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Scholarship Workshop

in Mrs. Swanson and the counselors for a short scholarship workshop on 2/7 during Warrior Time (media center) receive scholarship tips and current applications.

Reading practice February 11

Science review February 19

Since it is School Counseling Week, we would like to share a little about our school counselors:

Ms. Nancy Boykin: Ms. Boykin bleeds Hunt blue! She graduated from Hunt in the first graduating class and has been a Hunt counselor for 27 years. She enjoys spending time with family and friends, traveling, and visiting Cragmont.

Mrs. Tammy Coleman: Mrs. Coleman has been a school counselor for 20 years and 17 of those years have been at Hunt. In her free time, she enjoys shopping and traveling with her family. Mrs. Coleman also enjoys watching her daughter play travel basketball and is looking forward to her being a Warrior next year.

Mrs. Michelle Graybeal: Mrs. Graybeal has been a school counselor for 17 years, but she started her career at Hunt as an English teacher. She has been at Hunt for a total of 25 years. In her spare time, Mrs. Graybeal enjoys watching movies, walking and watching her daughters play travel soccer.

Dr. Amanda Hodges: Dr. Hodges has been a school counselor for 17 years. She brings a wealth of knowledge from higher education. We are glad she joined our team 3 years ago. Dr. Hodges will be coaching our first Lacrosse team this spring. She also enjoys crafts, baking and puzzles.

Save the Date

Raleigh National College Fair—This fair will take place on March 19 at the Raleigh Convention Center from 4:30 to 7:30 pm. Students are encouraged to register online prior to attending the fair. You can register at <https://www.nacacfairs.org/attend/national-college-fairs/raleigh-college-fair/>

NEXT Career Fair—The Pens Program will be having a College and Career Fair on May 9 from 11AM-2PM at The Spot. Schools from NC, SC and DC will be represented. On site assistance with the FAFSA and scholarship drawings will take place in addition to a Greek Showcase. Register at <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/90685848815>.

SAT Registration Information **Register at www.collegeboard.org**

Test Date Regular Deadline March 14 February 14
May 2 April 3 June 6 May 8

ACT Registration Information **Register at www.act.org**

Test Date Regular Deadline February 8 January 10
April 4 February 28 June 13 May 8 July 18 June 19

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ACT Prep Sessions (Media Center during Warrior Time)

Math review February 3

Math practice February 4

Reading review February 10

Seniors who are planning their bright and colorful futures.

State Employees Credit Union People Helping People: This \$10,000 scholarship is open to seniors who are either current members of SECU or the child of a parent/guardian who is a member of SECU at the time of application. Preference will be given to students whose parents work or guardians or family members are public sector employees. Additionally, preference will be given to those majoring in public service degree programs. Applicants must attend one of the 16 constituent campuses of the University of North Carolina System, be a US citizen, exemplify the "People Helping People" philosophy of SECU, demonstrate leadership, excellence of character, integrity, and community involvement and demonstrate scholastic achievement with a maintained 2.5 or higher unweighted GPA. If you are interested in applying for this scholarship, see Mrs. Graybeal. The deadline to apply is February 7.

Hispanic Scholarship Fund: Eligible seniors must have at least a 3.0 GPA, plan to enroll in a 4 year university, and be a US citizen, permanent legal resident, DACA or eligible non-citizen as defined by FAFSA. Apply online at <https://www.hsf.net/scholarship> by February 15.

Daughters of the American Revolution: Each year the National Society Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) awards multiple scholarships to students showing dedication to the pursuit of higher education in diverse areas of study including history, economics, law, political science, medicine, nursing, occupational and physical therapy, elementary and secondary education, chemistry, math, science and English. To see the complete list and to apply, visit <https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships>. The deadline is February 15.

Flavorful Futures Scholarship: Sparkling Ice is awarding five \$5,000 scholarships to eligible high school

The National Scholarship: If you are a DREAMer, you may be eligible to apply for the National Scholarship. The Dream.US has adopted new immigration eligibility criteria. You are now eligible to apply if you came to the country before November 1, 2014. The National Scholarship is like the "Pell Grant" for highly motivated DREAMers with significant, unmet financial need. Great emphasis will be placed on your demonstrated commitment to community service and your ability to overcome the barriers and challenges that DREAMers face each and every day. For more information and to apply, visit <https://www.thedream.us>. The deadline is February 27.

CollegeBoard Opportunity Scholarships: Complete key steps along your path to college for a chance to earn scholarships. The more effort you put in, the more opportunities you have to earn a scholarship. Complete all six, and you're eligible to earn \$40,000. Scholarships will be awarded through monthly (through February) drawings to

students who complete each action. For more information & to get started, visit

<http://opportunity.collegeboard.org>.

