

## 2008-2009 Scholarship List

Please ask Mrs. Feerick or Mrs. Slata for the scholarships that interest you.

**2. Clarence Schock Foundation Scholarships** – four-year scholarships which begin at \$1200 for the freshman year and increases to \$2000 in senior year. Scholarships are awarded to Entering Freshmen directly by five Participating Universities: Cheyney University, Kutztown University, Millersville University, Shippensburg University and West Chester University. Factors to be considered by the Participating Universities in selecting Scholarship recipients shall include scholastic record, financial need, special talents, and contributions to community.

**3. The Horatio Alger Association** – scholarship program providing financial assistance to students who have financial need. Range in award value from \$2,500 to \$20,000. Students must submit an online application at [www.horatioalger.com/scholarships](http://www.horatioalger.com/scholarships).

**5. The Washington Crossing Foundation** – National and Regional college scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5000 for senior students who are planning careers in government service. Essay contest – Winners receive an all expenses paid weekend in Bucks County Pennsylvania to attend the Scholarship Awards Ceremony.

**6. Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC) Scholarship** – [www.nrotc.navy.mil](http://www.nrotc.navy.mil) - full tuition and other financial benefits worth up to \$180,000 - \$250-\$400 a month tax-free spending money – may apply to the Navy or Nurse Corps.

**7. Steinhardt School of Culture, Education, and Human Development Future Educators Scholarship** – merit and need based scholarships ranging in value from \$1,000 to \$15,000 annually to selected students who are offered admission to one of the teacher education curricula that lead to certification at the early childhood, childhood, or secondary level. Please ask to be nominated by your guidance counselor.

**11. Schering-Plough's "Will to Win" Scholarship** – recognizes high school seniors with asthma who are pursuing higher education. Scholarships of \$5,000 will be awarded to two high school seniors in each of five categories: performing arts; visual arts; community service; athletics and science. Each applicant must demonstrate outstanding performance in one of the above categories. Students who apply must hold a minimum cumulative grade point average of 3.5 on a 4.0 scale. Please visit the Web site [www.schering-ploughwilltowin.com](http://www.schering-ploughwilltowin.com) or call (800) SCHERING if interested.

**19. The Robertson Scholars Program** -The Robertson Scholars Program of Duke University and the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill seeks students who have made an impact in school and local communities and perhaps beyond, those who have demonstrated great results and even more potential. Valued at up to \$200,000, the Program also provides special courses, summer community-building service opportunities in the United States and abroad, support for research and travel, and a

laptop computer for each scholar. Please ask to be nominated by your counselor and complete a Supplemental Materials form, available at [www.robertsonscholars.org](http://www.robertsonscholars.org).

**22. Horatio Alger Franklin Scholarship Program** - Twenty-five - \$10,000 scholarships awarded annually in Pennsylvania. Program is designed to increase student understanding and appreciation of the contributions of Benjamin Franklin and Horatio Alger, Jr. Awarded to students who have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity and who aspire to pursue higher education. Students must produce two essays regarding Benjamin Franklin during the application process, demonstrate academic achievement (minimum grade point average of 2.0), and be involved in co-curricular and community activities. To apply for the scholarship, please visit <http://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/apply.cfm>.

**23. Horatio Alger Pennsylvania Scholarship Program** - Fifty - \$5,000 scholarships awarded annually in Pennsylvania. Awarded to students who have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity and who aspire to pursue higher education. Students interested must demonstrate academic achievement (minimum grade point average of 2.0), and be involved in co-curricular and community activities. To apply for the scholarship, please visit <http://www.horatioalger.org/scholarships/apply.cfm>.

**24. Burger King Scholars Program** - \$1,000 scholarships available to all eligible high school seniors. Visit [www.bk.com/scholars](http://www.bk.com/scholars) to apply. Access key: BKS  
Applicants must maintain a cumulative grade point average of 2.5 or higher, work part-time an average of 15 hours per week, demonstrate financial need, and be actively involved in community service activities.

**33. BigSun Scholarship** - offering \$500.00 award to senior student athlete, regardless of which sport they are participating in. Deadline – June 27, 2009. To apply visit [www.bigsunathletics.com](http://www.bigsunathletics.com).

