

# Senior Update #5



## College Information:

### Lehigh University Info:

- Early Decision deadline is now Thursday, Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> due to Hurricane Florence.

### University of Cincinnati Decision Day:

- Jan. 18<sup>th</sup>, 2019 for first year applicants who complete their Fall 2019 application materials by Dec. 1 - Early Action deadline.
- For those who apply after the Dec. 1 deadline, they will receive their decisions on a weekly basis starting in early February.

### Wright State University Academic Days:

- Raj Soin College of Business - Wednesday, Nov. 14<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday, Dec. 4<sup>th</sup>
- College of Education and Human Services - Friday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>
- College of Engineering and Computer Science - Monday, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> and Thursday, Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>
- College of Science and Math - Thursday, Nov. 15<sup>th</sup> and Friday, Dec. 7<sup>th</sup>
- Academic Days are from 10 - 1:00 p.m.
- Register ahead of time at: <http://www.wright.edu/admissions/undergraduate/open-houses-and-events>

## Common Application:

One application used at several colleges across the US. Go to: [www.commonapp.org](http://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/Registrar>. Attend college fairs online!
- 100's of colleges in one event, attend from anywhere.

## 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:

### Honors Grad U Scholarship- Design a Better Future:

- Five \$10,000 awards will be granted to high school students who participate in a design-thinking community building project.
- Submit your final design project application by April 28, 2019.
- For information about the program, go to: <http://honorsgradu.com/scholarship/scholarship-faqs/>. See handout for further information.

### Ohio JCI Senate Scholarship Program:

- For graduating seniors who are US citizens and reside in Ohio.
- Please see Mrs. Kohler for an application.
- Deadline is Jan. 11, 2019.
- Applicants have 2 categories to choose from:
  1. Academic Based: (GPA) 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place will receive \$1,000 and then go in the running for an additional \$1,000
  2. Need Based: (Financial statement) four winners will be selected to receive a \$1,000 scholarship.

### Ohio State Alumni Club/Shelby County Scholarships:

- The Shelby County Alumni Scholars Program awards scholarships to those who plan to attend The OSU. Awards are based on merit.
- One must be admitted to the university as an incoming freshmen, recommended by school principal, counselor and/or teachers, have a record of performance in activities in school and community and reside or attend a high school in the alumni chapters area.
- Completed applications must be returned by the student by mail by Jan. 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
- Club also suggests that students complete the FAFSA in order to be eligible for any financial need based scholarships.
- Please see Mrs. Kohler for the application

### Otterbein Commitment Opportunity Scholarship:

- Full - need based tuition scholarship for pell grant eligible students
- Covers the direct cost of tuition up to the student's full need as determined by the FAFSA. Does not cover books, or room and board.
- Renewable for up to 8 semesters.
- For more info, go to: [www.Otterbein.edu](http://www.Otterbein.edu)

### Need help filling out the FAFSA?

#### Purdue University Fort Wayne - FAFSA Completion Nights:

- Nov. 28<sup>th</sup>, Dec. 5, Jan. 23, Feb. 6 and 27<sup>th</sup> and March 27<sup>th</sup>, 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.

### 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](http://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](http://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 18<sup>th</sup> birthday.
- To register go to: [www.sss.gov](http://www.sss.gov).

### ACT/SAT Information:

#### ACT Test Dates for 2018/19:

Registration:	Test date:
<u>Late: Nov. 19</u>	Dec. 8
Jan. 11	Feb. 9
Mar. 8	April 13
May 3	June 8

To register, go to: [www.actstudent.org](http://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!

ACT Prep: [https://www.kaptest.com/college-prep/free/national-practice-test-weekend?utm\\_source=pc-advisor&utm\\_medium=offline&utm\\_term=32983083&utm\\_content=email&utm\\_campaign=national-practice-test-weekend](https://www.kaptest.com/college-prep/free/national-practice-test-weekend?utm_source=pc-advisor&utm_medium=offline&utm_term=32983083&utm_content=email&utm_campaign=national-practice-test-weekend)

SAT Information: Go to: [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com)

### Career Information:

#### Emerson Engineering Career Seminar:

- Emerson in Sidney, Ohio will be hosting an Engineering Career Seminar on Thursday, Nov. 29<sup>th</sup> 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=XZgG68oGF0qB2mKauZ9IBRT4VdpYdldHqaXbElgP1G5UOEhZMDBWTOhSOU1WOTIEUTBYWU9ZR0FBVi4u>
- **Register by Nov. 21, 2018.**
- For questions, contact  
[Becca.davis@emerson.com](mailto:Becca.davis@emerson.com)

#### Honda Engineering Career Opportunities:

- Engineers can be found in Manufacturing, Quality and Testing, Research and Development, and Tooling and Equipment Design.

- Application requirements: Bachelor's degree or higher, minimum 2.5 GPA, related co-op/internship experience is preferred.
- To apply, visit [www.honda.com/careers](http://www.honda.com/careers)

#### Mercy Health St. Rita's Medical Center Student Research Experience:

- Research project for future healthcare providers. Students will participate in special events and activities related to healthcare.
- A limited number of spots are available.
- Please see Mrs. Kohler for an application.
- Deadline to apply is Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

#### Seniors Only Power Lunch - Workforce Partnership:

- Luncheon for seniors only to network with prospective employers from Shelby County.
- Tuesday, Dec. 4, 2018 from 10:45 - 1:30 at the Amos Memorial Public Library in Sidney.
- Company reps will rotate every 20 minutes from table to table to discuss their various careers and openings at their companies.
- Career fields will include manufacturing, skilled trades, transportation, construction, health care, business administration, and more.
- Please see handout for further info.
- JCHS can only send 4 seniors, so first come, first serve. Please see Mrs. Kohler, ASAP - **no later than Friday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> as the deadline.**

#### Miscellaneous Information:

##### Ohio Living Dorothy Love VolunTeen Program:

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

#### Reminders:

##### 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](http://www.legion.org/publications)

##### Drive Smart Teen Contest:

- To sign up, go to: [www.drivesmartnow.com](http://www.drivesmartnow.com).
- Deadline to submit video is Jan. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2019.

##### Edison State CC Scholarship:

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

##### FIDM National Scholarship Competition:

- The deadline to apply is March 29, 2019. Visit [www.bit.ly/FIDMScholarship](http://www.bit.ly/FIDMScholarship).

##### GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship Program:

- Deadline to apply is: Jan. 4<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
- To apply, go to: <https://www.reaganfoundation.org/education/scholarship-programs/ge-reagan-foundation-scholarship-program/>

##### Hagan Scholarship Foundation:

- **Deadline to apply is: Nov. 15<sup>th</sup>, 2018.**
- To apply, go to: [www.hsfmo.org](http://www.hsfmo.org)

##### 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. 20<sup>th</sup>.**

##### 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.

##### 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. 1<sup>st</sup> deadline to be eligible for merit scholarships and the Scholars/Honors programs.

##### 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.