

SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION NEWSLETTER - 15 DEC 2011

2012 Baltimore Community Foundation (BCF) Scholarships – Deadline: April 2, 2012. Various scholarships. Apply online at www.bcf.org/Scholarships beginning on January 1, 2012. For questions contact Anne Knoeller at 410-332-4172 ext 171 or aknoeller@bcf.org. Also on Facebook at www.facebook.com/BaltimoreCF. (a) **Christa McAuliff Scholarship**. Students attending a four-year college, majoring in teaching. They must be graduates of any Maryland high school with a GPA of 3.0 or above. (b) **Al Sanders Foundation for Music Studies**. Students attending a four year college, majoring in music. They must be graduates of a Maryland public high school with a GPA of 3.0 or above. (c) **WJZ Jerry Turner Broadcast Scholarship**. Students attending a four-year college, majoring in broadcast journalism. They must be graduates of a Maryland public high school with a GPA of 3.0 or above. (d) **Ercole Family Nursing Scholarship**. Students attending a four year college, majoring in nursing. They must be graduates of a Maryland public or private high school with a GPA of 3.0 or above. (e) **Stephanie and Erwin Greenberg Community College Scholarship**. Students attending a two-year college. They must be graduates of a Maryland public high school with a GPA of 3.0 or above.

B. Davis Scholarship – Deadline: May 28, 2012. Amount: \$1,000. Eligibility: Available to all high school juniors and seniors as well as students currently registered in any post-secondary institution. There is no age restriction; Be sure to include your name and the school you are attending this year and next; This is not an academic scholarship but we would like to know where you are going to school now and what your future academic plans are. To apply submit an essay of less than 1000 words on this topic: “How your education has contributed to who you are today, or how it will affect who you will become.” Submit essay via email: awards@studentawardsearch.com. Visit www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships for infor. & application link.

Elizabeth Ann “Libby” Frist Memorial Scholarship 2012 – Deadline: April 27, 2012. Award: \$250 with a potential award of \$1,000 to one outstanding candidate. The purpose of the Elizabeth Ann “Libby” Frist Memorial Scholarship is to recognize selected high school seniors for their activism and leadership among their peers in the fight against tobacco use. Maryland High School seniors who are tobacco-free and have demonstrated a commitment to anti-smoking advocacy are encouraged to apply. Application is available in the Counseling Center and on-line at www.gramspromisefoundation.org.

Top Ten List Scholarship – Deadline: Dec 31, 2011. Three awards at \$1,000 each. Eligibility: U.S. students who are 13 years of age or older. Respond (250 words max): “Create a list of your 10 favorite books and what they have taught you.” Apply at: www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx.

“I Was Born in 1994” Scholarship – Deadline: Dec 31, 2011. Award: \$1,994. Eligibility: U.S. students, born in 1994. Respond (250 words max): “What is unique about students born in 1994? Explain.” Apply: www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx.

“I Was Born in 1995” Scholarship – Deadline: Dec 31, 2011. Award: \$1,995. Eligibility: US students, born in 1995. Respond (250 words max): “Share something we might not know about students born in 1995.” www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx.

“I Was Born in 1996” Scholarship – Deadline: December 31, 2011. Award: \$1,996. Eligibility: Respond (250 words max): “You were born in 1996. Tell us what will be going on in your life in 2026.” Apply at: www.scholarshipexperts.com/apply.htx.

Zinch \$20,000 Scholarship – Deadline: January 15, 2012. Award: \$20,000. Eligibility: U.S. students with GPA of 2.0+ who graduate from high school in 2011-2014. Apply at www.scholarshipexperts.com/notes/z.jsp.

Carroll County Chapter of the Maryland Municipal League, Inc 2012 Scholarship – Deadline: May 4, 2012. 3 Awards: \$1,000 each. Eligibility: Carroll County high school seniors who have been accepted into a college or university or, Carroll students currently enrolled in a college or university. Preference will be given to students preparing for a career in governmental or public service. Applicants must (1) meet above criteria, (2) live in one of the eight incorporated municipalities in Carroll County, (3) complete the Student Scholarship Application, (4) prepare a written essay on the specified topic, and (5) have a municipal official/representative certify they reside within the incorporated limits of the municipality. Application and information is available in the Counseling Center or via email request to: ecutsail.ubtowncouncil@msn.com.

Maryland Farm Bureau Scholarship – Deadline: February 1, 2012 @ 4:00 p.m. 10 Awards: \$2,000 each. Eligibility: High school seniors starting college in the fall of 2012 or full time college students at any community college or four-year institution. Applicants or their parents/guardians MUST be members of Maryland Farm Bureau. Seven of the scholarships will be offered to agricultural curriculum majors and three scholarships will be offered to non-agricultural or agricultural curriculum majors. Application form and instructions are available in the Counseling Center.

Timothy J. Atkinson Memorial Scholarship – Deadline: April 1, 2012. Award: \$1,000. Eligibility: Student is a Carroll County resident intending to enter a field that will assist or advocate for people with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Student must be accepted for admission or be currently attending as a full-time student at an accredited college or university in

pursuit of a related degree. Application is available in the Counseling Center and online at www.arccarroll.com under “Publications and Resources”.