**36. The John McKee Scholarship** - offers college or vocational training scholarships to high school seniors who are fatherless boys and in need of financial assistance. College award - \$16,000 maximum total. Vocational award - \$1,000 per year.

**38. American Planning Association** - Essay Contest – Two first place winners will each receive a \$5,000 scholarship to the college or university of his or her choice and will also be invited to attend one of APA's National Planning Conferences during college enrollment. This contest is open to students who are juniors or seniors during 2008-09 academic year. For more information, visit [www.planning.org/essay](http://www.planning.org/essay).

**39. TD Bank American Dream Scholarships** - \$1,000 scholarships are one-time awards for graduating seniors enrolled in full-time programs at accredited two or four year colleges, universities or vocational-technical schools. Applicants must have a minimum 3.0 grade-point average and be employed or actively involved in their community. For details and to apply online, visit [www.TDBank.com/AmericanDream](http://www.TDBank.com/AmericanDream)

**42. The American Legion** -152-page book listing scholarships, grants and loans for which students may qualify. Book is available in the counseling office or available at [www.needalift.org](http://www.needalift.org).

**43. The American Legion Scholarships: Essay Contest** – 500 to 1000 words. Essay will be judged on structure, accuracy, extent of information and originality. First place - \$3500 and a trip to PA American Legion Convention in July 2009. Second place - \$3000. Third place - \$2500. **Oratorical Contest** – consists of giving an eight to ten minute memorized speech on some aspect of the United States Constitution and a three to five minute speech on assigned topic. First place - \$7500 plus a trip to PA American Legion Convention and for participating in the first round of the National Contest another \$1500. Second place - \$5000. Third place - \$4000. See attached application or visit [www.pa-legion.com](http://www.pa-legion.com).

**44. Making It Count** - awards one national \$5,000 and five regional \$1,000 scholarships to high school seniors who demonstrate the Making College & Career Count “Winning Characteristics.” For more information visit [www.makingitcount.com/scholarship](http://www.makingitcount.com/scholarship).

**48. Pennsylvania Association of Community Bankers (PACB) Foundation Scholarship** – provides scholarships to children of PACB member institutions’ employees and directors. Available to high school seniors who are planning to attend an accredited college, university or community college on a full-time basis.

**50. Cargill Community Scholarship Program** – will award \$1,000 scholarships to 350 high-school seniors in the United States who live in communities where Cargill has a business presence. Additionally, each Cargill scholarship recipient’s high school will receive a \$200 grant to support the school library. Each applicant must have a signature from a Cargill employee on the application in order to be eligible for the program. Program guidelines and applications are available online at [www.cargill.com](http://www.cargill.com), keyword: scholarship and [www.ffa.org](http://www.ffa.org). Children of Cargill employees are not eligible for the Cargill Community Scholarship, but are eligible for the Cargill Scholarship Programs for Sons and Daughters.

**52. FASTWEB.com** – Visit [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com) for scholarship search, college search, internships, part-time jobs, advice, and more.

**53. DeVry University** – awards hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarships every year. This includes up to 150 high school scholarships valued at up to \$9,000. Awards Presidential and Dean’s scholarships valued at \$32,500 and \$13,500 respectively. Additionally, Cisco scholarship supports outstanding IT students with up to \$10,800 in scholarship dollars. List of scholarships available at guidance office.

**60. St. Lawrence University** – visit guidance office to view the five academic merit scholarships and scholarship programs St. Lawrence University is awarding.

**62. Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards** – offers educational grants of \$3,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000 in several categories to qualified Hispanic/Latino high school seniors. The application is available online at [www.HispanicHeritage.org](http://www.HispanicHeritage.org)

**65. Masonic Scholarship Resource Guide** – scholarship, grant, and loan opportunities primarily for Masons, their siblings, children, grandchildren and members of the Masonic-related youth group. Booklet of scholarships can be located at the guidance office or found at [www.pagrandlodge.org/pmyf](http://www.pagrandlodge.org/pmyf)

**66. The Best of CO-OP: A Guide to the Best CO-OP Colleges and Employers** – offering scholarships totaling \$5,000,000. Large booklet of scholarships can be located at the guidance office.

**68. Mental floss Giveaway Contest** – 750 word essay contest worth \$10,000. Essay question – “Why are you the most deserving person on the planet to win a scholarship?” Log on to [www.tuitiongiveaway.com](http://www.tuitiongiveaway.com) for details.

