

Woodbury High School
Counseling Office
Senior Bulletin
April/May 2010

Dear Class of 2010 and Parents/Guardians:

College responses continue to come in! Please keep the Counseling Office informed when you hear from the colleges to which you have applied. When you have decided on a school, be sure to fill out the proper forms for your acceptance. Notify other colleges that have accepted you and withdraw your application for admission. Please be sure to do this, as it will create space for students who may be on a "Wait List" – be considerate! Many schools include forms or post cards for this purpose. Either way, please be sure to let all colleges to which you've applied know of your plans.

As of this date, our county colleges are still accepting applications.

Enclosed with this newsletter is a listing of scholarships available in the Counseling Office. Be sure to check with Mrs. Rivera periodically for new scholarships.

Remember, we are available for those of you who may have questions or have yet to make decisions about your plans after graduation.

Good luck!

Best regards,

Mr. Howey and Mr. Jarrett

File applications for scholarships! Do not assume you will not qualify. Always apply! Watch for application deadlines and required essays.

Please check the Woodbury Public Schools website for an up to date listing of scholarships. Any new scholarships will be posted online at <http://www.woodburysch.com/pupilservices/scholarnews.php>.

Seniors, Please Note:

Graduation requirements are as follows:

English (5 yrs)
World History (1 yr)
World Language (1 yr)

Mathematics (3 yrs)
US History (2 yrs.)
Fine/Performing Arts (1 yr)

Science (3 yrs)
PE/Health (4 yrs)
Practical Arts (1 yr)

AND additional electives to meet the requirements of 130 credits! In order to graduate, a student must pass the Grade 11 High School Proficiency Assessment in Language Arts & Math.

Special Notes

- ❖ Male students who are within 30 days of their 18th birthday should register with Selective Service. This is a federal law. Registering with the Selective Service allows you to receive federal student loans for college, participate in federal job training programs, and work in the federal government. Registration cards are available at the post office or register online at www.sss.gov. The Selective Service web site allows for 17-year-olds to submit their registration information early, thereby maximizing on-time registration.
 - ❖ Students who plan to participate in intercollegiate athletics at an NCAA Division I or II school must register with the NCAA Clearinghouse. You can register on-line at www.ncaaclearinghouse.net. If you register on-line, please be sure to download the forms necessary for the school to fill out.
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Open House Programs

Always call in advance to verify date and reserve a seat if necessary!

May 10, 2010

Penn State @ Mt Laurel Marriott, 915 Rt 73, Mt Laurel, NJ

College/University/Technical School Scholarships

The following colleges/universities have mailed information about specific scholarships. For additional information, please check the school's website or in the Counseling Office.

Clemson University, Benedict College, Claflin University & Morris College – South Carolina

The "Call Me Mister" program is a collaborative effort between Clemson University, private, historically black colleges (Benedict College, Claflin University, Morris College, South Carolina State University, Orangeburg-Calhoun Technical College, and Trident Technical College) and two-year technical colleges to recruit, train, certify and secure employment for minority males as elementary teachers in the public schools of South Carolina. This program offers free college education to qualified applicants! For information and application, please visit <http://callmemister.clemson.edu/index.htm> or call 1-800-640-2657

Emory University

Emory University has announced a new scholarship for students with a strong interest in business. Emory University also offers the Emory Scholar Program. For more information visit their web site at www.emory.edu.

Lehigh Career & Technical Institute

Lehigh Career & Technical Institute offers a 10% discount on tuition to all graduating high school seniors who enroll for a program by Labor Day of the year of graduation. For more information visit their web site at www.lcti.org or call toll free 1-877-440-7544.

Mount Union College

Mount Union has announced an increase in several of their scholarships for new students. They also have several competition based awards that have been increased. For more information, visit their web site at www.muc.edu or call 1-800-334-6682.

Roanoke College

Roanoke College is pleased to offer the Scholars Program. Students may receive approximately \$170,000.00 over four years. For more information on this and many other scholarships, please visit their web site at www.roanoke.edu/scholars

Southern New Hampshire University

Southern New Hampshire University has announced that they have increased student aid for high school students with GPA's of 2.5 and higher; they have also removed the minimum SAT score requirement to qualify for these monies. For more information and to apply, visit their website at www.snhu.edu or www.commonapp.org.

