

## THE JAN HENRICK ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Obviously, the newsletter is a little late this year. With all the changes taking place in our great state of Florida I wasn't sure that a charity such as ours would be allowed. JHAA is nonpolitical. The students chosen by the schools come from different cultures, races, physical and mental challenges, socioeconomic challenges and as many more obstacles as you could think of. Our goal has always been to reward and support those students that strive to help themselves. Having sponsored the Jan Henrick Achievement Award for over 20 years, not one single year has gone by that my admiration and respect for these chosen students hasn't reached new highs. (36) students every year walk through the doors of Lake Jovita Country Club with their proud parents to be presented with a \$300.00 gift card and a dinner in their honor. For one special evening politics don't matter, immigration status isn't a problem, school grades aren't relevant and who cares what you're wearing. The messages that we want heard are those that promote hard work in the classroom and the community, to face adversity with determination and perseverance and to someday pass forward their success to others. Our state, our country, our world need people to come together, listen to each other and find some common ground on any subject. Life isn't all about money, it's about making friends and developing relationships that fulfill us and help us grow as human beings. Please help us spread the love by joining us for golf, dinner and awards. If you can't be present for the JHAA, then find a situation that you can be of assistance to someone in need of a little help, you'll appreciate the good feeling and so will they.

Thanks, Kevin Bohne



#### Pasco High School

#### 2022 Award Winners

Alex Hernandez Alex Ordaz Alexis Keenan Allen Clark Ariana Medina-Santos Caleb Grossenbacher Dayra Rodriguez Casanova Jadaysha Jackson Lamarion Brown Macy Whisnant Tyreese Grose Yaneli Torres



Thank you for being with me for another year, for receiving me with so much love, for giving me support to continue working and the dinner.

Ariana Z Medina

I am very happy that you saw my efforts and the others too. I am happy that you still do this type of rewards and how you still help others with that. I really do appreciate this so thank you so much.

Dayra Rodriguez

Dear Mr. Bohne and family,

My name is Tyrese Grose from Pasco High School. I enjoyed meeting your family and am honored to receive the Jan Henrick Award. I will continue to do the best I can.

Thank you, Tyrese Grose

Thank you. I am so lucky to have a generous person like you to believe in me. Thank you so much. – Alex Hernandez



Thank you for acknowledging my hard work and effort I put in the classroom, I will continue to do successful things further in life. – Lamarion Brown

I wanted to say thank you for choosing me out of all people, I had a really great time and I really appreciated being there and thank you once again for having me there.

Sincerely, Alexander Ordez

I greatly appreciate having been selected for this award, and even more so appreciate the opportunity this award has given me. There is hardly a greater honor than preserving a legacy, and the legacy of Jan Henrick is one worth preserving for that, I personally thank and respect you all.

Kind Regards, Caleb Irossenbacher

Dear Mr. Bohne & The Henrick Foundation,

I want to say thank you and my family, teachers & football for believing in me to strive for greatness. Thank you Mr. Bohne & Jan for the wonderful dinner & gracious award. This award means everything to me. I will continue my journey award.

Sincerely, Allen Clark PHS #55

I am beyond grateful to have gotten this award and I'd like to give a big thank you to everyone who helped make this possible including the teacher who recognized my change in work ethic.

Sincerely, Yaneli Torres

Thank you so much for this opportunity. I am extremely grateful that my effort has been noticed. This will continue to motivate me, not only through the remainder of my high school life but also as I enter college. Thank you again.

Macy Whisnant

Jan Henrick Group,

Thank you for the award and for recognizing my hard work. It is highly appreciated.

Alexis Keenan



#### WHARTON HIGH SCHOOL

#### 2022 Award Winners

Adam Irshaid Bailey Bewsher Bruce Tran Dailani Brooks Denise Johnson Ethan Gonzalez Haleigh Self Juliana Colon

Liz Rosario Quinones Paulina Giraldo Riley Hall Twinwe Markana



To the Jan Henrick Foundation,

Thank you very much for the plaque, monetary award, and dinner in celebration of the Jan Henrick Achievement Award. I feel very honored to have been chosen for this award and recognized for my hard work, and I am very grateful to have been invited to the celebratory dinner. It was a beautiful night that I will never forget, and I will be eternally indebted to Jan for giving me this opportunity.

Thank you, Twinwe Markana

Dear Jan Henrick Family,

Thank you for being a wonderful group of people. I am grateful to have spent a wonderful night at a beautiful location with my Ma for the first time in a long while. I also appreciate having been able to properly learn Miss Henrick's story, and see how she lights up a room, even through a video. I'm most grateful that I had the opportunity to feel appreciated for my efforts at school. It's an amazing feeling. Thank you all, and I wish you the best in your lives.

Dailani Brooks <3

Words cannot describe how thankful I am to have the opportunity to win this award and attend the beautiful dinner with my friends and family.

Thank you, Haleigh Self

Thank you for having me. I'm glad that people are looking at the hard work I'm putting in. Now this is going to make me do even better.

- Julianna Colon

Dear Jan Henrick Foundation,

Thank you so much for the scholarship you awarded me! I'm so grateful for it! I'm using it towards my college expenses, such as my books! I will always be thinking of Jan Henrick's beautiful motto towards life, it is so inspiring and astounding!

With gratitude, Paulina Giraldo <3

Thank you very much for the award! I greatly appreciate all that you have done for us! Earning this award proved to me that I am seen for my hard work and that I am supported. I am so grateful for the award, the dinner, and the support the family of Jan Henrick has provided my peers and me with. – Riley Hall

Thank you for recognition of this award. I appreciate the dinner so my family could attend.

