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February 20, 2010

Dear Students and Guidance Counselors,

The Scholarship Committee of The Ivy Legacy Foundation is currently accepting applications for the following 2010 scholarship awards:

The Ivy Legacy Foundation Scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior who meets the following criteria:

- Female
- Extra-curricular school activities
- Enrolled in a four year accredited college
- Demonstrated leadership ability
- Demonstrated academic achievement
- Community service
- Successful interview

The Carrie F. Gethers Memorial Scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior student in a Philadelphia public school who will study physical therapy or occupational health in a two or four-year accredited college program. The recipient will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Demonstrated leadership ability
- GPA 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale
- Extra-curricular school activities
- Enrolled in a two or four year accredited college
- Community service
- Successful interview

Susan Cannon Jones Celebration Scholarship supports the higher education goals of a deserving, non-traditional female student who is also a single parent. The recipient will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Between 17 and 35 years of age
- GPA 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale
- Demonstrated financial need
- Enrolled in a 2 or 4 year accredited college or university
- Successful interview

The Jarvis Moss Shepherd Educational Scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior who plans to major in business or education. The recipient will be selected based on the following criteria:

- Demonstrated leadership ability
- GPA 3.0 or higher on a 4.0 scale
- Extra-curricular school activities
- Enrolled in a four year accredited college
- Community service
- Successful Interview



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John and Roberta Hubbard Family Foundation Scholarship is awarded to a graduating senior of The Philadelphia High School for Girls majoring in the Arts, Music or Literature in a two or four year accredited college. Recipients will be selected based on the following criteria:

- GPA 3.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Demonstrated leadership ability
- Enrolled in a two or four year-accredited college
- Extra-curricular school activities
- Successful Interview
- Community service

All applications must be accompanied by an official transcript, three typewritten letters of reference, and a typewritten essay from the applicant stating future plans and why the scholarship award will help her or him reach future goals. The essay should be a minimum of 200 words and a maximum of 500 words. The application and all supporting documentation must be submitted together, in one envelope, as one complete package. It is the responsibility of the applicant to have all information submitted on time. Late and/or incomplete applications will not be considered.

Following the initial review of applications, semi-finalists will be chosen. An interview during the month of April will be scheduled for each semi-finalist. Scholarship winners will be selected from the semi-finalist group and will be notified by May 17, 2010. The Scholarship Reception will be held on Monday evening, June 7<sup>th</sup> at the Philadelphia School District offices at 440 North Broad Street. All completed applications should be postmarked not later than Friday, April 2, 2010 and mailed to:

The Ivy Legacy Foundation  
Attn: Scholarship Committee  
6703 Germantown Avenue, Suite 200  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19119

Sincerely,

The Honorable Sheila Woods-Skipper  
President of the Board of Directors, The Ivy Legacy Foundation

*Additional applications can be found at [www.ivylegacy.org](http://www.ivylegacy.org)*