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ASHLAND UNIVERSITY BUSINESS SCHOLARS PROGRAM (11)

The Ashland University Business Scholars Program has been established to identify qualified high school juniors who appear to be strong candidates for a college major in business or economics. Those selected to become AU Business Scholars will be invited to attend a special Scholars Seminar and Recognition Luncheon at Ashland University on March 19, 2005. Parents also will be invited to attend. The one-day program is designed to acquaint students with business as a college major and to recognize them for their achievements. This seminar and luncheon is provided at no cost. If you wish to be nominated for this program, see Mr. Grady by January 21.

AAA's SENIOR HIGH COMMUNICATION PROGRAM (9,10,11,12)

Audio, video and poster entries will be judged for a chance to receive the grand award of a \$5,000 Visa Gift Check. Other awards are available. This year's theme is "Alcohol Awareness and/or Underage Drinking Issues". Audio or video, public service announcements or computer generated or hand drawn posters can be used as formats to express this theme. Complete details are available in the guidance office. Deadline is February 23, 2005.

SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE (12)

JARED MANSFIELD CHAPTER DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

The local chapter of DAR will award a \$300 scholarship to a student who will attend NCSC or OSU-Mansfield. Information is available in the guidance office. Deadline for this scholarship is April 15, 2005.

The Ohio Society DAR will offer a \$1,000 Wings of Eagles Scholarship based on academic excellence and financial need. Information is available in the guidance office. Deadline for this scholarship is February 1, 2005.

Other DAR scholarship opportunities are available at www.dar.org and at www.ohiodar.org.

COMMITMENT TO AGRICULTURE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

One-time awards of \$1,500 will be made to 100 high school seniors who come from a farm family and plan to pursue a career in the field of agriculture. Applications are available at www.monsanto.com or www.nafb.com.

UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO SCHOLARSHIP INFORMATION

The following information was sent to the guidance department from UT:

After a careful review of the pool of applicants who applied on or before the December 1 deadline, we have decided to extend the deadline to give more qualified students the opportunity to receive a Triple Pledge Guaranteed-Protected-Renewable Scholarship. Please encourage qualified students to apply for admission as soon as possible, and we will continue to award scholarships for an indefinite period of time.

Students who applied on or before the December 1 deadline and met the scholarship qualifications received a scholarship offer within weeks of being admitted. In addition to receiving an early scholarship offer, students will also receive an early invitation to attend one of our Admitted Student College Open House programs or an Admitted Student Reception to be held this spring. This Web site will give you and your students additional information about UT's Admitted Student College Open Houses: <http://enrollmentservices.utoledo.edu/pages/campusvisit.asp#spring2004>
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Students who applied early for admission can apply for a space in University housing which puts them in a better position to be placed into the residence hall of their choice.

Because we are accepting student credentials beyond December 1, if students have improved their cumulative GPA after the seventh or eighth semester, or increased their ACT or SAT scores, we will review their file upon receipt of new credentials and upgrade their scholarship.

SCHOLAR ATHLETE MILK MUSTACHE OF THE YEAR (SAMMY)

America's Milk Processors and USA TODAY will recognize outstanding scholar athletes in grade 12 based on academic performance, athletic excellence, leadership, community service and milk experience. Twenty-five winners will receive a \$7,500 scholarship. SAMMY 2005 applications will only be accepted online at www.whymilk.com until March 4, 2005.

OHIO ASSOCIATION FOR COLLEGE ADMISSION COUNSELING CHARLES L. WARREN MEMORIAL MULTICULTURAL ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP

Students of color with a grade point average of 3.0 or better on a 4.0 scale in a college preparatory curriculum are eligible to compete for a one-time \$500 scholarship to be used at any Ohio college or university. Applications are available in the guidance office. Deadline is February 15, 2005.

SAM WALTON COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP

The Sam Walton Community Scholarship is a non-renewable \$1,000 award for the student's first year of undergraduate study at an accredited college or university. To qualify, the student must be a graduating high school senior and may not be a Wal-mart Associate, or be the child or legal dependent of a Wal-mart Associate. Interested applicant may logon to www.walmartfoundation.org in order to access the application. The student must have the nearest Wal-Mart Store/SAM'S CLUB four digit location number in order to complete the application process. This number may be obtained from any associate at your nearest Wal-Mart/SAM'S CLUB location. Deadline is February 1, 2005.

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY ALUMNI CLUB OF RICHLAND COUNTY

Four scholarships are offered to Richland County students who will be attending OSU in the fall. Two \$600 scholarships can be used at any OSU campus. One scholarship pays half tuition for the first year for students attending the Mansfield campus and one scholarship pays full tuition for students attending the Mansfield campus until they have exhausted the courses available in their major area. (After that they are free to transfer to the main campus of OSU.) Applications are available in the guidance office. Students must return the application to their guidance counselor by January 18th in order for your counselor to complete the application by the January 22nd deadline.

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