

SENIOR NEWSLETTER

February 2018

Reminders:

- If you need a transcript to send with your application or scholarship either in the mail or on-line, please see Mrs. Lavin or Mrs. Blank. Please remember a 24 hour notice needs to be given.
- When you receive your acceptance letters or scholarship letters please bring them to guidance so we can put your name on the board and celebrate with you!!

Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA):

Please remember that the FAFSA needs to be completed by March 1, 2018. The application is on-line: www.fafsa.gov. If you were unable to attend the workshop at Mountain Ridge below is a list of some other opportunities:

Allegany College of Maryland – February 19, 2018 from 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Maryland College Aid Process System (MDCAPS):

- Apply – <https://mdcaps.mhec.state.md.us>
- FAFSA must be completed first
- Offers the students the ability to accept federal and state monies on-line

Guaranteed Access Grants (GAG):

Eligibility Requirements:

1. Resident of Maryland
2. Enroll at a two-year or four-year Maryland college or university
3. Demonstrate financial need

Stop in guidance office for more information.

SAT Dates:

March 10, 2018 – deadline to register February 9, 2018

ACT Dates:

April 14, 2018 – deadline to register March 9, 2018

Scholarship Information: (In order of deadline)

- **Frostburg State University Music Scholarship**
 - **Audition Day: Thursday, February 8, 2018**
 - **Deadline to register: Thursday, February 15, 2018**
 - Information available in Guidance Office
- **Dr. Kenneth E. Mann Scholarship Award - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: February 16, 2018**
 - Application: available in Counseling Office
 - Applicants must plan to pursue their elementary teaching degree at a college, university, or trade school in the state of Maryland
 - Provide **2** recommendations; one of a faculty member at Mountain Ridge, and the other individual outside the school setting

- **Cynthia E. Morgan Memorial Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: February 25, 2018**
 - First generation college student
 - Attending a Maryland college
 - Major in a medical – related field.
 - <http://www.cemsfund.com/application>

- **Verso Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: February 28, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Counseling Office
 - Immediate family member is an employee of Luke Mill

- **Masonic Charities of Maryland – \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: March 1, 2018**
 - Applications: available in the Counseling Office

- **Hamilton Relay Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: March 1, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Counseling Office

- **2018 McCool VFW Post 6775 Men’s Auxiliary Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: March 20, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Counseling Office

- **Janice M. Scott Memorial Scholarship Fund**
 - **Deadline: March 31, 2018**
 - Essay required
 - Applications: available in the Counseling Office

- **Swing of Things Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: March 31, 2018**
 - Application: <http://www.swingsetmall.com/blog/swing-of-things-500-college-scholarship>

- **The SoberTimes Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: March 31, 2018**
 - Application: <http://sobertimes.com/addiction-and-recovery-scholarship/>

- **The CU Foundation Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: March 31, 2018**
 - Application: www.cufound.org/college-scholarship

- **The Frank H. Eberly, Jr. Memorial Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: April 1, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Counseling Office

- **2018 Minds-in-Motion Scholar Athlete Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: April 1, 2018**
 - Application: <http://www.mpssaa.org/membership-services/minds-in-motion/scholarship-application/>

- **Dr. Fred Sloan Memorial Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: April 8, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Guidance Office
 - Must be attending Frostburg State University and majoring in Education

- **American Legion Legacy Scholarship**
 - **Deadline: April 9, 2018**
 - Application: <http://www.legion.org/scholarships/legacy>

- **Joseph J. Fox Memorial Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: April 15, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Counseling Office
 - Education majors

- **2018 Student-View Scholarship Program - \$4,000.00**
 - **Deadline: April 22, 2018**
 - Application: www.student-view.com

- **The Law Offices of Anthony Vecchio Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: April 30, 2018**
 - Application: www.anthonvecchiolaw.com/scholarship-program

- **Children and Youth Scholarship American Legion Auxiliary**
 - **Deadline: May 1, 2018**
 - Application: available in the Counseling Office
 - Other American Legion Scholarships available on www.ala.org

- **B. Davis Scholarship - \$1,000**
 - **Deadline: May 22, 2018**
 - Application: <http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm>

- **ECR Quit Smoking Academic Scholarship - \$5,000**
 - **Deadline: May 31, 2018**
 - Application: <https://ecigaretterevuewed.com/scholarship>

- **Aspiring Fashion Professional Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: June 1, 2018**
 - Application: www.fashion-schools.org
 - Students interested in pursuing a fashion degree

- **Abbott and Fenner Scholarship - \$1,000**
 - **Deadline: June 14, 2018**
 - Application: <http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm>

- **Big Sun Scholarship - \$500.00**
 - **Deadline: June 19, 2018**
 - Application: www.bigsunathletics.com

- **Aspiring Nurse Scholarship - \$1,000.00**
 - **Deadline: August 31, 2018**
 - Application: www.nursingschoolsalmanac.com

- **Kids' Chance Scholarship**
 - **Deadline: ongoing – apply after FAFSA**
 - Application: www.kidschance-md.org
 - For high school seniors of catastrophically or fatally injured workers

Scholarship Websites:

- www.fastweb.com
- www.schoolsoup.com
- www.studentscholarships.org

Additional Helpful Websites:

- www.mdgo4it.mhec.maryland.gov
- www.collegetoolkit.com
- www.college.gov

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Always bear in mind that your own resolution to succeed is more important than any other.

- Abraham Lincoln