

2009 City of Aurora Community Breakfast Winners

Category	Student	Grade	School
Coloring Contest (K-2) Gift/Certificate 1 st place 2 nd place 3 rd place	Abigail Rodriguez Jennifer Sandoval Orlando Franco	2 nd grade 2 nd grade 2 nd grade	Beaupre Elementary School Lincoln Elementary School Beaupre Elementary School
Poster Contest (3-5) Barnes & Noble Gift Cards/Certificate 1 st place (\$75) 2 nd place (\$50) 3 rd place (\$30)	Annahi Contreras Julissa Delgado Frances Ramirez	5 th grade 4 th grade 5 th grade	Beaupre Elementary School Beaupre Elementary School Bardwell Elementary School
Essay Contest (6-8) Barnes & Noble Gift Cards/Certificate 1 st place (\$75) 2 nd place (\$50) 3 rd place (\$30)	Cynthia Amaro Paulina Meraz Sheah Foster	6 th grade 8 th grade 8 th grade	Cowherd Middle School Simmons Middle School Jefferson Middle School
Grades 9 – 11 VISA Gift Cards/Certificate			
Leadership/Excellence in Academics (\$75)	Jorge Antunez	11 th grade	East Aurora High School
Leadership in School Community(\$75)	Jessica Vargas	11 th grade	East Aurora High School
Leadership in Aurora Community(\$75)	Janitza Munoz	9 th grade	East Aurora High School
Leadership/Excellence in Academics, School and Aurora Community (\$100)	Rosalba Torres	11 th grade	East Aurora High School
Grade 12 – Seniors Scholarship Letter/Plaque			
Leadership/Excellence in Academics Sponsor - Comcast \$1,000	Andres Garcia	12 th grade	East Aurora High School
Leadership in School Community Sponsor - HOY \$1,000	Yesenia Melendez	12 th grade	East Aurora High School
Leadership in Aurora Community Sponsor -Caterpillar \$1,000	Gabriela Valenzuela	12 th grade	Rosary High School
Leadership/Excellence in Academics, School and Aurora Community Best Buy \$1,500	Gilberto Chaidez Jr.	12 th grade	West Aurora High School
Higher Learning Scholarship Letter/Plaque			
Leadership/Excellence in Academics \$1,000	Frida Arroyo	College	Waubonsee Community College
Leadership in School Community \$1,000	Fatima Garcia	College	University of Minnesota
Leadership in Aurora Community \$1,000	David Luna II	College	Western Illinois University
Leadership/Excellence in Academics, School and Aurora Community Sponsor - Com Ed \$1,500	Yanet Favela	College	North Central College
Pete Perez Award	Jesse “The Law” Torres – Jesse Torres Boxing Club		

(Read about Jesse Torres below)

About Jesse M. Torres

Jesse “the Law” Torres Boxing Club
“Keeping the Punches where they belong”

Jesse Torres was born in 1962 in Lares, Puerto Rico and moved to Aurora at the age of four. He is a husband and father of three residing in Montgomery Illinois.

Jesse became an Aurora police officer in 1987 where he is still actively employed. He is a retired professional boxer, holding a record of 30 fights as the #1 contender. His boxing carrier began at the Avendano Boxing Club in 1975.

With his passion to give back to the community, and strong belief that there must be an alternative to using your fists on the streets, in 1995 Jesse incorporated the non-profit organization “Jesse The-Law Torres Boxing Club.”

