

Scholarships:

NEW THIS WEEK: 1-17-17:

Juniors with high academic merit can apply for the **Coolidge Scholarship** (a full-ride scholarship that covers tuition, room and board for 4 years). This scholarship is only open to high school JUNIORS. The application is online at Coolidgescholars.org and the deadline to apply is **February 22, 2017**.

High school seniors in Northern California with a minimum 3.0 GPA can apply for the **Youth on Course** \$4,000-\$20,000 scholarships. First priority will be given to Youth on Course members and/or golfers. To apply visit youthoncourse.org/scholarships. The deadline to apply is **February 28, 2017**.

High school seniors in Sacramento or surrounding counties can apply for the **Sacramento Chapter of Physicians for Social Responsibility Essay Contest**. Enter the contest at www.sacpsr.org and the deadline to apply is **March 11, 2017**.

Abbott & Fenner Business Consultants will continue with their scholarship program for the 10th year. They will be awarding up to **\$1,000** to the winner(s). Students will submit an essay on the topic that appears on the scholarship page of our web site: <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>. The deadline to apply is **June 12, 2017**.

PREVIOUSLY HIGHLIGHTED:

Women in Mining California Chapter is proud to offer five \$2,000 scholarships to high school seniors or current college students pursuing majors in mining, geology, engineering, or environmental. Applications are online and also available in the CCC. For more information please visit our website wimca.org/scholarship-opportunities/. The deadline to apply is **March 3, 2017**.

The Cabrillo Civic Club #5 is offering a scholarship to seniors who are of Portuguese descent, have at least a 3.5 GPA, and have participated in at least 3

extracurricular activities. Applications are in the College & Career Center and the deadline to apply is **March 15, 2017**.

Lions Club is hosting a Student Speaker Contest on the topic “Liberty and Justice for All- What Does it Mean to You?”. The deadline to apply is **February 8, 2017**. Stop by the College & Career Center for more information. **The contest is open to students in grades 9-12.**

The St.Patrick Ladies’ Society Scholarship is open to **students who are a member fo the St. Patrick Parish.** Applications are available in the parish office or in the College & Career Center. Application deadline is **March 15, 2017**.

The **Italian Catholic Federation** is offering college scholarships to students who are **Roman Catholics and of Italian decent and have a cumulative GPA of 3.2 or above.** Scholarships are available at www.icf.org . Deadline to apply is **March 15, 2017**.

All high school students can participate in the **El Dorado County Student Map Drawing Contest.** Information can be found at <http://www.sage-edc.org/index.php/2013mapcontest/> and maps are due **February 24, 2017**.

The **CANERS Foundation** Scholarship is open to students interested in **pursuing a career in horticulture.** The scholarship is available at www.cangc.org and on the left side of the homepage click the Scholarships button. The deadline is **March 15, 2017**.

The Friends of the California State Fair offers 14 categories of scholarships with varying eligibility requirements. Applicants may apply for one scholarship category of their choice per year. There is a large variety of scholarships, including those for agriculture students, art students, Sacramento region top achiever and more! <http://www.castatefair.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/2017-18-FCSF-FAQ-final.pdf>. The application deadline for all scholarships is **March 2, 2017**.

College bound seniors who live in a PG&E service area are eligible to apply for **PG&E Employee Resource Group Scholarships.** To apply visit

<http://www.pge.com/about/community/scholarships/>. The deadline to apply is **February 3, 2017**.

Your parent a current or previous member of a union? You may be eligible to apply for the **Union Plus Scholarship**. More information is available on their website <https://1unionplusscholars.communityforce.com/Funds/Search.aspx>. The application deadline is **January 31, 2017**.

The California Association of Collectors is offering a scholarship for **high school juniors and seniors**. To apply, students must submit an original essay on the following topic: *The importance of establishing and maintaining good financial credit during your college years*. All applications must be submitted online at cacesf.org. The deadline to apply is **March 30, 2017**.

The Sacramento Regional Community Foundation houses many scholarships for students **living in the Sacramento and surrounding areas**. The scholarships can be found on the following website <http://www.sacregcf.org/students/>. The deadlines vary.