**70. Elmira College** – Scholarships renewable for three additional years if appropriate grade point average is maintained. Ask for scholarship listing #70 to view available scholarships. Additionally, by completing the FAFSA application at [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov), students may be eligible for need-based financial assistance in the form of grants, loans, or work in addition to the scholarship.

**71. Drexel Legacy Scholarship and The Dragon Family Scholarship** – Drexel Legacy Scholarship – children and grandchildren of Drexel Alumni will be eligible for a \$3,000 scholarship per year. Dragon Family Scholarship – offers \$3,000 scholarship opportunities per year to families who send more than one offspring to Drexel full-time. Visit [www.drexel.edu/admissions](http://www.drexel.edu/admissions) for more information.

**75. Delaware County Excellence in Youth Awards Recognition Program** – Brochure explains the Award Criteria, Nomination Procedures, and Nomination Forms, which is available in the counseling office. You can also download this information through the Delaware County WIB’s website [www.delcoworks.org](http://www.delcoworks.org)

**76. National Federation of the Blind** – offering over thirty national scholarships awarded annually ranging from \$3,000 to \$12,000 to any blind or visually impaired student. The NFB of PA also offers up to two college scholarships, each in the amount of \$1000. Application is available in guidance office or on-line at [http://www.nfb.org/nfb/scholarship\\_program](http://www.nfb.org/nfb/scholarship_program).

**88. The Counselors and Mentors Handbook on Federal Student Aid** – handbook describes major federal student aid programs. Handbook available in the counseling office.

**91. Gordon A. Rich Memorial Foundation Scholarship** – awards college scholarships worth \$50,000 over four years to five students whose parents or guardians work in the

financial services industry. The GAR scholarships are available to high school seniors who demonstrate high academic achievement, integrity of character, potential leadership and financial need. Visit <http://www.eschoolnews.com> for more details.

**93. The 2009 Alexander Hamilton Citizenship Achievement Award** – national youth leadership recognition program for juniors. Top national winners receive \$500 cash scholarship, leadership training in Seattle and in Guatemala, college essay preparation assistance, scholarship search assistance and more. For application and details visit [www.hamiltonfriends.org](http://www.hamiltonfriends.org). To be eligible for the award the candidate must have performed his or her leadership and service activities on or after September 1, 2007.

**94. Hellenic University Club of Philadelphia University/College Scholarships for Students of Greek Descent or Declared Majors in Greek Studies** – scholarships will be awarded to students with outstanding academic qualifications and financial need. Please see listing of all scholarships in the counseling office.

**97. The Generation X of Delaware Valley Chapter of the Hearing Loss Association of America (HLAA) Scholarship** – has established two \$500 scholarships to be awarded annually to two high school seniors with a hearing loss pursuing a college degree or vocational training. For additional information about HLAA please visit [www.hearingloss.org](http://www.hearingloss.org). Application available in counseling office, deadline – May 8, 2009

**101. Shippensburg University: Valedictorian Board of Governor's Scholarship** – valued at \$5,000 a year for a maximum of four years. Additional information can be found at [http://www.ship.edu/news/scholar\\_val\\_expanded.html](http://www.ship.edu/news/scholar_val_expanded.html).

**107. PHEAA: New Economy Technology Scholarship (NETS) Program** – A New Economy Technology Scholarship Application and Master Promissory Note and a supply of the 2009-10 NETS Program brochure are available in the counseling office. You may download the application at [www.pheaa.org](http://www.pheaa.org). To request additional materials, please contact NETS associates at [nets@pheaa.org](mailto:nets@pheaa.org).

**108. Indiana University of Pennsylvania: SHP College Scholarship Program** – awarding minimum college scholarship of \$1,250 per year or \$5,000 over four years to all rising seniors attending the 2009 Summer Honors Program who apply and are admitted to the Robert E. Cook Honors College at IUP. Must apply and be nominated for the 2009 Robert E. Cook Honors College Summer Honors Program.

**111. Marple Newtown Scholarship Fund, Inc.** – this scholarship is available to all graduating students of Marple Newtown High School. This scholarship is a reward for providing volunteer service to aid or benefit others in the community and school. Applications are available in the counseling office. Completed application is to be submitted to the school counseling office by 2:00PM on May 15, 2009.