NCHSAA Endowed Fund Scholarships: Are you an athlete? You may be eligible to apply for one of these endowed scholarships. Click on the link to see the criteria for each scholarship and their deadlines: [https://](https://www.nchsaa.org/students-parents/nchsaa-endowed-fund-scholarships)

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Golden Leaf Scholarship Program: The Golden Leaf Scholarship Program is designed to assist current high school seniors and NC community college transfer students. Recipients must be from certain rural counties, demonstrate both financial need and merit, and plan to attend participating NC colleges and universities. Applicants must complete the FAFSA and have a minimum 3.0 GPA. The scholarship provides \$3,000 a year for up to 4 years. To apply, visit <https://www.cfnc.org/paying/scholarship>

[all_schols.jsp](#). The deadline is March 1.

Light on the Hill Society Scholarship (UNC Chapel Hill):

This scholarship serves as a tribute to Carolina's African American graduates of the 1950s and 60s. The fund provides scholarships to academically gifted, African American students who attend Carolina. Applicants will be selected based on their academic achievement, evidence of community service, leadership qualities and the strength of their essays. Applicants will be considered for the Julius Peppers scholarships and the LOTH scholarships. Apply by March 1 at <https://alumni.unc.edu/light-on-the-hill-society-scholarship/>.

Wilson County Chapter of NC A & T University Alumni Association Scholarship: You are eligible to apply for this scholarship if you are planning to attend NC A&T in the fall.

Selection criteria include academic record, leadership, community involvement, extra & co-curricular involvement, citizenship, need, and interview result. See Mrs. Coleman for an application. They are due back to her by March 5.

Scholarships

2020 African American Network—Carolinas Scholarship:

This fund provides scholarships ranging up to \$2,000 for seniors from NC and SC. Applicants must attend a four year college or university in NC or SC and plan to major in engineering, math, science, computer science, accounting, finance, or business administration. The committee will consider academics and financial need of each applicant after assuring they meet the minimum eligibility listed above. Applications are available at <https://fftcfscholarships.communityforce.com>. See Mrs. Coleman if you are applying. The deadline is March 6.

Pee Wee and Myrtle Owens Scholarship: Graduating seniors from the public high schools in Wilson County are eligible to apply for this \$28,000 scholarship. Applicants must be interested in becoming teachers in the public schools in Wilson County after graduating from a college/university within the UNC system, Barton College, or Wilson Community College. The selection committee will evaluate each applicant's achievement in the four areas of scholarship, leadership, community and school service, and character. Students must also have a minimum 3.0 unweighted GPA. See Mrs. Graybeal for an application. The deadline is March 27.

Ison-Rocky Mount-Tarboro Chapter of the Links Scholarship:

This \$1,000 scholarship will be awarded to a senior who plans to attend an Historically Black College or university. Applicants must be a US citizen and have at least a 2.5 GPA. The completed typed application, including a transcript, essay and letters of recommendation must be mailed to the scholarship committee by April 1. See Mrs. Coleman for access to the application.

Bruce Boyette: This \$1,000 scholarship is sponsored by the Wilson Masonic Lodge #712. Financial need, academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, community activities, a letter of recommendation, and an essay on career goals will all be considered in the evaluation of each scholarship committee. See Mrs. Graybeal for an application. The completed application must be returned to the guidance office by April 15.

SEANC: The State Employees Association of North Carolina Scholarship Foundation offers academic scholarships to the dependents of SEANC members. The foundation will award 60 annual scholarships for the 2020-2021 school year. Scholarship applications are available online at <https://www.seanc.org/scholarship> and must be returned to their SEANC District Scholarship Chairperson. All

applications must be postmarked by April 15.

Bonisha Hamm Scholarship Fund: This \$500 scholarship is a memorial scholarship in memory of Bonisha Hamm who passed away at the age of 28. She was very passionate about education and earning her college degree.

One scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior in Wilson County Schools who will be attending an Historically Black College and one will be awarded to a senior in Wilson County Schools who will be attending a community college. You may see Mrs. Coleman for an application or visit www.bhammscholarship.org. The completed application must be mailed back by April 20.

The Brittany Tyler Willis Memorial Scholarship: Seniors planning on attending a four year college/university are eligible for consideration. The committee will review all applications and make the determination based on the following criteria: academics, community involvement, and school extracurricular activities. See Ms. Boykin for an application. The deadline is April 20.

Student-View Scholarship Program: The Student-View Scholarship Program is offering \$12,000 worth of scholarships to seniors who plan to attend a four year college, community/junior college, or career school. No minimum SAT or ACT, no essay, no lengthy application, and application fees are required. All applicants have to do is log onto <http://www.student-view.com> and complete a 20 minute application survey about colleges in your area. The scholarship will be awarded via a random drawing of completed applications. The deadline is April 22.

