



Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Incorporated

Kappa Omega Omega Chapter

Ruscel Reader, President

P.O. Box 40092 - Bakersfield, California 93389

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Dear Perspective Community Donor:

Since 1979, Kappa Omega Omega Chapter of Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. has sponsored a Graduation Awards Program. This program is a celebration of African-American High School and Eighth Grade graduates in Kern County. High School graduates are presented with book scholarships donated by our sorority and community members and Eighth Grade graduates are presented with certificates of recognition.

We are preparing for this year's program and invite you to donate a scholarship. Our sorority depends on its partnership with the local high school district, elected officials, and you – Community Donors – to support Kern County African American students seeking to further their education. These students are leaders on their school campus, at their church, and in their community but often go unrecognized. However, as Community Donors and Alpha Kappa Alpha have worked together, more than 100 of these deserving students have been nominated for scholarships during the last six years alone. With your help, we are excited to again offer this kind of support to the Class of 2011.

Enclosed is the Community Scholarship Donor Form. Please complete and send this form to Caren Floyd, 8305 Waterfield Drive, Bakersfield, California 93312 by March 15, 2011. Also please provide the following pertinent information to Caren Floyd at the address listed above or email, carenfloyd@yahoo.com or phone (661)587-7114.

- 1) *Amount of scholarship?* _____
- 2) *Do you plan to attend the event, and present the scholarship award? Yes or No*
- 3) *Do you plan to pre-select the student(s) to receive the scholarship, or do you want Kappa Omega Omega to choose? Yes or No*

Forward your scholarship check made payable to Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc. to Celedore Wilson at 11710 Childress Street, Bakersfield, CA 93312 on or before March 15, 2011.

The Graduation Awards Program is always a momentous affair for the graduates and their families. We are making every effort to provide an evening that radiates positive energy; one that we hope you will share with us. The program will be May, 9, 2011, 6PM at the St Peter Restoration Community Christian Ministries, 510 East Brundage Lane. We look forward to your attendance. Thank you for all you do to encourage of our African-American graduates.

Sincerely,

Odella Johnson, Co-Chairman
Community Donors

Caren Floyd, Co-Chairman
Community Donors

Raquell Jones, General Chairman
32nd Graduation Awards Program



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COMMUNITY DONOR SCHOLARSHIP FORM

Organization/Company Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Contact Person: _____

Award Name: _____

Award Amount: _____

Scholarship Criteria (check as many as needed):

<input type="checkbox"/> Grade Point Average	<input type="checkbox"/> Financial Need
<input type="checkbox"/> Athletic Participation	<input type="checkbox"/> Major Interest
<input type="checkbox"/> School Leadership	<input type="checkbox"/> Discretion of AKA Selection Committee
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify): _____	

Provide specifics as to selected criteria items above: _____

Scholarship Presenter (check one):

AKA Member Other (specify) _____

Provide history or information about award to be stated at the ceremony. (one minute or less):

Return to: Mrs. Caren Floyd

Attn: Graduate Awards Program

8305 Waterfield Drive - Bakersfield, CA 93312

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Fax: 661.827.8939

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