

Scholarships, Open Houses, and Special Programs

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- 1. Long Island University- C.W. Post Spring Open House:** On Saturday, April 27, 2008 at 10a.m. in the Tilles Center. Please RSVP to 516-299-2900 or e-mail enroll@cwpost.liu.edu or visit the website for more information www.liu.edu/admissionsevents
- 2. Kohl's Kids Who Care Scholarship Program:** For students in grades 9-12 who help make their communities a better place. Volunteer efforts should have made a positive impact on others and occurred in the last 12 months. Creativity, initiative, generosity, leadership, and community involvement are major factors. Only one student can be nominated. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo to put your name on the list. Please call 262-703-6312 or visit www.kohlskidswhocare.com for additional details. **DEADLINE:** Received by 3/15/08
- 3. Long Island University- C.W. Post Campus:** Digital Arts and Design Program Open House and Portfolio Review. This open house also features a reception for "The Best of Design Show." Open House on Wednesday, February 13, 2008 at 4:00 p.m. in Humanities Hall Room 206-211 (computer labs). Please call 516-299-2464 for additional details.
- 4. Tzu Chi Foundation Scholars 2008:** For seniors. Criteria based on financial need, academic achievement, community involvement, and college plan. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo or call 212-957-0228 or visit www.tzuchi.org for additional details and an application. **DEADLINE:** Received by 3/14/08
- 5. Tri-County Insurance Agents Association Scholarships:**
 - 1.) The Joel S. Pollack Memorial Scholarship:** Complete an essay and application
 - 2.) The Stephen T. Dooley Community Service Scholarship:** Involvement in community service, complete a scholarship application and obtain a signature from a school official.Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and complete details or visit www.tricountyagents.com or call 516-621-2209. **DEADLINE:** Received by 4/1/08
- 6. St. John's University Catholic Student Scholarship:** For seniors. Based on the applicant's academic criteria (including high school average and standardized tests), demonstrated financial need and the strength of an accompanying essay. Must be Roman Catholic, have at least a B average and combined SAT score of 1050 or more. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and complete details. **DEADLINE:** Received by 2/15/08

- 7. 2008 Hispanic Heritage Youth Awards:** For seniors who are of Hispanic/Latino descent and have a 3.0 minimum GPA. Please visit www.hispanicheritage.org for additional details and an application or call 1-866-665-2112
- 8. The Summer Hope Foundation- A Mother's Gift Scholarship Program:** For seniors whose families have been personally touched by cancer. An essay is required. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for additional details and an application or call 516-382-7791. DEADLINE: Received by 4/30/08
- 9. The Official USAA Scholarship Foundation- Who's Who in Minority Leadership:** All students in grades 9-12 are eligible for nomination. Students who have demonstrated academic and/or leadership skills relating to scholarship, motivation to learn, and improve, dependability, enthusiasm, and responsibility. 400 scholarship cash grants are available. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo to be nominated. DEADLINE: 2/22/08
- 10. Society of Professional Journalists High School Essay Contest:** All students in grades 9-12 are eligible. Students must submit original work and have a sponsoring teacher sign the contest entry form. The essay should be 300-500 words. The award for first place is \$1,000, second place is \$500, and third place is \$300. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an entry form. DEADLINE: Postmarked by 3/1/08
- 11. Institute of Creative Problem Solving for Gifted and Talented Students:** For current 9th grade students. 75 students will be chosen to attend special workshop sessions for creative problem solving in mathematics and science on Saturdays during the 2008-2009 school year. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo to be nominated. DEADLINE: 2/29/08
- 12. New York Schools Insurance Reciprocal Memorial Scholarship:** Two scholarships are available. One is for a special education student who is college bound. Must complete an essay, not to exceed 650 words on a selected topic. A second scholarship is available for a student who has excelled in design in their high school career. Must complete an essay, not to exceed 650 words on a selected topic list. Awards of \$2,500 are available. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and the list of essay topics. DEADLINE: Postmarked by 4/1/08
- 13. Hawaii Pacific University International Vocal Ensemble and Chorale:** For students who have applied to Hawaii Pacific University and are interested in one of these two groups. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for more information and an audition application. DEADLINE: 3/1/08
- 14. Molloy College Campus Tour:** Tour dates are Tuesday, February 19 at 10 a.m., Thursday, February 21 at 3 p.m. held in The Reception Room. On Sunday, April 27 at 1 p.m. there will be an Open House. Call Molloy at 1-888-4-MOLLOY ext.6320 for more information.

