

Royal Scroll

Class of 2017 Issue



Ishaan Bhatt



Nazifa Promi



Abigail Liu



Allison Tran

2017 Mendenhall- Tyson Scholarship Recipients

"Honoring a Diverse Community Where All Students Achieve"

COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS - CLASS OF 2017



Maria Di Petro
"Graduation Welcome"



Jessica Torres
"Conquering the Impossible"



Therese Mathew
"This is not the End"

The Top 5% of the UDHS Class of 2017!



Stephen Abbate



Adoley Allotey



Ghada Ayad



Yashfa Azizi



Ishaan Bhatt



Caizer Bravo



Sean Burke



Maria Camarota



Jason Castro-Loja



Scott Devlin



Saima Din



Tahmid Fahim



Stephanie Ho



Jacob Hoback



Cindy Hong



Indjit Judge



Karl Kamanousa



Merlin Kochunilathil



Blya Krouba



Raghed Kurbaj



Vivian Lam



Abigail Liu



Eliza Mc Carthy



Huy Nguyen



Darius Olega



Will Olmstead



Manjinder Oueslati



Thienlong Phan



Nazifa Promi



Haria Rafiqzadah



Thomas Reif



Daniel Robinson



Makoto Saitoh



Dalvir Singh



Teferi Tadesse



Vincent Tchiong



Allison Tran



Jessica Trotter



Najia Uddin



Joseph Vizzarri



Ashley Walker



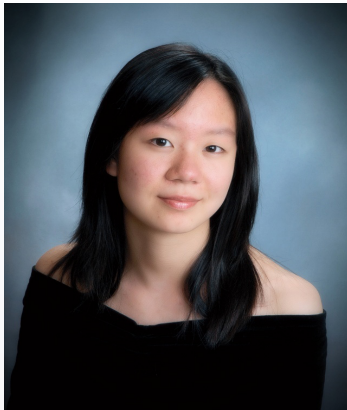
Samantha Witmer



Mei Lin Zhao

Class of 2017 Award Recipients

2017 National Merit Commended National Merit Scholars



Vivian Lam-Commended



Jacob Hoback-Commended

Dennis McNamara-Memorial

Rachael Gran

Air Force Academy

Appointment

Eliza McCarthy

District Home & School

Leadership Award

Edward Brown

Abigail Liu



Rotary Student of the Year

Ashley Walker



PSBA Student

Delegate Program

Ghada Ayad

Joseph Vizzarri

Principal's Leadership Award

Veronica Hudson

Jijoy Reji

Distinguished Honor Roll/Four Years

Stephen Abbate

Ishaan Bhatt

Maria Camarota

Samantha Carroll

Tiffany Kreidler

Abigail Liu

Ali Mian

Amoleen Nammah

Nazifa Promi

Makoto Saitoh

Dalvir Singh

Allison Tran

James Vogelsong

Jaleel Whaley



Class of 2017 Award Recipients

Delaware County Career & Technical School Awards (Folcroft)

Collision: Daniel Forester

Health Sciences: Naimah S. Keyes

Advertising Design: Jalen Grayson

Senior Registry of Excellence Award for Cosmetology: Alexa S. Valladares

Senior Registry of Excellence Award for Automotive Aftermarket Scholarship:
Benjamin E. Landis

Excellence in Pursuing a NonTraditional Principal's Award for Automotive Technology:
Benjamin E. Landis

Chamber of Commerce Award
Faith Ewulony

HOSA Award for Health Sciences:
Naimah S. Keyes

National English Honor Society

Stephen Abbate	Marlena Mitchell
Adoley Allotey	Darius Olega
Ghada Ayad	Will Olmstead
Amenawan Ayemere	Manjinder Oueslati
Yashfa Azizi	Millory Perry
Ishaan Bhatt	Gina Prince
Caiser Bravo	Nazifa Promi
Maria Camarota	Haria Rafiqzadan
Ryan Dia	Thomas Reif
Kingsley Dias	Dalvir Singh
Maria DiPietro	Vincent Tchiong
Tasnim Eba	Mikelle Thompson
Stephanie Ho	Allison Tran
Tim Huynh	Najia Uddin
Merlin Kochunilathil	Ashley Walker
Blya Krouba	Mei Lin Zhao
Vivian Lam	
Juliana Latini	
Abigail Liu	
Lauren Marsaglia	
Therese Mathew	



Danielle Condron Memorial Award

Gloria Lemmon



Clifton Heights Lions Club Scholarships:

