Warrensburg, MO—Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc. at the University of Central Missouri awarded a scholarship this month to the winner of the first “SGRHOmeo Pageant.”

The pageant featured six male contestants who competed for a $235 scholarship. Over the course of the evening, each contestant showcased his potential to become a “gentleman.” Rounds included various fashion wear, a talent portion, and an ending dance number.

Student Trever Sanders was chosen by the judges to receive the first place scholarship. Aloni Benson, “Mr. Blue and Gold,” was chosen by the women of Sigma Gamma Rho because of his positive attitude during all of the practice sessions. Jhamelle Acoff was named as the “People’s Choice” winner due to his interaction with the crowd. Acoff and Benson received gift certificates to Heroes.

“The best part of the event would be the crowd reaction. It was our first pageant and we were very nervous for the turn out. However, the crowd gave us positive feedback and we knew we had put together an awesome show!” said Kiley Grayson of Sigma Gamma Rho. Because the event was such a great success, the women hope to make the “SGRHOmeo Pageant” a yearly tradition.

Sigma Gamma Rho was reactivated at UCM in 2008. For more information on Greek Life, contact Kelly Waldram Cramer, Marketing Manager for Housing, at 660-543-8121 or waldram@ucmo.edu.