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David Rogers Memorial Scholarship Recipients

The Council of Community Organizations of Oktibbeha County Inc. (COCO) held its 17th Annual Awards Program. This year COCO was able to give thanks to its many contributors as well as recognized the winners of the David Rogers Memorial Scholarship Award. "COCO was founded on the principle of educating our youth and this year we were able to expand our reach by offering the David Rogers Memorial Scholarship Award," says Dr. Peggy J. Rogers, President of COCO. The program included the presentation of donors in the Gold, Silver, Bronze and Brick award and the David Rogers Memorial Scholarships winners.

The Council of Community Organization awarded two scholarships to deserving students; Mr. Tiberias Lampkin, a 2013 graduate of West Oktibbeha High School and plan to attend Coahoma Community College, Ms. Teyairra Hendrix, a 2013 graduate of Starkville High School and plan to attend Mississippi State University. Both students received a \$500.00 scholarship to attend the college/university of their choice.

The evening was filled with entertainment by Mrs. Viola Johnson, The Oktibbeha County Western Union Singing Convention and Ambassadors of Faith. Moderating the program was Mrs. Shavell Rice. COCO would like to give a special thanks to all who participated and joyfully committed their time and hard work for the cause, and a special thanks to all individuals who were on the program and helped make the night's event a success



. "Without the many individuals who help support COCO we would not be able to reach as many people as we do. COCO would like to express special thanks to the many people who have supported and contributed monetarily as well as through their time and effort in order to help continue to make COCO a success for over the years and are grateful for your participation in the program.," says Emma Randle.

The Council of Community Organizations was founded in 1984 as a provider of services to the community. The organization advocates self-reliance, self help, and cooperative effort on jobs too big for the individual. If you would like more information about the Council of Community Organizations, please contact Dr. Peggy J. Rogers at drpjrogers@cs.com or visit or website at www.cococenter.org.



Taberias Lampkin is the son of Joseph Jr. and Ann Lampkin, Teyairra Hendrix is the daughter of Carissa Hendrix

Recent Events At COCO

April

- 07- Abundant Life Ministries under the leadership of Pastor Jerry Edmonds held its morning services each Sunday during the 2nd quarter. The services start at 10:30 and concluded at 12:30 p.m. All services are open to the public.
- 20- ABC Tutoring program was held and students worked on journal writing, mathematics and language arts.
- 27- COCO monthly meeting was held at 3:00 p.m.

May

- 18- ABC Tutoring program was held at the Center and students did journal writing and worked on mathematics and reading.
- 25- COCO monthly meeting was held at 3:00 p.m.

June

- 01— The annual award program was held at the Center and David Rogers Memorial scholarship recipient were present to receive there scholarship to attend the college of their choice. Previous scholarship winners were in attendance to give update of their progress. .
- 15— ABC tutoring program students met and did journal writing and educational games.
- 21- ABC tutoring program traveled to Birmingham Alabama for an enrichment trip. The group toured Miles College, visited the Birmingham Zoo and the Civil Rights Museum.
- 22—COCO monthly meeting was held and officers were elected.

COCO Academic Booster Tutoring Program Enrichment trip to Birmingham, AL



New and Renewed Members

Tatayann a Turnipseed ,Amaya Turnipseed,Tykeria Turnipseed,Christine Kelly, Tiffany Kelly, Yolanda Kelly, Lacriusha Young , Zariah Lee, Nehemiah Turnipseed, Mr. Boyd , Jmichael Lowery, Elex Lowery , Janice Carr, Clarence Carr, Glenda Hill, Jessie Hill, Tammerrian Rogers, Jimmie & Carlene Randle Jr.

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Calendar of Up Coming Events

July

- 5- Surprise Birthday Fellowship
7—Abundant Life Ministries Worship Services 10:30 am (each Sunday)
20-ABC Tutoring (Will Not Meet)
Smith Retirement Fellowship , 6p.m.
27-COCO Monthly Meeting 3:00 p.m.
Birthday Fellowship, 2 P.M.

August

- 04—Jackson Family Fellowship—2 p.m.
10—Amy Barnes Birthday Fellowship—2 p.m.
17-ABC Tutoring Program 9:00 a.m.
24—COCO regular monthly meeting at 3:00p.m.

September

- 21-ABC Tutoring Program 9:00 a.m.
28-COCO regular meeting at 3 p.m.

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