Washburn CCC Events September 19-23

This Week:

Monday, September 19

- Minneapolis College of Art and Design — Carla Rodriguez — 10:10AM- Rm. #325
- University of Minnesota, Twin Cities — Jessica Cameron — 10:10AM- CCC

Tuesday, September 20

CCC Closed in AM for Statewide Financial Aid Conference

- Law, Politics & Media Career Talk — Jamael Lundy & Mike Molzhan — 12:35PM

Wednesday, September 21

CCC Closed- Danielle & Eman Out for AchieveMpls Meeting

Thursday, September 22

Crowell, Collins, Savage, Webster, Pemberton, Seifert and Abdullahi to Senior Classes

- Act Six Scholarship — Marquise Dixon — 12:35PM
- St. Catherine University — Nou Yang — 1:30PM
- Gustavus Adolphus College — Jasmine Porter — 2:25PM

Washburn College Planning Night- Auditorium 6-7 PM

Friday, September 23

Accuplacer Testing in CCC periods 1 & 3 for Dorfman's Math Class

Upcoming:

Future Rep Visits

Monday, Sept. 26	Sarah Lawrence College	Elizabeth Benedict	2:25PM
Wednesday, Sept. 28	Minneapolis Community & Technical College	Pashell Johnson	11:20AM
Wednesday, Sept. 28	Macalester College	Lisa Bramlet	2:30PM
Friday, Sept. 30	Concordia College	Ashley Thompson	10:10AM
Friday, Sept. 30	Loyola University Chicago	Adam Buller	1:30PM

Signing Up for CCC Rep Visits - Log into your Naviance Account from the WHS homepage under students→ Enter your username and password (stop by the CCC #107 if you forgot)→ click on the colleges tab located on the top left of the page → click on "view all upcoming college visits" located at the top right of the page→ click on "sign up"→ then click "sign me up."

CCC Rep Visits Protocol- Following the protocol is important as it respects teachers and classroom time. Sign up to attend a visit on Naviance ahead of time. Passes will be delivered to first hour classes. If you are absent or do not have a first hour, you MUST pick up a pass prior to your visit. Students must have a pass to attend a visit. Students please report to assigned class first and then ask for teacher permission to attend your visit PRIOR to coming down to the CCC. Teacher must approve and sign pass to attend.

Washburn College Planning Night

The WHS counselors and CCC coordinators are hosting College Planning Night for WHS seniors and their families on **Thursday, September 22 from 6:00-7:00pm** in the auditorium. Information presented will include college application timeline and process, the use of the Common Application, sending transcripts and much more. We look forward to seeing you there.

NEW!--> Washburn Career Talks

The new Washburn Career Talk series invites professionals into the school to engage in small group conversations with students about a variety of career options and the paths professionals took to get to those options. Students will learn about different career passions and pathways that led professionals to their current careers and how to take the first steps. The first Career Talk is happening on Tuesday, September 20th during 5th hour and features two professionals working in Law, Politics and Media. Students can sign up in the CCC or on Naviance. Contact CCC Coordinator, Eman Abdullahi, if you have any questions.

PSAT- Sophomores & Juniors

The Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test and National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test (PSAT/NMSQT) will be given to sophomores and juniors at Washburn on **November 2, 2016** during the school day. The cost to take the the PSAT is $18.00, cash or check. Juniors with free/reduced lunch may be eligible for a fee waiver. If students are interested in taking the PSAT they should pick up a registration form in the counseling office or CCC. Registration forms and payments need to be returned to Tart Mennitt, Testing Coordinator, in room 203A by Wednesday, September 21st! You can find out more information about the PSAT, here! If you have questions, please email Tara.Mennitt@mpls.k12.mn.us or find her in room 203A.

→***FREE ONLINE PSAT Test Prep through Kaplan PSAT Prep Live! Register here!***

Washburn Writing Center

Working on a writing assignment, college/scholarship essay or job application and need help? Visit the Writing Center in the Blue Lab (media center) during 4th hour (all three lunches), afterschool on Mondays and Thursdays until 4:00pm and before school on Tuesdays and Wednesdays starting at 7:45am. You can also make an appointment online using the WHS website→Students→Writing Center Help Request! Contact the Writing Center Coordinator, Tara Mennitt, if you have any questions.

