

## SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN #2 – 2/08

**Look for scholarship applications by number in the scholarship file in the guidance office or go to website provided. Do not wait until the last minute, as many scholarships require reference letters, essays and time to prepare application.**

Additional sources for scholarships may be found by contacting colleges that you are considering applying to. Check with employers, unions, and organizations in which you or your parents are involved. Also, feel free to come into guidance and do a scholarship search on CHOICES on the computer or on the many free online scholarship search websites available. **DO NOT PAY MONEY** for a scholarship search. Most of your financial aid money will come directly from the colleges after filling out the FAFSA (and sometimes) the PROFILE (Check with guidance or online to see if you need to file the CSS Profile).

### **#11 Nelnet Scholarship Giveaway**

Visit [www.nelnet.com/win](http://www.nelnet.com/win) and fill out entry form. Students or parents can enter online daily through August 8, 2008 for a chance to win monthly drawing for up to \$25,000 college scholarships.

### **#12 AFA (Alzheimer's Foundation of America) Teens for Alzheimer's Awareness College Scholarship**

Applicants must complete an application form, available at [www.afateens.org](http://www.afateens.org), write a 200 word personal biography, submit a transcript, submit a copy of your birth certificate, and write a 1200-1500 word essay answering two questions about Alzheimer's disease. Entries must be postmarked by **February 15, 2008**.

### **#13 Capitol Scholarship Program**

This grant is for needy students who rank in the top 20% of their class or have SAT scores above 1800 on any one sitting. This is a renewable grant for students planning to attend a college or university in Connecticut, DC, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island and Vermont. This grant is based on financial aid and information from your FAFSA form should be sent to the scholarship program. **The Deadline is February 15, 2008.**

### **#14 Commitment to Agriculture Scholarship**

For seniors who come from a farming family who plan to pursue a career in the field of agriculture. Applications are available online at [www.NAFB.com](http://www.NAFB.com). Applications must be **postmarked no later than February 15, 2008.**

**#15 Three Rivers Community College Scholarship in Nuclear, Mechanical, or Electrical Engineering Technology**

Full two-year scholarship in Nuclear, Mechanical or Electrical engineering for a student planning to attend Three Rivers, includes co-op experience each summer at Millstone. Application must include an essay and transcripts. Applications are available in guidance or online at [www.trcc.commnet.edu/EngTechScholarships.htm](http://www.trcc.commnet.edu/EngTechScholarships.htm). **Applications are due February 15, 2008.**

**#16 Best Buy Scholarship**

Scholarship to award well-rounded students who have given back to their community. Applications are available online at [www.BestBuy.com/scholarships](http://www.BestBuy.com/scholarships) and click on "Community Relations." **Deadline for applications is February 15, 2008.**

**#17 Ronald McDonald House Charities Scholarship**

This scholarship is for all students who have demonstrated academic achievement, financial needs and community involvement. HACER scholarships give priority to seniors with at least one parent of Hispanic heritage. Application should include a personal statement, transcript, and reference letter. Applications online at [www.rmhc.org](http://www.rmhc.org). **Deadline is February 15, 2008.**

**#18 Connecticut Association of Educational Office Professionals**

This award is for high school seniors who desire to continue their educational careers in the field of business education, preferably as educational secretaries or administrative assistants. Applications must be accompanied by two letters of recommendation, a personal letter, a financial statement, and a transcript. **All materials must be returned by February 18, 2008.**

**#19 EF Tours Essay Competition**

For High school juniors and sophomores. Winners will travel in July 2008 on a 10-day international tour. Applications can be downloaded from [www.eftours.com/globalcitizen](http://www.eftours.com/globalcitizen). **Postmark deadline is February 28, 2008.**

**#20 Pfizer Epilepsy Scholarship Award**

For seniors with epilepsy. Students must register at [www.epilepsy-scholarship.com](http://www.epilepsy-scholarship.com). Application includes academic record, activities, an essay, and two letters of recommendation (one from your doctor). **Application must be postmarked by March 1, 2008.**

