



## **Scholarship Scoop Newsletter**

### **January 2018**

For further information on any of the following scholarships please see Mrs. Colon, Career Specialist in the College & Career Resource Center, room 210.

**PLEASE NOTE:** The following list is ***not*** all-inclusive. This is only a compilation of scholarship information received by the school. Please be sure to search other websites and resources. Make sure to check back monthly as new scholarships may be added!

#### **Withlacoochee River Electric Educational Foundation Scholarship**

Amount: \$1,375 per semester (maximum of \$11,000)  
Date Due: 3/14/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: Be a high school senior with a minimum 2.0 GPA; Be bona fide residents within the service area of Withlacoochee River Electric Cooperative, Inc. for at least one year prior to December 31<sup>st</sup>; Be the dependent of a WREC member; Plan to attend an in-state college, university, or technical school full time (minimum of 12 credits per semester); Schools must be accredited by one of the six regional accrediting institutions, such as SACS, recognized by the Council on Higher Education Accreditation. If institution is a technical school, it should be accredited by the Council on Occupational Education or its equivalent; Maintain a 2.0 GPA (each semester or higher if mandated by the institution) to maintain eligibility;  
How to Apply: Applications are available at any WREC office, our website at [www.wrec.net](http://www.wrec.net), or with Ms. Colon in room 210.

#### **Anthony Becht Camps College Scholarship**

Amount: \$1,250 (two awards; one male and one female)  
Date Due: 4/1/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: Current Land O' Lakes High School senior; Minimum of a 3.0 GPA; Must have played a sport this school year; Have accrued at least 25 hours of community service; Be involved in clubs/extra-curricular activities *in addition* to athletics; Have been accepted into a university/state/community college.  
How to Apply: Applications available from Mrs. Colon, room 210.

**Bay News 9 Project Weather**

Amount: \$1,000  
Date Due: 1/12/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: The Project Weather Scholarship is a one-time award given to one student attending a public, private, home, or parochial school in EACH of the following counties: Citrus, Hernando, Hillsborough, Manatee, Pasco, Pinellas, and Polk. To be eligible for the contest an applicant must: have earned a minimum PGPA of 3.5; Be a 12<sup>th</sup> grade student.  
How to Apply: Submit a completed application form along with a written essay of 500 words or less explaining why you believe you should receive the prize, a letter of recommendation from one of your high school teachers, and a copy of your transcript for proof of GPA. Applications available from Mrs. Colon, room 210.

**West Pasco Legal Support Joyce B. Schaefer Scholarship**

Amount: \$1,000  
Date Due: 1/31/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: Scholastic ability and leadership qualities are primary criteria for consideration. Minimum 3.0 GPA is required AND the student must attend, or have already been accepted by an accredited college, university, or community college in the state of Florida.  
How to Apply: Applications available from Mrs. Colon, room 210.

**James (Coach) Day College Scholarship**

Amount: \$1,000  
Date Due: 2/1/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: Available to any high school senior track and field active team member of a school participating in the current Bob Hayes Invitational Track and Field Meet may apply. (Applicant must participate in a scheduled event at the Bob Hayes Track Meet)  
How to Apply: Visit [www.bhitm.org](http://www.bhitm.org) to download the application and guidelines

**DeBartolo Family Foundation**

Amount: TBD  
Date Due: 3/30/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: Must be a current high school senior in Hillsborough, Pasco, Pinellas, or Polk counties; Have plans to continue education at a university, community college, or technical school starting in summer or fall 2018.  
How to Apply: Submit a completed and signed DeBartolo Family Foundation Scholarship application; Principal, Assistant Principal, or School Counselor signature; Maximum 250-word essay, summarizing personal and academic

achievements; Page 1 of applicant's parent/legal guardian's Federal Income Tax returns from the previous TWO years; Mail completed scholarship application including essay and required tax information. Incomplete application will not be considered. Applications available from Mrs. Colon in room 210.

#### **B. Davis Scholarship**

Amount: \$1,000  
Date Due: 5/22/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: To learn more and to access the application visit:  
[www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.com](http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.com)

#### **Abbott & Fenner Scholarship**

Amount: \$1,000  
Date Due: 6/14/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: Students will submit an essay on the topic that appears on the scholarship page of our website:  
[www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm](http://www.abbottandfenner.com/scholarships.htm)

#### **Big Sun Athletic Essay Scholarship**

Amount: \$500  
Date Due: 6/19/18  
Grade: 12th  
Requirements: All student athletes are eligible regardless of the sport they are engaged in. Must be a high school senior or be attending a post-secondary institution.  
How to Apply: For essay questions and to access the application visit:  
[www.bigsunathletics.com](http://www.bigsunathletics.com)

#### **Raise.Me Micro-Scholarships**

Amount: Varied amounts  
Date Due: ongoing  
Grade: 9<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup>  
Requirements: Discover colleges and earn scholarships for your academic and extracurricular achievements throughout high school.  
How to Apply: For more details: [www.raise.me](http://www.raise.me)