TUHS WEEKLY SCHOLARSHIP UPDATES

For the Week of October 25, 2016

Seniors: Set a goal of applying for at least one scholarship per month of your senior year. If you look, you can find at least one for which you are qualified. You can't receive them if you never apply.

Juniors: You should begin paying regular attention to the scholarship updates. If you notice, some scholarships are available to EITHER Juniors or Seniors, and some that are for seniors only should be worked at beginning now, to ensure that you are ready when your senior year deadline approaches!

2016-2017 Federal Pell Grant link

Description: Federal Pell Grant maximum award for 2016-2017 is \$5,815.

<u>CoilLaw High School Senior Scholarship</u>. This scholarship is now available to any full time high school student nationwide. **Deadline**: May 31, 2017 **Award Amount**: \$500 **Application:** http://coillaw.com/practice-areas/salt-lake-city-divorce-attorney/#scholarship-application

<u>Sign up for Tuition Funding Sources (TFS)</u> at http://www.tuitionfundingsources.com/. You'll have free access to one of the largest scholarship databases available. Also you'll find information on financial aid programs and career assessment tools.

The California Table Grape Commission is accepting applications for scholarship funds offered by the state's table grape growers to table grape field workers and their children. Up to three \$20,000 four-year scholarships and three \$3,500 two-year scholarships to 2017 graduating seniors and high school graduates will be awarded. In order to be eligible, students must plan to attend school in California. Applications are available on the commission's website at www.grapesfromcalifornia.com/scholarships.php The deadline for submitting applications is 5pm Monday, January 23, 2017.

The BigSun Organization is proud to be able to continue to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. We are offering an annual scholarship to a deserving student. All student athletes are eligible for this award, regardless of which sport they are participating in. The successful applicant will be a high school senior or be attending a post-secondary institute and currently involved in some sport at that institution or in the community. Please visit our website at http://www.bigsunathletics.com to learn how to apply. Amount of Award is \$500.00. Deadline is June 19, 2017

Beauty Schools Directory The Beauty Schools Directory gives out approx. \$2,500 to any student who is aspiring to become a strong student in the beauty trade. This award is given out every 3 months for students who meet the requirements found at http://www.beautyschoolsdirectory.com/cosmetology-school-scholarships.php

Studentscholarships.org is the internet's leading source for finding scholarships money.

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Create an account to have access to scholarships you may be eligible for. Simply enter some basic information about yourself and your interests and the website will pick out several scholarships you may already be eligible for. www.studentscholarships.org

<u>The American Legion</u> offers several scholarships to a variety of students. If you are the child of a Military member or member of the American Legion visit www.legion.org/scholarships and www.legion.org/needalift for scholarship information and applications.

<u>The American Musical and Dramatic Academy Scholarships</u> are offered for students who audition and apply to AMDA. AMDA is a nationally accredited institution offering full-time degree and conservatory programs in Acting, Musical Theatre, Dance Theatre and Performing Arts at campuses in New York and Los Angeles. More information is available on programs and scholarships at the website, www.amda.edu

<u>The Frederick and Mary F. Beckley Scholarship</u> for left-handed students who are interested in attending Juniata College in Huntingdon, PA. The scholarship is worth \$1000 and is offered to two left handed students each year! Call (814)641-3142 for more information.

Stokes Educational Scholarship Program open to high school seniors, particularly Minority students, planning to major in computer science or computer/electrical engineering. With the Stokes program, you will attend college full-time, then work during the summer at the NSA (National Security Agency) Main headquarters in Fort Meade, Maryland, for a minimum of 12 weeks in areas related to your course of study. Qualifications: Must be a US citizen, must be eligible for granting of security clearance, must be a high school senior, must have a minimum of a 1600 on the SAT or 25 on the ACT, must be planning to major in computer science or engineering, or electrical engineering, and must have a 3.0 GPA or higher on a 4.0 scale. More information/application available on the website at www.NSA.gov/careers

Key Club International Scholarship Program for members of high school Key Club. Key Club Annual Scholarship Programs: -Key Club International Youth Opportunities Fund scholarship -Himmel scholarship -David Hancock Memorial Scholarship -Robert Thal Scholarship -Stephen Sapaugh Memorial Scholarship -TruGreen Scholarship -Cunat International Scholarship Eligibility Requirements: A Key Club Member who -has been an active Key Club member for two years in good standing. -has paid dues and appears on the roster on file at Key Club International. -is a graduating high school senior -is a college-, university-, technical-, or vocational school-bound student. -has a grade—point average of at least a "B" average or the equivalent of a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale, has attached an official high school transcript with an explanation of the grading system utilized. Application deadlines are determined by each Key Club District. To download the application form, please visit: http://slp.kiwanis.org/KeyClub/Leadership/raa.aspx

United Negro College Fund

Numerous NAACP scholarships for black students. Any awards with deadlines year-round http://blackstudents.blacknews.com/opportunities/united_negro_college_fund_scholarships.html

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Unicef Scholarship Programs

http://www.uncf.org/forstudents/applynow.asp

The National Rifle Association (NRA) sponsors several scholarships for NRA Junior Members. NRA Junior Members can qualify for the Outstanding Achievement Youth Award for such activities as participating in shooting or hunting clinics, participating in an NRA Postal Match, entering submissions in the NRA Wildlife Art Contest, and visiting the National Firearms Museum. Recipients of the NRA Youth Award Certificate are eligible for the NRA National Prizes. First place receives \$3,500, second place receives \$2,500, and third place receives \$1,500. Participants in the NRA Youth Education Summit (YES) are also able to compete for the YES Grand Scholarship. The NRA also offers the Jeanne Bray Memorial Scholarship for children of law enforcement officers who are NRA members. For more information, call the NRA Youth Programs Department at 1-703-267-1505, write to NRA Youth Programs Department, Outstanding Achievement Youth Award, 11250 Waples Mill Road, Fairfax, VA 22030 or send email to youth programs@nrahq.org.

The Patrick Kerr Skateboard Scholarship awards one \$5,000 and three \$1,000 scholarships to skateboarders who are high school seniors with a GPA of 2.5 or higher on a 4.0 scale. Recipients must enroll as a full-time undergraduate at an accredited college or university the fall after high school graduation. US citizenship is required. The award is given to skateboard activists. The deadline is in late April. For more information visit the web site. http://www.skateboardscholarship.org

<u>Online Scholarship Database</u> SchoolSoup's online search engine will find scholarships that match your interests and profile by searching through \$32 Billion worth of scholarships. Many scholarships can be used at any school you wish to attend. Students may fill out a questionnaire with basic information to be connected with scholarship opportunities given by a host of donors. Find out more at http://www.schoolsoup.com/scholarships

<u>Free Scholarship Search</u> A totally free scholarship search engine geared toward helping you find links with standard and unusual scholarships, as well as financial aid information is found at www.fastweb.com. Go online and check it out!

Keep checking back to this link/it will be updated weekly with new opportunities and information as it arrives in the guidance center, or you may drop by for more information. Happy Scholarship hunting!!

Scholarship links are also posted on the TUHS website at http://www.taft.k12.ca.us/Page/120