

Smithtown CSD Senior Scholarship Bulletin

April 2023

East Counseling Center - (631) 382-2750

West Counseling Center - (631) 382-3020

This bulletin contains scholarship information received by the Counseling Center. If you are interested in further information, visit the website noted or the Counseling Center. Review all information and take note of application dates and eligibility requirements. Be sure to obtain all school provided documents in advance of scholarship deadline dates as some deadlines may occur during school closures.

Copies of the bulletin are available in the Counseling Center, through Naviance, the Counseling Center Google Classroom and the high school website. Please be sure to check the bulletin each month for SHSE or SHSW specific scholarships. <u>Access this bulletin online to print applications and link directly to websites.</u> Applications can also be printed in the Counseling Center.

<u>Unofficial Transcripts</u> - To access electronically, please log in to the Parent Portal using your username and password. Once logged in click on the "Document Portfolio" link on the left side of the screen. Click on the "Unofficial Transcripts" tab on the top of the screen. Finally, select the transcript on the left side of the screen. Please note that only parent/guardian accounts can access the Document Portfolio.

<u>Nominations</u> - If it is indicated that a scholarship requires a nomination by Smithtown High School, students must submit their names for consideration to the Counseling Center prior to the nomination date.

The Andrew McMorris Foundation Scholarship 2023

DEADLINE: March 30, 2023

Criteria:

- HS Senior who plans to continue their education upon graduation in a two four year program or trade school.
- Minimum of 40 hours community service throughout high school.
- Someone who has left a positive impact on others and their community.
- <u>Click here for application and additional information.</u>

DEADLINE: March 31, 2023

The Karp Family Scholarship Fund

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior
- Applicant must include intentions after high school and why you deserve the scholarship
- For application, <u>click here</u>

Barbara C. Harris Scholars Program

Criteria[.]

- Applicant must be Black, African American or Caribbean American descent.
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Resides within the Episcopal Diocese of Long Island (Brooklyn, Queens, Nassau and Suffolk County)
- Applicants do not need to be Episcopalian to apply
- Application is available at: <u>dioceseli.org/reparations</u>

Daniel Distefano & Michael Western Memorial Scholarship (Remember Dan and Mike)

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior.
- Applicant must respond to the following: In your estimation, what exemplifies good character, and how have you demonstrated this?
- Applications are available at: <u>http://www.rememberdanandmike.com/.</u>

Anthony's Hope Scholarship in Loving Memory of Anthony Raso

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who wants to pursue a career in the mental health industry (ex. social worker, psychiatrist, psychologist, etc) and/or has shown community service in that field OR is someone who is passionate about pursuing a career in the recording arts/music production.
- Proof of acceptance to a qualifying educational institution.
- Please click here for application

Denise Cicione Science Scholarship in Loving Memory of Mrs. Cicione **DEADLINE: March 31, 2023**

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who previously attended Great Hollow Middle School.
- Plans on pursuing a career in a science field.
- Show acceptance to a four year college.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA.
- Please click here for application

James' Journey Scholarship in Loving Memory of James Audley

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School East or West senior who has a desire and passion to be involved in the mental health field either by profession (social worker, psychiatrist, etc.) or volunteerism.
- Show acceptance to a 2 year, 4 year, or vocational college.
- Please click here for application

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John A. Economos Business Scholarship

• Smithtown High School graduating senior who plans on pursuing a business career.

