

HARBORFIELDS HIGH SCHOOL
GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT 2011-2012
SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN #4

GENERAL SCHOLARSHIP WEBSITE

www.fastweb.com

Adam S. Kaplan Memorial Scholarship

Long Island Gay and Lesbian Youth is offering (2) \$1,000 scholarships to students who are committed to affecting change in the GLBT community and who are involved in a leadership role and actively involved with helping other GLBT youth. Applications can be downloaded from www.ligaly.org. Applications must be received by March 30, 2012.

AES Engineering

AES is offering a \$500 scholarship. Students must submit an essay of no more than 1000 words in answer to the following question: What are your dreams for your future? When you look back on your life in thirty years, what would it take for you to consider your life successful. Submit essay to: scholarships@aesengineers.com. Deadline is October 5, 2012.

Alfred University – Lelia E. Tupper Writing Scholarship

\$1,000 will be awarded for each of four years at Alfred University. Manuscripts must be submitted in both of the following categories: creative writing and expository writing. The portfolio must be postmarked by January 31, 2012. Please visit alfred.edu/finaid/scholarships for further information.

American Heritage Scholarship

The Island Christian Church will be awarding two \$1,500 scholarships to Long Island students whose lives exemplify genuine character and promote Scriptural values upon which our country was founded. Up to four \$500 High Honorable Mention scholarships may also be awarded. Selection of the winners will be based upon an essay written by the applicant as well as three recommendations. All required nominations and recommendations must be received by March 9, 2012. The application is available online at www.ichristianc.org.

American Legion

Go to www.legion.org for scholarship opportunities.

Association of Fire Districts

Four Ned Carter Scholarships will be awarded to students who are related to or are firefighters in an affiliated member organization of the Association of Fire Districts of the State of New York and who reside within NYS. Applications may be found at www.firedistnys.com. The application can be completed online, printed and mailed as directed. Applications must be postmarked by the first Saturday in March.

Best Buy

Best Buy is offering 1,200 scholarships of \$1,000 each. Students need solid grades plus community service or work experience. Apply online at www.bestbuy-communityrelation.com or www.at15.com Deadline is February 15, 2012.

Buick Achievers

All students that will be enrolling for full-time study as a first time freshmen at a 4 year college or university and plan to major in one of the following: science, technology, engineering, math, business administration, finance, marketing, design and are interested in a career in the automotive or related industries are encouraged to apply for this scholarship. Visit www.buickachievers.com for further information and to apply. Deadline is February 29, 2012.

Dante Foundation of Nassau County

Several \$5,000 scholarships will be awarded to graduating high school students of Italo-American ancestry who reside in Nassau or Suffolk County and who will be attending an accredited college or university. They are seeking students who have achieved high standards in academics, participated in extracurricular activities and scored above-average on SAT exams. In addition, an essay and 3 letters of recommendation must be submitted with the application. They will only accept four applications from HHS. Please come to the Guidance Office to pick up an application. Completed applications must be returned to the Guidance Office no later than February 17, 2012. The first 4 completed applications received will be mailed to the Dante Foundation.

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

African American Seniors who meet the following criteria may apply: Suffolk county resident, graduating from high school in 2011, 85% cumulative average or higher, participated in school and community service activities, plans to attend college. The application, official transcript, proof of college acceptance, 2 letters of recommendation and a one page essay must be received by their chairperson by March 5, 2012. Please pick up an application in the Guidance Office.

Drew University

Civic Engagement Scholarships – *These scholarships in the amount of \$20,000 (\$5,000 per year for four years) are offered to students who have demonstrated a sustained commitment to community service during their high school years. Applicants should demonstrate leadership in organizing and implementing community projects. They should also have the ability to work well with people from diverse backgrounds. Deadline is February 1, 2012.*

Presidential Scholarship in the Arts – *These scholarships in the amount of \$20,000 (\$5,000 per year for four years) are offered to students who have demonstrated exceptional talent in art, music, creative writing, or theater. Scholarship recipients do not have to major in an artistic field but they must continue to remain active in the arts to maintain this scholarship. As part of the application process, students must submit samples of their work. Deadline is February 1, 2012.*

