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What do the kids in Braddock, North Braddock and Rankin all have in common?

Kids who are succeeding. The **Tri Boro Communities that Care Project** would like to applaud these very special Woodland Hills School District students who have made the high honor roll. We would like to honor Shaiheim Smith, Dakotah and Cheyenne Lewis from Braddock; Kavonna Lucas from Rankin; and Cordae Daye, Amanda Hamilton, Nick Prodanovich, Danielle Colquitt and Steven Hines from North Braddock.

The goal of the Tri Boro Communities that Care is to help promote the positive development of children and families and to prevent adolescent substance abuse, delinquency, teen pregnancy, school dropout, and violence.

Tri Boro Communities that Care engages a diverse group of people who live and work in Braddock, North Braddock and Rankin to get involved and focused on prevention and youth development at all levels. We reach the young and old, rich and poor, in their homes, in school and in the community.

With the help of our valued community partners, we all come together to access greater resources and offer greater benefits to our children. The list of our community partners continues to grow. Become one today! If you or your company would like more information about participating in the Tri Boro Communities That Care, please call Lisa Freeman, 412-464-1522 x500 or by email LFreeman@tvmhmr.org.

Tri Boro CTC Community Partners include: **TCV MH/MR, Inc. (Lead Agency)**, Allegheny County Department of Juvenile Probation, Apostolic Faith Church, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Greater Pgh, Braddock Music Art's Center, Calvary A.M.E. Church, Carnegie Library of Braddock, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh - Family Care Connection in Braddock, Children's Hospital of Pittsburgh - Injury Free Coalition for Kids, Department of Human Services - Office of Children, Youth and Families, District Justice Ross C. Cioppa, First Church of God in Christ, Fourth Street Methodist Church, Girl Scouts – Trillium Council, Hill House Association's Out of School Program - Braddock Office, Heritage Health Foundation, Local Parents and Residents, Mayor (Braddock) Pauline Abdullah, Mayor-Elect (Braddock) - John Fetterman, The New Pittsburgh Courier, Out of School Youth, Inc., Partnership for Youth Transition, The Pittsburgh Mediation Center, The Salvation Army – Braddock, Triumph the Church and Kingdom of God, Rankin Christian Center, Representative Paul Costa, Senator Sean Logan, Union Baptist Church, UPMC Braddock Hospital, UPMC Avenue of Hope, UPMC Braddock House of Hope, UPMC For You, Woodland Hills School District, Youth in Braddock

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Front L: Cordae Daye, Shaiheim Smith, Amanda Hamilton, Nick Prodanovich

Back, Dakotah and Cheyenne Lewis, Kavonna Lucas, Danielle Colquitt, Steven Hines