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Fredericksburg High School Student named “Young Woman of the Year” by Virginia Knights of Columbus at annual convention in Williamsburg

(Williamsburg, VA) —Virginia Knights of Columbus named Riverbend High School senior Sarah Pattillo as their Young Woman of the Year at the group’s annual convention at Williamsburg’s Fort Magruder Hotel and Conference Center May 6. She was nominated by Battlefield Council 10246 in Fredericksburg.

Ms.Pattillo has compiled a strong academic record and is deeply involved in her church and community. She is an Advanced Placement (AP) Scholar, a member of the National Honor Society, and is President of the Latin Honor Society. She earned an Academic Varsity Letter and perfect attendance from 2013 through 2017. She is also Student Council President, a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and has participated in the Arlington Diocese Youth Work Camp Program throughout the past four years.

Sarah Pattillo's extracurricular activities include the Latin Club, cheerleading squad, drama program, debate team, orchestra (she plays cello) and ballet. She is a middle school judge and assistant debate team coach. She also volunteers as an instructor for the elementary school ballet program, and as an instructor for Pre-K to First Grade.

Shortly after graduation, Ms. Pattillo will be sworn in as a member of the Class of 2021 at the United States Air Force Academy.

Winner of the Virginia Knights of Columbus Young Man of the Year Award is David Halowski Murawski, nominated by Father Nicholas J. Habets Council 4632. He is from Virginia Beach.

The Knights of Columbus was founded in 1882 in New Haven, CT and now has nearly two million members worldwide. The Virginia state council was chartered in 1901, and has more than 28,000 members.

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