- Must have been accepted to an accredited business program in Business Management/Operations, Business Entrepreneurship, Ecommerce or Marketing.
- Demonstrate extensive involvement in community service.
- Minimum 2.8 GPA.
- <u>Please click here for application</u>

Live a Full Life Award in Loving Memory of Patrick Kinane

Criteria:

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who has exhibited their commitment to living life to the fullest while also having a positive impact on those around them.
- For this award, a "full life" is defined as having a positive influence on others and bringing people together in support of others, all while exhibiting passion, joy and exuberance for the experiences shared with others.
- Preference will be given to students who have overcome a serious obstacle in life.
- Future college attendance is not a requirement.
- Minimum 2.75 GPA.
- <u>Please click here for application</u>

Maureen's Kitchen Hospitality Scholarship

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who plans on pursuing a career in hospitality/tourism or culinary arts.
- Must have been accepted to an accredited hospitality or culinary arts program.
- Minimum 2.5 GPA.
- <u>Please click here for application</u>

Mike's Hike Memorial Scholarship in Loving Memory of Michael DenaroDEADLINE: March 31, 2023Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who plans on pursuing a career in a science field.
- Show acceptance to a four year college.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA.
- <u>Please click here for application</u>

Stay Armstrong Memorial Scholarship in Loving Memory of Liam

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior who has had a hardship in their life and demonstrated strength, determination and courage in handling that hardship.
- Show acceptance to a two year, four year or vocational college.
- Minimum 2.75 GPA.
- <u>Please click here for application</u>

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Superman Scholarship in Loving Memory of Sean Cook

- Criteria:
 - Smithtown High School graduating senior who has been involved in community service (for ex. a Jr. Fire Explorer which Sean was) or other community service OR is interested in a career that is community service minded (see application for examples).
 - Show acceptance to a two year, four year or vocational college.
 - Minimum 2.75 GPA.
 - Please click here for application

The Honorable Peter Fox Cohalan Scholarship in American History **DEADLINE: March 31, 2023** Criteria:

- Graduating Nassau/Suffolk County high school senior who will pursue an undergraduate degree with a concentrated study of a minimum of 24 credit hours in American History and/or American Government.
- Must attend a 4-year accredited college or university or academic institution subject to Board approval.
- Click here for application.

The James Shellock 617 Scholarship

Criteria:

- Awarded to one student each from Smithtown HS East and Smithtown HS West.
- Seeking a career in the Emergency Medical Field such as: EMT, Paramedic, Fire Services. Nursing, PA, Pre Med or any career in the emergency medicine field.
- Acceptance to a two or four year college or vocational school.
- Minimum GPA of 2.75 or higher.
- For application, click here.

UNICO Italian Heritage Scholarship Islip-Smithtown Chapter

Criteria[.]

- Smithtown High School college bound senior of Italian-American ancestry.
- Minimum 2.6 GPA.
- Applicants should be of fine moral character.
- Click here for application.

AFA's Teen Alzheimer's Awareness Scholarship

Criteria:

- High School Seniors who have been impacted by Alzheimer's disease
- Must be attending a U.S. college or university in the fall
- For application, click here.

Kathleen Taylor Memorial Community Service Scholarship

Criteria:

- Applicant must be of African Ancestry and a high school senior at a Suffolk County public high school.
- Minimum GPA of 3.0 or better.
- Must be enrolled in a Baccalaureate degree program to receive the award.
- Click here for application

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Ancient Order of Hibernians in America Scholarship

Criteria:

- Must reside in the Township of Smithtown (Commack, Hauppauge, Kings Park, Nesconset, Nissequogue, Smithtown, and St. James)
- Will attend college or trade school in fall 2023
- Applicant must compose an essay on the topic: "Irish-Americans and their contributions to the United States."
- <u>Click here for more information and to apply</u>

Trudy Rose Brody Memorial Scholarship

Criteria:

- Awarded to one student each from Smithtown HS East and Smithtown HS West.
- Planning to pursue a career in Social Work or Psychology.
- Minimum 3.0 GPA and will be attending a four-year college.
- For more information and application visit <u>https://www.trudyrosebrody.com/scholarship.</u>
- Email the completed application package to: trudyrosebrody@gmail.com.

