

Role

Volunteering and civic involvement build strong character in our youth and provide a valuable service to the community. Each year, students throughout the Chattanooga area selflessly volunteer their time and talents to a variety of community services. We salute these model students and their endeavors to enrich Chattanooga, themselves, and others.

With the fountain of the Chattanooga-Hamilton County Bicentennial Library behind them, eight of these students are dressed in back-to-school fashions, provided by some of our city's finest clothiers. They are this year's Role Models.

Briana Williams (left) is a senior at CSAS. Her civic involvement includes: Girls, Inc. Leadership Team and volunteer, Girl Scouts, East Tennessee Teen Institute, Son Servants Mission Camp, and Student Government.

Matthew Huckabee (right) is a recent graduate of Lookout Valley High School and will be attending UTC in the Fall. His contributions to the community include: student representative for the Hamilton County School Board, past chairman of the Superintendents' Student Advisory Board, his church, planning a Blood Assurance blood drive, and Senior Class president.

Briana's ensemble – a heather knit cami by Tresics, black sweater by Survival, 3-tier argyle skirt by Soda Blu, belt by Funky Junque, and earrings by Zad Jewelry – is provided by River City Apparel.

Matthew's attire is provided by Belk – gold cotton t-shirt and classic shorts by Polo Ralph Lauren, oxford button-down shirt by Ralph Lauren, and shoes by Meeting Street.

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Zoe Petropoulos (left) is a senior at St. Andrews-Sewanee School. Her community involvement includes: volunteering for Land Trust for Tennessee, math tutoring for middle school children, summer school camp counselor for kids ages 5-10, volunteering for Sewanee Environmental Institute summer program, member of Eco-SAS environmental club, and member of Land and Water Use Committee for St. Andrews.

Daniel Brock (right) is a senior at Notre Dame High school. His civic contributions include: volunteering for McKamey Animal Shelter, Landmark, Alexian Village Nursing Home, Mountain Arts Community Center, and the Salvation Army.

Zoe models a black knit ruffled dress by Frenzii and a tie-dye scarf by 525 America, provided by Frankie & Julians.

Daniel's attire is provided by Belk – a crisp white oxford shirt by Polo Ralph Lauren, black cotton graphic tee by Calvin Klein, and distressed jeans by Lucky.

Special thanks to the Chattanooga-Hamilton County Bicentennial Library and their staff.



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*J*essica Henson (left) is a recent graduate of Red Bank High School and will be attending ETSU in the Fall. Her contributions to the local community include: Youth Leadership Chattanooga, volunteering at the Tennessee Aquarium and Erlanger Hospital, and holding a fundraiser for the local chapter of the March of Dimes.

*J*aarius Cortez Rutledge (right) is a senior at CSAS and his civic involvement includes: the YMCA, Creative Discovery Museum, United Way Coats for Kids, and Dance Team camp for OBC.

Jessica's stylish ensemble – provided by River City Apparel – features a heather knit cami by Tresics, a teal short-sleeved sweater by Ya, skinny jeans by YMI Premium, and a multi-color bead necklace and a gold-tone bracelet, both by Zad Jewelry.

Jaarius' dashing look is built from dark wash jeans by Levi Strauss & Company, a graphic red Cremieux shirt, and a Perry Ellis vest – all provided by Dillard's.

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*M*att Pirkle is a recent graduate of Red Bank High School and will be attending UTK in the Fall. His civic involvement includes: Signal Mountain Middle School Wyldlife Leader, volunteering for TN River watersheds and North Chickamauga Creek clean-ups, conducting trail maintenance for the Lower Lita Climbing wall, and organizing an Ultimate Frisbee tournament for the Central Asia Institute.

*J*essica Leigh Ragan (right) is a senior at Silverdale Baptist Academy and her contributions to the community include: Project Coordinator for Interact Club, leading weekly worship at school and church, teaching guitar lessons, and volunteering at AMG International. She is also the Assistant Coach for Silverdale Baptist Middle School Volleyball Team, a discipleship leader for middle school girls, and has participated in multiple mission trips.

Matt's stylish attire – relaxed jeans, grey cotton t-shirt, russet lightweight sweater, navy blazer, and belt – is provided by Gap.

Jessica's long knit mocha dress with multi-colored bead embellished straps is a Whish design and is provided by Ciao Bella.