RISE Science Scholarships – *These scholarships in the amount of \$20,000 (\$5,000 per year for four years) are offered to students who have excelled academically and wish to major in biochemistry and molecular biology, biology, chemistry, computer science, engineering, environmental studies and sustainability, mathematics, neuroscience or physics. For additional information on scholarships, grants, and awards offered by Drew University, visit their website at: www.drew.edu/cla/scholarships . Deadline is February 1, 2012.*

Five Towns College

Students who wish to earn a Bachelor of Science degree in Childhood Education at Five Towns College may submit their name for nomination. This is a 50% tuition scholarship for 4 years. Students should have a minimum GPA of 80% and a 1300 SAT score. Please see Mrs. Sales for additional information.

Friedlander Upstander Award

This \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to one student from Nassau and one student from Suffolk counties who have shown that they are an Upstander against intolerance or bullying in any form. The student's action as an Upstander could be one of intervention or prevention. Due date for application packets is March 23, 2012. Please download application packet at www.holocaust-nassau.org

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program

For more information, eligibility requirements, and an online application, visit www.reaganfoundation.org/scholarships. Deadline February 17, 2012.

Holocaust Memorial & Tolerance Center 2012 Annual Arts competition

Go to www.holocaust-nassau.org for information. Deadline April 6, 2012.

Island Drafting & Technical Institute

A \$2,500 scholarship will be awarded to three students which can be applied towards the daytime session Associate Degree program in Computer Aided Drafting and Design or Electronic and Computer Service Technology. For more information, please see Mrs. Sales.

Jack and Jill of America, Inc.

Jack and Jill, Suffolk chapter, is offering two scholarships to graduating students of African Ancestry (African, African American, and Caribbean American) who: plan to attend a four-year college, have a minimum GPA of 3.0 or better, and demonstrate a commitment to community service. A recommendation letter, an official transcript, and a typed essay (min. of 500 words) Topic: "What Community Service Means to you" should be included with the application. Go to www.jack-and-jill.org for an application. Deadline is February 15, 2012.

Jeffrey A. Glayzer Memorial Scholarship Fund

The JAGMSF strives to help a deserving student member of the Long Island GLBT community to further their education in the academic area of their choice. Please visit www.amhh.org for more information. The deadline for submitting the application is May 1, 2012.

Julie Peierls Scholarship

A \$1,000 scholarship will be presented to a graduating student from Long Island, who plans to pursue a career in the professional theater and will be continuing his/her theatrical education on the college or conservatory level. To acquire an application and scholarship guidelines, interested students should send an SASE to: Theatre Three, Attn: Julie Peierls Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 512, Port Jefferson, NY 11777. Application deadline is March 15, 2012.

KFC Colonel's Scholars Program

KFC Colonel's Scholars Program is looking for outstanding seniors with financial need and entrepreneurial spirit. Awards are up to \$20,000 for tuition, fees, textbooks, room and board. To qualify, graduating high school seniors must:

Earn a minimum high school cumulative GPA of 2.75, enroll in a public college or university within New York State. Plan to pursue a bachelor's degree, be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident, and demonstrate financial need. Students must complete their application online at www.kfcscholars.org. The online application will be available from December 1, 2011 to February 8, 2012. For more information, visit their website or call 1-866-KFC-7240. All applicants must complete a FAFSA.

LI2Day Scholarship

This scholarship is designed to provide a one-time award of \$2,500 to a high school Senior who resides with a parent, guardian, or relative who is a survivor or victim of breast cancer. Please visit www.li2daywalk.org/scholarship.asp The deadline is April 10, 2012.

Long Island Home Builders Care, Gregory Mancini Scholarship Fund

LIBI is granting scholarships of \$2,000 to a maximum of \$8,000 a year to students that meet the following requirements: A child or grandchild of a LIBI member, a resident of Nassau or Suffolk County, entering college in 2012, pursuing a higher education in the building industry or related field and involved in community service. Please see the website for more information. www.libi.org

Louis Mancuso Scholarship, Sr. Scholarship Fund

This fund provides two, one-time awards of \$1,000 each to high school Seniors who wish to pursue an aviation career and/or further their flight training. For more information and an application, please visit www.midislandair.com. Applications are due April 1, 2012.