- 15. New York Lottery-Leaders of Tomorrow Scholarship:** For seniors. Only one senior can be nominated. Must demonstrate strong academic ability, participated in extracurricular activities, and displayed a commitment to community service. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for additional details and to put your name on the list or call 518-388-3300. DEADLINE: Postmarked by 3/26/08
- 16. SUNY Old Westbury Open House:** On Sunday, April 13, 2008 from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. Please call 516-876-3200 for additional details.
- 17. 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
- 18. 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
- 19. University of Notre Dame Summer Leadership Seminar:** Program for outstanding Latino seniors. Please call 574-631-0990 for additional details and an application. DEADLINE: Received by 2/15/08
- 20. 2008 Girls Going Places Entrepreneurship Award Program:** For girls ages 12-18. Cash prizes ranging from \$1,000 to \$10,000 are awarded to girls who demonstrate budding entrepreneurship; taking the first steps toward financial independence; and making a difference in their schools and communities. Submit a personal statement of no more than 250 words and a 750-word letter of endorsement from a parent, teacher, or mentor. For more information and an application, please visit www.girlsgoingplaces.com
- 21. Boston University School of Education Open House:** Friday, February 22 from 9:30a.m. To 12p.m. To RSVP call 617-353-3212 or visit www.bu.edu/sed/visitcampus/undergrad.htm
- 22. The Maria A. Sciara Scholarship Fund:** For high school seniors who aspire to be a teacher or who resides or resided with a mother or guardian who is, or was, affected by cancer (other than breast cancer). Applicant must have applied and been accepted to either a 2 or 4 year college or university. A one-time \$500 award will be given. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application. DEADLINE: April 1, 2008.
- 23. Felician College Of New Jersey Open House:** Saturday, April 19, 2008 starting at 9 a.m. To register, please call 201-559-6131 or e-mail admissions@felician.edu

- 24. Columbia University Science Honors Program:** Enrichment courses are offered on Saturdays to 550 students who have been selected. Nominees must be in 9th, 10th, or 11th grade and should exhibit a strong interest and ability in science and mathematics. Once nominated, applicants will be required to take a rigorous entrance exam at Columbia University on Saturday, April 5, 2008. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and to be nominated. DEADLINE: Postmarked by March 7, 2008.
- 25. Sister Mary Grace Memorial Scholarship:** For students with financial need who are interested in pursuing a career in health care. Awards range from \$500 to \$2,000 on a one-time basis. Applications are considered on basis of financial need, academic standing, community service, and applicant's commitment to a career in Health Care. Please submit a brief description of your current situation and future plans for a career in Health Care. Application must be submitted with a cop of your most recent Income Tax Return no later than April 30, 2008. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application.
- 26. The O'Keefe Foundation, Inc.:** For seniors. Only one student can be nominated. Essay required. A student must have lost a parent due to a violent act. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo to put your name on the list or if you have questions, or call 516-662-0485. DEADLINE: Received by 3/1/08.
- 27. New York Institute of Technology:** Explore architecture in Manhattan. Please call 516-686-7490 for complete details. There is a \$100 deposit due by Saturday, May 17, 2008. Tuition and fees: \$1,835. Dates are Mondays, Tuesdays, and Thursdays from July 7 through July 31, 2008 from 10a.m. to 3p.m.
- 28. Nassau-Suffolk Football & Cheerleading League-Larry Bilello/Al Maggiotta Memorial Scholarship:** For seniors. Must have participated in one of the member towns of the Nassau-Suffolk Football and Cheerleading League and maintained a scholastic average of 75% or better. Must have participated in extra-curricular activities in their community. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and complete details. DEADLINE: Received by 6/1/08.
- 29. Irish Americans in Government:** For high school seniors who are of Irish-American ancestry. Must have personal involvement in school and community activities, which benefits the less fortunate. Leadership and academic achievement are also of concern. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and complete details or call 516-747-4770. DEADLINE: Received by 4/10/08.
- 30. The Ninth Annual Julie Peierls Scholarship:** For seniors who plan to pursue a career in the professional theatre. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and complete details or call 631-928-9202. DEADLINE: Received by 3/1/08.
- 31. Smith College Spring Preview:** On Friday, March 14, 2008. Please call 1-800-383-3232 for complete details.

32. American Institute of Architects-Long Island Chapter-2008 Scholarship Design

Awards: For seniors who will be entering an accredited school of architecture in the fall of 2008. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application or call 516-294-0971.

DEADLINE: Received by 4/4/08.

33. Nassau Counselors' Association 37th Annual College Expo: Hofstra University Mack

Sports and Exhibition Complex on Tuesday, May 6, 2008 from 5-9p.m. Please call 516-228-5260 for additional details.

34. Nassau Educators Federal Credit Union: The Making a Difference High School

Scholarship: For high school seniors who achieve academic excellence and give back to their communities in the true spirit of the philosophy "*people helping people*". The ideal candidate will have an overall average of 90% and demonstrate service to their school or community. One winner will be chosen for a \$500 award. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for the application. **DEADLINE:** March, 28, 2008.

35. Queens College Time 2000 Program: For high school seniors with at least a B average in their math and English courses who want to pursue a career as a mathematics teacher. Students should have a special interest in and commitment to the teaching of mathematics as well as a willingness to work hard. If accepted to the program, students will receive a full scholarship toward the cost of tuition. Please see Ms. Payne or Mrs. Arigo for an application and for more information. **DEADLINE:** March 1

36. The Princeton Review Spin-n-Win: From February 21 through March 1, The Princeton Review is giving away free SAT and ACT test prep courses. Visit PrincetonReview.com/Win and you could win a free full-length SAT or ACT course.