Tea Party in the Hills is hosting an essay contest open to **11th & 12th graders in the EDUHSD school district**. The topic of the essay is "What is the reason for the Second Amendment and why is it important in these modern times?". The application is available in the College & Career Center and the deadline to apply is **March 1, 2017**.

Seniors who plan to pursue an art major (particularly watercolor art) are eligible to apply for the **WASH (Watercolor Artists of Sacramento Horizons, Inc.) Scholarship**. The application is in the College & Career Center and the deadline to apply is **April 5, 2017**.

Female seniors who will be pursuing a degree in computer science, information technology, computer engineering or another related field, can apply for the **Women in Technology Scholarship**. The application is available in the College & Career Center and the deadline to apply is **March 1, 2017**.

Bulls Eye Pest Control is offering a \$500 scholarship for a **graduating senior that is preferably going into an agriculture-related field or college major**. The application is available online at <http://bullseyepest.com/bulls-eye-scholarship/>.

College bound seniors who live in a PG&E service area are eligible to apply for **PG&E Employee Resource Group Scholarships**. To apply visit <http://www.pge.com/about/community/scholarships/>. The deadline to apply is **February 3, 2017**.

Graduating high school seniors in Northern & Central CA can apply for the **eQuality Scholarship** to recognize service to the lesbian/gay/bisexual/transgender community. Apply online at www.equalityscholarship.org. Deadline to apply is **February 1, 2017**.

California Wine & Grape Growers Association is offering a scholarship to **high schools seniors whose parent(s) or legal guardian(s) are vineyard employees of a CA Wine Grape Grower**. Applications are available in the College & Career Center and are due **March 24, 2017**.

Calling all **artists & writers!!** Over \$10 million in scholarships are available to artists and writers at www.artandwriting.org.

Young Travelers is a non-profit group that awards **study abroad scholarships to socioeconomically disadvantaged students**. Students can request more information on the scholarship program at www.youngtravelers.org.

Your parent a current or previous member of a union? You may be eligible to apply for the **Union Plus Scholarship**. More information is available on their website <https://1unionplusscholars.communityforce.com/Funds/Search.aspx>. The application deadline is **January 31, 2017**.

American College Foundation offers a scholarship opportunity to **9-12th grade students**. Application is online www.americancollegefoundation.org. Due date is **May 1, 2017**.

Seniors, if you applying to **University of Nevada Reno** and are declaring a major in **Geography, Geology, Geophysics, Hydrogeology, Geological Engineering or Mining**

Engineering you are eligible for the **MacKay School of Earth Sciences and Engineering Scholarship** (ranging from \$500-\$5000 a year). There is no outside application required other than your UNR application on which you would declare your major.

The **Big Sun Organization** is offering an annual \$500 scholarship to a high school **senior currently involved in sports**. Apply on-line at <http://www.bigsunathletics.com>. Application deadline is **June 19, 2017**.

Seniors who have at least a 3.0 GPA and are planning to pursue a career in healthcare can apply for the **Nurse.org Healthcare Leaders Scholarship**. Apply online at <http://nurse.org/healthcare-leaders/>. The deadline to apply is **January 29, 2017**.

The North Central District of the American Association of Family & Consumer Sciences is offering 3 scholarships to **high school seniors who will be pursuing a degree (2 or 4-year) related to Family and Consumer Science**. Application is online at www.aafcs-ca.org and the deadline to apply is **March 22, 2017**.

Seniors who will be attending a four-year college/university and who have a parent or grandparent who are employed by a company holding a valid liquor, beer or wine license are eligible to apply for the **Christermon Foundation Beverage Industry College Scholarship**. Applications are online at www.christermon.com and the deadline to apply is **February 1, 2017**.

The K. Hunter Goff Bankruptcy/Consumer Rights Scholarship is open to **seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA who will pursue a law-related degree**. Apply online at <http://khgpa.com/#scholarship-application> by **July 31, 2017**.

