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**Butler & Burke Presents Dalton L. McMichael Scholarship
To Lea Markie Webster of Stoneville**

WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (JUNE 1, 2007) – Butler & Burke, L.L.P., a full-service accounting firm based in Winston-Salem, has awarded the Dalton L. McMichael Scholarship for Excellence to Lea Markie Webster of Stoneville. The \$1,000 scholarship, presented annually, is available to high school seniors at Dalton L. McMichael High School in Mayodan.

Webster will attend the University of North Carolina in Charlotte this fall. She has not yet determined her major but is considering pursuing a career in medicine.

During high school, Webster was a member of the National Society of High School Scholars, the Honor Roll, and Mu Alpha Theta. She participated in numerous extracurricular activities, including sports teams (golf and swimming), Beta Club, yearbook and newspaper staffs, Junior Civitan and Interact Club. She also served as Student Council secretary and president and volunteered for several community organizations.

Although her major is still undecided, Webster is leaning towards biology. “With a degree in biology, I could go on to pursue a career in the medical field. I know that I want to make a difference in the lives of other people and I feel that this would be a great way to do that,” Webster said. “I am sure that college is the only thing that will help me get to the places I plan to go and fulfill the dreams that I have for my life, so it is very important to me.”

Jane Potter, a partner at Butler & Burke, recently presented the scholarship to Webster at the high school’s awards day. “Butler & Burke established the scholarship program in 2003 to assist young people with the resources needed for a college education, allowing them to reach their full potential and achieve their life goals,” Potter said. “We admire students like Markie who strive for

excellence, and we are pleased that we can assist them with the costs of their college education in this tangible way.”

The 2006 recipient of the Dalton L. McMichael Scholarship for Excellence from Butler and Burke was Andrew Bauer of Madison. The 2005 recipient was Virginia Hopper of Madison and the first recipient of the McMichael Scholarship in 2004 was Kinley Russell of Mayodan.

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