**#21 American Legion Auxiliary National President's Scholarship & Memorial Education Grant**

Scholarship for daughters/sons or step-daughters/sons of veterans who served in the armed forces in a time of war and scholarship for Veteran's children or a child or grandchild of a member of the American Legion or American Legion Auxiliary. **Applications are due by March 1, 2008 and April 3, 2008 respectively.** Scholarships also available for junior members of the American Legion Auxiliary, Girl Scouts, and children or grandchildren of an ex-service woman who is or was a member of the American Legion Auxiliary for at least five years. Contact local American Legion or speak to your guidance counselor.

**#22 SAMMY-Scholar-Athlete Award Program**

Award to recognize outstanding student athletes. Award is based on academic performance, athletic excellence, leadership, community service and milk experience. **Applications can be found at [www.bodybymilk.com](http://www.bodybymilk.com) until March 7, 2008.**

**#23 CT Building Congress Scholarship Fund**

For seniors entering college-level programs in architecture, engineering, construction management, surveying, planning or other courses of study leading to a degree in the construction field. Awards are based on academic merit, extracurricular activities, potential and financial need. Applications are available at <http://www.cbc-ct.org> (member services page). **Application must be received by March 10, 2008.**

**#24 "Arrive Alive" Scholarship Competition**

Applicants must submit an essay in the form of a letter they would read to their classmates prior to prom, appealing to their good senses not to drink or drive. The application and essay prompt can be found at [www.GetCarter.com](http://www.GetCarter.com) and are **due on March 14, 2008.**

**#25 American Association of Family and Consumer Sciences**

Scholarship for graduating senior planning to major in a Family & Consumer Sciences field (Child Development, Fashion Design, Dietetics, Hotel/Restaurant Management, etc.) and planning to attend a two or four year school. Application requires essay, two letters of recommendation, and transcript. **Applications are due by March 15, 2008.**

**#26 Connecticut State U.S. Bowling Congress Association Scholarship**

This award is given to a high school senior, graduating in June, whose parent or grandparent is a sanctioned member of the Connecticut State Bowling Association. The senior may be male or female, planning to continue their education. The student need NOT be a bowler. An application must be filled out and finalists will be interviewed by the committee. Transcript must be included and finalists will be interviewed. **Deadline is March 15, 2008.**

**#27 Kohl's Kids Who Care Recognition Program**

Scholarship that awards young people for their community service. Applications are available at [www.kohlskidswhocare.com](http://www.kohlskidswhocare.com) and **are due on March 15, 2008.**

**#28 The Golub Foundation Scholarship**

Various scholarships available for two and four year colleges. Scholarships include: one for outstanding scholar/leaders, one for minorities, one for a student with high scholastic ability entering the field of education, one for students with a relationship with Price Chopper, one for a student entering the health care field, one for students entering computer science, electronics, or graphic design, one for a student entering the tourism or culinary field. Student must attend college in NY, MA, PA, VT, CT or NH. Applications can be found online at [www.pricechopper.com](http://www.pricechopper.com) **Application deadline is March 15, 2008.**

**#29 Charter Oak Federal Credit Union Scholarship**

Scholarships for seniors who are a member, child or grandchild of a member of the Charter Oak Federal Credit Union. Student must have a GPA of 2.5 or better, strong involvement in extracurricular activities and the community and acceptance to a post-secondary school. **Applications are due by March 15, 2008.**

**#30 Dunkin Donuts Franchisee Scholarship Program**

For high school seniors who plan to enroll at an accredited 2 or 4 year college, university or technical school, have a GPA of 3.0 or better. Application requires a statement, adult appraisal, and transcript. Selection is based on academic record, potential to succeed, leadership, participation in school and community, honors, work experience, a statement of career goals and an outside appraisal. **Applications are available at [www.DunkinDonuts.com/scholarship](http://www.DunkinDonuts.com/scholarship) . Must be postmarked no later than March 15, 2008.**

### **#31 Connecticut Nurserymen's Foundation Scholarship**

This grant will be awarded to a high school senior graduating in Spring 2007 who is accepted in a course of study beneficial to the horticultural industry. This could include Landscaping, Greenhouse Management, or Nursery Management. Application, two letters of recommendation, transcripts and Financial Aid SAR report must be submitted by **March 17, 2008**.

