

Scholarship Bulletin #11 December

[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.]

IN-STATE SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIPS

The **NC State Carrier/Bryant Dependent Scholarship** has been established to provide scholarship support for the children of permanent employees of an authorized Carrier/Bryant dealer in North or South Carolina who demonstrate financial need as determined by the FAFSA. Applicants are strongly encouraged to complete the FAFSA by March 1. To apply, go online at <https://studentservices.ncsu.edu/your-money/financial-aid/types/scholarships/#employer>. Deadline: March.

The **NC State City of Raleigh Dependent Scholarship** has been established to provide scholarship support for the children of permanent employees of the City of Raleigh. Eligible students must show exceptional academic achievement and demonstrate financial need as determined by the FAFSA. To apply, go online at <https://ncsu.academicworks.com/opportunities/238>. or contact the City of Raleigh for an application. Deadline: March.

The **NC State Cross & Chalice J. Smith Capel Scholarship** has been established to provide scholarship support for the children of permanent employees of Capel. To apply, go online at <https://ncsu.academicworks.com/opportunities/31>. Deadline: March.

The **NC State Family Scholarship** has been established to provide need-based scholarship assistance to full-time first-degree undergraduate students enrolled at NC State whose parents are permanent full-time employees of NC State University. The value of this scholarship varies depending upon the student’s need for financial assistance and availability of funds. In addition to financial need, criteria such as academic performance, motivation, and leadership potential may also be considered in selecting recipients. Eligible students must apply for this scholarship annually, and may be considered for funding for no more than four academic years (or eight semesters). To demonstrate financial need, applicants must complete and submit a *2013-43 Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)*, available at www.fafsa.gov, and request that the results be released to NC State (school code 002972). Applicants are strongly encouraged to complete the FAFSA by March 1, 2015. To apply go online at <https://ncsu.academicworks.com/opportunities/436>. . Deadline: March

The **NC State Tom Glover Memorial Scholarship** has been established to provide scholarship support for NC State students who are dependent children of North Carolina Department of Transportation employees. Eligible students must demonstrate financial need as determined by the FAFSA. To apply, go online at <https://ncsu.academicworks.com/opportunities/265>. . Deadline: March

The **NC State News & Observer Scholarship** has been established to provide scholarship support for eligible dependents of members of the News & Observer. To apply, go online at <https://ncsu.academicworks.com/opportunities/148>. Deadline: March

TEACHING SCHOLARSHIPS/LOANS

Bennett Place Support Fund’s William Vatavuk Scholarship. A \$500 non-renewable scholarship awarded to a high school senior with a 3.0+ GPA planning to study history and/or Education in college. The \$500 monies must be put toward tuition, fees for lab studies, books and notebooks, computers and related media supplies, or other related supplies directly related to the pursuit of the diploma or degree. Three essays, between 400-600 words for each, required. Applications are available online at <http://www.bennettplacehistoricsite.com/education/william-vatavuk-scholarship/>. April deadline.

Broughton Faculty Alumni Association Scholarships. Each year, the Broughton Faculty Alumni Association awards two \$3,000 scholarships to seniors planning to pursue a degree in education. Applications are available in the Guidance Resource Center. Deadline: April 7, 2016.

NON-SCHOOL SPECIFIC SCHOLARSHIPS

AWeber Email Marketing Scholarship. The 2015 [AWeber Email Marketing Scholarship](#) is currently being offered to students in the United States who are currently enrolled as full-time **college freshmen, sophomores and juniors, as well as high school seniors.** This scholarship is worth **\$1,000.** To apply for the AWeber Developing Futures Scholarship, you must submit either a written OR video essay that answers the following two questions: How do you think social media has impacted the way businesses interact with their customers? How can businesses improve upon the way they use social media in the future? Written essays should be 500-700 words and provided in PDF/Microsoft Word format Video essays should be no longer than 3 minutes long and provided as a YouTube video link Deadline for all submissions is May 31, 2017 Apply - See more at: <http://www.aweber.com/email-marketing-scholarship.htm#sthash.w6ltQguA.dpuf>.

