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Dunbar High School Student Wins Boys & Girls Clubs Scholarship

Fort Worth, TX – Brandy Sapp, a 4-year member of Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Fort Worth (BGCGFW), was awarded a \$1,000 scholarship from the Boys & Girls Clubs of America's BE GREAT: Graduate Scholars Initiative.

The scholarship program, funded by The Stafford Foundation, is designed for Boys & Girls Clubs youth who demonstrate academic potential, a strong motivation for self-improvement and financial need. BE GREAT: Graduate Scholars have worked hard and overcome difficult challenges to graduate from high school. They are determined to advance their training or education beyond high school, and many are the first in their families to pursue a postsecondary education.

Sapp is a graduate of Dunbar High School and will attend Stephen F. Austin State University in the fall where she will focus on pre-veterinary medicine.

For more information about BGCGFW visit www.FortWorthKids.org.

About Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Fort Worth

The Boys & Girls Clubs of Greater Fort Worth provides enriching programs for youth from disadvantaged circumstances to develop the qualities needed to become responsible citizens. Currently serving over 12,000 youth through its programs, branches and outreach services, the Club has been reaching out to the most vulnerable in the Fort Worth community for 83 years, seeking to change the odds for girls and boys whom other youth agencies fail to reach. For more information, visit www.fortworthkids.org.

About Boys & Girls Clubs of America

For more than 100 years, Boys & Girls Clubs of America (www.bgca.org) has enabled young people, especially those who need Clubs most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens. Today, some 4,000 Boys & Girls Clubs serve more than 4.2 million young people through Club membership and community outreach. Clubs can be found throughout the country and on U.S. military installations worldwide, providing young people 6-18 years old with guidance-oriented character development programs conducted by trained, professional staff. Key programs emphasize leadership development; education and career exploration; community service; technology training; financial literacy; health and life skills; the arts; sports, fitness and recreation; and family outreach. In a Harris Survey of alumni, 57 percent said the Club saved their lives. National headquarters are located in Atlanta.

About The Stafford Foundation

The Stafford Foundation (TSF), www.thestaffordfoundation.org, was founded in 2002. TSF envisions a world in our lifetime in which all people have the opportunity to become self-reliant and live in dignity. TSF collaborates with and invests in capacity-building efforts that equip the underserved through programs that provide health, education, training and faith-based mission support. TSF's Education and Training Grants program works through cooperative partners to provide scholarships to people from disadvantaged circumstances to improve their lives and those of others by completing postsecondary education or training.

To further the cause TSF realized that it had the potential to provide even more support with a farther reach, particularly for individuals who wanted to do good and make a difference themselves. TSF turned this realization into an idea, then a practice, all resulting in [The Doing Good™ Campaign](#).

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