



Scholarship Bulletin #18 March

[This information is also available on the scholarship database for Wake County students at www.scholarshipplus.com/wake. Click the “Scholarships” tab at the top of the page, and then click on “Customize Sort.” Select Broughton High School and current month from the drop down menu, sort by source [not date], and submit. See Mr. Rudder in the Guidance Resource Center, Room 1209, for applications not available online.]

TEACHING SCHOLARSHIPS

The Gamma Lambda Chapter of Alpha Delta Kappa, an international fraternal organization for teachers, is sponsoring a scholarship competition for seniors in the Wake County Public School system. The **Jane Smith/Brenda Marbell Scholarship** is a one-time award of \$1,000.00.

Requirements are as follows:

- Completion of application form
- Applicant must be in the top 25 % of the senior class
- Complete, official transcript with first semester grades, test scores, and class rank
- Essay must be written without assistance, accompanied by verification that the essay was begun and completed in the presence of the teacher/counselor of choice
- Letter to Gamma Lambda indicating goals, career plans, and reasons for applying
- Information on school and community activities
- Two letters of recommendation, one of which should be from a teacher who has taught the applicant

The application deadline is April 15, 2018. The application must be postmarked by April 13, 2018 to be eligible.

Materials should be mailed to:

Emily Harkey, 7409 Falls of Neuse Road, Raleigh, NC 27615

Interviews with the finalists may be scheduled if needed.

Any questions, please e-mail Emily Harkey at emily.harkey@gmail.com

SCHOLARSHIPS OFFERED ON A MONTHLY/QUARTERLY BASIS

\$1,000 Cappex Easy College Money Scholarship. Cappex is a very generous provider of college scholarships for students—they offer up to \$50,000 in awards per year! To help you pay for college, **Cappex provides an easy scholarship every month.** All you have to do is create a Cappex profile and tell us what you do in your free time. Click 'apply' and you may be the next winner of \$1000! Cappex also has some really useful tools for navigating the college admissions process. After all, their slogan is the “college search made simple” which they certainly do. To be eligible for this scholarship, students must be enrolled or planning to enroll in school in the next calendar year. This includes college/university students, community college students, and those pursuing online degrees. As the name of this scholarship suggests, transcripts and GPAs are not considered (nor are recommendations or essays for that matter). The deadline for this Cappex Scholarship is on the last day of the month. The best thing about this

program is that it is **offered on a monthly basis**. If you don't win, try, try again! The application can be found online at <https://www.cappex.com/page/account/quickApply.jsp?scholarshipID=gp&code=HO1060-5->.

CaptainU \$2,000 Student-Athlete Scholarship. CaptainU, the leading college sports recruiting platform, is awarding a \$2,000 scholarship every quarter to a top student-athlete looking to play at the next level. In addition to a chance to win a scholarship, you can get noticed by over 16,000 college coaches and use our proven recruiting software to find the college programs that are the right fit for you and make a college team. The \$2,000 CaptainU Student-Athlete Scholarship is open to all student-athletes (Freshmen – Seniors + Junior College) who plan to attend a 4 year college. Applicants must be currently enrolled in a high school or junior college, planning to attend a four-year university, and complete a free Captain U Profile. **One student will be selected each quarter.** Applications will be judged on profile completeness, recruiting activity on CaptainU, and promotion of CaptainU. Winners will be announced on the Facebook fan page. One entry per person. For more information and to apply, visit <https://www.captainu.com/get-started>. Deadline: August 31, 2017.

Niche \$2,000 “No Essay” Scholarship. This monthly scholarship is sponsored by Niche.com, an awesome site for checking out different schools and getting the inside scoop. An important part of the college admissions process is the idea of “fit” and Niche is a great way to see if a school is right for you. This is a super easy scholarship to apply to—it literally should take less than one minute (60 seconds). If you are a student or *will be* a student within the next 12 months then you are eligible to apply. The application simply consists of creating a Niche account. To apply, go online at https://colleges.niche.com/scholarship/apply.aspx?&utm_source=gPPC&utm_medium=Paid%20Search&utm_content=NES&utm_campaign=gPPC_NES_Branded&gclid=CI-craLb6c4CFYglgQod1gUJzQ. The deadline for this scholarship is **the last day of each month**. Only one entry allowed per person per month. A new winner will be chosen every month.

