

THE TUSCALOOSA BELLES



PRESS RELEASE FORM

Year in Review

The Tuscaloosa Belles have had an exciting and productive year, beginning with their Kick-Off Meeting in August, followed soon after by the annual Eutaw Pilgrimage. This year's class increased in size by twelve Belles which was a tremendous help in covering several new events, including the Native American Festival and Bicentennial Watch Party.

Other events this year included the Heritage 5K, TCPS Christmas Open Houses, Dickens Downtown, Holiday Party, and Porches & Parlors in Greensboro. In February, Senior Belles and their escorts enjoyed the annual Formal Dinner at the University Club.

While we hate that our year with these outstanding young ladies was cut short, we are excited to see what the future holds for each of them. Collectively, this Senior class of Belles has been awarded over \$1.6 million in scholarships to colleges all over the country. Their college plans will be taking many to The University of Alabama, others to Auburn University, the University of Alabama at Birmingham, the University of South Alabama, Mississippi College and Shelton State. One graduating Senior will be attending the University of St. Andrews in Scotland next year.

Since we were unable to hold Presentation in April as planned, we are working with First Presbyterian Church to reschedule for later in June or July. We look forward to preparing for another great year. Thanks to each of our members for their ongoing support.

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