Wilson Education Partnership Scholarship: The WEP will award a \$500 scholarship to a student at the three high schools. Applicants must be planning to attend a 2 or 4 year college, volunteer in community/charitable activities, have a minimum weighted GPA of 3.0, and have a leadership position. Applications must be emailed to the Executive Director by April 25. See Mrs. Graybeal or our Google Classroom for access to the application.

The Donald Vincent Theatrical Arts Scholarship: The Playhouse of Wilson will award one \$750 scholarship to a senior in the Wilson area high school and/or ACT for Youth! See Mrs. Graybeal for an application. The deadline is 4/30.

Scholarship Search Sites

BigFuture—<https://bigfuture.collegeboard.org/>

scholarship-search College Foundation of North

Carolina- [http:// www.cfnc.org](http://www.cfnc.org)

Fastweb—<http://www.fastweb.com>

FinAid—<http://www.finaid.org>

Peerlift—<http://peerlift.org> Scholar Snapp—

<http://www.scholarsnapp.org> Scholarships.com—

<http://www.scholarships.com>

Scholly—<http://www.myscholly.com> Student

Scholarships—[http:// www.studentscholarships.org](http://www.studentscholarships.org)

The North Carolina Community foundation—[http://](http://www.nccommunityfoundation.org/scholarships)

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Princeton Summer Journalism Program: This is a free residential journalism and college preparatory program for high-achieving current juniors from low-income backgrounds who are interested in journalism. All program expenses, including meals, housing, and airfare are covered by the program. Students must have an unweighted 3.5 GPA and have an interest in journalism. Apply online at [https:// psjp.princeton.edu/](https://psjp.princeton.edu/) by February 17.

Martha Guy Summer Institute at Appalachian State

University: This program offers a unique opportunity for current high school juniors to gain an immeasurable amount of business knowledge and experience. They are seeking 24 students to participate in a two week experience which includes classroom, travel, a project and interaction with business professionals. Apply at [http:// www.marthaguy.appstate.edu](http://www.marthaguy.appstate.edu) by February 28.

National Youth Science Camp: Two seniors from each state, Washington D.C. and 8 countries will attend the expense paid program which is held from 6/22– 7/15. For more information about the program, visit [http:// www.nyscamp.org](http://www.nyscamp.org). The deadline is February 28.

Satellite at NCSU: This five day program takes place on NCSU's campus and exposes high school sophomores to STEM opportunities, leadership, and personal growth. Students must apply by February 28. Apply at <https://go.ncsu.edu/satellite>.

NC Renaissance: This program inspires high-achieving scholars to pursue their educational aspirations while developing unique leadership skills in a four-day experience. This opportunity is for rising juniors. If you are interested, see Mrs. Coleman. The deadline is March 1.

Summer Textile Exploration Program (STEP): Current high school juniors can participate in one of the one-week sessions this summer held by the College of Textiles. The program cost is \$350. Limited financial aid is available. You can find more information at <https://textiles.ncsu.edu/step/>. The deadline is April 1.

Duke University Summer Session: Visit <https://summersession.duke.edu/high-school-students> for information on all of Duke's summer opportunities for high school students. The deadline is April 15.

UNC Family Medicine Summer Academy: Graduates in seniors and first year college students between the ages 18-20 from rural areas of NC who are interested in a career in medicine are encouraged to apply. The academy takes place in Chapel Hill for two-and-a-half days. The program is free for accepted applicants. Visit <https://uncfmsa.wordpress.com> for more information and to apply. The deadline is May 1.

Redesigning Our Future: This is a National Environmental Summit for students 14-17 years old. The summit will be held on the Catawba College campus July 7-11. The cost to attend is \$490, but financial aid is available on an as-needed basis. Apply before May 1, and enjoy a further \$90 discount. Applications close on July 11. Visit <http://www.centerfortheenvironment.org/redesigning-our-future.html> for more information.

Appalachian State University 4/18 Barton College 3/20, & 4/25 Campbell University 2/17 & 3/21 Chowan University 2/22 Davidson College 2/8 (Junior Day) Elizabeth City State University 2/15 & 4/18 Gardner-Webb University 3/28 High Point University 4/9 Johnson & Wales (Charlotte) 2/15, 3/21, 4/25 & 5/9 Mars Hill University 2/28 Montreat College 2/21 & 4/31 North Carolina Central 2/28 Pfeiffer University 3/21 University of Mount Olive 3/27 UNC Charlotte 3/21 (Junior Day) & 4/4 UNC Pembroke 2/22 Wake Forest University 4/6, 4/7, 4/8, & 4/9 Western Carolina University 2/22 & 3/21 William Peace University 3/21

If you are attending an Open House, make sure you register on that college/university's website. Also, if you don't see the colleges you want to visit on this list, most have visitation days each week. Just check their website for more information.

Spring Open Houses