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RECIPIENTS OF OAKLAND-ALAMEDA COUNTY COLISEUM FOUNDATION ANN AND JON REYNOLDS SCHOLARSHIPS NAMED

Ronald C. Nahas, President of the Board of Directors of the Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum Foundation, announced the recipients of the Ann and Jon Reynolds scholarships. The scholarships, named for former Coliseum Board Member/current Coliseum Foundation Board Member Jon Reynolds and his wife Ann, are for \$3,250 a year to a maximum of \$13,000 within a five-year period. They are awarded to graduating seniors from Alameda County high schools. Criteria include a 3.0 grade point average, two years of community service and a need for financial aid. Each awardee must stay in good academic standing and progress towards obtaining a baccalaureate degree to continue to receive the award.

Aaliyah Douglas is a Reynolds scholar and a graduate of Oakland Technical High School where she has been enrolled in the engineering Academy, which offers a rigorous curriculum of honors and AP physics, mechanics, advanced mathematics, and graphic studies including training on CAD programs. Aside from winning numerous awards for her projects in the Academy, Aaliyah is a gifted athlete playing on the varsity volleyball team and competing on the track team. She was a member of the international travel “Team Oakland” that traveled as a delegation representing the City of Oakland to Paris and in Athens where she metaled in the 400 and 800-meter dash. Aaliyah is headed to Berkeley where she plans to study structural engineering.

Monte Metal graduated from Berkeley High School with an unweighted 3.98 grade average with straight A’s in every class. Monte was a volunteer and leader in the STEM Community for the Math Engineering Science and Achievement at Hartnell College. There he spent his summers tutoring students in calculus and assisting professors building experimental robots, turbines, and solar panels. He also plays the saxophone as well as the clarinet and piano, and is part of the Young Musicians Program in the community that performs for fundraisers at galas and fares to help the nonprofit organization. Monte has been accepted to the Columbia school of engineering and applied science in New York.

The Oakland-Alameda County Coliseum Foundation was established to honor Coliseum President Emeritus Robert T. Nahas and to oversee charitable programs associated with the Coliseum. The Foundation also awards the George P. Scotlan and Robert T. Nahas scholarships.

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