Joseph P. McKenna March Forth Foundation Scholarship

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior in good standing.
- An individual who has shown determination, drive and ambition to nurture passion projects outside of the classroom. Special consideration for those who have participated in activities such as organized sports, fashion, culinary arts and have work experience.
- Applicants must have had a positive impact on those around them, potentially volunteering in their communities (special consideration for those who have volunteered in youth programs), and those that have used humor and grace as a way to build relationships.
- For more information and to apply, visit: <u>https://marchforthforjoe.com/scholarship/</u>

Jonah's Mission For Kids Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating senior from a Long Island public or private high school.
- Applicant must submit an essay: How did you use your voice to improve your school or community? How did it positively impact you?
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Dorothy V. Thode Nursing Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating Senior from a Suffolk County school.
- Applicant must submit an essay: Why are you choosing this field and how do you plan to make a difference in society?
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

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Henry C. Thode Engineering/Trade School Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating Senior from a Suffolk County school.
- Applicant must submit an essay: Why are you choosing this field and how do you plan to make a difference in society?
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Power of the Pebble Scholarship

(Greg W. Sill Foundation)

Criteria:

- Smithtown High School graduating senior
- Must be hard-working, curious, empathetic, conscientious and committed to their studies
- Demonstrates good character through involvement in the school community.
- Willingness to take the lessons learned from their high school career and put them to practical use as civically engaged and responsible citizens.
- <u>Click here for application</u>

SCOPE Cramer Harrington Memorial Scholar-Athlete Award

Criteria:

- Graduating senior: one in Nassau and one in Suffolk.
- Intends to study for a career in education.
- Active athlete during high school.
- Maintained at least an 85% (or letter grade/number grade equivalent) average during high school.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Smithtown Garden Club Scholarship

Criteria:

- Smithtown area high school seniors.
- Pursuing a college curriculum in agriculture, horticulture, floral design or environmental studies.
- Minimum GPA of 3.0.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Professional Nurses Association of Suffolk County Scholarship

Criteria:

- Graduating high school seniors from Suffolk County.
- Must be accepted into an accredited undergraduate profession RN (associate or baccalaureate) nursing program as a full-time student.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

DEADLINE: April 3, 2023

DEADLINE: April 7, 2023

DEADLINE: April 11, 2023

DEADLINE: April 5, 2023

UNICO National Undergraduate Scholarship Awards

Criteria:

- Must be a United States citizen of Italian descent.
- Minimum GPA of 3.5.
- Must be pursuing college study within the academic year of 2022-2023.
- High school senior at any public or private secondary school.
- Four scholarships offered with one application.
- For more information and application visit: <u>https://www.unico.org/scholarships</u>

<u>SSEA Scholarship</u>

Criteria:

- Must be a child/grandchild of a SSEA member in good standing.
- Graduating senior planning on attending a community college, trade or technical school, art school, or a four-year college or university.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Island Federal Credit Union Scholarship

Criteria:

- High school senior and holder of an Island checking/debit card account at the time the entry is submitted.
- Scholarships will be awarded through a random drawing among all entry forms received.
- Scholarship Entry Forms are available on their website at <u>islandfcu.com/scholarship</u> or at any of Island's branches.

Dunkin' Scholarship

Criteria:

- High school senior who plans to enroll in a part-time or full-time undergraduate course of study at an accredited two-year or four-year college, university, or vocational-technical school in Fall 2023.
- Dunkin' will distribute a total of 10 scholarships: five for Dunkin' employees and five to the general public.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Ann and John Loch Memorial Scholarship

Criteria:

- Smithtown CSD graduation senior.
- Must attend a SUNY, CUNY or NYS Community College in the Fall of 2023.
- Demonstrate a financial need.
- <u>Click here for application.</u>

Smithtown College Aid Scholarship

Criteria:

- All Smithtown High School graduating seniors are eligible to apply.
- Applications will be evaluated based upon the students' high school records in relation to their goals, school and community service, financial need and other significant information.
- Financial need is a significant factor in the committee's evaluation.
- For more information and application visit <u>www.smithtowncollegescholarshipcommittee.org</u>

DEADLINE: April 20, 2023

DEADLINE: April 21, 2023

DEADLINE: May 3, 2023

DEADLINE: May 15, 2023

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DEADLINE: April 18, 2023

Criteria: • Graduating high school student from the Smithtown area.