Upcoming Local College Events and Opportunities

Event Name	Description	Registration	When & Where	Notes
UNCF Empower Me Tour Parent Workshop	Equipping parents to help their student attend college.	Register here: http://empowermetour.org/	**September 26 6-8:30pm** Minneapolis Public Schools Davis Center 1250 West Broadway Ave	Workshop for parents about how to pay for college! Free event. Refreshments will be served and childcare will be provided for ages 3-12.
UNCF Empower Me Tour Minneapolis	UNCF and HBCU representatives on hand. On-site college admissions and scholarships awarded. College prep and paying for college workshops.	Register here: http://empowermetour.org/	**Tuesday, September 27 8:30am-2:30pm** Minneapolis Convention Center	UNCF Historically Black College/University will review student applications. Admissions and Scholarships will be available for eligible seniors. There will be separate College Prep Workshops for 8th – 10th grade and 11th – 12th grade. Lunch provided for all students at the convention center.
Hispanic Scholarship Fund College 101	FREE and bilingual workshop where you will receive valuable information about how to prepare, plan and pay for a college education.	Register here: HSF.net/events Space is limited. Register early!	**Wednesday, September 28 5:30-8:30** U of M TCF Bank Stadium-DQ Club 420 23rd Ave SE, Minneapolis MN	College 101 sessions will cover: preparing and paying for college, applying for scholarships and researching additional financial aid. Light dinner and refreshments will be provided. There will be drawings for great prizes.
Minnesota National College Fair	FREE and open to the public, National College Fairs allow students to interact with admissions representatives from a wide variety of postsecondary institutions.	Pre-register at: www.gotocollegefairs.com	**October 4 9am-12pm & 5-8pm October 5 9am-12pm** Minneapolis Convention Center	Make sure to pre-register as your information will be entered and print a bar code for you. The bar code can quickly be scanned by colleges- freeing up time for conversation and saving students the time of completing cards for every college.
15th Annual LD/ADHD College Fair	Geared exclusively toward students who have learning disabilities or attention disorders.	Register here: https://events.attend.com/f/1383774859	**Thursday, October 6 6:00pm** Earle Brown Heritage Center	Representatives from over 50 schools and organizations will be in attendance. The event is free and open to the public.
Native American College Fair	Dinner, entertainment, lacrosse demo and door prizes too!	Free & open to the public, everyone is welcome.	**Thursday, October 13 4-7:00pm** East Phillips Park Cultural & Community Center 2307 17th Ave. S Minneapolis, MN	Speak with representatives from a variety of post-secondary institutions, job training and community programs and learn about college life, courses, admission & financial aid requirements.

Upcoming Non-Local College Events

Event Name	Description	Registration	When & Where	Notes
Experience Penn	Interactive discussion about opportunities at the University of Pennsylvania.	No reservations needed.	**Wednesday, September 28 7:00pm** Minneapolis Central Library, Pohlad Hall	Penn Admissions and the Penn Alumni Interview Program have set up a panel with recent graduates to answer your questions about opportunities at the University of Pennsylvania.
Preview Iowa - Minnesota	An overview of Iowa with information on admissions, student life, scholarships, financial aid, and more.	Register online here: https://www.maui.uiowa.edu/maui/pub/admissions/events/register-student.page?event=56255	**Wednesday, September 28 6:00pm-7:45pm** The Radisson Blu (Mall of America) 2100 Killebrew Drive Bloomington, MN 55425	Q&A with a panel of Iowa alumni who live and work in the Twin Cities and opportunities to meet one-on-one with Admissions and Financial Aid representatives from the University of Iowa. ***The deadline to register is Sunday, September 25.***
Learn more about Dartmouth	Upcoming presentation about Dartmouth College.	Register online at: Dartgo.org/ontheroad	**Thursday, September 29 7:00pm** DeLaSalle High School 1 De La Salle Drive Minneapolis, MN	For more information and to RSVP, visit registration website. Friends and family are welcome.
Washington University in St. Louis	Admissions Information Session	No reservations needed. Please call 1-800-638-0700 for additional information.	**Thursday, October 13 7:00-8:00pm** Minneapolis Marriott West 9960 Wayzata Boulevard Minneapolis, MN	The Office of Undergraduate Admissions invites perspective students and their family to attend an information session about Washington University. We will acquaint you with academic programs, life on campus and how to apply for admission and financial assistance.

