



## **scholarships, Awards, & Opportunities**

### **Update #16**

## **Ridgewood Class of 2018**



**ISSUE #16** of the Ridgewood **Scholarship Bulletin** is here!

**Reminder** - Bulletins will be:

- Sent out twice a month via e-mail (see the attached documents)
- Posted as a PDF on the new Ridgewood Website under “Student Services – College and Career Resources”  
(<http://www.d234.org/student-life/college-and-career-resources/>)
- Posted on the Scholarship Bulletin Board located outside the Student Services Office – Room 137
- In the Student Services Office College Resource Room – Room 137 G

**Come in to the Student Services Office if you have any questions!**

Date:

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<b>Check out the following websites for more scholarships:</b> <a href="http://www.chegg.com/scholarships">http://www.chegg.com/scholarships</a> <a href="http://www.scholarships.com">www.scholarships.com</a> <a href="http://www.collegeanswer.com">www.collegeanswer.com</a>						
8/15	Teach Grant	Up to \$16,000 in Tuition Grants	Office of the Department of Education	A TEACH Grant can help you pay for college if you plan to become a teacher in a high-need field in a low-income area.	Call 888-413-1940 More Information at <a href="https://teach-ats.ed.gov/ats/index.action">https://teach-ats.ed.gov/ats/index.action</a>	OPEN
9/17	<b>FIDM</b> Fashion, Visual Arts , Graphics, Interior Design , Social Media, Entertainment (California)	Varies	<b>FIDM</b> Community and Educational Services Department	For more information go to <a href="http://www.fidm.edu/go/fidmscholarships">www.fidm.edu/go/fidmscholarships</a>	Apply at <a href="http://www.fidm.edu/go/fidmscholarships">www.fidm.edu/go/fidmscholarships</a>	N/A
9/17	National Scholarship Nomination Form	Varies	American Musical and Dramatic Academy  College and Conservatory of the Performing Arts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Fill out the nomination form</li> <li>- Nominated students will have to schedule an audition and discuss our application process</li> </ul>	Return this form to either the New York Campus or Los Angeles Campus  Forms available at Student Services Office	N/A




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11/17	Illinois AMVETS Service Foundation	20 Scholarships Available Up to \$1,000	Illinois AMVETS	Must be a High School Graduate  Preference given to military families  Junior ROTC and Trade Scholarships also available	Learn more and apply at <a href="http://www.ilamvets.org">www.ilamvets.org</a>	Please check website link
12/17	The American Legion Department of Illinois	*A lot of different scholarships with varying amounts of aid	The American Legion Department of Illinois	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Tons of different scholarships to apply for</li> <li>- Please check out the links below</li> </ul> <a href="http://www.legion.org/scholarship">www.legion.org/scholarship</a> <a href="http://www.illegion.org/scholarship">www.illegion.org/scholarship</a> <a href="http://www.legion.org/scholarships/oratorical">www.legion.org/scholarships/oratorical</a> <a href="http://www.legion.org/scholarships/samsung">www.legion.org/scholarships/samsung</a> <a href="http://www.legion.org/scholarships/baseball">www.legion.org/scholarships/baseball</a> <a href="http://www.alaforveterans.org/Scholarships/Children-of-Warriors-National-Presidents-Scholarship/">www.alaforveterans.org/Scholarships/Children-of-Warriors-National-Presidents-Scholarship/</a> <a href="http://www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy">www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy</a>	Follow the links to the left	Check links
12/17	Trustee Honors Scholarship	In district tuition and fees waver for fall and spring semesters, for a student enrolled in at least 12 credit hours per semester	Triton College	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High School Senior , attends in district high school</li> <li>- High School Senior resides in-district</li> <li>- High School Senior, who lives out of district but attends in district school</li> <li>- 3.35 GPA out of 4.0</li> <li>- 25 or higher on ACT</li> <li>- 1200 or higher on SAT</li> <li>- Top 10% of graduating class</li> <li>- Official transcript submitted through seventh semester to the scholarship office</li> </ul>	Frist week of April for fall semester First week of December for Spring Semester  <a href="http://www.triton.edu/Trustee-Honors-Scholarship">www.triton.edu/Trustee-Honors-Scholarship</a>	

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12/17	AES Scholarship	\$500	AES Engineers	- Awarded on the basis of character and evaluating essays that are submitted	<a href="http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm">www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm</a>	October 6 <sup>th</sup> 2018
1/18	The Lead Roster B2B Sales & Marketing Scholarship  The Publicity.ai SEO & Content Marketing Scholarship	\$ 1,000 for each scholarship	The Lead Roster  The Publicity .ai	- <a href="https://publicity.ai/?scholarship">https://publicity.ai/?scholarship</a> - <a href="https://www.leadroster.com/?scholarship">https://www.leadroster.com/?scholarship</a>  Please click on the links to fill out the google forms for each !	- <a href="https://publicity.ai/?scholarship">https://publicity.ai/?scholarship</a> - <a href="https://www.leadroster.com/?scholarship">https://www.leadroster.com/?scholarship</a>	December 20 <sup>th</sup> of each year
2/18	Virginia Leiby Scholarship	\$1500	Leiby Family	- Ridgewood High School Senior - Graduate of District 80 (Giles or Leigh) - Pursuit of post-secondary training (two or four year) - Copy of FAFSA or 2015 income tax return - Demonstrated leadership and service to school and community - Essay: What are your dreams for the future? - How does this scholarship particularly fit into your plans for the future ?	- Applications due in Student Services Office by April 20 <sup>th</sup> 2018	
2/18	Horatio Alger Scholar	N/A	Horatio Alger Association	- Enrolled full time senior in high school in united states with plans to enter college no later than fall semester following graduation - Strong commitment to complete a bachelors degree, two to four year route acceptable. - Demonstrate financial need (55,000 or lower adjusted gross family income is required) - Minimum GPA of 2.0 - Involvement in extra-curricular activities - United states citizen	<a href="http://www.scholars.horatioalger.org">www.scholars.horatioalger.org</a>	Opens up March 15 <sup>th</sup>

