

Senior Update #4



College Information:

Nov. 1st is a big application deadline for several colleges. Please let Mrs. Kohler know if you need help with your application.

Heidelberg University News:

- **FREE Masters of Business Degree!**
Heidelberg offers the Plus One Advantage to all students who graduate from Heidelberg after attending all four years and graduate with a 3.0 GPA the opportunity to add value to their undergraduate education by adding a Master of Business Admin degree to ANY major. Complete the program in 12 months!
- **HYPE Career Ready Program:** develops essential leadership skills and cultivates emotional intelligence to prepare students for the competitive job market. Provides interactive learning experiences and activities.
- Visit Campus - to register, go to: www.heidelberg.edu/visit.
- Submit your application for admissions online at: www.heidelberg.edu/admission-aid/apply-now
- Visit Days:
- Fall Fridays at the Berg: Nov. 2 & 9
- Saturday visits: Oct 27th and Nov. 3.
- Presidents Day: Feb. 18
- Spring Open House: March 29 and April 22
- Admitted Student's Day: April 5
- Visit Campus - to register, go to: www.heidelberg.edu/visit.

Indiana University East Education Visit Day:

- Thursday, Nov. 15 from 9:30 - 12:30
- IU East offers majors in Dental Hygiene, Dental Assisting, Dental Lab Technology, Medical Imaging, and Nursing - BSN.
- For more info, go to: www.iufw.edu

Miami University Application Fee Waivers:

- Apply to Miami U by the end of October and receive a fee waiver for your application fee.

- Each school can offer 10 fee waivers to their seniors. Please see Mrs. Kohler for the waiver form.
- Early Decision deadline is Nov. 1st - be careful, this is binding.
- Early Action I - deadline is Nov. 1st. Receive your admission decision by Dec. 15th and be in the running for the Presidential Fellows Program.
- Early Action II - Deadline is Dec. 1st and receive your admission decision by Feb. 1st. Be in the running for merit scholarships, the scholars program and the honors program.

Mount Carmel College of Nursing:

- Mount Carmel offers a direct entry nursing program with no prerequisites and no waiting list!
- Mount Carmel has a small student to faculty ratio, is affiliated with a major integrated healthcare system and they provide over 1,000 hours of clinical hands on experience.
- For more information, go to: www.mccn.edu

Otterbein University:

- New Programs of study: Bachelor of Fine Arts in Creative Writing, Bachelor of Art in Art History, Aquarium (part of the Zoo and Conservation Science Program)
- Overnight Visit Opportunities: Jan. 15-16, Feb. 19-20, March 12-13 and March 17 - 18
- Schedule a visit at: www.otterbein.edu/visit

University of Akron Myer's School of Art Portfolio Review and Open House:

- Saturday, Nov. 3 from 12 - 3:00 p.m.
- Saturday, Feb. 16th from 12 - 3:00 p.m.
- Learn more about the majors and minors in art, scholarship opportunities, meet with current students and professors, tour the studios, and have your portfolio reviewed by faculty.
- RSVP at: www.uakron.edu/u/portfolioday

University of Dayton Explore Engineering Event:

- Saturday, Nov. 10th or attend the Women in Engineering Event which is an overnight experience Friday, Nov. 9th and Nov. 10th.
- Participate in hands-on labs; meet with faculty and current students, tour campus.
- RSVP at www.go.udayton.edu/exploreengineering.

Urbana University Info:

- New programs at UU include Cyber security and Health Sciences.
- New athletic programs include men's wrestling and women's acrotumbling and they are beginning the recruiting process for a new men's volleyball program.
- Schedule a college visit by calling 937-772-9230 or online at: www.urbana.edu/visit
- For information about the admission process, go to: www.urbana.edu/admissions.