Scholarships

The Better Business Bureau (BBB) Student of Integrity Scholarship- These scholarships are designed to recognize and promote ethics and integrity among young people. BBB will award scholarships to graduating high school senior students who personify all of the best aspects of high character in their personal choices and actions. Scholarship money is awarded directly toward winners' post-secondary education expenses (tuition or room/board only) at any accredited institution. This is a one-time, non-renewable scholarship. Recipients are selected primarily upon the basis of a written essay or video entry. Maximum award of $2,500. To apply, visit www.thefirstbbb.org (Deadline 9/22/2016).

Wendy's Heisman Scholarship- Wendy's High School Heisman is looking for all types of high-achieving seniors from more than 29,000 public and private high schools within the U.S. We consider young men and women who participate in a wide range of sports as well as school and community activities. To apply students must: Have a cumulative high school grade point average (GPA) of a B (3.0) or better, participate in at least one of the 43 sports recognized by the International Olympic Committee in the Summer and Winter Olympic Games or the National Federation of State High School Association and sponsored by your school (full list of qualified athletic events is on the website) and be a leader in school and in the community and serve as a role model for underclassman. State Winners through National Winners will receive a college scholarship starting at $1,000 up to $10,000 for National Winners. To apply, visit https://www.wendyshighschoolheisman.com (Deadline 10/03/2016).

Beat the Odds Scholarship Program- The Beat the Odds scholarship program honors outstanding high school students who have overcome tremendous adversity in life to achieve academic excellence, demonstrate leadership in their communities and aspire to attend college. Each year Children's Defense Fund-Minnesota selects five of the most deserving Twin Cities-area high school students for a Beat the Odds scholarship to be put toward college expenses. This year's recipients will each receive $5,000. To apply, visit www.cdf-mn.org (Deadline 10/16/2016).

Horatio Alger Minnesota Scholarship Program- Minnesota Horatio Alger Endowment Fund is funding $ 10,000 to ten winners this year. To be eligible to apply for a Horatio Alger State Scholarship, applicants must be a high school senior with plans to enter a college no later than the fall following graduation, exhibit a strong commitment to pursue and complete a bachelor's degree at (students may start their studies at a two-year institution and then transfer to a four-year institution) demonstrate critical financial need ($55,000 or lower adjusted gross family income is required), be involved in co-curricular and community service activities, display integrity and perseverance in overcoming adversity, maintain a minimum grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 and be a United States citizen. To apply, visit www.horatioalger.org (Deadline 10/25/2016).

Act Six Twin Cities Scholarship- An initiative of Urban Ventures, Act Six is Minneapolis-St. Paul's only ***full-tuition, full-need*** urban leadership award. For Fall 2016, Act Six will select between 30-40 of the Twin Cities' most promising urban leaders for scholarships to four partner colleges: Augsburg College, Bethel University, North Central University and University of Northwestern. To apply, visit www.actsix.org (Deadline 11/8/2016).

2017 Donaldson Science Award- The Donaldson Science Award recognizes and rewards high school students of African-American, Hispanic, American Indian, and Asian heritage for their interests and achievements related to Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM). Award winners will receive $500, a one-year membership to the Science Museum, the opportunity to meet a Donaldson Company Scientist and recognition at an exclusive Science Fusion Brunch. Only MN educators and STEM professionals are eligible to nominate a student. Talk to your STEM teacher if you would like to be nominated. For more information, visit smm.org/sciencefusion/Donaldson-science-award (Deadline 11/9/2016).

Job Opportunities

Note: Employers reach out to CCC Coordinators to share job opportunities. We list the opportunities below as a resource for students. Washburn does not endorse one business over another and students seeking employment should do so on their own free will. Washburn does not accept responsibility beyond the sharing of information below.