### **#32 New England Institute of Technology Essay Contest**

Open to students planning to attend NEIT. Five areas of competition. Applications can be found online at [www.neit.edu](http://www.neit.edu). **Entries are due no later than March 19, 2008.**

### **#33 Ann Rand's Essay Contest**

For 9th and 10th grades an essay between 600 and 1200 words on Ayn Rand's Novelette Anthem and for 11th and 12th graders an essay between 800 and 1600 words on Ayn Rand's Novel The Fountainhead. **Essays must be submitted online to [www.aynrand.org/contests](http://www.aynrand.org/contests) by March 20, 2007 and April 25, 2007 respectively.**

### **#34 100 Years of Women Scholarship**

For students who have demonstrated a commitment to women's issues through service to their school or community. Student must be a high school senior planning to enroll at the University of Connecticut with financial need and high academic performance. Applications, which must include two letters of recommendation from individuals who can comment on their commitment and service to women's issues, are available at [www.womenscenter.uconn.edu/Application\\_08.pdf](http://www.womenscenter.uconn.edu/Application_08.pdf). **Deadline is March 21, 2008.**

### **#35 American Savings Foundation Scholarship**

For seniors from Chaplin with a 2.5 or higher GPA and planning to pursue a 2 or 4 year degree or accredited technical/vocational training. Scholarships are awarded primarily based on financial need. Application includes essay, two letters of recommendation, tuition information, student aid report and application information. Application can be found online at [www.asfdn.org](http://www.asfdn.org). **Applications must be postmarked by March 31, 2008.**

**#36 Associated General Contractors of CT Scholarship**

Scholarship for a senior entering a 4-year building technology or civil engineering program or entering a 2-year technical school with a construction course of study, with the intent of entering a 4-year college upon completion of the technical school. Applications, including recommendations and transcripts, **must be submitted by March 31, 2008.**

**#37 Association of Retired Teachers of CT-Glenn Moon Scholarship Fund**

This award is for high school seniors who intend to pursue a career in teaching in public or private schools, hopefully in Connecticut. The award is based on transcripts, class rank, SAT scores, financial need, character, personality, interests, and educational activities. Essay, references and financial statements are required. **Application also available online at [www.ctretiredteachers.org](http://www.ctretiredteachers.org). Deadline is March 31, 2008.**

**#38 Windham-Tolland Retired Teachers Association**

For students from Windham and Tolland Counties who intend to pursue a career in education, hopefully in CT. Application, transcript, financial information, essay, and three letters of recommendation are required. **Forms must be received by March 31, 2007.**

**#39 SBM Charitable Foundation Scholarship**

For students with at least a 2.5 GPA planning to attend a college or university in Connecticut. Awards are based on leadership, academic achievement and financial need. Applications available at [www.sbmfoundation.org](http://www.sbmfoundation.org). **Deadline is March 31, 2008.**

**#40 Robert C. Byrd Honors Scholarship Program**

Scholarship for students in top 2 percent of their high school class or achieve a score of 2100 or better on the SAT. Applicants are selected based on class rank and SAT scores. **Applications are available at [www.ctdhe.org/SFA/pdfs/ByrdScholarship.pdf](http://www.ctdhe.org/SFA/pdfs/ByrdScholarship.pdf) and are due April 1, 2008.**

