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**Anthony Muñoz Foundation Announces Finalists for Straight “A” Scholarship**  
**18 High School Students across Tri-State Area to Receive over \$40,000**

**Cincinnati, OH (March 22, 2016)** – The Anthony Muñoz Foundation has chosen 18 high school seniors as finalists for their annual Straight “A” Scholarship. These finalists, nine male and nine female, have redefined the meaning of being a Straight “A” student by: pursuing Academic Excellence, accomplishing Athletic Achievement, showing a strong Ambition all while playing an Active role in the community, maintaining a winning Attitude and displaying the ability to overcome Adversity. Congratulations to these outstanding finalists:

**Male Finalists**

Francis Brockman - ***Turpin HS***  
Tigar Cyr - ***Seven Hills School***  
Tanner Dole - ***Harrison HS***  
Chase Hudson - ***Calvary Christian School***  
Nykwuan Presswood - ***Taft HS***  
Daniel Stacy - ***Cincinnati Hills Christian Academy***  
Benjamin Waker - ***Alter HS***  
Caleb Wilson - ***Community Christian Academy***  
Jacob Zai - ***Bishop Brossart HS***

**Female Finalists**

Drezden Beam - ***Wilmington HS***  
Morgan Deitschel - ***Badin HS***  
Kyley Hartke - ***Gallatin County HS***  
Mollie Kozarec - ***Valley View HS***  
Grace Norman - ***Xenia Christian School***  
Dakota Polly - ***Turpin HS***  
Hannah Quillin - ***Western Hills University HS***  
Syrira-Lynn Roberts - ***James Gamble Montessori HS***  
Alyssa Steller - ***Ursuline Academy***

Each of the finalists will receive a \$2,000 scholarship that will be used to continue their academic career. All eighteen of the finalists will be recognized on April 26<sup>th</sup> at the Straight “A” Luncheon. At the luncheon, one male and one female finalist will be announced as the Overall Straight “A” Student and receive an additional \$3,000.

With over 300 students being recognized from 125 schools, we are proud to announce that this year consisted of the highest number of nominations in the history of our Straight “A” Scholarship.

Established as a non-profit organization in April of 2002, the Muñoz Foundation’s mission is to engage the Tri-State region to impact youth mentally, physically, and spiritually. The Foundation reaches out to underprivileged youth to recognize, and reward those who excel in all phases of life. Through the foundation’s eight impact programs, which include scholarship opportunities, character camps, a tutoring program and a leadership seminar, thousands of area youth are empowered. More information can be found at [www.munozfoundation.org](http://www.munozfoundation.org) and on our [Twitter](#) and [Facebook](#) page.