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THE COLORADO SPRINGS SCHOOL OFFERS 50% TUITION SCHOLARSHIPS *Scholarships available to students of outstanding character and determination*

Colorado Springs, Colo. – The Colorado Springs School (CSS) offers scholarships worth 50 percent of full tuition, renewable for each year the recipient is enrolled in the Upper School. The prestigious award will be granted to a well-rounded 9th, 10th, or 11th grade student who contributes ideas and energies to The Colorado Springs School community and exhibits outstanding character, determination, and leadership. Two students will be selected for the Donald English Scholar Award per year. This will be the second year that the Donald English Scholar Award will be granted to students who show promise to thrive at CSS.

The Colorado Springs School was proud to bestow these scholarships to two new ninth-grade students this year. Claire Harris and Landes Rangel both come to CSS with impressive resumes and goals set high for their high school and college careers.

For a 14 year old, Landes Rangel has ‘it’ figured out. A lifelong dream of being a General in the Air Force has always pushed him to be the best he can be. Due to his active volunteerism, dedication to academics, pursuit of baseball and golf, and accomplishments in Boy Scouts, he made a prime recipient for the inaugural 2009 Donald English Scholar Award.

“Due to this scholarship, I can participate in more activities and pursue a top-notch education. I would not have been able to come to CSS from San Antonio had it not been for the

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generosity of a donor who understood the importance of experiential education at this school,” Rangel said.

For Claire Harris, the other recipient of the 2009 Donald English Scholar Award, CSS had been a dream since a family friend talked highly of its Kindergarten program. CSS was once again on her radar when 8th grade graduation from the SAIL program at West Middle School was imminent. When Harris applied to the 9th grade at CSS, she was made aware of the Donald English Scholar Award and quickly seized the opportunity.

“This award will allow me to pursue a higher level of education,” said Harris. “I am excited to engage and offer my perspective while interacting with kids from all ages and teachers who give me responsibility and trust.”

Since arriving at CSS, Harris has become a passionate member of the Art Club, Kids in Community Service, and the volleyball team. Her dreams of studying marketing and advertising in college are closer to fruition as a result of her mature leadership, self-discipline, and desire to participate in a variety of programs.

“I’m excited to go to school every morning because each class is something new and different,” said Harris.

Applications for the 2010 Donald English Scholar Award are now available at The Colorado Springs School and at www.css.org. The application consists of short answer essay questions and is due December 2, 2009. Additionally, several other merit-based scholarships and financial aid options are available upon request.

To learn more about CSS, scholarship opportunities, and our college counseling program, visit our campus Saturday, October 10 at 1 p.m. for an Open House 9th - 12th grades, and Monday, October 12 at 9 a.m. for prospective Pre-K – 8th grade families.

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To learn more about CSS, please contact Director of Admission and Financial Assistance, Tiffany Williamson at (719)434-3512 or visit www.css.org .

About The Colorado Springs School (CSS)

CSS offers an experiential educational curriculum for Pre-K – 12th graders. Through superior academics and mentoring, The Colorado Springs School prepares students to think independently and to meet the needs of a dynamic world with leadership, ingenuity, problem-solving skills, and personal integrity. Enroll now for the 2009-2010 academic year by contacting (719)475-3512 or visiting The Colorado Springs School at 21 Broadmoor Avenue, Colorado Springs, Colorado, 80906.

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