No Bull Sports Scholarship. No Bull Sports is a non-profit organization dedicated to uniting, educating, and empowering young women to reach their full potential. When we set out to build a community of female athletes from all walks of life, a cornerstone of our mission was to offer scholarships to deserving high school girls. No Bull Sports provides smart, trailblazing, talented young women the financial resources they need to achieve their academic and athletic goals. No Bull Sports is excited to award our inaugural scholarship of \$5,000 in December 2016 to a deserving female high school sophomore, junior, or senior to pursue her academic and athletic goals. We will award \$20,000 worth of scholarships over the course of a calendar year; **awarded quarterly**, each scholarship is worth \$5,000. For more information and to apply, visit <https://nobullsports.org/scholarships>. Deadline: December 1, 2017.

ScholarshipPoints.com offers scholarships for high school freshmen, sophomores, juniors and seniors. Members earn scholarship points for doing what they already do online: shopping, reading blogs, playing games, searching the web, taking surveys, and more! The more you do – the more points you earn – the more chances you have at winning a scholarship. ScholarshipPoints is free to join online at <https://www.scholarshippoints.com/>. **Deadline: Final day of each month.**

UniversityTutor.com holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest. Any student over the age of 16 is eligible and students simply need to submit a 300 word essay responding to that month's essay prompt. **The winner is selected each month** by UniversityTutor.com personnel.

Varsity Tutors holds a monthly \$1,000 college scholarship contest where students write an essay in response to a monthly prompt. Entries are reviewed by Varsity Tutors at the end of the month and one winner is subsequently

chosen to receive the \$1,000 college scholarship. Interested students can enter the contest here:
<http://www.varsitytutors.com/college-scholarship>

NON-SCHOOL SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIPS

The **Andrew Flusche Scholarship Contest** is open to high school seniors and students currently enrolled in a college, university, or trade school. Students may enter by creating a public service announcement about drunk driving. Two winners are chosen each year. Entries are in the form of a video that addresses the problem of drunk driving. Videos can be technical, narrative, documentary, fiction or other. They must not exceed 3 minutes. All entries are judged on content, creativity and persuasiveness. Winners are selected two times per year; deadlines are the end of June and November. The videos must be created to send a message to students' peers about the consequences of driving while drunk. Andrew Flusche is an attorney in Fredericksburg, Virginia, who represents people facing drunk driving charges. He created the annual scholarship to increase awareness about the problem of drunk driving. **The deadlines for this scholarship are November and June of each year, and the award amount is usually \$500. For more details, visit www.andrewflusche.com/scholarship/.**

www.AnimationCareerReview.com plus submit an original 500-1000 word original essay on one of the following topics: What area of animation do you intend to pursue? Or What specific skill do you most want to develop? Essay is submitted via our [scholarship application page](#) and MUST include your name and contact information (so we know whose application goes with which essay!). Deadline for applications is **June 1, 2018**. Scholarship winners will be announced in July and the scholarships paid in August <http://www.animationcareerreview.com/>

The **BigSun Organization** offers scholarships to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. The **BigSun Scholarship 2017**, valued at \$500, is open to all student athletes, regardless of which sport in which they are participating. To apply, go online at <http://www.bigsunathletics.com>. Deadline: June 19, 2018.

Broughton High School PTSA will award two \$1000.00 scholarships to seniors who are members of the PTSA and whose high school activities reflect the mission of the PTSA. One academic and two personal references are required. Applications are available in the Guidance Resource Center. Deadline: April 13th. (Students have until March 15 to join the BHS PTSA. Cost is 6.00. Membership form available online.)

Brower Youth Award for Environmental Leadership. This award recognizes youth age 13-22 who are keenly interested in the environment and submit a project that demonstrates a plan to protect the environment and its resources. The competition is open to youth in North America and U.S. Territories. The annual award reaches out to youth who take a leadership role in protecting natural resources. Projects submitted will focus on decreasing the use of natural resources and maintaining a healthy ecosystem. Work may include protecting wildlife, saving water and taking the lead to get others involved in earth projects that have a positive impact on the environment and the community. Six youth will be awarded a cash prize and a week in San Francisco Bay where they will enjoy a camping trip and recognition at the awards ceremony. Their work will be featured in a short film. **The deadline for this scholarship is MAY 20, 2018, and the award amount is \$3,000. For more details and to apply, visit <http://www.broweryouthawards.org/apply/>.**