**#41 CT Society for Respiratory Care Scholarship**

For a student planning to become a respiratory therapist. Applications include transcript, essay, financial information, and community service activities. Applications can be downloaded from [www.ctsrc.org](http://www.ctsrc.org). **Applications must be postmarked by April 5, 2008.**

#### **#42 Juvenile Arthritis Scholarship**

For seniors with juvenile arthritis or another rheumatic disease. Applications are available by mail or fax. Call 800-541-8350 or email [info.sne@arthritis.org](mailto:info.sne@arthritis.org). **Applications are due on April 11, 2008.**

#### **#43 Susan Chilkott Memorial Scholarship Program at Day Kimball Hospital**

Scholarship consists of a loan each year for pursuing health professions including, Registered Nursing, Adv. Practice Registered Nursing, Pharmacists, Radiographers, Physical Therapists, Occupational Therapists, Medical Technologists, Respiratory Therapists and Registered Dieticians. Following graduation, the loan can be forgiven if he/she works full-time at Day Kimball Hospital for two years. Application must include two letters of recommendation and transcripts. **The deadline to apply is April 15, 2008.**

#### **#44 Willimantic Rotary Scholarship**

This scholarship is for seniors who meet the following criteria: Student enrolled in a rigorous school curriculum and has demonstrated high achievement, active participant in school and community, a student who exhibits character ( as shown by a letter of reference), and a brief response to a question on belief and action. Applicants may apply for money for college or to start a career. Must include official transcript. **Deadline is April 15, 2008.**

#### **#45 Dennis Malone Memorial Scholarship Award**

Scholarship for high school seniors planning to attend an accredited four year college and pursue a career in park management, forestry, horticulture, agronomy, or a closely related field. Selection is based in financial need, academic achievement, and involvement in activities related to the intended course of study. Applications are available at [www.ctparks.org](http://www.ctparks.org) under "Announcements". **Applications are due by April 20, 2008.**

#### **#46 Ted Martocchio Scholarship (CSU and Building and Trades Union)**

For students accepted to any university in the CT State University system who is a child of a Building and Trades Union member with financial need, a minimum of 2.75 GPA, leadership and volunteer work. **Application deadline is April 30, 2008.**

**#47 Pratt & Whitney Science & Technology Scholarship – Eastern CSU**

For seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA, accepted to Western CT State University with a demonstrated interest and/or examples of excellence in science or technology. Financial need must be demonstrated. **Application deadline is April 30, 2008.**

**#48 T. Clark Hull Public Service Scholarship – Southern CSU**

For seniors with a minimum 3.0 GPA, accepted to Central CT State University with demonstrated leadership and commitment to service. Financial need must be demonstrated. **Application deadline is April 30, 2008.**

**#49 CT Education Foundation Minority Scholarship**

Scholarship for a minority senior accepted at a CT college or university who intend to enter the teaching profession. **Applications are due May 1, 2008.**

**#50 Central Connecticut Chapter of the Oncology Nursing Society**

Scholarship for a high school senior who has been accepted to a nursing program and will pursue a career as a registered nurse. **Application must be received by May 1, 2008.**

**#51 John M. Bailey Memorial Scholarship Award**

Awarded to high school seniors planning to major in public service fields, including criminal justice, education, fire study, nursing/medical, etc. Award is based on character, leadership, and scholastic aptitude. Application includes SAT scores, grades, three letters of recommendation and a short essay. **Forms may be obtained at [www.CCJECA.org](http://www.CCJECA.org) and are due no later than May 1, 2008.**

**#52 Christopher Potvin Scholar Athlete Scholarship Fund**

Scholarship for “good” students who are varsity athletes and respected and admired by faculty, coaches, peers and their community. Application must be typed and include recommendations and an official transcript. **Applications must be postmarked by May 3, 2008.**

**#53 BigSun Scholarship**

Scholarship for student athletes. Applications are available at [www.bigsunathletics.com](http://www.bigsunathletics.com). **Applications are due June 20, 2008.**