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Washington College

Washington College has announced that effective with this year's applicants, the minimum guaranteed merit-based tuition scholarship for admitted National Honor Society members will be \$50,000 (\$12,500 annually for four years). For more information, visit their web site at www.washcoll.edu.

Westminster College

Westminster College offers several scholarship opportunities based on merit and are awarded whether or not a student has financial need. Westminster also has scholarship programs which are need-based. For more information on these programs, please visit their web site at www.westminster.edu/future or call 1-800-942-8033

Wheelock College

Wheelock College is offering need base financial aid and Merit Scholarships to all accepted freshmen entering in the fall of 2010 who meet the criteria as follows:

\$4,000-\$8,000 to students with a 3.0 GPA and 1050 (CR + M)

\$8,000-\$12,000 to students with a 3.4 GPA and 1150 (CR + M)

For more information visit their web site at www.wheelock.edu or call 1-800-734-5212

Woodbury Scholarships

All Woodbury High School seniors are welcomed to apply

The Greater Woodbury Cooperative Ministries Essay Scholarship

- \$200.00 scholarship
- 500-700 word essay on the topic "Is Peace an Outdated Concept"; will be judged on content, correct use of language, clarity of argument
- **DEADLINE: May 10, 2010**

WHS Alumni Foundation Scholarship for 2010

- Three (3) scholarships
- Awarded to a graduate entering an accredited educational program who demonstrated a high level of academic achievement, excellence in community service, and extra curricular activities
- **DEADLINE: May 21, 2010**

General Scholarships/Essay Contests

Applications are available in the Counseling Office

Check deadlines on applications – some are "received by" deadlines and others are "post marked" deadlines!

John Keuler Scholarship Fund-Association of Municipal Assessors of Gloucester County

- One \$500 gift to a graduating senior in Gloucester County
- Applicant must be attend college; personal Essay required.
- **DEADLINE: Received by May 5, 2010**

Gloucester County Education Association

- Three (3) scholarships of at least \$1000
- 2010 graduate from Gloucester pursuing a career in Education
- Essay required. Must attend annual GCEA Retirement Banquet on 6/13/10.
- **DEADLINE: Received by May 7, 2010**

General Scholarships/Essay Contests (Con' t)

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Julia Polk Parham Scholarship 2010

- Awards in the amount of \$1,000 each
- 2010 African American graduate from Camden, Cumberland, Gloucester and Salem Counties
- Based on Academic Merit, Financial need, extra-curricular activities and community service; acceptance to an accredited 4 year college or university. Essay required.
- **DEADLINE:** **Received by May 7, 2010**

The Thornton Sisters Foundation, Inc.

- Females of color are eligible (African-Am., Latino-Am., Caribbean-Am., Native Am., etc.)
- GPA of C+ or better / Student must be entering a four-year accredited college or university
- **DEADLINE:** **May 7, 2010**

Women Helping Others of Gloucester County

- One (1) \$500 award
- 2010 graduating female from Gloucester County
- Based on unselfish service to others in school and/or community during high school attendance
- **DEADLINE:** **Received by May 7, 2010**

American Association of University Women

- Two scholarships: One (1) for \$500.00 and One (1) for \$250.00
- 2010 graduating female from Gloucester County
- Must plan to attend college in the fall of 2010, working towards a BA or BS at an accredited college or university.
- Minimal SAT of 1550 (new system). Recommendation letter required
- **DEADLINE:** **May 18, 2010**

Jon M. Pritsch Memorial Fund

- Student must have played golf as a member of their HS golf team
- Must be interested in a career in golf related field
- **DEADLINE:** **May 25, 2010**

NAACP 2010 Gloucester County Scholarship Award

- \$500.00 scholarship award
- Must be a minority as designated by US law; must have a minimum GPA 2.5
- 2010 graduating senior from Gloucester County Public High School system
- Must provide proof of college/university/technical institute acceptance; resume of activities, work, honors; and five year future plan (goals & objectives) limit 1-2 paragraphs in type written format.
- **DEADLINE:** **Received by May 25, 2010**