C.I.P. Scholarship [College is Power] is open to students who either plan to attend college or are currently enrolled in college. Students must be age 17 years or older and U.S. citizens or permanent residents. Eligible applicants may attend college full-time or part-time. They may choose to attend a traditional college or university, or an online program. Scholarship money may be used to pay for tuition, books, room and board, computers or any other

college-related expense. To apply, students must complete a 150 word essay on the topic "What is your primary goal for going to school?" Topics may change from year to year. In addition to one grand prize scholarship, other students entering the competition may be entered into a weekly scholarship drawing. The scholarship is offered by College Is Power, a website that provides information to help students go back to school. They are particularly helpful for adults and other non-traditional students in finding ways for them to go to college. The C.I.P. scholarship is their own sponsored scholarship. **The deadline for this scholarship is May 31, 2018, and the award amount is usually \$1,500. For more details, visit www.collegeispower.com/scholarship.cfm**

Just by completing registration online at careersandcolleges.com, seniors will automatically be entered in a \$10,000 scholarship contest.. The website is also a good resource to search for scholarship, read advice from college counselors and other students, review information about more than 4,000 colleges and universities, and get financial aid tips and admission advice. Winners are selected at random every **May**. To apply, visit <https://www.collegexpress.com/reg/signup>.

Delete Cyberbullying Scholarship Award is a scholarship competition open to high school, college and graduate students. Two scholarships will be awarded. The competition is based on writing a 500-word essay on the subject of cyberbullying. Applicants may choose one of two topics: "Why is it important to work to delete cyberbullying?" or "How has cyberbullying personally affected you?" Students applying must be planning to attend or currently attending a U.S. accredited college or university. The purpose of the scholarship is to encourage more students to get involved in eliminating cyberbullying. Entries will be judged on compelling content, creativity and level of commitment to end cyberbullying. The scholarship is sponsored by deletcyberbullying.org, an online organization dedicated to educate parents and students about the dangers of online harassment. The organization is spreading the word about cyberbullying with the latest news, stories, events and other information about harassment. Members includes individuals, organizations, businesses, educational institutions and non-profit organizations--all of whom are invited to help eradicate cyberbullying. **The deadline for this scholarship is June 30 2018, and the award amount is usually \$1,500. For more details, visit www.deletcyberbullying.org/scholarship/**

The **Genworth Veterans Forum Scholarship** provides a \$1,000 financial education award to the child of a current or former member of the U.S. Military. Scholarships are awarded to students who have exemplified excellence through their school work and community service. This scholarship is intended to highlight the achievements of excellent students and to honor the service of veterans in our community. Students will be rewarded for their leadership as shown through their values and actions both in the classroom and in their service to others. Any high school senior who is the child of an honorably discharged veteran or current service member and who has demonstrated hard work in school and in the community is encouraged to apply. The scholarship application is on the GRASP website, www.grasp4va.org. From the home page, click on the scholarships link, then click on Genworth Veterans Scholarship application. Complete the application, then either print it out and mail it via the post office with the rest of your packet OR email it to scholarships@grasp4virginia.com with scanned copies of the other required information. Partial applications will not be considered. You may also print the application from the website, complete it by hand and mail it to the GRASP office. All parts must be received or postmarked by the due date for your application to be considered Deadline: April 2, 2018.

Horatio Alger National Career & Technical Scholarship Program. The program provides financial assistance to students throughout the nation who have financial need [must be eligible to receive the Federal Pell Grant as determined by completion of the FAFSA] and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. Scholarship criteria also include high school completion by spring of 2016, commitment to pursue and complete a career or technical certificate/degree, and United States citizenship. The

Horatio Alger Association will award 510 scholarship in 2016 [10 in each state and the District of Columbia] with a maximum award amount of \$2,500 depending on the length of the program. To apply online, visit <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/scholarships/about-our-scholarship-programs/technical/>. Deadline: June 1, 2017.

NC Nurse Scholars Program is a competitive, merit-based scholarship/loan program available to students who have chosen to enter the nursing profession, and is administered by the North Carolina State Education Assistance Authority (NCSEAA). Applicant must be a Nursing degree seeking student and have an unweighted GPA of 3.0. Funding amounts are: \$3,000 per year for an Associates Degree in Nursing; \$3,000 per year for a Hospital Diploma in Nursing; \$5,000 per year for a Bachelor of Science in Nursing; and \$2,500 per year for a part time RN student in a RN-to-BSN degree program. Half of the award is made available to recipients in the fall semester and the remainder in the spring semester. *Contact:* College Foundation of NC at 919-549-8614 or 800.700.1775 or visit <http://www.cfn.org/FELS> for an application.