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3/18	OPALGA Education Scholarship	Scholarships \$2,000	Oak Park Area Lesbian & Gay Association	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Identify as an LGBTQ person or be the child of an LGBTQ person</li> <li>- Identify as an ally with a commitment to the LGBTQ community</li> <li>- Applied to a 2 year or 4 year degree program or trade school or certificate program</li> <li>- Reside in Cook, Du Page, or Lake counties,</li> <li>- Currently attend school in eligible counties, with at least one completed semester</li> <li>- Need to have completed scholarship application</li> <li>- 1 essay from provided prompts</li> <li>- At least two letters of recommendation</li> </ul>	Please pick up an application at the Student Services Office ask for Mr. Gliffe	May 1 <sup>st</sup> 2018
3/18	Scholarship	Multiple – amount not stated	Kids' Chance Inc. of Illinois	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Between the ages 16-25 at the time of the full disbursement of the scholarship</li> <li>- Not required to be a legal resident of Illinois</li> <li>- Must demonstrate financial need</li> <li>- Achieved high school diploma at the time of disbursement</li> <li>- Enrolled or accepted or applying as a full time or part time student at accredited university, college, or technical school.</li> </ul>	<a href="http://www.kidschanceofillinois.com/scholarships.html">http://www.kidschanceofillinois.com/scholarships.html</a>  download application here	Fall 2018 – April 30, 2018  Spring 2019 – December 1, 2018
3/18	Horatio Alger National Career & Technical Scholarship Program	1020 scholarships to be awarded in 2018  Up to \$2,500 to pursue career	Horatio Alger National Career & Technical Scholarship Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Completed high school by 2018</li> <li>- Enrolled in eligible program Fall 2018</li> <li>- Strong commitment to pursue and complete a career or tech program (up to 2 years) at an accredited non-profit post-secondary institution</li> <li>- Demonstrated critical financial need</li> <li>- Under the age of 30</li> <li>- Citizen of United States</li> <li>- SAR Report must be submitted online</li> </ul>	Online application <a href="http://www.application.horatioalger.org">www.application.horatioalger.org</a>	First priority deadline June 15 2018
3/18	Art Scholarship	Offering \$1,000 minimum scholarships	Latino Art Beat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Competition theme is “What Hispanic &amp; Culture Means to Me”.</li> <li>- Artwork must be sent digitally via email. Accompanied by an entry form and original essay describing the piece.</li> <li>- Also offering a film workshop this summer for film and animation students who attend a high school or college in Illinois.</li> <li>- Film students interested must submit a recent film work 15 minutes or less .</li> </ul>	<a href="mailto:latinoartbeat@hotmail.com">latinoartbeat@hotmail.com</a>  for more information	May 18 2018

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4/18	University of Illinois Champaign –Urbana Balanced Man Scholarship	3- \$1,750 scholarships	Sigma Phi Epsilon	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Looking for incoming male students who have excelled in the areas of scholarship, leadership, athletics, and community service during their high school careers.</li> </ul>	<a href="http://www.illinoissigeps.com/scholarships">www.illinoissigeps.com/scholarships</a>	May 1 <sup>st</sup> 2018
4/18	2018 Scholarship	2- \$2,500 scholarships	The Stephanie Joseph Memorial Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- High School Senior (Male or Female) with minimum GPA of 3.0/4.0 scale, plans to attend four year school.</li> <li>- Short essay incorporating : adversities or hardships the applicant has encountered and what the applicant has done to transcend the hardship. Also, how he/she would be enlightened by Stephanie's spirit</li> <li>- Include a letter of rec</li> </ul>	Please see Mr. Gliffe for a copy of the scholarship application	May 1 <sup>st</sup> 2018
4/18	AIA Scholarship	N/A	American Institute of Architects Northeast Chapter (AIA NEI)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Scholarship criteria and application can be found at this link <a href="http://aianet.org/2017-aia-northeast-illinois-student-scholarships/">http://aianet.org/2017-aia-northeast-illinois-student-scholarships/</a></li> </ul>	See the link to the left	April 20 <sup>th</sup> 2018 5 pm cdt

**Remember:** Look at the website for the specific colleges in which you are interested. They may offer scholarships specific to the university

 Deadline this month
  Deadline is either today or this week
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