Christian Lindsay, Ramatu Massaquoi

Seventh Congressional District Good Citizen Award

Thomas Reif, Eliza McCarthy

Horatio Alger Scholarship

Darius Olega

Phi Beta Kappa Award

Ishaan Bhatt

All American Honorable Mention

Brian Kennerly

National Technical Honor Society

Jalen Grayson, Naimah S. Keyes,
Benjamin Thompson

National Spanish Honor Society

Ghada Ayad	Merlin Kochunilathil
Ishaan Bhatt	Vivian Lam
Tamia Brooks	Thomas Reif
Jason Castro-Loja	Dalvir Singh
Mario Diaz	Jessica Torres
Saima Din	Allison Tran
Cindy Hong	



National Art Honor Society

Yashfa Aziz	
Tamia Brooks	
Ali Cucinotta	
Siani M. Davis	
Maya Jackson	Sanzeeda Pervin
Christian Lindsay	Casey Quinn
Tamar Lunsford	Alexandra Ross
Marly Mitchell	Fatmata Sakho
Nicolette Moore	Taylor Smith
Aysel Oktay	Kymberly Waples



National Honor Society of 2017

Stephen Abbate

Adoley Allotey

Dylan Au

Amenawon Ayemere

Ishaan Bhatt

Samantha Carroll

Jason Castro-Loja

Demin Cherian

Maria Di Pietro

Saima Din

Haley Fleming

Stephanie Ho

Cindy Hong

Indjit Judge

Rajvir Kaur

Merlin Kochunilathil

Blya Krouba

Geethu Kuruvilla

Vivian Lam

Julianna Latini

Dominique Leivers

Abigail Liu

Therese Mathew

Eliza Mc Carthy

Samantha Mc Kee

Darius Olega

Will Olmstead

Nazifa Promi

Thomas Reif

Makoto Saitoh

Fatmata Sakho

Dalvir Singh

Teferi Tadesse

Samatha Thompson

Allison Tran

Alexa Valladares

Joseph Vizzarri

Ashley Walker

Mei Lin Zhao



Class of 2017 Scholarship Recipients

Historical, Community, & Honoree Scholarships

Mendenhall-Tyson	Ishaan Bhatt
Mendenhall-Tyson	Abigail Liu
Mendenhall-Tyson	Nazifa Promi
Mendenhall-Tyson	Allison Tran
Upper Darby Union Sunday School	Makoto Saitoh, Stephanie Ho Joseph Vizzarri
Upper Darby Education Association, Retired Educators	Gloria Lemmon
Upper Darby Historical Society	Julia Truong
Upper Darby High School Wall of Fame	Vincent Tchiong
Franklin Mint Federal Credit Union	Melissa Menkeng
Daughters of Penelope	Stylianios Kiziroglou
Step by Step Learning Center	Madison Goldstein, Victoria Goetz, Melissa Casimir

Delaware County Community College Scholarship Challenge

Skye Engime, Jaleel Whaley, Paige Engime, Meghan Bruhn,
Sumbul Ansari, Zhu Zhao, Kathleen Smith,
Matthew Kealey, Joseph Villaneuva, Mario Diaz

Joseph P. Batory	Ragged Kurbaj
Bedrossian Family	Caizer Bravo
Bedrossian Family	Blya Krouba
Lauretta V. Bushar	Ebenezer Akande
Carr Family Albert Jackson Soccer	Karl Kamanousa
Jim Croce Memorial	Lauren Marsaglia
Jim Croce Memorial	Maria DiPietro
Larry Flood Blue Collar Player	Jason Castro-Loja
Donald Forney	Haria Rafiqzadah
John K. Grube Track	Sugar Henry
Javada Hill Living Legend...	Kingsley Dias
Donald Fey Art...	James O'Neill
Jackson Family...	Samantha Witmer
Conrad Fisher Science and Athletics	Dylan Au
GV Lingo	Mei Lin Zhao
The Lunden Group	Dalvir Singh
The Lunden Group	Vivian Lam
The Lunden Group	Cindy Hong
The Lunden Group	Thomas Reif
The Lunden Group	Merlin Kochunilathil
The Lunden Group	Darius Olega
Elesa Nelson Scholarship	Alexandra Cucinotta
Frederick Nicholls	Indjit Judge
Paul Roth Mathematics	Kieran Shields
Lynne Rubenfeld World Language	Tamia Brooks
Upper Darby Football Boosters	Christian Ripoli
Upper Darby Football Boosters	Donald James King
Upper Darby Football Boosters	Jeremy Keita
Upper Darby Township Square Club	Roger Manao
Alvin Sargent	Maria Camarota
Arline Sarley	Fatmata Sakho
James Spencer Chemistry	Tahmid Fahim
Dr. Rosemarie Taddei	Rayyan Ibrahim
Todd D. Wagner	James Vogelsong
Watts Investment	James Leo
Xenia Hospice	Teferi Tadesse

