OCTOBER SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

The following scholarship information has been received in the Guidance Office. Please check deadlines and requirements. Interested students can obtain applications from Mr. Gaulke for non-online scholarships.

Horatio Alger Scholarship - Over 100 scholarships awarded for up to \$22,000, based on critical financial need, involvement in co-curricular and community activities, and various GPA's. Applicants must apply online at <u>www.horatioalger.org</u>, click on "Scholarships" at the top. Application deadline is <u>October 25.</u>

<u>Heisman High School Scholarship</u> – Awards 100 scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5,000. Requires 3.0+ gpa, participation in at least one school-sponsored sport, and demonstrated leadership at school. Apply at <u>www.heismanscholarship.com</u>. Application deadline is 3 pm on <u>October 29</u>.

<u>Coca-Cola Scholars</u> - On-line scholarship application for 150 scholarships of \$20,000. Award is based on leadership, commitment to community, and academic achievement. Website is <u>www.coca-colascholars.org</u>. Only on-line applications accepted. Application deadline is <u>October 31.</u>

<u>Glenna R. Joyce Scholarship</u> – Scholarships to either The Ohio State University or the University of Notre Dame which will cover all standard expenses of attending for up to four years. Based on superior academic potential and expected contribution to the university, high character, and financial need. See Mr. Gaulke for details. Application for OSU is available to students offered Honors affiliation. For Notre Dame, application is done through admission application and the financial aid application at <u>www.admissions.nd.edu/financialaid/apply</u>. Several deadlines involved, but earliest are university application to OSU (applied by **November 1**) and NDU (apply by **December 31**).

<u>National Commission for Cooperative Education Scholarships</u> - Offers co-op programs over four years to 10 partnered universities (Universities of Cincinnati and Toledo in Ohio). List of available colleges, as well as on-line application is available at <u>www.waceinc.org</u>, and follow the "Co-op Scholarship Program" link on the lower left. All require a minimum 3.5 GPA and a typed one-page essay. Application deadlines vary by school, from <u>November 1 to February 15.</u>

<u>Ron Brown Scholar Program</u> - Will award \$10,000 scholarships, renewable for up to four years, to eligible African-American students. Applicants must demonstrate academic achievement, exhibit leadership ability, participate in community service activities, and demonstrate financial need. Applications may be downloaded at <u>www.ronbrown.org</u>, click on "Apply" at the top. Applications postmarked by <u>November 1</u> will also be forwarded to a select number of additional scholarship providers. Application deadline for Ron Brown Scholar Program only is <u>January 9</u>.

<u>Prudential Spirit of Community Awards</u> - BCHS may select one student from among applicants to compete for up to \$5,000 in scholarships and awards. Application includes essays and verification of community service. Go to <u>https://spirit.prudential.com</u>. Interested students must submit application and turn in a copy with certification statement to Mr. Gaulke by <u>November 5.</u>

<u>Ohio Lions PSA Scholarship</u> – In celebrating its 100^{th} birthday, Ohio Lions is offering a \$500 scholarship to a student for creating a script for a 30 second PSA encouraging people to get involved with their local Lions Club. Submission form is at <u>https://bit.ly/2VwYyG2</u>. Submission deadline is <u>December 1</u>.

AXA Achievement Scholarship - Will award 52 scholarships of \$2,500 to \$25,000. Based on being wellrounded, committed to making a difference, and having demonstrated achievement at a job, sport, or extracurricular activity. To get an application, go to the website <u>www.axa-achievement.com</u>. Application deadline is receipt of 10,000 applications, or <u>December 14</u>. **<u>Final Fantasy Fan Scholarship</u>** – Offers a \$1,000 scholarship. Requires 5 paragraph essay. Application is available at <u>https://www.finalfantasyxvapp.com/scholarship</u>. Application deadline is <u>**December 15**</u>.

AXA Foundation Scholarship – AXA Achievement Scholarships offers scholarships ranging from \$2,500 to \$25,000. Based on demonstration of ambition and drive, determination to set and achieve goals, respect for others, and ability to succeed in college. Apply on-line at <u>www.axa-achievement.com</u>. Application deadline is **December 15** or 10,000 applicants.

Engineers Foundation of Ohio Scholarships - Scholarships offered to students who intend to major in engineering at several universities in Ohio. All require minimum 3.0 GPA and either 1100 SAT (600M/500R/C) or ACT (M29/E25). Some scholarships have additional criteria. For a list of eligible schools or an application, go to EFO website, <u>www.ohioengineer.com</u>, click on the "Students and Educators" tab at the top, then "Programs for Students" in the middle of the page, then use the "Scholarships" link on the left. Deadline for <u>receiving</u> application is 5 pm on January 15.

<u>Mensa Education and Research Foundation Scholarships</u> – Will award scholarships up to \$1,000 based on an essay which describes the applicant's career, vocational, or academic goal. You must enroll in a degreegranting program at an accredited US institution of post-secondary education. Applications and more information are available at <u>www.mensafoundation.org</u>, and click on the Scholarship link at the bottom of the home page under "Programs". There are no Mensa chapters in Fairfield County, but you can apply through the Columbus chapter. Entry deadline is <u>January 15.</u>

<u>Washington Crossing Foundation Scholarships</u> – Offers a variety of regional and national scholarships ranging from \$500 to \$5,000. Students do not apply for specific scholarships, but are automatically considered in each category for which they qualify. Applicants must be planning a career in government service at the local, state or national level. Application information is available online at <u>www.gwcf.org</u>, and click on the "Scholarship" link on the left. Application deadline is <u>January 15</u>.

<u>Rove Pest Control Scholarship</u> – Offers one-time \$500 scholarship through online application only. Based on academics. Requires 3.0 GPA, recommendations optional. Apply online at <u>www.rovepestcontrol.com/rove-pest-control-scholarship/</u>. Application deadline is <u>January 31</u>.

<u>National DAR Scholarships</u> – Numerous scholarships offered in various fields of collegiate study. Application and scholarship requirements and amounts are available on the National DAR website, <u>www.dar.org</u>, and click on the "Scholarship Opportunities" link toward the bottom of the page. Application deadline is <u>February 15.</u>

<u>AAA School Safety Patrol Grant</u> – Offers 10 grants of \$1,000 to high school seniors who once served as a member of the AAA School Safety Patrol. Award based on academic record, patrol experience, in-school and out-of-school activities, and references. Includes a 500 word essay. Applications must be postmarked no later than <u>February 22.</u>

<u>SAE (Society of Automotive Engineers) Foundation Engineering Scholarships</u> – Offers several scholarships for students who intend to major in engineering. Amounts vary. Applicants must enroll in an accredited engineering program and meet minimum requirements with regard to GPA, ACT/SAT scores as outlined in the individual requirements of each scholarship. Application is online at <u>www.sae.org</u>, then on "Participate" at the top of the page, then "Scholarships", then "Freshman Year of College". Application deadline is <u>March 15.</u>

<u>Christian Connector Scholarship Drawing</u> - Students who register for information on this Christian college information service are automatically entered for a \$2,500 scholarship drawing. Also serves as a source of information for over \$150 million in scholarships to Christian colleges. Students may sign up at the search

website, <u>www.christianconnector.com</u>. Scholarship contest runs through <u>May 31</u>. Or use the "Scholarship Resources" link at the top of the page to get information on specific scholarships.