David Brodsky, Russell Schofield and MSI Scholarship Program is open to **American Moving & Storage Association (AMSA) members** throughout the U.S. who are pursuing a two- or four-year degree from a U.S. accredited college, university, vocational or technical school. Applicants must be pursuing a program in business administration, accounting, or other course of study that would make an impact on the moving and storage industry. All candidates must be sponsored by a moving and storage company, van line, van line agent or supplier to the moving and storage industry. Applicants can include employees, children, grandchildren, or spouse of an employee of an independent moving and storage company, van line, van line agent, or supplier to the industry. Children, grandchildren or spouse of an independent contractor affiliated with an independent moving and storage company, van line, and/or van line agent may also apply. The scholarship covers half the program tuition (to be matched by employer). The American Moving & Storage Association is a national trade association for the professional moving industry and is based in the Washington, D.C. The association has awarded nearly \$200,000 in scholarships since its beginning. The deadline for this scholarship is usually in MARCH of each year, and the award amount is usually \$1,000 - \$5,000. For more details, visit www.promover.org/content.asp?pl=18&contentid=82

Blacks at Microsoft (BAM) Scholarships are offered to outstanding black high-school seniors who are interested in pursuing careers in technology. High-school seniors of African descent may apply, including African American, African, or Ethiopian. Applicants must plan to pursue a bachelor's degree in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, or a business program such as finance, business administration, or marketing. Students must have a GPA of 3.3 or above and demonstrate financial need. Two scholarships are awarded. Scholarships are renewable up to four years of college. Ideal candidates will have a passion for technology and demonstrate leadership qualities through extracurricular activities at school or volunteer work in their communities. Recipients must attend a four-year college or university in the Fall immediately following high school graduation. The scholarship is offered by Microsoft and is focused on supporting the continued growth and development of black employees at Microsoft Corporation. **The deadline for this scholarship is usually in MARCH of each year, and the award amount is usually \$5,000. For more details, visit www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/blacks-scholarships.aspx**

Blades of Green Scholarship. The protection of the environment and water sources is near and dear to Blades of Green. Advancements in environmental engineering, plant sciences, environmental sciences, green technology, and related fields starts with a focus on environmental education. Blades of Green has created a merit-based scholarship fund for individuals seeking undergraduate or graduate level education in environmental studies or related fields. The scholarship will be awarded based on academic excellence, pursuit of further study in environmental education at an accredited college or university, and passion for further study. A scholarship worth \$1,000 will be awarded for the 2016 academic year. The application with required documents must be received by the Blades of Green by midnight on **March 15th, 2017.** Scholarship will be awarded by **May 27th, 2017.** To apply, go online at <https://scholarships360.org/blades-of-green-scholarship/>. For more information, contact aosborne@bladesofgreen.com.

Diabetes Scholars Foundation Scholarship Program. The Foundation makes scholarships available to incoming freshmen seeking a higher education at an accredited four year university, college, technical or trade school. The scholarships recognize students who are actively involved in the diabetes community, who have high academic performance, who participate in community and/or extra-curricular activities and who have demonstrated that they are successfully **managing the challenges of living with diabetes**. Diabetes Scholars Foundation scholarships are not based on financial need. To see the complete list and download a copy of the application, visit www.diabetesscholars.org. Application deadline is April 15, 2017

Gloria Barron Prize for Young Heroes is open to U.S. and Canadian students age 8 through 18. The prize is awarded to students who have done an extraordinary service project that has benefited the community or the environment. Up to 25 students will be awarded prizes. The Barron Prize recognizes these young people as heroes because they have accomplished something on their own with a heartfelt desire to change another person's life forever, or make the world a safer, healthier and cleaner place to live. Prize money can be used for furthering their education or funding their project. **Students must be nominated by someone who has good knowledge of their project, such as teachers, librarians, school counselors, youth service officials, and religious leaders.** Projects must be the student's own work and cannot be part of a school or other assignment. Students nominated are those who are generous of nature and truly want to do something extraordinary to help others. The award was named in honor of Gloria Barron, a teacher from Boulder, Colorado who always encouraged her family and others to make a positive difference in the world. Gloria's quiet heroism led her to create a nature museum at the Colorado School for the Blind where students could learn by touching. It was her quiet heroism that inspired her son to name the scholarship after his mother, his hero. **The deadline for this scholarship is April 15, 2017, and the award amount is usually \$5,000. For more details, visit www.barronprize.org**

The [Microsoft DisAbility Scholarship](http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/microsoftdisabilityscholarship.aspx) is intended to empower and enable high school students with disabilities to (a) go to college, (b) realize the impact technology has on the world, and (c) target a career in the technology industry. This non-renewable \$5000 scholarship will be paid to the recipient's Financial Aid Office by the Seattle Foundation on behalf of the DisAbility Employee Resource Group (ERG) at Microsoft. All candidates must be high school students living with a disability who plan to attend a 2 to 4 year University or College program, and have a cumulative 3.0+ GPA or equivalent. In addition, applicants must declare a major in engineering, computer science, computer information systems, legal or in business that are approved (i.e. paralegal, pre-law, finance, business administration, or marketing) and demonstrate leadership at school and/or in the community. For more information and to apply, visit <http://www.microsoft.com/en-us/diversity/programs/microsoftdisabilityscholarship.aspx>. Deadline: April 15, 2017.

