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The T-shirt logo designed by Amber Derose, above, won first place in the first T-shirt and Logo Design Competition. Her \$250 prize will be awarded to her during "The Festival of Plays." left, the T-shirt logo designed by Nathalie McCrate won second place in the first T-shirt and Logo Design Competition. She will be awarded \$150 during "The Festival of Plays."

Jupiter High drama, art students help promote scholarship fund

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The John Yancy Memorial Scholarships (www.johnyancyscholarship.org) are part of Memorial Scholarships Inc., a publicly funded non-profit organization dedicated to providing college scholarships and grants in memory of family, friends or co-workers.

The John Yancy Memorial Scholarships are funded with donations raised at drug- and alcohol-free events promoting student volunteerism.

This scholarship is in memory and honor of our son John Yancy. He graduated from Jupiter High School in 2004 and was attending University of Central Florida at the time of his death.

The next event is at noon Saturday, Feb. 2, with "The Festival of Plays," in the Jupiter High School auditorium, 500 N. Military Trail. Doors open at 11 a.m.

All Jupiter Community High School drama students wrote a one-act play, using some of John's last



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John Yancy was a 2004 graduate of Jupiter High School.

words — "don't smoke or EVER do drugs for me" — as their inspiration.

The JHS drama department has selected the top six to be performed. Each of the six finalists has a budget of \$75 to cast, direct and produce their play. A panel of judges — including Glenn Powell and Debra Smith — will award cash prizes to the best three.

Prizes are \$250, first place; \$175, sec-

ond place; and \$125, third place.

Play to be performed are

- "A Slice and a Soda" by Hillary Newton;
- "A Dosage Well Needed" by Samantha Mckinlay;
- "Douleur" by Joshua Dorsey and Tony Welch;
- "The Ultimate Ray Gun" by Victoria Kepler;
- "Learning Magic" by Alexandra Tammaro;
- "The Death of King Lear" by Amanda Ferrante and Alyssa Hancock.

In addition, JHS art students have been working on a T-shirt and logo designs for memorial scholarships.

There are three winning designs of the competition and the winning students will receive their prizes during the festival. Shirts will be unveiled and available for purchase for \$20 each.

Amber Derose will receive a \$250 for first prize; Nathalie McCrate, \$150 for second prize; and Meghan Davis, \$100 for third place.

THE FESTIVAL OF PLAYS

What: Six one-act play performances by Jupiter High School drama department as a benefit for the John Yancy Memorial Scholarship Fund

When: Noon, Saturday, Feb. 2

Where: Jupiter High School auditorium, 500 N. Military Trail.

Admission: \$5 at the door.

Information: www.johnyancy-scholarship.org.

Honorable mentions go to Christina Arevalo; William Burdge; Nicole Casuso; Michael Fabiano; Julian Ghazal; Christa Halstead; Kevin Lai; Courtney Patrick; and Brady Wiken-son.

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