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Two Shawnee Mission Students Awarded Chamber Scholarship's

Shawnee, KS----- The Shawnee Chamber of Commerce has awarded its annual Betty Charlton Scholarship's for 2007. Joanne Nicole Heimsoth, a Shawnee Mission North senior and Alaina Marie Shelton, a Shawnee Mission West senior, were the recipients of this award.

This \$1,500 scholarship were founded in memory of Betty Charlton, a long-time chamber employee, to provide educational assistance to area students. The scholarship selection committee focused on community involvement and leadership skills to select the winners. Ms. Heimsoth and Ms. Shelton met or exceeded all of the criteria for this scholarship with their outstanding academic, extracurricular and community activities.

Joanne and Alaina were presented with a certificate honoring the scholarship at the Shawnee Chamber membership meeting, held on May 9th. Joanne is the daughter of Theresa and David Heimsoth. Her plans are to attend Kansas State University and study Interior Design. Alaina is the daughter of Angie and Mike Shelton. Her plans are to attend Kansas State University and study Spanish and Secondary Education.

Photos attached: Joanne Heimsoth and parents. Alaina Shelton and parents.

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