National Co-op Scholarship Program. The program will award 155 merit scholarships to seniors who are pursuing a college cooperative education program at one of the following schools: Drexel University, Johnson & Wales University, Kettering University, Rochester Institute of Technology, University of Cincinnati, University of Toledo, and Wentworth Institute of Technology. Applicants must have a 3.5+ GPA and write a 500 essay. To apply, visit <http://waceinc.org/scholarship/index.html> and complete an online version of the application. Deadline: February 15, 2017.

National Independent Automobile Dealers Association Scholarship is open to high school seniors who are planning to attend college. Students with high academic records are invited to apply for the scholarship. Four scholarships are awarded each year. Students residing in any of the 50 U.S. states may apply and use the scholarship money to attend any institution they want. Applicants will be selected based on transcripts of grades and ACT and SAT scores. The scholarships are offered through the National Independent Automobile Dealers Association Foundation, the non-profit, charitable arm of the National Independent Automobile Dealers Association (NIADA). The NIADA was founded in 1946 and serves professional auto dealers across the country with industry education and legislative support for the motor vehicle industry. To apply, students need to submit a completed application and include a high school transcript, ACT or SAT scores, and up to 5 letters of recommendation. They must also answer an essay question in 1200 words or less. **The deadline for this scholarship is MARCH 17, 2017, and the award amount is usually \$3,500. For more details, visit http://www.niada.com/foundation/foundation_scholarship.php.**

National Society of The Colonial Dames of America in North Carolina awards a **Florence Kidder Memorial Scholarship** of \$3,000 and a runner-up scholarship of \$1,000 to two high school seniors who plan to attend a college or university in North Carolina. Applicants must write an essay of 500 to 700 words on the following topic: *Our country owes so much to the different people who have immigrated. Choose a people-group [or even an individual person] who arrived prior to 1770 in any of the 13 original colonies of the United States and find out about their experiences. Some ideas are: Scots-Irish, Highland Scot, English, German, Dutch, Swiss, African, Caribbean, Huguenot, Presbyterian, Moravian, Quaker, Puritan, or any other group that you wish to highlight.* The scholarship will be awarded on the basis of merit of the individual essay [75%], character, grades-scholarship record [20%], and need [5%]. Applications are available in the Guidance Resource Center [Room 1209]. Deadline: February 5, 2017.

North Carolina High School Athletic Association JERRY MCGEE ENDOWED STUDENT SCHOLARSHIP: Awarded to two senior year high school student-athletes from North Carolina High School Athletic Association member schools each year. This award is unique because it honors both male and female student-athletes who have distinguished themselves by overcoming adversity and returned to excel beyond expectations in their scholastic athletic sport(s). To apply, visit <http://www.nchsa.org/students-parents/student-athlete-scholarships>. Deadline, February 9, 2017.

North Carolina High School Athletic Association WILLIAM BRADSHAW MEMORIAL ENDOWED SCHOLARSHIP: To provide scholarship support to an outstanding African American, American Indian/Alaska Native* and/or Asian Pacific Islander American**, or Hispanic American student-athlete participating on a sanctioned varsity team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member school. Award Process: One male and one female from each of the eight regions will be selected to receive a \$750 scholarship each to further their education. From the pool of sixteen (16) regional winners, one male and female will be selected as overall state winners and receive an additional \$1,000 each. To apply, visit <http://www.nchsa.org/students-parents/student-athlete-scholarships>. Deadline: February 9, 2017.

North Carolina High School Athletic Association TONY CULLEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP: To provide scholarship support for one senior male high school student athlete participating on the varsity level lacrosse team at a North Carolina High School Athletic Association member high school. For more information and to apply, visit <http://www.nchsa.org/students-parents/student-athlete-scholarships>. Deadline: April 8, 2017.

Project Yellow Light is open to high school juniors and seniors, and undergraduate college students. Applicants may receive a scholarship by submitting a video or billboard on the dangers of distracted driving. Project Yellow Light is a scholarship that was created in 2007 in honor of a young man named Hunter Garner from Fredericksburg, Virginia, who died in a car accident at the age of 16. The scholarship was created by his parents and sister to remember Hunter and help students across the nation, regardless of grades or athletic ability, to attend college. To enter, students will submit a video of 25 seconds or 55 seconds that persuades teens to exercise safe driving habits. First, second, and third-place winners will be chosen in two categories, one for high school students, and one for college students. Applicants must be a high school junior or senior or a full-time college student to participate. In addition, the winning video will be used in a national Ad Council public service announcement (PSA). The scholarship has gained national attention since its beginning and has reached thousands of teens. **The deadline for this scholarship is March 1, 2017 for billboard entries and April 1, 2017 for video entries, and the award amount is usually \$1,000 - \$5,000.**

For more details, visit www.projectyellowlight.com/.

