



## STAFF

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2012-2013****MHS****Math**

- Matthew Steele

**Science**

- Nicole Shaughnessy

**English**

- Deb Mau Hicks and Erin Basgall

Upward Bound tutorials take place on Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays from 2:30-4:30 PM in room A-112.

**AHS****Math**

- Matt Pinter and Laura Olson

**Science**

- James Rafko

**English**

- Tim Curry and Jennifer Williams

Upward Bound tutorials take place on Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 2:30-4:30 PM in room 64-A and room 22.

**UPCOMING EVENTS**

UPWARD BOUND PROGRAM

AWARDS AND RECOGNITION BANQUET

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2013

6-8 PM

MONROE COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

ADMINISTRATION BUILDING - CAFETERIA

A banquet is held at the end of every year for the Upward Bound student and two family members. Students are honored for their academic achievements and awards are presented to the students in categories such as: Upward Bound Student of the Year; Positive Attitude Awards; Outstanding Freshmen, sophomore, Junior and Senior, etc. It is a fun evening and a chance for the Upward Bound staff to finally meet the parents and guardians.

Invitations will be going out in the mail very soon. Please call in your R.S.V.P. to the Upward Bound office as soon as you can. The Upward Bound staff has shared with all parents the importance of their attendance for that evening. The UB staff is expecting all parents and guardians in attendance that evening, so please call the office as soon as you receive your invitation. Thank you.

**BRIDGE SCHOLARSHIP**

Seniors who graduate in good standing with the Upward Bound program are eligible to compete for the Bridge scholarship for the summer semester at MCCC. The total number of credit hours a student can obtain is six.

The bridge scholarship includes:

- Tuition at MCCC for up to six credit hours of approved courses (e.g., college math and English)
- Books and supplies not to exceed \$100

The students that have been granted the Upward Bound Bridge scholarship program are:

Ashley "Missy" Epps, Brandi Miller, and Celeste Bakr

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## NEW STUDENTS TO UPWARD BOUND AT MONROE HIGH SCHOOL

Nicah Whitefield, Samantha Peters, Brittney Strauss

## NEW STUDENTS TO UPWARD BOUND AT AIRPORT HIGH SCHOOL

Chealsea Ball, Shanna Ball, Lindsey Ballard, Jacob Baron, Shawn Buckner, Angie Clegg, Chelsea Daigneau, Kimberley Ellison, Seseana Franzen, Jared Harvell, Amber Horne, Reggie Horne, Liz Hutchison, Avery Kobielski, Evan Kominek-Sobczak, Gleishya Morales, Courtney Rae, Arron Robinson, Taylor Small, Samantha Stanchik, Jordan Stumpmier, Madyson Twork, Brooklyn Wright

## NEW UPWARD BOUND STAFF MEMBERS

### **ANGELA DYE**

Hello! I have been hired on as the Administrative Assistant to the Upward Bound Program and I have an office at both Monroe High School and Airport High School. My name is Angela Dye. I hold an Associate in Office Technology and a Bachelors of Business Administration and Marketing from the University of Toledo. Previous employers where I held an administrative assistant position include Cutting Edge Lawn and Landscape, Toledo School for the Arts, and RCE North West. Since 2008, I have served as a Substitute Teacher for Monroe County Intermediate School District.

I am a wife of 13 years and a mother of an 11-year old boy and an 8-year old girl residing in Temperance, MI. I have enjoyed sand volleyball for 18 years, fishing with my family on Lake Erie, and biking and running. I sought out the position as the Administrative Assistant to the Upward Bound Program because it was a great match for my background.

### **CHARLES FRIEDLINE**

Hello! I'm Charles Friedline and I just joined the MCCC Upward Bound team on December 10 as the Academic Skills Coordinator for Airport High School. I am very excited to be here because I have very close ties to Airport. I am an alumnus (Class of '83), I completed my student teaching at Airport High School in 2008, and I have served there as a substitute teacher for four years and as a Youth in Government advisor for two years.

I am very passionate about teaching and about student success. I believe the Upward Bound program is a great path to that success, and I am looking forward to working with the freshmen and sophomores this year to help them succeed in high school, college, and beyond.