United States JCI Senate Foundation Scholarship – Deadline: January 6, 2012. Award: \$500 (State). Eligibility: Graduating high school seniors in the United States who plan to continue their education at accredited post-secondary colleges, universities or vocational schools. The top two ranked JCI Senate Foundation applications will be forwarded to the U.S. Foundation for evaluation/additional grant award of \$1,000. Application is in the Counseling Center.

Eldersburg Rogue Runners Academic Athlete Scholarship 2012 – Deadline: April 15, 2012. Award: \$500.00. Eligibility: Senior at Century, Liberty, or South Carroll High School who has participated in Cross Country and/or Track and Field at least 1 season a year for all four years of high school; Maintained a weighted 3.0 GPA or better; Must plan on attending a post-secondary school, college, or vocational/technical facility; must have maintained Academic and Conduct Eligibility during the four years of high school; and *must have ERR membership and been involved in ERR events* as a participant or volunteer. Application is in the Counseling Center.

YTI Scholarships 2012:

(a) York Campus Scholarships - Director’s Scholarship is for high school seniors interested in a YTI degree program (Business Admin. Accounting; Business Admin. – Management; Computer Systems Specialist; Computer Aided Drafting & Design; Electronics Engineering Technology; Golf Course Management; and Medical Assistant). There are 4 scholarships available (three 25% tuition and one 50% tuition). Students must take the CPa test and start their YTI program within six months of high school graduation. The top 8 scorers would need to submit an essay and an interview. To register for the test (offered: Dec 27 at 10:00 a.m. OR Feb 25 at 10:00 a.m.) contact Erin Swartz at 717-757-8259 or at Erin.Swartz@yti.edu.

(b) Lancaster Campus Scholarships – For high school seniors interested in a YTI Career Path. One full tuition: Liberty Scholarship. One full tuition: Wheatland Scholarship. Six 25% tuition: YTI Scholarships. Candidates for each scholarship will be selected based upon demonstrated achievement on a standardized academic achievement exam (Wonderlic) offered on Jan 28 at 10:00 a.m. OR March 24 at 10:00 a.m. The candidates, who may be applicants to any program offered at YTI Lancaster (Criminal Justice & First Response, Culinary Arts/Restaurant Management, Pastry Arts, Dental Assisting, Medical Assistant or Medical Billing & Coding), with the 10 highest scores, will then be asked to submit a photo of themselves and write an essay and interview at YTI to determine the final scholarship recipients. Enrollment at YTI is not a requirement to take the scholarship test. To register for the test, please contact Katie Mulligan at Katie.Mulligan@yti.edu.

University of Dayton – Nomination Scholarship. **Leadership in Service Program**. Deadline: February 15, 2012. Award: \$2,500/year (\$10,000 total). Eligibility: Graduating senior who has an innate desire for personal development and is committed to service within his or her school, church or community and who has applied to the University of Dayton. Additionally, at the University of Dayton, students who visit the campus and file the FAFSA prior to March 1, 2012 will receive free textbooks for four years (up to \$4,000) upon enrollment, and the grand prize winner of our Servant Leadership Video Contest (www.facebook.com/universityofdayton/) will receive \$40,000 (\$10,000 for four years). Please see your Counselor if you have applied to this college and are interested in being nominated for the Leadership in Service Scholarship.

Jewish Community Services (JCS) Scholarship – **Deadline: March 15, 2012**. Award: Amounts vary. 2 separate scholarships: (a) Scholarship for Jewish students from single-parent homes in the Baltimore Metropolitan Area for assistance in pursuing higher education at an accredited United States College or University. (b) Newhoff Scholarship is for a Jewish student with a documented diagnosed learning disability. Students do not need to be from single-parent homes to be eligible. It is available to graduating high school students from the Baltimore Metropolitan Area for assistance in pursuing vocational, trade or college education at an accredited United States institution. Applications for both of these scholarships are in the Counseling Center and online at www.jcsbaltimore.org/jcs-scholarship-program.

2012 American Legion Auxiliary Unit 191 Scholarship – Deadline: April 1, 2012. Two Awards: \$1,000 each for General Scholarship AND One Award: \$1,000 for Nursing Scholarship. Eligibility: High School seniors who are citizens of the U.S. residing in Maryland with preference given to veterans’ children. Criteria: Character, Americanism, Leadership, Scholastic attainment, and Basis of need. Application is in Counseling Center.

Need A Lift – The American Legion Scholarships – Visit www.needalift.org. “Need a Lift?” Is an electronic booklet updated annually to serve as a complete financial-aid reference guide to veterans, veterans’ dependents and members of the American Legion family. While the focus of this guide is to help children of deceased and disabled veterans in their pursuit of higher education, all students can benefit from the information offered. *The American Legion wants to help all students go as far as they can.* This guide is filled with scholarships, grants, fee waivers, student loans, and the organizations that offer them. They’ve also included information to help you select a school, apply for student financial aid using the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), learn about loan forgiveness, understand tax credits, and much more!