Maria A. Sciara Scholarship

In order for a student to be eligible, applicants must be: a resident of Nassau or Suffolk County; enrolled in high school full-time; a graduating Senior; applied and have received acceptance to either a 2 or 4 year college or university; reside with a parent or guardian who is a survivor of cancer or resided with a parent or guardian who was a victim of cancer (other than breast cancer). The postmark deadline for this application is April 10, 2012. Applications are available at www.li2daywalk.org/scholarship.asp

Mid-Island Club

Each applicant must meet the following criteria:

Either male or female of African American heritage; must attend a Suffolk County school; Have submitted applications for admission to colleges/universities; must submit an official application with an official transcript, including first quarter grades, and 2 letters of recommendation; must be available for a personal interview; must submit a 250 word typed essay about her/himself and why they are deserving of a scholarship award. Please come to the Guidance Office for an application. All materials must be submitted to Mrs. Sales by January 27, 2012.

Molloy College

A large number of scholarships are available for entering freshmen. Criteria vary for each scholarship. For more detailed scholarship information, visit their website at: www.molloy.edu.

National Commission for Cooperative Education

To qualify for this scholarship, students must: have a cumulative high school GPA of 3.5 or better; complete all the required admissions application material and be accepted for the 2012-2013 academic year at one of the National Commission Partner Institutions: Drexel, Johnson & Wales, Kettering, Rochester Institute of Technology, University of Cincinnati, University of Toledo, Wentworth Institute of Technology. For a scholarship application, please visit www.co-op.edu. Application deadline is February 15, 2012.

New England Institute of Technology

Any student planning to attend New England Institute of Technology and would like to be nominated for a \$1,800 scholarship please see your counselor before March 1, 2012. NEIT is also offering all high school seniors and juniors the opportunity to participate in a variety of high school contests that are designed to encourage students to explore career choices and the employment skills required. Information can be found on NEIT's website, www.neit.edu.

The Oak Memorial Scholarship

On behalf of the O'Keefe Foundation students can apply for the \$8,000 9/11 Oak Memorial Scholarship in memory of FF Patrick J. O'Keefe of the FDNY's Rescue Company One. The purpose of this scholarship is to extend a helping hand to young people who suddenly find themselves in the difficult struggle of having to start their lives over. Two qualifying categories of starting over can either be:

- 1. Starting over in the US as a newly arrived immigrant who has become an American Citizen **OR***
- 2. Starting over due to the tragic loss of a parent as result of a violent act.*

Applications are available at www.spiritrider.org. The deadline for submitting applications is February 15, 2012.

Right Start Scholarship

Custom Computer Specialists is offering (15) \$1,000 scholarships. Visit www.rightstartscholarship.com to download an application. Deadline submissions due March 30, 2012.

Stony Brook Orthopaedics Musculoskeletal Scholarship

Students can submit their musculoskeletal, biomechanical and orthopaedic fielded research and a power point presentation to a committee of board certified orthopaedic surgeons, PhD researchers and chief orthopaedic surgery residents that will review all submitted projects. The registration form must be submitted no later than February 10, 2012. All projects must be submitted no later than April 15, 2012 via email to SBOOrthoSportsMed@gmail.com. Please include Scholarship in the subject line. A \$500 scholarship will be awarded to the winner.

Studio Art Centers International Florence

SACI Studio Art Centers International is a U.S. non-profit 501 c (3) university program in Florence, Italy, for undergraduate and graduate students seeking fully accredited studio art, design, and liberal arts instruction. With its 35 years of experience, SACI offers five different study programs: Academic Year Abroad, Academic Semester Abroad, BGSU MFA Program, Post-Baccalaureate Program, and Summer Studies. Please visit the website for scholarship information. www.saci-florence.edu All applications are reviewed on a rolling admissions basis; students who apply earlier have a better chance at receiving placement in the term that they are applying for. In some terms applications may be accepted beyond the deadline, providing space is still available.