We are still actively recruiting at Airport High School. Our goal is to reach 45 students—and the best way to do this is for our current students to talk it up to their friends. The experience will be so much richer if you share it with friends, so let them know how great you think the program is.

Applications can be picked up and dropped off at the Upward Bound Office in Room 67, across from the stage door in Auto Shop Hall. Stop by and see me anytime if you have questions or concerns—or even just to say, “Hi!”.

I can also be reached at 734-869-7199 or cfriedline@airport.k12.mi.us.

## SENIOR HIGHLIGHT



Ricky Canales  
Ricky Canales

**WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO STUDY IN COLLEGE?**  
Civil Engineering, Criminal Justice, or Automotive Engineering

**WHAT IS YOUR COLLEGE OF CHOICE?**  
Monroe County Community College

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD?**  
Chicken Alfredo

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE?**  
Gran Torino

**WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOWS?**  
Tosh.O

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF UPWARD BOUND?**  
The different people I meet.

**WHO IS YOUR ROLE MODEL?**  
My Dad

**HOBBIES:**  
Working on cars and photography

**WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES?**  
Hockey

**MOST MEMORABLE HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE:**  
My hockey season

**WORDS OF WISDOM:**  
Try new things!

**WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO STUDY IN COLLEGE?**  
Language and Communication

**WHAT IS YOUR COLLEGE OF CHOICE?**  
University of Toledo

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD?**  
Cheeseburger

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE?**  
Beauty and the Beast

**WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOWS?**  
Family Guy

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF UPWARD BOUND?**  
The service it provides

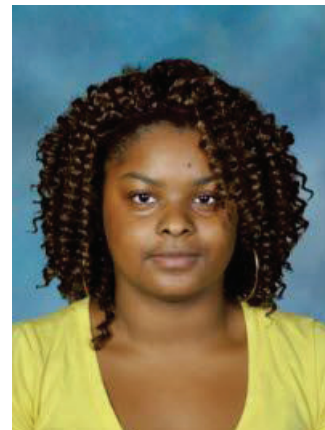
**WHO IS YOUR ROLE MODEL?**  
My mom

**HOBBIES:**  
Playing the dance games

**WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES?**  
Working, play video games

**MOST MEMORABLE HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE:**  
Nashville trip with Upward Bound, not dying on December 21, 2012

**WORDS OF WISDOM:**  
"We cannot solve our problems with the same thinking we used when we created them" - Albert Einstein



Perfenee Womack  
Perfenee Womack



Kendra Murphy  
**Kendra Murphy**

**WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO STUDY IN COLLEGE?**

Nursing

**WHAT IS YOUR COLLEGE OF CHOICE?**

Wayne State University

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD?**

Pancakes or pizza

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE?**

The Avengers

**WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOWS?**

Boondocks and Spongebob

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF UPWARD BOUND?**

Summer programs, going to college and having things to do to keep me busy, and lots of food.

**WHO IS YOUR ROLE MODEL?**

My mom, because she is smart and always pushes me to do right.

**HOBBIES:**

Dancing, singing, listening to music, partying, and eating

**WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES?**

Upward Bound

**MOST MEMORABLE HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE:**

One day I was walking in the halls with my headphones in and looking around and finally realizing that this was eventually going to end. I was happy to think of graduation. I will surely miss the days in high school with friends and teachers.

**WORDS OF WISDOM:**

Use what you know, express what you feel, and evoke wonder.

**WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO STUDY IN COLLEGE?**

Pre-veterinary Medicine, Pre-medicine for Nursing

**WHAT IS YOUR COLLEGE OF CHOICE?**

St. Xavier

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD?**

Burritos and Cheese and Pecan Ice Cream

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE?**

I would have to say that my favorite movie is Hairspray

**WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOWS?**

Good luck Charlie and The Game

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF UPWARD BOUND?**

All of the trips we took during the summer and all of the memories they have made.

**WHO IS YOUR ROLE MODEL?**

My mother (Ebony) and my little brother (Jaiden)

**HOBBIES:**

Shopping, reading, and hanging out.

**WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES?**

Upward Bound

**MOST MEMORABLE HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE:**

I have way too many good memories and have had way too many amazing experiences at Monroe High to just pick one honestly.

**WORDS OF WISDOM:**

Do what makes you truly happy



Jaelyn Evans  
**Jaelyn Evans**



Dariun Hudson  
**Dariun Hudson**

**WHAT ARE YOU GOING TO STUDY IN COLLEGE?**

Registered Nursing

**WHAT IS YOUR COLLEGE OF CHOICE?**

Eastern Michigan University

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE FOOD?**

Noodles

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE MOVIE?**

Home Alone, Watilda, Kevin Hart Movies, and Trading Places with Eddie Murphy

**WHAT ARE YOUR FAVORITE TV SHOWS?**

Bad girls Club, Mindy Project, Love Games, Love and Hip Hop, Key and Peele, Husbands of Hollywood, Mob Wives, and basketball wives.

**WHAT IS YOUR FAVORITE PART OF UPWARD BOUND?**

Bad girls Club, Mindy Project, Love Games, Love and Hip Hop, Key and Peele, Husbands of Hollywood, Mob Wives, and basketball wives.

**WHO IS YOUR ROLE MODEL?**

College visits, summer trip, and Ms. Lambert

**HOBBIES:**

Reading, working and cleaning

**WHAT ARE SOME OF YOUR EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES?**

Teen Board, Kids Club, Upward Bound and volunteering at the Lutheran Home

**MOST MEMORABLE HIGH SCHOOL EXPERIENCE:**

Coming to Monroe High from the Middle College after 4 years and seeing the differences.

**WORDS OF WISDOM:**

Say what you mean and mean what you say, because those who mind don't matter, and those who matter don't mind.



**SIENA HEIGHTS UNIVERSITY**

1247 E. Siena Heights Dr. Adrian, MI 49221

Phone: (517)263-0731 or (800)521-0009



On February 18, 2013, a group of students from Monroe High School visited the campus of Siena Heights University. Siena Heights University is Missy "Ashley" Epps College of choice where she plans to study Psychology and Education. Brandi Miller will also be attending Siena Heights University and plans to study Mortuary Science.

From Left to Right: *Christina Lee-Oliver, Missy Epps, Perfenee Womack, Brandi Miller*

## US Congressman Tim Walberg

On Tuesday, April 9th at 9:00 a.m., Rep. Tim Walberg (R-MI) was joined by a Subcommittee on Higher Education and Workforce Training Chairwoman Virginia Foxx (R-NC) to host a field hearing entitled, **“Reviving our Economy: The Role of Higher Education in Job Growth and Development.”** The field hearing took place at 173 Administration Building in Monroe County Community College, located at 1555 S. Raisinville Road in Monroe, Michigan. Students from Airport and Monroe High School attended this hearing and were able to watch their government work.



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# AIRPORT HIGH

## UPWARD BOUND ROSTER

### FRESHMEN:

Ballard, Lyndsey  
Baron, Jacob  
Brooks, Eryn  
Ball, Shanna  
Clegg, Angie  
Elliott, Jennifer  
Engle, Kayla  
Harvell, Jared  
Horne, Reggie  
Hutchison, Liz  
Kominek-Sobczak, Evan  
Langton, Sierra  
Litton, Kristin  
Mason, Ragen  
Rae, Lauren  
Robinson, Arron  
Stanchik, Samantha  
Stumpmier, Jordan  
Vella, McKayla  
White, Javonn

### SOPHOMORES:

Buckner, Shawn  
Ball, Chelsea  
Daigneau, Chelsea  
Ellison, Kimberley  
Franzen, Seseana  
Grabitz, Brittany  
Horne, Amber  
Kobielski, Avery  
Kobielski, Kyle  
McGrath, Robert  
Morrow, Rojet  
Rae, Courtney  
Reyes, Raul  
Small, Taylor  
Smock, Codey  
Twork, Madyson  
Wright, Brooklyn

## THIRD QUARTER SCHOLARS

AIRPORT HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL 3.0 GPA OR HIGHER

### FRESHMEN:

Ball, Shanna  
Brooks, Eryn  
Clegg, Angie  
Langton, Sierra  
Litton, Kristen  
Rae, Lauren

