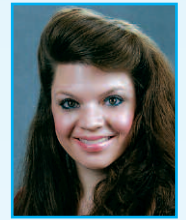


College Corner *by Shannon Strange, Academic Advisor*



2008-09 CCS College Acceptances:

As of February 2, the seniors listed below have been accepted to the following colleges and universities.

Kate Bennett

Stephen F. Austin University
University of Mary Hardin-Baylor
Houston Baptist University

Katrina Boulter

University of Houston

Christie Gamble

Houston Baptist University
Baylor University
Hardin Simmons University
North Arizona University
Texas A&M University

Catherine Kaliszewski

Houston Baptist University

Jordyn McCain

Texas A&M University
Baylor University
Texas Christian University

Charis Medendorp

Calvin College

Hannah Moffitt

Houston Baptist University
Oklahoma Baptist University

Zach Mokry

Houston Baptist University

Lauren Moore

The University of Texas at Austin
Baylor University - University Scholars Program
in the Honors College
Houston Baptist University

Jenny Nguyen

Houston Baptist University
University of Houston
Baylor University

Ryan Soulé

Dallas Baptist University

Josh Vance

Houston Baptist University

Glory be to God for the numerous college acceptances our seniors have received thus far! As these young adults leave CCS and go out into the world, I am reminded of the following verses from the book of James:

“Do not merely listen to the word, and so deceive yourselves. Do what it says. Anyone who listens to the word but does not do what it says is like a man who looks at his face in a mirror and, after looking at himself, goes away and immediately forgets what he looks like. But the man who looks intently into the perfect law that gives freedom, and continues to do this, not forgetting what he has heard, but doing it—he will be blessed in what he does.” (James 1:22-25)

May God bless our seniors and may they become doers of the word, not forgetting who they are in Christ. I encourage all members of the CCS family to pray for them as they embark on this next stage of life—that they will find freedom and wisdom in the Word of God.

Junior Selected to Participate in Leadership Camp

Junior Michael Teague (see photo at left) will participate in Camp Enterprise from April 3 through 5 at Camp Allen in Navasota, Texas. Camp Enterprise is sponsored by the Rotary Club and seeks to provide a first hand, practical introduction to the business world for selected high school juniors who have demonstrated leadership at their individual schools.



Students are chosen to participate in Camp Enterprise based upon their application essays, grades, and leadership positions held, according to Nancy Middleton, Camp Enterprise Co-Chair. Michael is one of 100 students from Houston chosen to participate in the camp.

The camp is an intensive, three-day program of

instruction, competition, and teamwork. Through interaction with business executives and entrepreneurs, participating students are introduced to the challenges and opportunities of the free enterprise system. From successful business leaders the students learn the value of hard work and dedication. In addition, the students learn how they may be successful in their chosen careers by using the principles that these leaders have learned in their experiences.

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Camp Enterprise provides speakers from the fields of manufacturing, engineering, health, communications, business services, and more. Topics may include management and employee

relations, starting your own business, government relations, ethics, the role of business in society and the community, leadership, and making successful connections with others to improve your future.

During their stay, students are immersed in an interactive environment that invites their participation in competitive teamwork activities such as managing a business, completing an obstacle course, and competing in a talent show. All parts of the program are designed to help students gain a better understanding of the business world.

Students leave Camp Enterprise with enthusiasm and a sense of direction. They develop skills in analytical and conceptual thinking, public speaking, and interpersonal communication. They also gain a better understanding of and appreciation for the business and free enterprise system.