Thankfully, Adam

Thank you for giving me this award! I am very grateful for the opportunities that this award may help give me. I greatly appreciate you all for noticing my improvements and the hard work I put into getting myself where I am today.

Thank you so much, Bailey B

#### Thank you!

I really appreciate you for recognizing my effort and for giving me this gift. I haven't decided what to do with it but I will make sure to spend it good, again thank you and I hope that more people keep being recognized for their effort! Again thank you! — Liz Bosano

Thank you for the award. The night was fun and I was happy. I haven't decided what to spend the money on but I am glad I have the chance to decide.

Much love and thanks, Ethan

Thank you so much for inviting me to your Country Club. It was amazing and very inspirational.

Sincerely, Denise Johnson

#### PLANT CITY HIGH SCHOOL

#### 2022 Award Winners

Adrian Gonzalez Arionna Kellar Grace Gifford Isaiah Gattie Isis Powell Lottie Harrington Lyliana Gonzalez Matthew Sublett Michiaiah Hogan Natalee Blanton Trinity Sublett Yazmin Nobles



Dear Mr. Bohne,

It is with my great gratitude to receive this honor. In the future, I hope to embrace on a similar path where I can contribute significantly to the community as you have done. This gift receipt will go towards funding my ability to further myself through an education. I am extremely indebted to your act of philantrophy.

Adrian Gonzalez

Thank you so much for choosing me for the Jan Henrick Achievement Award, and I accept this award with great honor. This award will help me sincerely since the death and passing of my mother. In yours and Jan's name, I will give back to other people as they did to me.

Sincerely,

Matthew M. Sublett



Thank you for giving this award to me Mr. Bohne. This award means a lot to me. I lost my mom in October and getting this award made me feel worthy and special. Thank you so much for having me there. – Trinity Sublett

Thank you Mr. Bohne for this award! It truly means so much to me. I wish I was able to attend the banquet, as your invitation is much appreciated. I have never won a major award before and it makes me so proud of myself for even being nominated for this award. Thank you Mr. Bohne for everything. - Natalee Blanton

Thank you Mr. Bohne for providing me with the opportunity to attend this ceremony. I'm entirely grateful and my apologies for not being able to attend. I came down with a nasty cold and migraine Friday evening and the sickness carried over till Sunday. Thank you for the award and I'll do my best to continue on the right path, - Lottie



Dear Mr. Bohne,

Thank you so much for that wonderful dinner and awards! That was such a fun experience and I will remember it forever. And thank you for the gift card. I have already started my shopping!) I am honored to have been picked for this award.

Thank you!! Grace Gifford

Dear Kevin,

Thank you so much for all you do for our students. The look on their faces when they find out about the Jan Henrick Award is priceless. Thank you for continuing to honor the legacy and include PC HS!

Jamie Stephens

Thank you Mr. Bohne for this amazing award. I am so sorry I could not attend to your invitation, wish I could've! Thank you!! - Yazmin N

Dear Mr. Bohne,

Thank you for this award. I really appreciate the recognition and hated that I had to miss the banquet. I hope one day to pay it forward.

Love, Lyliana Gonzalez

Dear Mr. Bohne,

Thank you for choosing me to be a part of this award. It means a lot to me to have this award under my belt and experience a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity. With you choosing me for this award means that you believe in my success in life and I can't thank you enough

Dear Mr. Bohne,

Thank you very much for the award and I am very grateful that I have gotten the award. Sorry that I could not make it Saturday, I was very busy and I couldn't make it all. I just wanted to write the letter to you to say thank you again for this achievement award.

Sincerely, Saicen Gattie

Mr. Bohne,

Thank you so much for choosing me as one of the winners for the Jan Henrick Achievement Award. I am so grateful to have been given the opportunity to attend the award ceremony and be recognized for my hard work. I look forward to spending my prize on myself as I prepare for college and my loved ones.

Kind Regards, Arianna Kellar

Thank you Mr. Bohne for recognizing me for this award! I truly wish I could've made the Banquet, but unfortunately hoco was rescheduled to the same day. Since I came to high school I feel like my parents put me on a high pedestal and when I meet the goal they set for me it's just a "good job" back, so this really shows me that other people are watching the community and care <3 Thank you with my whole heart!



Thank you for giving me the award. I have to be honest I feel like I don't deserve it mostly because just doing nice things is what I do every day not just drawing on the board I do that because she gave me permission too. Plus I like drawing so I can show people what prehistoric animals looked like and maybe learn something new. There is a project I'm doing I call "moments stuck in time", a project that has small moments in time from every animal we know of from the beginning of time to now. What inspired this project was 2 things: 1<sup>St</sup> - old posted stamps that had the small pieces of art like dinosaurs or ducks or something and 2<sup>nd</sup> - an old piece of art a good friend of mine did years ago. I still haven't used any of the gift card yet but I do plan to in the future Thank you!! Bruce Tron - Wharton HS



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## The Jan Henrick Achievement Award

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Just before Christmas 2002, Jan and I had discussed what we could do that would bring hope and happiness to someone for the holidays. Having retired from the school system, Jan wanted to give something back to the school. We enlisted the support of Wharton High School and Plant City High School and agreed that 12 students from each school, chosen by faculty members for having turned their lives around in some way (i.e., better grades, attendance, overall positive attitude, etc.) would each receive \$150 to spend as they wished. Over the years, this award has increased to \$300.00 In 2011 we added Pasco High School in Dade City.

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and Maryann Vanya, Diana Garcia, Rick, Diane and Kyle Henrick, and to the Bohne, Bouchard, Willey Family for their ongoing involvement and guidance.

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