

**A** local group is helping to prepare young men to step into their roles as the leaders of tomorrow, hosting their annual Achievers Program.

The program, sponsored by the Sacramento Chapter of the Links, Inc., is open to high school seniors and college freshmen, and is designed to help young men assume leadership roles in their families, their chosen fields and in their communities. Once participating in the six-month program, the young men, who have pre-

viously demonstrated a dedication to excellence, attend workshops on topics such as careers, goals and relationships. They must also complete 20 hours of community service.

The Sacramento Chapter started conducting the program locally in 1989. It culminates annually in a beautiful event that celebrates the young men's achievements and the success that awaits them as adults. This year's "Affair of Honor" will be held on Saturday, April 10 at the Sheraton

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**EKENNA SAMUEL ANYA-GAFU**

**Ekenna Anya-Gafu** is a senior at Christian Brothers High School. His extracurricular activities include rugby, football and basketball. In Anya-Gafu's senior year he received the Most Inspirational Player of the Year Award. Outside of football, he is a staff writer for Christian Brothers Talon Newspaper and president of the Black Student Union. Anya-Gafu takes pleasure in conversing with adults on topics such as global warming, politics, football and basketball. He has completed certification to become an assistant coach for Junior Falcon Football League's Mighty Mites. After graduation, he'll attend University of North Dakota majoring in Aviation.

**Austin Julian Moore** is a senior at Christian Brothers High School where he has achieved both academic and extracurricular success. Moore earned letters in football, track, and swimming. His primary passion is football and his hard work was rewarded with his selection as the team's Most Valuable Defensive Player and 1st Team All Conference. Moore shared his interest with football as a volunteer junior coach and role model for the Jr. Falcons football program. He also plays the trombone in the Christian Brothers Band, is Homecoming King and Black Student Union Co-Vice President. Moore has also served as the past Teen Treasurer of the Sacramento Chapter of Jack and Jill of America, Inc. He plans to attend the University of San Diego this Fall.



**JULIAN TRE' WINTERS**

**Julian Tre' Winters** is a senior at Christian Brothers High School. He has maintained a 3.3 GPA while being enrolled in several AP classes. Winters was a member of The Academic Talent Search through his freshman year. He has been an active member of the Black Student Union all four years of his high school. He has done community service for the Food Bank and Mustard Seed Faith Ministries. Winters was also a "Big Buddy," and tutored in the Martin Luther King K-8 afterschool program. He has been a member of the Christian Brothers Basketball, Track and Football team. Winters has been accepted to continue playing football at the college level for Sam Houston State University, the University of Oklahoma Sooners, and the University of Miami. He has chosen the University of Miami where he will major in Business.



**AUSTIN JULIAN MOORE**