Employer	Description	Contact
Minneapolis Student Election Judge	Duties: determine whether a voter is in the correct precinct, distribute registration applications to votes waiting in line, instruct voters on the proper way to complete a voter registration application, distribute ballots, answer general questions and provide language support if fluent in another language.	Apply online at: vote.minneapolismn.gov/judges/student-judge ***$13.30 per hour*** Must be a US citizen, high school student, age 16 or older and a resident of Hennepin county and have acceptable academic performance.
UPS	Immediate Openings: Part-time package handlers- this part-time M-F position is a physical, fast-paced, great workout. Minimum age is 17 and older for the 5:30pm-9pm shift.	Motivated students should apply for employment opportunity at www.upsjobs.com *All other shifts require them being 18 years or older- especially for seniors graduating and planning to go to college because UPS offers $5,250 per year of tuition reimbursement for part-time workers.
The Pines Senior & Assisted Living Community	Servers: servers enjoy taking resident orders, communicating daily specials, learning residents' preferences and delivering/cleaning up dining room and kitchen. We are recruiting servers to work various 4:00pm-7:30pm weeknight shifts.	If interested, contact Executive Chef, Jatoma Gavin, at 612-259-2887, or apply online at augustanacare.org/join-our-team

ACT National Test Dates 2016/2017

For more information on locations, fees/fee waivers, test center protocols and test prep visit: www.act.org

St. Olaf TRiO ETS Field Trips

St. Olaf TRiO Educational Talent Search field trips are for students who participate in the TRiO Program. Please pick up an application for these field trips in the CCC on Tuesday and Wednesday when Jevita and Cherie are here. TRiO ETS is a college preparatory program funded by the U.S. Department of Education's TRIO Programs with St. Olaf College sponsorship. The goal of ETS is to increase the likelihood that participants complete high school and gain admission to postsecondary programs, learn about financial aid, and re-enter secondary and postsecondary educational programs. If you are a 9-11 grader and are interested in joining TRiO, stop by the CCC on Tuesdays and Wednesdays and ask us about it!

St. Olaf TRiO ETS Field Trips 2016-2017 School Year (All trips are scheduled on Saturdays or non-school days)

- University of St. Thomas

- University of Minnesota, TC
- MLK Jr Day Service Trip
- UW River Falls
- Overnight Trip: College of Saint Scholastica and UW Superior

Project SUCCESS- College Tours

Project SUCCESS organizes and hosts state and national college tours to more than 40 campuses each year. These are critical opportunities that both inspire and educate students about post-secondary education opportunities. For some students a campus visit will inform them instantly whether or not that particular campus is right for them. For other students, a campus visit to any college is beneficial to see firsthand what college life is like and to motivate them to start their college search. ***Applications for tours can be picked up and dropped off in the CCC (room #017)***. Click on the link for more information about Project Success and its tours: www.projectsuccess.org.

2016-2017 Project SUCCESS College Tour Schedule

Project SUCCESS is pleased to announce the college tour schedule for all students at Edison, Longfellow, NAAC, Patrick Henry, Roosevelt, South, Southwest and Washburn high schools. Offering students the opportunity to visit a variety of colleges both in Minnesota and out-of-state, Project SUCCESS college tours are equally fun and informative! Our goal is to encourage our students to visit a variety of schools and assist them in thinking critically about what they want from their college experience. These immersive, exciting opportunities are aimed at helping young people develop the skills and insight required to choose the best college for their individual needs.

MEA COLLEGE TOUR BOOT CAMP! Grades 9-12

Packed with admission information, campus tours, workshops, food and fun – all at no cost to students!

Students are exposed to several schools over a short period of time, allowing them to make critical comparisons and discover what attributes they value in a variety of post-secondary options.

Wednesday, October 19, 2016	Minnesota State University – Mankato AND Gustavus Adolphus College **OR** University of Wisconsin – Stout **OR** The Institute of Production and Recording
Thursday, October 20, 2016	Dunwoody College of Technology **OR** St. Cloud State University **OR** University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire **OR** St. Catherine University (four-year women's college)
Friday, October 21, 2016	University of Minnesota – Duluth **OR** Hennepin Technical College AND North Hennepin Community College **OR** Hamline University

SINGLE DAY TOURS Grades 9-12

Thursday, November 3, 2016	St. Olaf College AND Carleton College **OR** Winona State University
Friday, November 4, 2016	University of St. Thomas, St. Paul **OR** University of Minnesota – Morris