Wright State University Lake Campus Info:

- Visit Day: Thursday, Nov. 15th from 4 - 7 p.m.
- Register at: <https://lake.wright.edu/admissions/open-house>
- Early Childhood Education Program: One of the largest programs on the Lake Campus.
- For further information go to: <https://lake.wright.edu/academics/business-education-nursing-and-technical-academic-unit/early-childhood-education>

Youngstown State University Fall Penguin Preview Days:

- Friday, Nov. 2 and Nov. 30th from 9 - 1:00 p.m.
- Meet President Tressel, Learn about their majors by speaking with faculty and staff, eat lunch in the food court, tour campus, resident halls and apartments and hear from admissions and financial aid representatives.
- To register for the event, go to: <https://ysu.edu/admissions/plan-a-visit> and click on the link for Penguin Preview Days.

Common Application:

- One application used at several colleges across the US. Go to: www.commonapp.org
- Information can be found in your handouts from our Senior meeting.

College Fairs:

National Online College Admissions Fair:

- Student registration link: <https://CollegeFair.TheBigVirtual.com/Register>. Attend college fairs online!
- 100's of colleges in one event, attend from anywhere.

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College Visits:

- You get 2 this year, use them wisely.
- Please let Mrs. Kohler know where and when you are going. She will give you a form that needs to be signed while at the college.
- This will be used as your excused absence form for Ms. Tussing.
- No college visits may be taken during the month of May.
- Visit the college BEFORE you apply there.

Scholarship Information:

Bowling Green State University ACTION Scholarship Program:

- Science and Math Education in ACTION program prepares students for the teaching profession, provides research and classroom experiences, and is available for students planning to teach middle school science and math, high school science or high school math.
- ACTION provides recipients with a 4 year scholarship. Go to www.bgsu.edu/action.
- Criteria for the program: minimum high school GPA of a 3.0, and minimum ACT of a 23.
- Deadline to apply is Jan. 15th, 2019.

BGSU Freshman Academic Scholarship:

- Good for all four years at BGSU
- Must apply to BGSU by Jan. 15th to be considered.
- Must have a 3.0 GPA and 20 ACT or 3.0 GPA and 1040 SAT.
- Searchable Scholarship Guide opened for high school seniors on Oct. 1st. Most deadlines for scholarships have deadlines of Dec. 3 or Jan. 15th.

Drive Smart Teen Contest:

- Creative Video Contest for students aged 13 - 18 years old who create an original 15 to 60 second digital short video about the dangers of distracted driving.
- Win up to \$10,000 in scholarship money and other prizes.
- To sign up, go to: www.drivesmartnow.com.
- Deadline to submit video is Jan. 6th, 2019.

Edison State CC Scholarship:

- The application opens Nov. 1st.
- Here is the link for the list of scholarships: <https://www.edisonohio.edu/ScholarshipApps/>

GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program:

- High school seniors who demonstrate drive, leadership, integrity and citizenship are encouraged to apply for the \$10,000 renewable scholarship.
- Deadline to apply is: Jan. 4th, 2019.
- To be eligible for this award, applicants must:
 - demonstrate at school, at the workplace, and within the community the attributes of leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship;
 - demonstrate strong academic performance (minimum 3.0 grade point average/4.0 scale or equivalent);
 - be citizens of the United States of America;
 - be current high school seniors attending high school in the United States (students living on U.S. Armed Forces base and homeschooled students are also eligible); and
 - plan to enroll in a full-time undergraduate course of study toward a bachelor's degree at an accredited four-year college or university in the United States for the entire upcoming academic year.
- To apply, go to: <https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/>

Heidelberg University Scholarship Info:

- Competition for students who are accepted to the university with a 3.5 + GPA and an ACT of 25+ or SAT of 1200+ have the opportunity to compete for a chance to win up to \$28,000 a year for 4 years. Apply online ASAP.

McDonald's Scholarship Program:

- \$2,500 every year for college or up to \$10,000 for a 4 year degree.
- Eligibility - employed with McDonald's for 3 months and works an average of 15 hours/wk.
- They work around your school, sports, or extracurricular activities.
- See handout for further info.

