SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE

February 12, 2021

We are currently in the midst of scholarship season for our LOCAL COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIPS. Please consider applying for these scholarships because, soon, they will be gone!

Following the **SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES** information, you will find a complete list of scholarships that are now posted on **NAVIANCE**. These scholarships have been listed alphabetically in various categories for your convenience.

Please make note of the following SCHOLARSHIP DEADLINES through MARCH 19:

- ✓ **FEBRUARY 25 – *WORLD OF 7 BILLIONSTUDENT VIDEO CONTEST ($300-$1200)* -** This scholarship is open to grades 6 -12. Create a short video, up to 60 seconds, about human population growth that highlights one of the following global challenges: Promoting Environmental Justice, Strengthening Global Health, or Re-Imagining Industrial Systems. All videos must include: a) how population growth impacts the issue b) at least one idea for a sustainable solution. To apply, log onto https://www.worldof7billion.org

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- ✓ **MARCH 1 - *SONS OF ITALY ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP*** ($500 - $5,000) – seniors only; must be wholly or partially of Italian Descent; selection based on scholastic record, activities evidencing leadership, financial need, written personal goals statement, essay of Italian Origin, and letters of recommendation. To apply log onto http://www.osiaca.org/Scholarships/How-To-Apply

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- ✓ **MARCH 4 - *PVP LION'S CLUB*** ($1,000) – seniors only; consideration will be given to academic achievement (min. GPA of 3.0), service to others, leadership, financial need and a strong desire/plan for further education/professional focus. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance.

- ✓ **MARCH 6 - *PANHELLENIC ALUMNAE SOUTH BAY ASSOCATION*** ($1,000) - for female seniors only who will be attending a 4 year college or university where sororities are established; must demonstrate academic excellence, demonstrate character, participation in school/community, and financial need. To apply log onto https://www.southbaypanhellenic.com/

- ✓ **MARCH 6 - *PV JUNIOR WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP*** ($5,000) - seniors only; awarded primarily on financial need with a secondary emphasis on academic achievement, community service and extracurricular activities. To apply log onto https://www.pvjuniors.org/scholarships

- ✓ **MARCH 9 - *MARY P. WYATT*** ($1,000) – PVHS seniors only; min 3.0 GPA; demonstrates financial need; actively helps others. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance.

- ✓ **MARCH 12 - *NATIONAL CHARITY LEAGUE*** (varies) - seniors only; awarded based on financial need, academic performance, and extracurricular activities including community service. Scholarship RENEWABLE for each year in college. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance.

- ✓ **MARCH 12 - *PEF SENIOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM*** *($1,500)* –seniors only; must be currently enrolled in the PVPUSD and maintained enrollment for two years prior to graduation; need to write a maximum 500 word essay on the following topic "How has PEF funding enhanced students' educational experience?" To apply, log onto https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/2021PEFSS

- ✓ **MARCH 12 - *PVP ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP*** ($3,000, $5,000) - seniors only; scholarship, leadership, service, and financial aid are deciding factors; will award several scholarships at $3,000 and one $5,000 that is STEM related. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance.

- ✓ **MARCH 15 - *CABRILLO CIVIC CLUBS OF CA*** ($500) -seniors only; must be of Portuguese descent; minimum weighted GPA of 3.5; participated in three extracurricular activities. To apply, log onto http://www.cabrillocivicclubs.org/scholarship.asp

- ✓ **MARCH 15 - *ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION*** (up to $2,500) - seniors only; must be of Italian ancestry and also Roman Catholic; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.2; participation in extracurricular activities; financial need. To apply log onto https://www.icf.org/scholarships/

- ✓ **MARCH 15 - *KIWANIS CLUB*** ($500; $1,000) - seniors only; given to students to have shown special heart, academic merit, service and financial need. To apply, log onto https://kiwanisclubrhe.org/scholarships/

- ✓ **MARCH 18 - *PERRAULT FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP*** ($1,000) - awarded to a senior soccer player, male or female, who has been a member of the PVHS Varsity Soccer Team during their senior year. Criteria includes leadership, commitment to the sport and academic achievement. Preference given to soccer players who have played defensive positions. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance.

- ✓ **MARCH 19 - *PVP COUNCIL OF PTSAs*** ($1,250) - seniors only**; MUST be a PTSA member at least 30 days prior to the deadline** and complete an essay of 250-500 words describing the role PTA has played in supporting and enriching your K-12 education. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance.