### SOPHOMORE:

Ball, Chelsea  
Ellison, Kimberley  
Franzen, Seseana  
Kobielski, Kyle  
Morrow, Rojet  
Rae, Courtney  
Smock, Codey  
Wright, Brooklyn

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# MONROE HIGH

## UPWARD BOUND ROSTER

### FRESHMEN:

Brown, Dedra  
Green, Samuel  
Haynes, Avery  
Heineman, Janae  
Kopp, Dawson  
Peters, Samantha  
Turnage, Xavier  
Whitfield, Nicah  
Wills, Matthew  
Young, Kaitlin

### SOPHOMORES:

Adams, Demetrius  
Bakr, Coriya  
Banks, Jarius  
Brown, Jonathon  
Chavez, Marissa  
Espada, Christian  
Hammac, Jessica  
Hensley, Alayna  
Linden, Melissa  
McCray, Arthur  
Pillarelli, Autumn  
Strauss, Brittney  
Vasquez, George  
Williams, Javian

### JUNIORS:

Bates, Kayla  
Campbell, Joy  
Duchenne, Michael  
Emerson, Malia  
Farris, Taylor  
Hash, Tiffany  
Keith, Trevin  
Lathan, Jesse  
Lee-Oliver, Christina  
Narvab, Cierra  
Parrott, Riley  
Plummer, Emma  
Shover, Justice  
Williams, Arrington

### SENIORS:

Bakr, Celeste  
Canales, Ricky  
Daniels, Marlin  
Epps, Ashley  
Evans, Jaelyn  
Hampton, Demoree  
Hudson, Dariun  
Miller, Brandi  
Murphy, Kendra  
Thomas, Keeyana  
Womack, Perfenee

## SECOND TRIMESTER SCHOLARS

MONROE HIGH SCHOOL HONOR ROLL 3.0 GPA OR HIGHER

### FRESHMEN:

Brown, Dedra  
Haynes, Avery  
Kopp, Dawson  
Peters, Samantha  
Wills, Mathew

### SOPHOMORE:

Adams, Demetrius  
Bakr, Coriya  
Brown, Johnathon  
Espada, Christian  
Hammac, Jessica  
Linden, Mellisa  
Pillarelli, Autumn  
Vasquez, George

### JUNIORS:

Emerson, Malia  
Hash, Tiffany  
Lee-Oliver, Christina  
Williams, Arrington

### SENIORS:

Bakr, Celeste  
Canales, Ricky  
Hampton, Demoree  
Hernandez, Ricardo  
Hudson, Dariun  
Murphy, Kendra  
Epps, Ashley  
Miller, Brandi  
Womack, Perfenee



## TRiO DAY:



What is TRiO Day?

National TRiO Day is a day of celebration, reflection and action around increased access to higher education for disadvantaged students. Federal TRiO Programs help low-income and first-generation students enter college and earn a college degree.

Every year on the last Saturday of February, high school and college students, teachers, Members of Congress, local officials, TRiO Program staff, participants and alumni and many others:

- Celebrate the positive impact of Federal TRiO programs in our communities throughout the nation
- Reflect on the importance of educational opportunity programs in creating a fairer society for all Americans
- Act to protect and further access to higher education for low-income and first-generation students



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## MI-CAPP STUDENT LEADERSHIP SUMMIT – Lansing, MI

**Ramada Inn March 17-19, 2013**

What is student leadership?

The purpose is to bring together, in to a work and study community, those persons who have an active interest in and/or who are professionally involved in broadening accessibility to and success in formal postsecondary education.

The Michigan College Access Programs and Personnel (Mi-CAPP), the Michigan chapter of the Mid-America Association of Educational Opportunity Program Personnel (MAEOPP), is one of eight chapters in the MAEOPP association.

Students that attended from Airport High School: **Kyle Kobielski, Robert McGrath, Courtney Rae, Lauren Rae, Javonn White, and Siera Langton.**

Student that attended from Monroe High School: **Dedra Brown, Brandi Miller, Jonathon Brown, Missy Epps, Xavier Turnage, and Christina Lee-Oliver.**

"I felt so proud that I was there to represent my Upward Bound group. I am the second oldest of twelve brothers and sisters. When I go to Siena Heights University I will be the first child to go to college and graduate. With the help of student support services I will be able to accomplish this goal.

