Ja’Von Wins Again

Ja’Von Hawkins won his second 3D poster contest sponsored by the Department of Mathematics and Statistics. Ja’Von is a sophomore at NKU and was also last years’ winner. A studio art’s major, Ja’Von feels that his skills have developed even more since his freshmen year. Since winning the contest last year, Ja’Von has taken some art classes and feels he has improved in his craftsmanship, technique, attention to detail and coloring. He also feels he has become more confident in his art work which he describes as modern.

Ja’Von said it took him eight hours to complete his poster and was inspired from an idea that he had heard in his statistics class. A friend also helped give him motivation to enter the contest again this year and he is glad that he did. The prize money he won will help pay for his schooling. Other contests that Ja’Von has recently entered are a greeting card contest and a Dr. Seuss art contest.

Ja’Von hopes to put his education to use in the future working in animation or graphics either in television or video game design. Some day he would welcome the idea of doing an internship with Disney. The one accomplishment that is important to Ja’Von no matter where his school or career leads him is to have happiness in his life.

Animation Artist, Ramiko Takahashi is someone Ja’Von admires because she is good at story telling. Ja’Von gets his inspiration to do art through things that he has seen or heard and also through music from the 90’s.

Ja’Von stays very active on campus and continues his involvement with NKU Rocks and Black Men’s Organization. Congratulations Ja’Von!