OSU - Stone Labe Scholarships:

- Tuition assistance for qualified students ranging from \$200 to \$2,500
- Visit: www.stonelab.osu.edu/apply now for information.

Otterbein University Scholarship Info:

- Offering a new scholarship for music majors - the Young Artist Scholarship. A \$30,000 competitive scholarship renewable for four years. Deadline to apply is Dec. 15, 2018 and complete music audition deadline is Feb. 19, 2019.
- Visit www.otterbein.edu/music for more info.
- Merit Scholarships: based on strength of academic performance, leadership, civic engagement, and/or community service.
- Cardinal grants - non-need based
- Award levels range from \$13,000 to \$500.
- For a complete list, go to: www.otterbein.edu/scholarships.
- Deadline to apply to Otterbein for priority scholarship consideration is Dec. 15th, 2018.

Purdue University Fort Wayne - FAFSA Completion Nights:

- Nov. 7 and 28th, Dec. 5, Jan. 23, Feb. 6 and 27th and March 27th, 2019.
- Event will be held in Helmke Library.
- Register at: <https://calendar.pfw.edu/events/index?date=2019-04-24>
- They will help with the data retrieval tool and general help with the FAFSA.
- See handout for more info.

Urbana University Scholarship Info:

- UU offers a variety of scholarships such as club sports, student leaders, performing arts, and athletic (Div. II).

- Academic scholarships for incoming freshmen in the amount of \$4,000 - \$9,000 based on cumulative GPA and ACT score.
- Community scholarships include the Agricultural Leadership \$1,000 scholarship for students in FFA or 4H with a 2.5 GPA or better; the College Credit Plus \$1,000 scholarship for students who have participated in the CCP program through UU; Legacy \$1,000 Scholarship for children of UU alumni and the Regional Resident \$1,500 Scholarship for students who reside in neighboring counties to Urbana U - Shelby is included.
- For a complete list, go to: www.urbana.edu

Wright State University Lake Campus Scholarships:

- Several are offered, go to the following link for a complete list:
<https://lake.wright.edu/admissions/lake-campus-scholarships>
- Students must be admitted in order to have access to the WOEFS Scholarship application. Deadline to apply is Jan. 8, 2019.

Need help filling out the FAFSA?

When: Thursday, November 8, 2018

Location: Indian Lake High School - Indian Lake High School Media Center

4:30 PM - 6:00 PM

6210 SR 235 N, Lewistown, OH 43333

Pre-registration is required.

Contact Valarie Rapp at 937-686-8851 Ext: 4309 or rappv@ils-k12.org

College Athletics:

NCAA Clearinghouse - Div. I and II:

- If you are interested in possibly playing college athletics you need to go to the NCAA's Eligibility Center website to register.
- www.eligibilitycenter.org.
- There is an \$80.00 application fee.
- Let Mrs. Kohler know you have registered as she needs to send your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9999.

NAIA Eligibility Center:

- To participate in athletics at an NAIA school you must register at: www.playnaia.org

- Please let Mrs. Kohler know if you apply so she can send in your transcript.
- Their ACT/SAT code is 9876.
- Registration fee is \$80.00.

Military Information:

Selective Service:

- All 18 years and older men must register within 30 days of your 18th birthday.
- To register go to: www.sss.gov.

ACT/SAT Information:

ACT Test Dates for 2018/19:

Registration:	Test date:
Nov. 2	Dec. 8
Jan. 11	Feb. 9
Mar. 8	April 13
May 3	June 8

To register, go to: www.actstudent.org

- Cost is \$46.00
 - o With writing: \$62.50
- If you have not taken the ACT and plan to go apply to college, you need to do so ASAP!