The **OMBAR "Aspiring Business Professional" Scholarship Program** invites applications from high school seniors in the U.S. who are pursuing a business related degree program at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Several business-related majors qualify for the scholarship program. Applicants may major in finance, accounting, economics, business administration, international business, management, marketing, quantitative analysis, human resource management, and entrepreneurship. The scholarship is a one-year non-renewable scholarship. Scholarships may be used at any accredited post-secondary school or college. Scholarships are awarded based on academic performance and how well the applicant responds to the required essay question. Qualified students may apply online by completing and submitting an application along with a 500-1000 word essay on a designated topic. The scholarship is offered by Online MBA Report (OMBAR), an online resource that provides comprehensive information for professionals seeking their MBA online. OMBAR was launched in 2013 and is owned by parent company, Authority Media, who operates several post-secondary education web sites. **The deadline for this scholarship is June 1, 2018, and the award amount is usually \$1,000. For more details, visit www.onlinemba-report.com/ombar-aspiring-business-professional-scholarship-program**

The **Pedro Zamora Young Leaders Scholarship** is open to all high school seniors, and college freshman, sophomores and juniors (ages 27 and younger) who demonstrate an active commitment to fighting AIDS. Scholarship funds can be used at any accredited 2 or 4 year undergraduate program for tuition and education-related expenses. Applicants can attend any school, and the scholarship is open to students residing in all 50 states. Students must be able to demonstrate that they are active in their community in the fight against HIV/AIDS. They must have a GPA of 2.5 or above. Eligible students may apply by returning a completed application, a cover letter explaining how the scholarship will help them achieve their goals, one letter of recommendation, and an essay of up to 1500 words that answers three specific questions about HIV/AIDS. The scholarship is offered by The National AIDS Memorial Grove, a 10-acre serene park established in 1988 to remember the people who have died from AIDS. The memorial gained national status in 1996 when President Bill Clinton designated the Grove as the nation's AIDS Memorial. The scholarship is named after AIDS educator and activist Pedro Zamora, who appeared on MTV's *The Real World 3: San Francisco*, and died of an AIDS-related illness in 1994 at the age of 22. **The deadline for this scholarship is May 31, 2018, and the award amount is usually \$2,500 - \$5,000. For more details visit <http://www.aidsmemorial.org/scholarship/scholarship-instructions>**

ShurTech Brands Duct Tape "Stuck at the Prom" Scholarship Contest. This weird scholarship contest is open to legal residents of the United States and Canada, 14 years of age or older, who attends a high school prom. Contest

participants must enter as a couple. Each couple must attend the prom wearing complete prom attire and/or accessories made using Duck brand duct tape. Judges will select 10 Finalist Couples who will be posted online for public voting. Each individual member of the First Place winning couple will receive a cash scholarship of \$5,000. The school that hosted the prom will also receive a cash prize of \$5,000. For more information, visit <http://www.duckbrand.com/Home/Promotions/stuck-at-prom.aspx>. Contest opens March 10th and ends May 23rd.

Many resources are out there to help find ways to pay for college. Some Web sites worth a visit include:

Log onto www.cfnc.org. Select Dark Green “Pay” tab. Click on Grants & Scholarships. Scroll down to “Tools.” Click on “Scholarship Search.” Search by Program Basis [Need Based, Merit Based, Other Based] or Program Type [Scholarship & Grants, Scholarships & Loans, Other].

www.collegeboard.org – Covers everything: all U.S. colleges, PSAT & SAT, test prep

www.fastweb.com – Free scholarship search

www.college-scholarships.com/free_scholarship_searches.htm - lists and links to more than 60 no-cost scholarship websites. Elsewhere on the site <http://www.college-scholarships.com>, you'll find additional scholarship information and features of value to website visitors...information which includes an instant GPA calculator, contact information for every college in the United States, a list of colleges which offer comprehensive programs for students with learning disabilities, lists of Christian, Catholic, and woman's colleges, a list of HBCU's, and links to more than 2,500 career schools and colleges.

www.meritaid.com – Scholarship search

www.schoolsoup.com – Free scholarship search

www.studentaid.ed.gov – U.S. Department of Education’s site for free information on funding post- secondary school education

www.finaid.org – Guide to financial aid

http://youth.foundationcenter.org/youth_scholarships.html - Scholarships for youth philanthropy & community service

www.uncf.org – United Negro College Fund [Click on “For Students”]

<http://www.latinocollegedollars.org> – Scholarships for Latino students

<http://www.maldef.org/pdf/Scholarships.pdf> - Mexican American Legal Defense & Educational Fund

<http://enrollment.csusb.edu/LatinoScholarships.html>