To access more information on these scholarships, please log onto NAVIANCE. Click on the COLLEGES tab and then scroll down to SCHOLARSHIPS and MONEY. Click on SCHOLARSHIP LIST. At this point, select the scholarship of interest. In many cases, you will be directed to a website for the application. In other instances, you may be able to download the application directly from NAVIANCE. Should you have any questions, please contact Teresa Hoffman in the College and Career Center, Room 318.

COMPLETE LIST OF SCHOLARSHIPS CURRENTLY ON NAVAINCE

CAREER/MAJOR

JACK BAGDASAR ($500) – awarded to a senior who demonstrates the ability and desire to be an elementary school teacher. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 23**

SUSAN PAVELKA SCHOLARSHIP FOR JOURNALISTIC EXCELLENCE ($500) **–** for a college-bound senior who has participated and excelled in Palos Verdes High School journalism. Candidates are eligible to apply after fulfilling a minimum of two consecutive years as a leader/writer in one or more of these journalism programs: yearbook, literary magazine, newspaper, podcast or broadcast news. Applicants are judged based on leadership, writing and character along with two written entries publications/broadcasts. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MAY 1**

ESSAYS

ANDREW SAKURA MEMORIAL ($1,000) - for male seniors only at PVHS; application includes an essay on one of three prompts relating to friendship. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: APRIL 9**

ILWU - INTERNATIONAL LONGSHORE and WAREHOUSE UNION ($500) - Three scholarships will be awarded to PVHS students; application includes an essay on labor leader Harry Bridges. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: APRIL 7**

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PVHS ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP ($500) **–** PVHS seniors only; short application and an essay not to exceed two pages about contributions you have made to the Sea King Community and your plans to support involvement of PVHS Alumni with PVHS/PV Community. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 26**

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PVP REPUBLICAN WOMEN, FEDERATED SCHOLARHSIP ($1,000) – for graduating high school seniors who subscribe to a Conservative/Republican philosophy; must be a U.S. Citizen; prepare an essay of 500-1000 words on the topic of "What the U.S. Constitution Means to Me". Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: APRIL 6**

VIETNAM VETERANS OF AMERICA SCHOLARSHIP ESSAY PROGRAM ($1,000) – seniors only; must write an essay 500 – 1,000 words on a Vietnam Era Veteran. More information can be accessed at http://www.vva53.org/ **DEADLINE: APRIL 18**

ETHNICITY

CABRILLO CIVIC CLUBS OF CA ($500) - seniors only; must be of Portuguese descent; minimum weighted GPA of 3.5; participated in three extracurricular activities. To apply log onto http://www.cabrillocivicclubs.org/scholarship.asp **DEADLINE: MARCH 15**

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. LA CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP (varies) - seniors only; must be of African-American ancestry; have at least at 2.5 GPA (financial need based) or 3.5 (merit-based) on a 4.0 scale; demonstrate extracurricular activity/leadership; show financial need. To apply, log onto https://dstlachapter.com/scholarships/ **DEADLINE: MARCH 26**

DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. ROLLING HILLS/PV CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP (varies) - seniors only; must be of African-American ancestry; made positive contribution to school/community. To apply log onto https://www.rhpvacdst.com/scholarship **DEADLINE: MARCH 31**

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FINANCIAL NEED and MERIT, COMMUNITY SERVICE, LEADERSHIP, EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

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PV CHAPTER OF THE LINKS (varies) – applicants must be a graduating senior and accepted to an accredited university, and have demonstrated a willingness to make a positive contribution to their community. To apply, log onto https://palosverdeslinksinc.org/scholarships/#info **DEADLINE: MARCH 31**

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MERIT, COMMUNITY SERVICE, LEADERSHIP, EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

CALIFORNIA CREDIT UNION ($1,000) - seniors only; must have min GPA of 3.0 and evidence of community/school involvement. To apply log onto https://www.ccu.com/educators/school-employees/scholarships-grants/1000-college-scholarship-program **DEADLINE: MARCH 26**

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SILVER SPUR ($1,000) - for Silver Spur alums; community service and extracurricular activities considered; short essay. Applications may be downloaded from NAVIANCE. **DEADLINE: MARCH 24**

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