SAT Information: Go to: www.collegeboard.com

Career Information:

Emerson Engineering Career Seminar:

- Emerson in Sidney, Ohio will be hosting an Engineering Career Seminar on Thursday, Nov. 29th from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.
- Students will participate in an engineering challenge that will demonstrate the role of engineers in fields such as mechanical, electrical, sound and vibration, materials, and manufacturing.
- Register for the event by completing this survey:
<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=XZgG68oGF0qB2mKauZ9IBRT4VdpYdldHqaXbElqP1G5UOEhZMDBWTOhSOU1WOTIEUTBYWU9ZR0FBVi4u>
- Register by Nov. 21, 2018.
- For questions, contact Becca.davis@emerson.com

Mercy Health - St. Rita's Medical Center Info:

- Careers in Healthcare - see handout.
- Job Shadow at Mercy Health - St. Rita's - Must be at least 16 years old to shadow in a patient care area. See Mrs. Kohler for an application.

Zip Recruiter:

- A free career resource dedicated to help jobseekers find meaningful employment and great resource
- Resource links:
 - o <https://www.ziprecruiter.com/high-school-jobs>
 - o <https://www.ziprecruiter.com/scholarship>

Miscellaneous Information:

Scholar Snapp -

- Scholarship search engine.

Ohio Living Dorothy Love VolunTeen Program:

- To Volunteer, call Betsy Naseman at: 937-497-6529 or email her at: bnaseman@ohioliving.org
- See Mrs. Kohler for an application.

Sidney Theatre - Youth Volunteer Program:

- If you are interested, please feel free to contact them via social media, by email at: office@sidneytheatre.com, or call (937)710-5195.

Reminders:

ACT College & Career Readiness Champions Scholarship:

- Applications can be found at: www.act.org/readinesschampions
- **Deadline to apply is Oct. 31, 2018.**

American Legion Oratorical Contest:

- Please see Mrs. Kohler, Mr. Elchert or Mr. Pulfer for the contest information.
- For more information, go to: www.legion.org/publications

Coca-Cola Scholars Program:

- **Apply by Oct. 31st at:** https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/8843_coca_cola_scholars_program_scholarship.php

FIDM National Scholarship Competition:

- The deadline to apply is March 29, 2019. Visit www.bit.ly/FIDMScholarship.

Hagan Scholarship Foundation:

- Deadline to apply is: Nov. 15th, 2018.
- To apply, go to: www.hsfmo.org

Harris Poll Scholarship:

- 1 award of \$1,000 will be awarded.
Apply by Oct. 31st at: https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14804/harris_poll_scholarship_scholarship.php

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Scholarships:

- To apply, go to: <https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/college-scholarship-program/> - this is through the Common App.
- Deadline to apply is Tuesday, Nov. 20th.

Mercy Health - St. Rita's Medical Center Scholarship:

- See Mrs. Kohler for the application.
- Deadline to submit your application is Feb. 22.

Miami University Merit Guarantee Scholarships:

- Apply for admissions by the Dec. 1st deadline to be eligible for merit scholarships and the Scholars/Honors programs.

Ohio State University Scholarship Info:

- To be eligible for University Merit Scholarships you must **apply by Nov. 1st**, the Early Action Application Deadline!
- Go to: www.go.osu.edu/sfa-scholarships for special-eligibility scholarships.

Prudential Spirit of Community Awards:

- Scholarship program recognizes young people for outstanding volunteer service.
- Any student who is in grades 5 - 12th grade qualifies. They must be engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred at least in part after Sept. 1, 2017, and completes an application to Mr. Reese or Mrs. Kohler by Nov. 6th, 2018.
- Applicants apply online at: www.nassp.org/spirit by Nov. 6th, then submit

the application to either Mr. Reese or Mrs. Kohler by the same date.

- At that point the school will review the applications and certify them online.
- The top 2 - MS and HS youth volunteer in each state will go on to further competition

VIP Scholarship:

- **Apply by October 31st** at:
- https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14805/vip_voice_5_000_scholarship_scholarship.php