mrs. Myrna Brady.

Congratulations to the following students who are receiving grants from the 2019-2020 Student Assistance Fund

Seniors

Jaida Carson – Wiley College
Jordyn Chapel – Western Illinois University
Yazmine Johnson – Clark Atlanta University
Mikayla Jones – Eastern Illinois University
Taylor Prude – Clark Atlanta University
Devin Ross – Southern University, Baton Rouge

Juniors

Dazhee' Horton – Culver-Stockton College Garriett Pendleton – Maryville University Lamar Thomas – Governors State University

Sophomores

Sion Lightfoot – Joliet Junior College Mekhi Sextion – Olivet Nazarene University Maurice Walker – Kankakee Community College

Freshmen

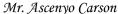
Asia Chapel – Kankakee Community College KeMya Jones – Illinois State University Tyshon King – Northern Michigan University Kayla Lake – Tennessee State University De'Asia Love – Southern University-Baton Rouge Joi Strickland – Illinois State University





C.R.A.F.T's Annual Awards Ceremony (cont)









Mrs. Myrna Brady, Jahana Conway, mother of Mikayla Jones

C.R.A.F.T. By the Numbers

The years that C.R.A.F.T. has been in the Pembroke area

Total number of students who C.R.A.F.T. has provided funds for

college through the Student Assistance Fund (S.A.F.)

\$162,465 Total amount C.R.A.F.T. has distributed to college students through the S.A.F.

The year the C.R.A.F.T. Board of Directors established the Hezekiah Brady, Jr. Scholarship

in memory of its founder

Total number of recipients of the Hezekiah Brady, Jr. Scholarship

\$29,250 Total amount that has been awarded through the Hezekiah Brady, Jr. Scholarship



SAVE THE DATE:

C.R.A.F.T. Presents a Spring Concert Featuring N'DEEP Saturday, March 28, 2020

1:00 p.m.- 3:00 p.m.
Ralph J. Bailey Community Center
Sun River Terrace, Illinois
Tickets: \$30

Proceeds will benefit

Hezekiah Brady Jr. Scholarship
Eagles Program
Student Adoption Program



Add C.R.A.F.T. to your prayer list:

- A minimum of 50 additional donors to contribute a minimum of \$50 per month
- Educational success for students in the Student Adoption and Eagles Programs
- Transportation van

Visit the C.R.A.F.T. website (craftinc.org)

- You can donate electronically
- You can view videos of C.R.A.F.T..'s
 Faces of Success
- Learn more about our programs

"And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins." Matthew 1:21

Blessed Christmas

C.R.A.F.T. Board of Directors

I would like to help C.R.A.F.T. continue in its mission to
be a light and blessing to our youth."
Enclosed is my tax-deductible gift.
Name
Address
City State Zip Code
Please select one of the following: () \$25 () \$50 () \$75 () \$100 Other This is a (n): () One-time gift () Annual Gift () Quarterly Gift () Monthly Gift

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