Are you of Italian ancestry? The **Sons of Italy Western Foundation** is offering a scholarship to a **senior who is partially or wholly of Italian decent**. Applications are in the CCC and the deadline to apply is **March 1, 2017**.

Juniors and seniors can apply for the **Democrats of El Dorado County** essay contest. The essay topic is "What do you feel should be the most pressing goal of

the new President?" Applications are available in the CCC and the deadline to apply is **January 27, 2017**.

Tuite Law is offering a \$750 national scholarship to a high school senior who has been affected by a DUI or knows someone who has. Special consideration will be given to students who will be pursuing a law degree. Application is online at <http://tuitelaw.com/rockford-illinois-dui-accident-lawyer/#scholarship-application> and the deadline to apply is **May 31, 2017**.

Below are some National Scholarships:

1. Coca-Cola Scholarship - October 31, 2016 (1400 Awards - \$20,000)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_cocacola_scholarship_9001.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
2. Carid Scholarship - October 31, 2016 (2 Awards - \$1,000)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_carid_scholarship_9002.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
3. College Jumpstart Scholarship - October 17, 2016 (2 Awards - \$1,000)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_college_jumpstart_scholarship_9003.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
4. Don't Text and Drive Scholarship - September 30, 2016 (1 Award - \$1,000)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_dont_text_and_drive_scholarship_8997.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
5. ShipDig Scholarship - September 30, 2016 (1 Award - \$1,000)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_shipdig_scholarship_8943.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
6. Create Real Impact Scholarship - September 30, 2016 (10 Awards - \$1,500)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_create_real_impact_scholarship_8945.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
7. Hit the Books Scholarship - September 30, 2016 (1 Award - \$500)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_hit_the_books_scholarship_9004.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19
8. SP Scholarship - September 30, 2016 (10 Awards - \$10,000)
http://scholarshipguidance.com/scholarship_sp_scholarships_8953.php?&utm_source=newsletter01&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=201609&utm_content=82fc474badc7a227de30a69a0d660c19

Are you of Italian Ancestry? Apply for the **Gold County Lodge #2705 Order Sons of Italy in America Scholarship** for \$1000. Official Transcript required. Pick up an application in the College & Career Center. Due **March 1, 2017.**

Seniors applying to Santa Clara University who have a GPA of 3.8 or higher and minimum ACT of 30 or SAT of 1400 will be considered for the **Santa Clara Johnson Scholars Program.** Recipients receive full tuition scholarship. No extra application is required (just the Santa Clara University application).

Fisher & Talwar Law Firm is offering a \$1000 Legal Inspiration Scholarship to a senior with at minimum 3.0 GPA who is planning on pursuing a college degree. Apply online at www.fishertalwar.com/scholarship/ and the deadline to apply is **April 1, 2017.**

High school seniors planning to major in computer science or computer/electrical engineering and who are interested in working in national security, can apply for the **Stokes Educational Scholarship** offered by the **National Security Agency.** Students who participate in the Stokes program agree to work for NSA for at least one-and-one-half times their length of study upon graduation. Visit intelligencecareers.gov/NSA for more information.

Quirk Law Firm in Ventura, CA is offering a **Foster Child Scholarship & First Generation Scholarship** for current seniors who will be attending a 4-year college/university. Each scholarship is worth \$1000 and the deadline to apply is **May 31 2017.** Application is online at <http://www.quirklawyers.com/our-firm/foster-child-scholarship/>.

The Christermon Foundation is offering a scholarship to **graduating high school students who will be attending a 4-yr college/university and who have a parent or grandparent who is a full-time employee of a company that holds a CA liquor license.** Apply online at www.christermon.com and the deadline to apply is **February 1, 2017.**

Interested in fashion? High school students can apply for the “**Aspiring Fashion Professionals**” scholarship at www.Fashion-Schools.org. Deadline is **June 1, 2017**.

Applying to **Washington University** in St. Louis, or **University of North Carolina in Charlotte**? Stop by the CCC and let me know if you would like to be nominated to their scholars programs.

Check the other scholarships available at <http://www.studentscholarships.org>.