

What you can expect

WKRBC will coordinate with your school's senior awards coordinator to ensure your award is delivered in time for graduation.

YOU can help by :

1. Informing us you are a graduating senior
2. Tell us the school you attend
3. Make your 4th donation by the end of April.
4. If you donate in the center or somewhere other than a school ask us to note your records

*Congratulations on Graduating High School
& best wishes in your future endeavors*



Donating Blood:

- Please present a photo ID upon registration
- Hydration is the key to a successful donation, drink plenty of **water**
- **Eat** well before & after donation
- Check all **travel** and any **medical conditions** with blood center staff
- Donors must weigh at least **115 pounds**
- The legal age for volunteer blood donation in KY is **17** or age **16** with a signed consent.
- Donors must wait a full **8 weeks/56 days** to **give blood** (between blood donations)

In Daviess, Ohio, McLean, Hancock, & Breckinridge, Grayson Counties
contact: Vicki Ellis vicki@wkrbc.org

In Christian, Crittenden, Caldwell, Trigg & Lyon Counties contact:
Robbin Shively Robbin@wkrbc.org

Or call WKRBC at: **1(270) 684-9296**

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THE ONE WHERE WE WEAR RED CORDS



Western Kentucky
Regional Blood Center
High School Hero Awards

WKRBC has partnered with the Daviess & Ohio County Fiscal Courts to offer a \$1,000 High School Hero Scholarship opportunity. Seniors who attain HSH Status may apply for one single \$1,000 countywide scholarship.

The Class of 2023 High School Heroes



being recognized by Judge Executive Castlen at Daviess County Fiscal Court.



The Solid Red Honor Cord is a symbol of *courage, willpower and strength.*

To honor those high school students throughout the community who help make WKRBC's mission possible, we proudly present The High School Hero Program. To qualify a high school student must donate a minimum of 4 times prior to graduation. This initiative will recognize graduating blood donors by presenting them with a solid red honor cord and certificate. The cord is to be worn during their graduation commencement ceremonies designating them High School Heroes for their life-saving gifts to the community.

Eligibility

- Graduating high school seniors from a participating high school .
- Must successfully give 4 blood donations prior to May 10th.
- Student may donate either at their school drive, in the center or at another WKRBC blood drive. When giving blood at a different location, student must alert staff to their high school's name.
- Students who do not meet the donation criteria may instead elect to volunteer four hours assisting the blood center (must contact WKRBC to schedule).
- **It is the students responsibility to ensure we have their name.**



What do you see when you look at the above photo?
At WKRBC we see **HEROES!**

Heroes who have collectively given 24 units of blood,
that's three gallons of blood, or 72 lives saved!

**Not All
Heroes
wear a cape,
some heroes wear**

A RED CORD!