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Over the last year, KHEDF has been busy working on developing strategic strategies and educational initiatives to meet our mission.

In May, KHEDF awarded \$46,315 in scholarships to 39 bright and deserving Hispanic high school students.

In August, the Foundation received a \$10,000 grant from AT&T Foundation.

In November, the Foundation held a retreat and revised its mission statement and goals.

Mission Statement

To serve Kansas Hispanics students and professionals by providing opportunities for education and leadership development.

Goals

- Expand organization fundraising capacity, including endowment funding
- Create and build organizational infrastructure

- Create educational & leadership initiatives

KHEDF will begin its scholarship outreach this month and will expand to reach Hispanic seniors in Andover, Derby, Haysville, Goddard, Maize & Valley Center.

The deadline for seniors to submit scholarships is February 1, 2013. Scholarship forms can be downloaded on our new website at www.khedf.org.

Finally, we thank all of our donors from last year, and we will be asking for your support in turning their college dreams into college degree.



Yolanda Camarena
President

- Create partnerships and community awareness

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AT&T HELPS KANSAS HISPANIC STUDENTS SUCCEED IN COLLEGE

KHEDF has received a \$10,000 grant from the AT&T Foundation to help Hispanic students succeed in college.

Under the partnership, the support from the AT&T Foundation will allow KHEDF to provide scholarships and fund a college readiness workshop named Tu Futuro: Through Education & Leadership.

"AT&T is proud to support the great work of KHEDF in Wichita," said Les Depperschmidt, Director of External Affairs in Wichita. "Not just AT&T, but all

of American business has an enormous stake in developing the workforce of the future. It takes all of us working together to continue to improve high school graduation rates and preparedness for college and careers."

The workshop will provide 135 Hispanic high school juniors from USD 259 with tools and resources that will enable Hispanic youth to make informed decisions about furthering their education. KHEDF has earmarked \$5,000 for scholarships for Hispanic high school

seniors pursuing a post secondary education.

"KHEDF is extremely grateful for AT&T's generous support. We look forward to our partnership with AT&T to advance our mission," said Yolanda

TU FUTURO: THROUGH EDUCATION & LEADERSHIP WORKSHOP

Friday, April 5, 2013
Wichita Area Technical College
4004 N Webb Road

KHEDF HIGHLIGHTS

CALEB CARRILLO

Bishop Carroll Catholic High School graduate with a 3.6 GPA. He will be attending Rockhurst University in Kansas City where he will major in Pre-Med. He is uncertain what specific field of medicine in which he will practice, but he has a burning desire to help people.

Caleb was a member of Student Council, a varsity member of football and track

team. At Chili's Grill & Bar he had outstanding leadership skills and was very reliable.

In his spare time, he participated in CYO. In the summer, he volunteered his time at Holy Family Camp helping the disabled.

As Caleb wrote in his essay,

"On the Mexican side of my family there have not been

any immediate family relatives that have gone to college straight out of high school. I plan on becoming that first generation to do so and establish a precedent that I can then pass on to my children, and they to their children, and so on."



LDF/Wendy's Dave Thomas Hispanic Legacy 2012 Scholarship Recipient

KORI GODINEZ



Jess Cornejo Memorial Scholarship 2012 Scholarship Recipient

South High School graduate with a 3.7 GPA. President of HALO, Vice President of the Pep Club and captain of the softball team.

Kori will be majoring in Occupational Therapy at the University of Kansas.

Kori is not only a leader in the classroom, on the softball field, but she is also a leader in the community. She has given up her entire summer days to volunteer with developmental dis-

abled students since she was 12 years of age. She prides herself on being a loving caregiver and hopes that by volunteering her time with these children they will know what a fun normal summer is about.

Kori knew for several years that she would be studying Occupational Therapy because she wants to make a difference in a young child's life.

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KHEDF is pleased to announce the launch of our brand new website.

To learn more about KHEDF, visit us at www.khedg.org.

2013 FUNDRAISING CAMPAIGN

KHEDF's Development Committee and Board members will begin its 2013 fundraising campaign to raise \$60,000 for KHEDF scholarships and programs. This is a 20% increase over last year.

"Students today are faced with real obstacles as they pursue a higher education. Cost shouldn't be one of them," said Tom Borrego,

Development Committee Chair. "Giving to the KHEDF annual campaign isn't just another donation. It's an investment in the future of our Hispanic youth, community, and the future of Kansas."

Make online donations at:

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