Memorial Scholarships

Judith Achuff Memorial	Adiah McKnight
Ellen M. Barnett Memorial	Saima Din
	Jessica Trotter
	Yashfa Azizi
	Dominique Leivers
	Amenawon Ayemere
	Veronica Hudson
Roy T. Bell, Sr. Memorial	Ishmael Tarawallie
Madison Bierling Memorial	Dootleen Joseph
Brammall/Judd Art & Math	Ashley Walker
Larry and Frankie Chase Memorial	Mikelle Thompson
James P. Conboy, Jr. Memorial	Jade Khedoo
Greg Crichton Memorial	Brianna Hughes
Nancy DeLibero Memorial	Kanisha Milton
Dante DeSimone Memorial	Sean Burke
Nancy Rose Wilson Garrison Memorial	Manjinder Oueslati
Sharon Gutsche Memorial	Christelle Alce
Richard Hadfield Memorial	Scott Devlin
Elizabeth Harendza Memorial	Casey Quinn
John L. Harms Memorial	Alexia Lugowski
Dr. Marvyn D. Jaffe Memorial	Christian Lindsay
Thomas Jayes Memorial	Rajvir Kaur
Leslie Joachim Memorial	Therese Mathew
Lauren Joceville Memorial	Najia Uddin
John Lacey Memorial	Alexandra Ross
Ruth M. Longacre Memorial	Keara Barber
Monae Ragsdale Mabrey Memorial	Julianna Latini
Alan and Marian Mac Diarmid Memorial	Tasnim Eba
John "Jessie" Mariana Memorial	Brian Kennerly
Martha J. Menz Memorial	Stephen Abbate
Wayne Norton Memorial	Georgann Fury
Harry and Laurie Oleynick Memorial	Ana Santos
Kate Partridge Memorial	Vincent Chiaffa
Lillian Pecori Peters Memorial	Jessica Torres
Lt. Col. Mark Phelan Memorial	Max Livingston
Almarin Paul Phillips Memorial	Daniel Robinson
Jonathan Schmidt Memorial	Ghada Ayad
Brad Schoener Memorial	Sean McWilliams
Matthew Taggart Memorial	Kimberly Siegel
Lewis O. Thayer Memorial	George Canavati,
Justin Talley, Ali Mian, Derrick Robinson, Hasna Naz,	Jileen Rogan, Ayonna Ayers, Hawa Toure,
Hiba Mohammed, Tamar Lunsford, Elvis Tito,	David Lista
Two Thumbs Up Rebecca Grande Memorial	Aminata Kante

Class of 2017 Scholarship Recipients

Graduating Class Scholarships

Class of 1951 Scholarships	Thienlong Phan
Class of 1963 Scholarship	Simeranjit Shihmar
Class of 1996	Evelease Murphy, Xu Tao Liu
Class of 1997	Haley Fleming
Class of 2017 Scholarships	Melanee Roletter, Ashley Humphries, Mackenzie Cooke, Daiyan Chowdhury, Ka-tianna Forde, Tysheera Slade, Curtis Rapley, Lauren Daly, Jijoy Reji, Dhameer Kennedy, Danielle Del Casale, Emily Eisenacher, Janae Carter, Early Jackson, William Riley, Elizabeth Lista, Nancy Tran, Alexa Valladares, Janae Whaley, Sanzeeda Pervin, Rabia Tanveer, Jacob Goldberg, Kaitlyn Buonadonna, Precious Oparaugo, Jalen Grayson, Rose Lucien

Upper Darby School District Scholarships

Upper Darby Association of Administrators & Supervisors	Syed Shah
Upper Darby Education Support Professionals Association	Nuzhat Tasmim

Upper Darby High School Scholarships

DECA Anthony Fortuna	Edward Bown
DECA	Kevin Ngo
National Honor Society	Adoley Allotey, Will Olmstead, Samantha Carroll,
Principal's Scholarship	Khiara Porter, Ryan Dia, Geethu Kuruvilla, Kiera Blom, Samantha McKee, Jordi White,
Scholarship Committee	Passion Tapfuma, Rafia Hossain, Churan Chen, Blessed Gbolo, Jobanjit Singh, Ibrahim Tandia, Le Trinh, Sayed Akib, Denim Cherian, Geneva Baxter, Divine Warwick, Amoleen Nammah, Marykate Kennedy, Anna Gill, Jessica Samiha, Marie Sophie Jiminez

