

Academic Honors

The following KCHS Seniors were recognized as [Knoxville News Sentinel Academic Achievers](#):

Natalie Deuschle
Saskia Forester
Michael Maggart
Kassie Moore
Marti Robinson

The University of Tennessee Alumni Association recognized eight members of the class of 2008 for Outstanding Academic Achievement:

Frank Doherty	Melissa McKenzie
Rebecca Forbes	David Rose
Conor Irwin	Andrew Springer
Brian Kelly	Samantha Voorhees

Frank Doherty was this year's recipient of the Bausch and Lomb Honorary Science Award, which recognizes a junior for outstanding ability in science. He also received the Woodman of the World Award for his excellence in American History.

The Sewanee Award for Excellence in Writing was presented to **Melissa McKenzie**. She was selected based on scholarship, leadership and demonstrated excellence in writing.

Elizabeth Dunn received the Sister Louise Lovejoy Social Science Award for her honesty, integrity and independence of thought.

Kassie Moore received the Optimist Club Johnny Mauer Award. This honor is bestowed on a senior who best combines academic achievement and athletic accomplishment in a varsity sport.

The Sister Mary deLellis French Award was presented to **Shainna Colette Prater** in recognition for her proficiency in the language and her love for the culture.

The Sharon Gerard Y-Teen Award was presented to **Claire Stephens** for best exemplifying the spirit of Y-Teens.

The St. Genesius Award, given to an outstanding theatre student, was presented to **Whitney Manning**.

The Louise Wyman Excellence in Music Award was presented to **Sean Letsinger** for chorus and **Kevin Stovall** for band.

The Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation Outstanding Sophomore Award was presented to **Katherine Harper**.

The United States Army Reserve National Scholar-Athlete award was presented to **Karen Wolf** and **Matt Crawford** for outstanding achievement in a varsity sport while maintaining superior academic credentials.

The George Willard Award was presented to **Mark Olberding** for embodying team building skills and outstanding character.

The top 10% in the class of 2007:

Natalie Deuschle
Saskia Forester
Rob Hunter
Michael Maggart
Laura McCarty
Kassie Moore
Amy Parks

Marti Robinson
Mary Souder
Kevin Stovall
Dieu Vo
Rachel Weiss
Tara White
Karen Wolf