Abbott and Fenner Scholarship

- Students in grade 11 and 12 are eligible
- Must write Essay (between 500 to 1000 words); must be submitted by email, for more information and topic of essay please visit the web site at <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>
- **DEADLINE:** **June 19, 2010**

TGS Scholarship Fund (Tekmark Global Solutions)

- Two \$1,500 scholarships to incoming freshman in good academic standing at Rutgers or Rider Universities
- Must intent to be a full time student in the upcoming semester
- Must be permanent NJ resident and US citizen
- Must be working towards a bachelor's degree in one of the following: Engineering/Engineering Technology; Computer Science/MIS; Telecommunications/Information Technology
- Must have a GPA of 3.0 or better and have scored a combined total of 1200 on the SAT's. Essay required
- For application and detailed scholarship information visit the web site at www.tekmarkinc.com/go.php?id=154.
- **DEADLINE:** **July 15, 2010**

Wendy's High School Heisman Award

- All student-athlete who work hard, are dedicated, and have become role models for underclassmen
- Application must be completed online.
- Apply at www.wendysheisman.com.
- **DEADLINE:** **October 1, 2010**

Campus/Career Notes

Alfred State College announces three new bachelor programs and one certificate program. The bachelor of business administration allows students to enter as freshmen or as transfer students after two years of study in an associate's degree business program. This program provides graduates with the management, administrative, and technical skills needed to succeed in business, industry, government, and not for profit organizations, as well as for graduate study. The bachelor of technology in information security and assurance stresses laboratory, hands-on training and a comprehensive intern experience; and prepares graduates for gainful employment in this exciting and expanding career field. The curriculum includes: information security, security tools, security management, network and host security, legal issues in security, enterprise, recovery planning and security policies, and risk management. The third bachelor degree is in Human Services Management, and the certificate program is in Court Reporting & Captioning Certificate and this is a part-time study only.

Baltimore International College offers career opportunities in the Hospitality Industry. Whether your interests lie in Culinary Arts or Hospitality Management, BIC offers programs at the certificate, associate and baccalaureate levels.

Cornell University is offering a Summer College Program for High School Students. Explore programs in Architecture, Art, Business, College Success, Engineering, Environmental Studies, Film, Humanities, Law and Politics, Computer and Information Science, Literature, Medicine, Science and Biological Research, Psychology, Veterinary Medicine and Writing. If you want to know more, visit www.summercollege.cornell.edu or email summer_college@cornell.edu, or call 607-255-6203. Applications are due April 24, 2010.

Drexel University offers majors in Behavioral Health Counseling and Health Services Administration; these two programs offer innovative and practical educational experiences in the expanding and evolving fields of behavioral health care and health care management. The Behavioral Health Counseling is more specialized than traditional Psychology programs; students take advanced courses in counseling, motivational interviewing, and psychiatric rehabilitation, to name a few, covering information normally found in Masters-level programs. The Health Services Administration program is business-oriented at the core, teaching students the administrative and managerial skills necessary to attain leadership roles in places such as hospitals, clinics, managed care facilities, and health marketing firms.

Franklin Pierce University formerly Franklin Pierce College in Rindge, New Hampshire is offering new graduate programs that include MBA in Energy & Sustainability Studies, Master of Physician Assistant Studies and the MS in Nursing. For more information visit their web site at www.franklinpierce.edu.

Fisher College is proud to announce the addition of two new bachelor degree programs: The Bachelor of Arts Communication and Media Studies combines courses in communication, advertising, public relations, and journalism; it emphasizes the development of critical thinking, professional writing skills, and effective oral communication. The Bachelor of Science Human services will prepare students to assess the social and developmental needs of at-risk individuals and families and to deliver the services they need directly or by managing multiple providers.

Full Sail University offers innovative programs that combine art and technology. They offer Bachelor's degree in Computer Animation, Digital Arts & Design, Film, Music Business, Recording Arts, and many other careers. For more information visit their web site at www.fullsail.edu/creativeminds.

PB Cosmetology Education Centre is still accepting applications. They offer financial aid to those who qualify and also offer scholarship opportunities. For more information contact the Admissions Office at 856-456-4927 or visit their web site www.pbcosmetologyschool.com.