I would like to thank everyone who has done anything to help the TRiO programs to become more known. With the TRiO program I would never be where I am right now in life. **-Brandi Miller**

I learned to be responsible, manage your time, and have fun with whatever it is your doing. **-Dedra Brown**

On the second day, the student workshops allowed us to absorb the knowledge and be able to apply it to our lives. My personal experience in the classes was that they were informative, but fun and energizing. I learned about: scholarships, tuition/college costs, the wonderful world of engineering, life lessons from games, and time management. **-Jonathon Brown**

I learned about adjusting to college and how to deal with problems we encounter or may encounter during our journey to the real world. **-Christina Lee-Oliver**

I joined a handful of other leaders in a "Time Management" convention and was able to pick up a few of the skills presented. I was then able to utilize these back home, and act as a role model for many of my friends who could benefit from the "Time Management" and the other equally productive lessons. **-Sierra Langton**

I learned something from the conference that the TRiO programs are amazing, as well as the people involved in the program, but not a lot of people know about TRiO. We need to work on getting TRiO's name out there, because this program is worth every cent of the funding that it should be getting. **-Courtney Rae**

This trip was a really great opportunity to ask questions and learn about the different college that visited. Being able to see the capital building was amazing. It was a once in a lifetime opportunity for me. **-Lauren Rae**



Javonn White at the college of admissions.



Kyle Kobielski, Courtney Rae, Sierra Langton, Lauren Rae



Courtney Rae, Lauren Rae, Sierra Langton



Group photo of all students that participated in the MI-CAPP.



Sierra Langton and Lauren Rae practicing for the talent show.



Lauren Rae creating a poster for the capital building.



Xavier Turnage, Robbie McGrath, Javonn White



Kyle Kobielski, Mr. Friedline, Robbie McGrath



Flash Dancing!

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## SUMMER PROGRAM BEGINS ON MONDAY JUNE 17, 2013

Please watch for information on student transportation and schedules coming to you very soon through the mail.

### WHAT IS THE PURPOSE OF THE UPWARD BOUND SUMMER PROGRAM?

The Upward Bound summer program is a six-week component designed to expose the students to a college campus learning environment. This experience provides participants with many opportunities for intellectual, personal and social development. It also exposes the students to a realistic college experience and allows them to work out the many challenges involved with college life in a safe and supportive environment. The summer program consists of a full schedule of daily academic classes and workshops, structured activities, and field trips all designed to prepare students for success in college. The classes offered by Upward Bound during the summer are meant to enhance and enrich each student's skills in the areas of math, English, science, foreign language, ACT preparation and career exploration.

Below is a glimpse into the summer "Friday Field Trips":

June 21st	Tenneco
June 28th	Greenfield Village
July 12th	Michigan State University
July 19th	University of Toledo
July 26th	Eastern Michigan University

### DREAM GIRLS @ Stranahan Theater

**Saturday, April 27th at 2pm.**

A sensational new stage production of DREAMGIRLS!

A full of onstage joy and backstage drama, DREAMGIRLS tells the story of an up-an-coming, 60's singing girl group, and the triumphs and tribulations that come with fame and fortune.

### UPWARD BOUND SUMMER TRIP:

Students that participate in the summer program and have met the attendance requirements, good attitude, met GPA requirement and attentive in the classroom and complete assignments will have the opportunity to go on an all-expense paid trip to Boston, MA.

The year-end cultural enrichment trip will be to Boston, MA.

Students and staff will be departing on Sunday July 28th and returning on Wednesday, July 31st.

### VERY IMPORTANT PAPER WORK FOR THE SUMMER TRIP

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS: The travel paperwork that will be sent home with your Monroe High School Upward Bound student must be filled out, signed and notarized as soon as possible.

MONROE/AIRPORT STUDENTS : The completed and signed permission slips can be given to Ms. Lambert or Mr. Friedline out at the college.

All mandatory paperwork must be signed and turned into the Upward Bound office by Thursday, June 20th.