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A Message From The President

SCAA President Jared McGaffee

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It was great getting everyone together to start off the 2022 auction season! It is the sole wish of myself and the board of directors that each and every one of you have a prosperous year! We have been busy in the first couple of months hearing a lot of new ideas and finding ways to implement them in the coming months. We appreciate everyone's commitment to the association and to the betterment of our profession across our great state. Please remember as the year goes forward to encourage you auctioneer friends and colleagues, auction goers and supporters to join our association. It is because of YOU and others like you that make our association great, and we can only hope to improve going forward. Secondly, be aware of Federal laws that are hanging in the balance that could change the way we operate on a day to day basis, there is so much going on in the world and it is our responsibility to stay apprised of changes on the horizon and to advocate for the direction for which we see compromise but more importantly success. I hope everyone is having a great year thus far, we hope to be hearing SOLD across the palmetto state more and more often as the year gets into full swing. As always, if there is anything I or the board can do to help you in any way, please do not hesitate to ask.

Cheers!

Jared McGaffee, SCAA President

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Any and all SCAA members are encouraged to send information on past or coming events they have conducted or news articles that would be of interest to other members. Please send profiles of members who you feel deserve to be highlighted in our publication.

Scholarship Recipients 2022

SCAA awarded two individuals with J.L. Pinckney Memorial Scholarships this year.

The two recipients are Stewart Burns of the University of South Carolina and Bailey Nicole Herron, a senior at Beaufort High School, who will begin her college career this fall.

Stewart Burns is the son of Joe Burns from Swansea, SC.

Bailey Nicole Herron is the granddaughter of David Chapman from Aiken, SC.

Congratulations to both Stewart and Bailey and we wish you both the best of luck in your future endeavors.

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2022 Bid Calling Competition Held at Annual Convention

The SCAA held this year's State Bid Calling Competition at the 2022 Annual Convention in Columbia, SC. There were 10 Auctioneers competing for the title of SC State Champion Auctioneer and SC Rookie State Champion Auctioneer.

We had 7 compete for Grand Champion and 3 in Rookie Division. After the scores were totaled Jessica Ludwig was named 2022 SC Rookie State Champion Auctioneer and John Slaughter was named the 2022 SC State Champion Auctioneer.

Bryan Hope was Reserved champion and Gordon Amstutz finished in 3rd place. Now John will represent the SCAA at the National Auctioneer Association Convention as he competes in the International Auctioneer Championship (IAC) in California this summer.

Thanks to all of our competitors and congratulation to all our winners. A special thank you to our Bid Calling Competition Sponsor Iron Auction Group.

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Date	Time	Location	Description
03/22/2022	10:00 AM - 05:00 PM	Room 108	Board Meeting
05/17/2022	10:00 AM - 05:00 PM	Room 108	Board Meeting
08/10/2022	10:00 AM - 05:00 PM	Room 108	Board Meeting
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