- Applicant must supply a current Smithtown Library Card Barcode.
- Click here for application.

The Booster Club of Smithtown Scholarship

Criteria:

- Must be an athlete on a school team.
- Parent/Guardian must be a member of the Smithtown Booster Club to apply.
- Click here for application.

Suffolk County Athletic Trainers'Association Scholarship (SCATA) **DEADLINE:**May 19, 2023

Criteria:

- Graduating senior from a high school in Suffolk County.
- Majoring in a sports medicine related field (exercise science, kinesiology, etc.) with the intent to pursue a career in Athletic Training or another related Allied Healthcare profession.
- Minimum GPA of 3.3 (87%) at the time of application.
- Click here for application.

PB & J Scholarship

Criteria:

- Open to all college-bound seniors at Smithtown HS East and West.
- Attending an accredited 2-year or 4-year college in the fall of 2023.
- A student who has experienced personal challenges that may not have allowed them to perform well academically, but who still has the drive to succeed.
- Apply at: https://scholarsapp.com/scholarship/pbj-scholarship

The Lowell Wolf Memorial Scholarship (Walk Safe Long Island)

Criteria:

- High school senior who are Long Island Residents
- Must submit an observation worksheet and essay involving traffic observation around your high school.
- For more information and to apply go to: https://www.walksafeli.org/scholarship2023

Julie Peierls Scholarship- Theatre Three Productions

Criteria:

- Must be a Long Island resident.
- Plans to continue his/her theatrical education on a college or conservatory level.
- Plans to pursue a career in professional theatre.
- For more information and to apply go to: https://www.theatrethree.com/peierlsscholarship.html

2023 Friends of the Smithtown Library Scholarship

DEADLINE: May 31, 2023

DEADLINE: June 1, 2023

DEADLINE: May 31, 2023

DEADLINE: May 19, 2023

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Vivian & Tony Gentile Memorial Scholarship

(Adventureland's Helping Hands)

Criteria:

- Must be attending a college/university on Long Island as a full-time student in the fall of 2023.
- For application, <u>click here</u>

Sachem Dental Group Vivian & Tony Gentile Endowed Scholarship (Adventureland's Helping Hands)

DEADLINE: June 30, 2023

<u>(Adventureland's He</u> Criteria:

- Must be attending a college/university on Long Island as a full-time student in the fall of 2023 as a prospective major in Biology, Chemistry, Pre-Med, Pre-Dental, or another associated medical profession.
- For application, <u>click here</u>

There are a number of scholarships and grants available via <u>HESC</u>. Please see below for a sample of the many opportunities available and visit this website for additional information: <u>https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid.html#horizontalTab2</u>

NYS Excelsior Scholarship

• The Excelsior Scholarship, in combination with other student financial aid programs, allows students to attend a SUNY or CUNY college tuition-free. Applications must be filed online: https://www.hesc.ny.gov/excelsior.

NYS Enhanced Tuition Award (ETA)

• This program provides tuition awards to students who are New York State residents attending a participating private college located in New York State. Recipients receive funding through a combination of their TAP award, ETA award and a match from their private college. Applications must be filed online: https://www.hesc.ny.gov/pay-for-college/financial-aid/types-of-financial-aid/nys-grants-scholarships-awards/enha nced-tuition-awards.html.

NYS Math & Science Teaching Incentive Program

• Offered to encourage students to pursue careers as math and science teachers in secondary education (grades 7-12).

NYS Teacher Education Assistance for College and Higher Education (TEACH) Grant

• Provides grants to students in exchange for a completion of a service obligation teaching in a public or private elementary or secondary school that serves students from low-income families.

Additional Scholarship Resources:

www.fastweb.com www.scholarships.com www.collegeanswer.com www.supercollege.com www.chegg.com www.collegexpress.com https://studentscholarships.org/