

Good afternoon. My name is Kelly Riley and I have the honor of serving on Governor Musgrove's staff as a Policy Liaison. On behalf of Governor Musgrove, I would like to welcome you to the 2000 U.S. Savings Bonds Poster Contest Award Ceremony. I had the privilege to coordinate this year's contest. I must be honest and admit that this was one of my very assignments in the Governor's Office and I couldn't have asked for a more exciting one. 71 students throughout our great state participated in this year's contest and submitted posters promoting the theme of "U.S. Savings Bonds – Making Dreams a Reality." We are honored to recognize Andrew, Beth and Melvin today for their winning posters. Your posters exemplify the hard work, artistic talent and creativity of Mississippi's students.

I now have the honor of introducing you to Mississippi's First Lady, Melanie Musgrove.

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**OFFICE OF GOVERNOR RONNIE MUSGROVE**  
**INTEROFFICE MEMORANDUM**

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**TO:** LISA MADER  
**FROM:** KELLY RILEY  
**SUBJECT:** U.S. SAVINGS BONDS NATIONAL STUDENT POSTER CONTEST AWARDS CEREMONY AT  
THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION: TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 2000  
**DATE:** 3/7/00  
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I am submitting this information for a press release. Also, would it be possible for Wesley to take pictures? This is on the First Lady's calendar.

The awards ceremony for this year's U.S. Savings Bonds Student Poster Contest will be held at the Governor's Mansion next Tuesday, March 14, at 1:30 p.m. The First Lady will be presenting the three state winners with their awards. I have attached a U.S. Department of Treasury press release on the contest, as well as some messages of support from federal officials.

71 students (4<sup>th</sup>-6<sup>th</sup>) participated in this year's U.S. Savings Bonds Student Poster Contest. The winners were:

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Andrew Tucker (6<sup>th</sup> grade, Washington School, Greenville, MS) - \$1,000 savings bond
- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Beth Alexander (6<sup>th</sup> grade, homeschooled, Little Rock, MS) - \$500 savings bond
- 3<sup>rd</sup> - Melvin Lee (4<sup>th</sup> grade, R.H. Bearden Elementary, Sumner, MS) - \$200 savings bond

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**TO:** CORA GEE  
**FROM:** KELLY RILEY  
**SUBJECT:** GUESTS FOR 3/14 SAVINGS BONDS AWARDS CEREMONY @ MANSION  
**DATE:** 3/8/00  
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I don't know if you need this, but I thought I'd send you the names of the guests that will be attending the awards ceremony at the mansion next Tuesday, March 14 @ 1:30. We had discussed their parking on the grounds, so I thought the guards at the gate might need a list.

Vickie Martinson, Department of the Treasury  
Marshall Bennett, State Treasurer  
Tim Hedgepeth, MS Arts Commission  
Gloria Allen, AmSouth Bank  
Andrew Tucker and Family  
Beth Alexander and Family  
Melvin Lee and Family  
Kelly Riley, Office of the Governor

THANKS!

**MEMO**

TO: Honorable Marshall Bennett, State Treasurer  
Tim Hedgepeth, Mississippi Arts Commission  
FROM: Kelly Riley, Policy Liaison  
SUBJECT: March 14 Awards Ceremony for U.S. Savings Bonds Poster  
Contest  
DATE: March 8, 2000

Thanks again for judging the poster contest! The awards ceremony for the contest will be held next Tuesday, March 14 at 1:30 at the Governor's Mansion. I would love to have you attend if your schedule allows. Please call me at 359-2528 if you have any questions.

Honorable Marshall Bennett  
State Treasurer  
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Sillers Building

Tim Hedgepeth  
Mississippi Arts Commission  
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