

Senior Bulletin #1

September 12, 2017

COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY PROCESS:

1. Review websites or call schools for general information.
2. Schedule college visits. Students are permitted to miss 3 days.
3. If necessary, take SAT/ACT again.
4. Apply to schools. (Approximately 3)
5. Make Mr. Dawson aware of applications that were sent. Your official transcript will then be sent from Yough High School.
6. Complete Financial Aid information – FAFSA (starting in October)

Scholarships can be searched and completed year round. Pay attention to the “Senior Bulletins” for scholarship opportunities. Most scholarships have **FIRM** deadlines.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

The Prudential Spirit of Community Award – Criteria: Community service/volunteering

For more information: www.nassp.org/spirit

Deadline: November 7th

Wendy's High School Heisman – Criteria: “B” average, Extra-curricular activity.

For more information: www.wendysheisman.com

Deadline: October 2nd

Army ROTC Program – This program encompasses several

Colleges in the Pittsburgh region including Duquesne and CMU.

For more information: See Mr. Dawson.

Deadline: January 31st.

Navy ROTC Program – For more information: See Mr. Dawson.

Deadline: Oct. 31st. Apply ASAP if interested.

Pennsylvania Society Scholarship Program – Criteria: 4-year college, 3.0 GPA, Financial need, Community service.

For more information: www.scholarsapply.org/pennsylvaniasociety

Deadline: November 1st

Horatio Alger Association Scholarship Program – Criteria: Pursue 4-year degree,

Extracurricular/community service, Overcome adversity, C or better.

For more information: scholars.horatioalger.org

Deadline: October 25th

Western Pennsylvania Golf Association Scholarship Fund - If you were employed at a

Member Clubs of Western PA Golf Association for 2 seasons, you may qualify.

For more information: See Mr. Dawson.

Deadline: First deadline – September 15th for small scholarship

Second deadline – November 30th for main scholarship

Senior Advisor-Future of Assisted Living Scholarship – Go to senioradvisor.com, assisted living page.

Blackwood Music Scholarship – www.blackwoodarts.org Deadline: Feb. 1st.

Bud Luty Scholarship – www.efcw23.org Deadline: December 31st. Check out website for list of employers parents must work at.

OPEN HOUSES/VISIT DAYS:

Duquesne University – September 17th. Register at: www.duq.edu/falopenhouse

LECOM - Lake Erie College of Osteopathic Medicine – Saturday, September 30th. Must register at 814-866-8456.

Mount Aloysius College Open House - Sunday, Oct. 29th For more information: See Mr. Dawson.

Mon Valley Diversity Fair at CCAC – Oct. 10th. Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

University of Pennsylvania – Location: Pine Richland High School. Tuesday, Sept. 26th. Time: 7:00 p.m.

WyoTech – Saturday, Sept. 16th. Time: 10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

California University of PA - Location: Lake View Lounge. Wednesday, Oct 4th. Time: 6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.


APPRENTICESHIP INFORMATION:

Finishing Trades Institute of Western PA #57 is accepting applications for apprenticeships in Painters/Glaziers/Drywall Finishers. To learn more, please see your counselor. You must have a diploma, but you can research this opportunity in advance.

Steam Fitters Local #449 - A 5-year Building Trades and Mechanical Equipment Service apprenticeship program. To learn more see your counselor. You must have a diploma, but you can research this opportunity in advance.

Hamill Manufacturing – Machinist. For more information: See Mr. Dawson.

COLLEGE FAIRS:



**WESTMORELAND COUNTY
CAREER AND COLLEGE FAIR
YHS Counselors will be present**

**Where: WCCC
Who: Students and Parents
When: September 26th @ 6-8pm
(Financial Aid Presentation @ 5:30pm)**

SAT PREP Workshop

Any student taking the SAT test on October 1st should sign up for the remind for SAT Prep. It is posted on the wall outside Room 215.

Volunteer

For Volunteer opportunities, go to www.volunteerwestmoreland.org