Home and School Associations Elementary Schools

Aronimink Home and School Association	Madison Weir, Ryan McGroarty
Bywood Home and School Association	Hasan Boyd, Tim Huynh
Garrettford Home and School Association	Josiah Schell, Madison Linaweaver
Highland Park Home and School Association	Drew Neptune, Vincent Ly
Highland Park/ Hillcrest Teaching	Siana M. Davis
Hillcrest Home and School Association	Jacob Schaffer, Jessica Clark
Charles Kelly Home and School Association	Tony Biju
Primos Home and School Association	Rebecca Andrews, Charles Breischafft
Senkow Home and School Association	Albert Hua
Stonehurst Hills Home and School Association	Haneef Crisden, Kimara Dix
Westbrook Park Home and School Association	Sarah Napoles, Joshua Bickford

Middle Schools

Beverly Hills Middle School Home and School Association	Maryarmai Hoff
Beverly Hills Middle School Home and School Association	Huy Nguyen
Drexel Hill Middle School and School Association	Tiffany Kreidler
Drexel Hill Middle School and School Association	Veronica Pandola

Home & School Association Upper Darby High School

College	Zachary Snyder
College	Doreen Gulley
Leadership	Aysel Oktay
Leadership	Samantha Thompson
Leadership	Mallory Perry
Leadership	Takia Wilson
College	Nicolette Moore
College	Jacqlyn Kissell
College	Nyla Rashied
Performing Arts	Gina Prince
Vo-Tech	Erica Little
Art	Taylor Smith

Class of 2017 Scholarship Recipients

Department Awards

Art

Tory Brown, Maria Camarota, Corey Canty, Jeymi Cappa Barrientos, Janae Carter, Kevin Escobar Tejada, Georgann Fury, Rachael Gran, Stylianos Kiziroglou, Tamar Lunsford, James O'Neill, Thomas Peters, Casey Quinn, William Riley, Fatmata Sakho, Taylor Smith, Jordi White

Athletics

Obadiah Asare, Joseph Hamilton, Dootleen Joseph, Karl Kamanousa, Donald King, Max Livingston, Will Olmstead, Syed Shah, Jessica Trotter, Hannah Wahner, Madison Wier, Diamond Williams, Samantha Witmer

Business Education

Edward Brown, Marie Camara, Maria Camarota, Samantha Carroll, Saima Din, Doreen Gulley, Gloria Lemmon, Rabia Tanveer, Jessica Torres, Jessica Torres, Hannah Wahner, Brendan Xue

English

Geneva Baxter, Maria Camarota, Janae Carter, Alexandra Cucinotta, Sianai C Davis, Maria DiPietro, Blessed Gbolo, Vivian Lam, Jireh May, Mai Thi Nguyen, Nazifa Promi, Allison Tran, Ashley Walker

English Language Learners

Armin Akter, Alemnesh Gizachew

Family & Consumer Science

Rebecca Andrews, Tiarra Bennett, Kaitlyn Bunonadonna, Danielle Del Casale, Kaitlin DiGiovanni, Kimara Dix, Michael Fioritto, Olivia Garrity, Jacqueline McGlade, Nhi Thi Nguyen, Joseph Vizzari

Math

Geneva Baxter, Any Begum, Scott Devlin, Stephanie Ho, Fariha Jahin, Tiffany Kreidler, Mai Thi Nguyen, Makoto Saitoh

Music

Stephen Abbate, Gloria Lemmon, Abigail Liu, Sean Mc Williams, Darius Olega, Gina Prince, Makoto Saitoh

Performing Arts Center

Rachael Gran, Jade Khedoo

Science

Stephen Abbate, Vincent Phung, Makoto Saitoh, James Vogelsong

Social Studies

Jason Castor-Loja, Alexia Lugowski, Pradeep Singh, Ashley Walker, Samantha Witmer

Student Achievement

Any Begum, Kaitlyn Buonadonna, D. James King, Denene Murray, Daija Polson, Blya Krouba, Alvin Tong, Le Trinh

Technology Education

Skye Engine, Tahmid Fahim, Doreen Gulley, Paul Kelly, Callie Kuhfuss, Daniel Robinson, Matthew Scally, Jobanjit Singh, James Vogelsong

Vocational Education

Daniel Forester, Naimah Keyes, Jalen Grayson

World Language

Andre Haldane



Matt Alloway
Assistant Principal

For reasons I cannot explain, each graduating class develops a common culture that distinguishes their behaviors and personalities from the other groups within the school. This class has always, from the time I met them, maintained closeness in their relationships, which at times, has caused some stress, but overwhelmingly has resulted in a class that knows each other, supports each other and solves problems together. It is that culture that makes me proud to have been among them, and grateful to be a part of their Upper Darby story.

Congratulations Class of 2017!

– Matt Alloway



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