

SCHOLARSHIP NEWS

MARCH, 2015

MORE INFORMATION CAN BE FOUND IN THE GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

Seacoast Wind Ensemble Scholarship

The \$500 scholarship will be awarded to a high school student, residing in the seacoast region, to support musical endeavors, such as: music camp, new instrument/equipment, lessons, tuition, etc. The application is due **March 1, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for more information.

Hood Sportsmanship Scholarship \$5000

High school seniors who participated in a varsity sport and will be attending a two or four year college. Must have earned a cumulative GPA of 3.0 or better and performed volunteer work in the community to be eligible.

Deadline for application is March 1st. www.hood.com

New Hampshire Land Surveyors Foundation "Moran Family" Scholarship Notice

This scholarship is available to a student who is either graduating from high school in 2015, or a prior Moran Family Scholarship recipient, or who has had military service. Although financial need is the first priority, the second priority is a strong likelihood the person would enter the surveying profession, or a related field at the end of the program. Applications must be submitted by **March 1, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for more information or go to www.nhlsa.org under "Scholarship Notices".

Ed Wentzell Child Nutrition Scholarship

Scholarships will be awarded to a student graduated from high school pursuing a career in food service and/or a member active in school food service. The deadline for applications is **March 1, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for more information.

Skrungloo Farm, Inc. Scholarship

Applicants must demonstrate financial need, academic merit, and other non-academic factors such as community service, school activities, and work experience. Applications are due by **March 2, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for more information.

Kohl's Cares Scholarship Program

Nominate a young volunteer for up to \$10,000 in scholarships. Nominators must be 21 or older. The student's volunteer actions should be described in detail on the nomination form. Volunteer efforts must have occurred in the last year and must have benefited people not related to the student. Winners will be chosen based on the benefits and outcomes of their volunteer service. Nominations accepted **January 30 – March 13, 2015**. Go to Kohlskids.com to nominate a young volunteer.

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Joe Cleres Memorial Scholarship Program

This scholarship program is open to anyone who has a disability, either mentally or physically challenged. There is no financial qualification. The awards this year will vary between \$2,000 and \$500 based on tuition needs. Application deadline is **March 14, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for an application.

Lakes Region Tourism Association of New Hampshire Scholarship is accepting applications for those students accepted at an institution of higher learning majoring and/or studying a tourism or hospitality related field. See the Guidance Department for more information. Application deadline is **March 20, 2015**.

Seacoast Artists Association's Annual Scholarship

Entry information is available in the Guidance Department or go to www.seacoartist.org for more information. All entries are due by **March 24 – March 31**. Requirements are as follows: Submit three original works of art in any medium. Attention should be paid to presentation, with entries appropriately mounted or matted.

Shaw-Worth Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship was established under the aegis of The Humane Society of the United States and assists students who demonstrate a deep respect for animals and people in achieving their dreams of working in the service of animals. The scholarship is awarded to a New England high school senior who has made a meaningful contribution to animal protections over a significant period of time and is awarded in the amount of \$2,500. See the Guidance Department for more information.

Lighthouse Guild Scholarship

Scholarships are for college-bound high school and graduate students who are legally blind. The program will award approximately 20 college-bound scholarships of \$10,000 each and one graduate scholarship of \$10,000. For more information and an application go to www.lighthouseguild.org/scholarships. Application deadline is **March 31, 2015**.

Richie Ladd Memorial Scholarship

This scholarship is available to a student pursuing higher education. Application deadline is **March 31, 2015**. Go to www.nhlsa.org under "Scholarship Notices" or the Guidance Department for more information.

Northern Essex Community College Presidential Scholar Program –(Nomination Process – Teacher or Guidance Staff). For more information go to the Guidance Department or to scholarships@necc.mass.edu or call 978-556-3629 for more information. Application deadline is **April 1, 2015**.

Susan L. King Scholarship

The Susan L. King scholarship, in the amount of \$3,000, will be awarded to a female who has been accepted as a first-year student in an accredited college or university in an Engineering or Science related curriculum. Applications are available in the Guidance Department. Application deadline is **April 2, 2015**.

New Hampshire Association of Broadcasters

This scholarship will be awarded to a New Hampshire resident who plans to enroll at an accredited two or four-year school with a major in intention of studying in a field related to over-the-air-broadcasting. Applications are available in the Guidance Department. Application deadline is **April 3, 2015**.

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Anthony W. Romano & Vernon C. Kelley Memorial Grants will award from \$500 to \$1500 to high school seniors or adults receiving assistance from a New Hampshire Housing Authority who are entering post-secondary education. Application information is available in the Guidance Department. Deadline is **April 3, 2015**.

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The Stephen Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund, Inc.

This scholarship offers renewable, 4-year scholarships to students from New England with financial need. Successful candidates are those who display academic achievement, service to others, good character, leadership qualities, and a willingness to work to contribute to college, personal and/or family expenses. This year, new and renewal awards total close to \$3 million. **Last year one of Sanborn's students was a recipient of this scholarship. Early application deadline is April 10, 2015. The regular deadline is May 1, 2015.** Application information is available in the Guidance Department or go to www.phillips-scholarship.org.