Marist College, through a joint effort with the National Science Foundation (NSF) is awarding 12 full scholarships (tuition, room and board) to highly talented students majoring in Computer Science or Information Technology and Systems. For more information on NSF scholarships and the School of Computer Science and Mathematics, please visit their website at www.marist.edu/nsfgrant.

Campus/Career Notes (Con' t)

Marywood University offers 8 five-year bachelors to masters program, including Architecture, Biotechnology Communications Arts, Criminal Justice, Financial Information Systems, Health Services Administration, Physician Assistant, and Speech-Language Pathology. For more information, visit their website at www.MyMarywood.com.

Mercer County Community College offers a Funeral Service Program. MCCC has provided thorough and effective education for future funeral directors since 1976 and it is one of only 55 accredited Funeral Service Programs in the United States. For more information, call the Admissions Office at 609-586-0505 or visit the college website at www.mccc.edu. For information about the Funeral Service Programs, visit the Funeral Service webpage at <http://www.mccc.edu/funeral>.

Pratt's Institute's Department of Construction Management program is intended for students with a keen interest in the Building Sciences. The program prepares students for a career in Construction Management. If you would like more information about Pratt's Institute, please contact jaaron@pratt.edu or visit their website at www.pratt.edu.

Rizzieri Aveda School for Beauty and Wellness offers programs in cosmetology, skin care and manicuring and offer flexible schedules. Rizzieri recently moved to the Voorhees Town Center located at 8200 Town Center Boulevard, Voorhees, New Jersey 08043. For more information visit their website at www.rizzierischools.com.

Southern New Hampshire University have decided to freeze tuition, room and board at the 2009 level for the 2010-2011 school year, as well as increase financial aid. For more information visit their website at www.snhu.edu.

University of Delaware offers a major of Medical Technology (Biomedical Sciences), this is a clinical laboratory science, related to the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of disease. It encompasses the essence of biology, chemistry, and medicine. This profession challenges students. Scholarship funds have also been established for the study of Medical Technology. For more information visit their website at <http://www.udel.edu/medical>.

University of Delaware College of Agriculture and Natural Resources offers majors for students with interest and aptitude in life and physical sciences; engineering and math; education; or business and economics. UD also has a major in landscape horticulture and design; for more information on this field, visit <http://ag.udel.edu/plsc/lDesign/index.html>.

The University Of Pennsylvania Medical Center offers a Radiologic Technologist Education Program. The radiologic technologist is a health care practitioner who plays an important role on the medical team. Technologists are usually employed in a department of radiology or medical imaging facility performing a variety of radiographic procedures including basic x-ray procedures or advanced procedures such as computed tomography or magnetic resonance imaging.

Wilmington College (New Castle, Wilmington, & Dover, DE) offers in-depth courses in Terrorism, Organized Crime & Criminal Justice Tech. Expert faculty including current FBI and DE State Police Officers are on staff.

*A message from your Class Advisors—
Donna Lacovara and Chris Sheppard*

Project Graduation: There will be a parent meeting regarding Project Graduation on
Wednesday, May 5, 2010, at 7:00 PM in the High School Auditorium.

Senior Trip: Trip Dates: **Friday, June 4 – Monday, June 7, 2010.**

Graduation Date: Due to the inclement weather this year, graduation has been changed to
Thursday, June 24, 2010.

Please note: Students must be academically eligible in order to participate in the senior trip. If a student is declared academically ineligible for the second semester, s/he will forfeit the right to participate and the funds deposited for the trip will be returned. The student who earns **25 points** for student conduct reasons is also ineligible to participate in extracurricular activities, including the senior trip. If that point total arrives before the trip, that student will not be able to participate in the senior trip and **the funds deposited for the trip will not be returned.**

- **Class Dues** – all class dues must be paid before you may attend the Senior Trip, Prom, or Graduation. Dues are currently \$35 a year. Dues cover cap and gown, yearbook and senior breakfast and other senior incidentals.
- **Fines** – no one owing a fine will be able to attend any non-educational activity including Homecoming, Prom, Graduation, and the Senior Trip.

