

**Scholarship Bulletin # 5**  
**December 2007**  
**Scholarships, Open Houses, & Special Programs**

1. **Association of Fire Districts “Ned Carter” Scholarship:** Three scholarships available. Students must be or be related to a firefighter in an affiliated member organization of the AFD. To qualify, students need to complete an application, two teacher recommendations, guidance counselor endorsement and personal reference. One firematic recommendation from either a Chief officer or Commissioner is needed. **Deadline: March 1, 2008.**
  
2. **SUNY University at Buffalo – Winter Discovery Day - Open House:** University of Buffalo is the only SUNY school in the SUNY system that offers a pharmacy and pharmaceutical sciences program. To qualify students must have a 92 G.P.A. and 1199 SAT score. To make reservations students must call 1-888-UB-ADMIT. **Deadline: March 1, 2008**
  
3. **Rider University:** There are several scholarship opportunities available for students applying to fine arts, music, performing arts, or sports programs. Please contact Ms. Arigo or Ms. Payne for additional details. **Deadline:** For majors that do not require an audition – **January 15, 2008.** For majors that require an audition – **March 7, 2008.**
  
4. **Skidmore College – Five Porter Presidential Scholarships in Math & Science:** Awards are in the amount of \$ 40,000 (\$10,000 per year). Students must respond to the Porter essay question on the Skidmore Supplement to the Common Application. Strong Math and Science skills are required in and out of the classroom. For more information contact 518-580-5112 or visit [www.skidmore.edu](http://www.skidmore.edu)
  
5. **Manhattanville College – Invest in Success Scholarships for students of Hispanic or African decent:** An open house will be held February 27, 2008. This award covers full tuition and room and board for four years. Students must be a senior with a cumulative 3.0 G.P.A., be a permanent U.S. citizen and resident, and provide two letters of recommendation to qualify for consideration. An application can be found at [www1.mville.edu/duchesne/invest.htm](http://www1.mville.edu/duchesne/invest.htm). **Deadline: January 31, 2008**
  
6. **Soroptomist International of Nassau County Scholarship – Violet Richardson Award:** For young women between the ages of 14 and 17 who have performed commendable volunteer activities. Applications available in guidance office. **Deadline: December 30, 2007.**
  
7. **Fashion Institute of Technology – Presidents Scholars Program – FIT Honors Program:** To qualify, students must have a 3.5 GPA, provide letters of

recommendation and complete essay. For more information visit [www.fitnyc.edu/honors](http://www.fitnyc.edu/honors) or call 212-217-4590.

8. **The City University of New York (CUNY) Community Colleges Open House Program:** Tuesday 12/11/07 and 1/9/08 from 12-6pm. This opportunity allows students on the spot admission. Please contact Ms. Payne or Ms. Arigo for additional details.
9. **Walmart Foundation – 2008 Sam Walton Community Scholarship:** To qualify, students must be a high school senior and may not be a Walmart/Sams Club Associate or the child or legal dependent of a Walmart/Sams Club Associate. See the [www.walmartfoundation.org](http://www.walmartfoundation.org) for more information. **Deadline:** postmarked before 1/14/08.
10. **Toyota –Toyota Community Scholars:** For seniors who are planning on enrolling in the U.S. for the fall 2008 and have achieved academic excellence and volunteerism in society.
11. **National Student Leadership Foundation:** Students who demonstrate academic excellence, extra-curricular involvement and leadership potential. Students must maintain a “B” average. If you fit this criterion, please see Ms. Arigo or Ms. Payne for details. **Deadline:** 12/15/07.
12. **AXA Foundation – AXA Achievement Community Scholarship:** For high school seniors, \$725,000 in scholarships available. To apply, students must sit and establish goals, show determination, respect for self, family and community. Please contact Ms. Arigo or Ms. Payne for details. **Deadline:** 2/15/08
13. **The New York Water Environment Association, INC:** NYWEA has two \$1500 Scholarships available for high school students who will be enrolled in an environmentally related program in a 4 year college program. To qualify, students must be in good standing and must show proof of enrollment in a 4 year environmentally related program. Contact Ms. Arigo or Ms. Payne for details. **Deadline:** 1/23/08
14. **College of New Rochelle –CNR Wisdom for Life – Principles Award:** CNR is offering a \$34,000 scholarship opportunity for graduating students who are in a college preparatory program. This scholarship is renewable annually for four years of full time study. Students must maintain a 2.7 GPA and carry at least 12 credits per semester. **Deadline:** 12/30/07
15. **KFC Colonels Scholars Program:** KFC is offering a \$5,000 Scholarship that can be used towards tuition, fees, textbooks, room and board. An online application will be available at [www.kfcscholars.org](http://www.kfcscholars.org) from 1/1/08 - 2/15/08.

- 16. New York Schools Insurance Reciprocal – The Cristin Ann Bambino Memorial Scholarship:** \$2500 scholarship opportunity for Special Education students from a NYSIR district. A 650 word essay is required. Please contact Ms. Arigo or Ms. Payne for additional details. **Deadline:** 4/1/08
- 17. New York Schools Insurance Reciprocal – The Paul Jensen Memorial Scholarship:** \$2500 scholarship opportunity for students who have excelled in design in his or her high school career and plan on continuing this path in college. A 650 word essay is required that explains how he/she would design or adapt an existing design for a specific purpose. **Deadline:** 4/1/08