Hayes Family Scholarship

This scholarship will be awarded to a high school student who is pursuing an education related to animal or veterinary sciences in their college career. The scholarship is in the amount of \$500. More information is available in the Guidance Department. Application deadline is **April 11, 2014**.

The **New Hampshire Charitable Foundation** is the largest source of unrestricted scholarships in the state of New Hampshire. Each year, the Foundation awards over \$5 million to help New Hampshire students with the fewest resources and most promise realize their educational goals – whether it's a two or four-year college degree, a certificate or other professional license. They are particularly interested in supporting students who will be studying science, technology, engineering or math – and have pledged to make \$500,000 available for STEM students for the 2015-2016 academic year. Examples of STEM careers include: high school science or math teacher, video game designer, engineering and information technology, automotive technician, computer science or aircraft mechanics. Application deadline for students enrolling in a four-year program is **April 15, 2015** and application deadline for students who have completed a high school or a GED and want to attend a two-year or short-term training program in **June 15, 2015**. Go to www.nhcf.org/students for more information or call the student aid office at 1-800-464-6641.

The **Robert Woodman Scholarship** in the amount of \$500 will be given to a student attending school for civil or environmental engineering or environmental science and be a senior in high school. This scholarship will be given to a student that can demonstrate financial hardship, leadership, and community involvement. The application deadline is **April 24, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for more information and an application

The **Philip Beland College Scholarship** in the amount of \$500 will be given to any student that is currently enrolled in college for civil or environmental engineering or environmental science. This scholarship will be given to a student that can demonstrate financial hardship, leadership, and community involvement. The application deadline is **April 24, 2015**. See the Guidance Department for more information and an application.

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Unitil Scholarship

Five high school seniors who demonstrate outstanding potential for careers in engineering, math, or science will receive a \$5,000 scholarship for the first year of undergraduate study. Recipients will be based on academic merit, extracurricular activities, need and additional financial support received, among other criteria. See the Guidance Department for application information. Application deadline is **April 30, 2015**.

Northern Essex Community College Alumni Association Incoming Freshman Scholarship (Student Apply-to Process). For more information go to Guidance Department or to scholarships@necc.mass.edu or call 978-556-3629 for more information. Application deadline is **May 1, 2015**.

Northern Essex Community College Foundation, Inc. Incoming Freshman Scholarship (Student apply-to Opportunity). For more information go to the Guidance Department or to scholarships@necc.mass.edu or call 978-556-3629 for more information. Application deadline is **May 1, 2015**.

Alice M. Yarnold and Samuel Yarnold Scholarship Trust is giving to a student who is already attending a post-secondary school pursuing the fields of nursing, medicine, or social work, but who because of financial circumstances would be otherwise unable or restricted to do so. Applications are available in the Guidance Department and the deadline is **May 19, 2015**.

"Aspiring Fashion Professional" Scholarship \$1000

This scholarship will be awarded to students who are interested in pursuing a fashion degree at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Go to www.fashion-schools.org and find the scholarship located at the bottom of the page and click on it. Application deadline is **June 1, 2015**.

"Aspiring Animation Professional" Scholarship Program \$1,000

This will be awarded to students that are interested in pursuing an animation career path at an accredited post-secondary school or college. Go to www.animationcareerreview.com to find eligibility information along with the online application. The scholarship will be on the right side of the page and click on it. Application deadline is **June 1, 2015**.

CollegesSports Recruiting Scholarship \$1,000

This scholarship is awarded to a college student who best represents a true leader in sports and life. Application deadline is **July 1, 2015**. Information is available at www.collegesportsscholarships.com.

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Other Resources for Scholarship Information

Financial Aid Forms & Information:

- www.fafsa.ed.gov - file the FAFSA which is required by all colleges and universities which offer federal financial aid.
- www.collegeboard.org (CSS Profile) - File the CSS Profile financial aid form which is required by certain private postsecondary schools and scholarship programs.
- www.finaid.org - A comprehensive national source of student financial aid information including an expected family contribution (EFC) calculator.
- www.studentloans.gov - Information about the Federal Direct Loan programs available to both students and parents, and also where master promissory notes and entrance counseling for federal loans is completed.
- www.nhheaf.org/pdfs/handouts/Possible_Private_Loan_Programs.pdf - While it is recommended that you maximize federal loans first, this list provides current private loan lenders and contact information.

Scholarships and Grants:

- www.nh93.com - Searchable NH scholarship database maintained by the Center for College Planning.
- www.nhcf.org - New Hampshire Charitable Foundation annually provides \$3 million in private scholarship funds to New Hampshire students.
- www.federalstudentaid.ed.gov/scholarship - Access a database with thousands of national scholarships.
- www.fastweb.com - Fastweb offers a free national scholarship database which contains information about 1.3 million scholarships worth over \$3 billion.
- www.schoolsoup.com/scholarship-directory - Hundreds of available scholarships through a variety of categories.



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