Sleeklens, a group of photographers and designers who work mainly with Photography and Adobe Lightroom, is proud to announce its academic scholarship program for 2017. Three winners will each receive \$2000 to will cover their academic expenses for the 2017 academic year. In order to qualify for the Sleeklens Academic Scholarship, the applicant must meet all of the following criteria:

1. Either be enrolled as a full-time student in an accredited University or College or be able to present a legitimate letter of acceptance from an accredited University or College.
2. Has either an identity card, identification number or any other type of legal document that is provided by their institution of choice
3. The final decision regarding the winners will be made by Sleeklens. That decision will be final and will not be

open to appeal

4. The information of the winners will be thoroughly checked and verified before any payments are processed. Should there be any false information submitted, the whole application will be disqualified

5. Each student can only apply once per year. Previous winners must not apply as their applications will be disqualified immediately. The essay topic and further details can be found online at <https://sleeklens.com/the-sleeklens-academic-scholarship>. Three winners will each receive a payment of \$2000 each! The completed application for the Sleeklens Academic Scholarship must be received by 11:59 PM EST on March 30, 2017. Questions? Email the folks at Sleeklens at scholarships@sleeklens.com.

State Employee Association of North Carolina [SEANC] Scholarship Program. Children of state employees whose parents are members of SEANC are eligible to apply for a SEANC Scholarship. [Note: This is a membership organization, not to be confused with the State Employees Credit Union, or with employment by the State of North Carolina.] Some scholarships are merit-based, and others are based on FINANCIAL NEED. Applications are available online at www.seanc.org/scholarship from January to April each year. Applications must be postmarked by April 15, 2017.

State Employees' Credit Union's People Helping People Scholarship. The SECU will award one \$10,000 [over four years] scholarship to a Broughton senior who is recognized for his/her leadership and community involvement. Preference will be given to students whose parents/guardians/or family members are public sector [local, state, federal government] employees working in North Carolina. Applicants must have a 2.5+ GPA, and financial need may be considered. Applicants must be eligible to attend one of the sixteen public universities in North Carolina as an in-state resident, full-time, and must continue there for 8 semesters. A letter of university acceptance must accompany the application. Applications are available in the Guidance Resource Center. April 7th deadline.

Virtual Business Scholarship is available to high school juniors and seniors majoring in business, finance or marketing. The scholarship is open to all eligible students in the U.S. Applicants for this scholarship must be nominated by their teachers. Students are chosen based on their academic performance and interest in the use of technology. Students must be outstanding performers in their area of study to be eligible for a scholarship. In addition to a teacher nomination, students who apply for the scholarship must be able to articulate what they have learned from their technology experiences in the areas of business, marketing or personal finance. The scholarship is offered by Knowledge Matters, a Massachusetts based organization that publishes simulation-based business and personal finance curriculums for high schools. A grant from the U.S. Department of Education made the establishment of the organization possible in 1997. Since then, over a million students have benefited from their programs throughout 5,000 high schools across the nation. The purpose of the scholarship is to provide financial support for students to continue their education. **The deadline for this scholarship is APRIL 1, 2017, and the award amount is usually \$2,000. For more details, visit www.knowledgematters.com/scholarships/**

Other Scholarship Links

Log onto www.cfnc.org. Select Blue Career Center tab. Click on CFNC Bridges Planning Tool. Click on Choices Planner for High School. Click on Purple Learn tab. Scroll down and click on Find Scholarship By Alpha List [to look at all scholarships] or Scholarship Finder [to customize your search].

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

www.fastweb.com – Free scholarship search listing 1.5 million scholarships worth more than \$3.4 billion. Students who complete the optional questions in the profile match about twice as many scholarships, on average, as students who answer only the required questions.

www.college-scholarships.com/free_scholarship_searches.htm - lists and links to more than 60 no-cost scholarship websites

www.scholarships360.org – Free scholarship search

www.legion.org/needalift - Free resource of scholarship & financial aid information

www.meritaid.com – Scholarship search

<http://schoolsoup.com/scholarship-directory> - Free scholarship search where students can quickly and easily browse through scholarships by a variety of categories (Major, Athletics, Religion, Disability, State, College, etc).

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.knowhow2go.org> – College planning, financial aid

<http://www.maldef.org/pdf/Scholarships.pdf> - Mexican American Legal Defense & Educational Fund
<http://enrollment.csusb.edu/LatinoScholarships.html>