

Scholarship Newsletter

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TOYOTA COMMUNITY SCHOLARS

- Open To:** Seniors who have an outstanding academic record, 3.0 or better, U.S. citizen, are effective leaders and have well documented record of service within and outside the school setting. The distinguishing characteristic will be the overall impact of the student's contributions in the area of community service.
- Selection:** Mission Bay High School may nominate one student. After we receive the applications a committee will meet to select the one student whose application we will forward.
- Amount:** 100 renewable \$10,000 or \$20,000
- Deadline:** To Mrs. Guerra on November 28, 2005
- www:** <http://www.toyota.com/communityscholars>

STOKES EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- Open To:** Senior with a minimum GPA of 3.0, U.S. citizen, SAT score of at least 1600 (1100 in critical reading and math, 500 in writing) or ACT score of 25, and demonstrate leadership abilities.
- Selection:** Complete application. Must be willing to work with them during the summer for 12 weeks in an area related to your course of study. One letter of recommendation from a counselor/teacher who can attest to your academic abilities and an official transcript.
- Amount:** Varies
- Deadline:** November 30, 2005
- www:** <file:///www/NSA.gov/Careers>

SAN DIEGO STATE UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT'S DIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIP

- Open To:** Senior must attend SDSU in Fall of 2006. Low income, minimum GPA of 3.0 in college preparation courses, high achieving students, complete FAFSA in Jan. 2006 - March 2006.
- Selection:** Complete application, include two essays, copy of transcript, copy of parents 2004 income taxes. Download application.
- Amount:** Up to \$3500 for four years
- Deadline:** November 30, 2005
- www:** <file:///www/sdsu.edu/diversityscholarship>

JACKIE ROBINSON FAMILY Y.M.C.A. SCHOLARSHIP AWARD

- Open To:** Seniors who will be graduating June of 2006, cumulative GPA of 2.5 or above and must reside or attend school in a community serviced by the Jackie Robinson Family, Y.M.C.A.
- Selection:** Complete scholarship application, a 200-300 word essay, official transcript, a 6 week progress report, complete financial information sheet, letter of recommendation, list of community service/extra-curricular activities in the past two years, along with two letters of recommendation from an organization, charity or an event coordinator. If you are selected as a finalist you must be interviewed.
- Amount:** 10 - \$1500
- Deadline:** December 2, 2005

CITY OF SAN DIEGO DIVERSITY COMMITTEE SCHOLARSHIP

Open To: Seniors must be attending high school in the City of San Diego. Applicant must desire a career in Civil or Structural Engineering with a minimum GPA of 2.75. Immediate family members of current or previous City of San Diego employees are not eligible to apply.
Selection: Complete application, two letters of recommendation and a copy of your transcript.
Amount: \$1000
Deadline: December 9, 2005

AXA ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP

Open To: Seniors, who are well rounded, determined to succeed and have achieved excellence outside the classroom. Demonstrate that they care about their family and community, be a U.S. citizen or legal resident and be attending a 2 or 4 year college or university in the fall.
Selection: Complete application, official transcript first 10,000 applications received by postmark deadline will be considered. **Apply online.**
Amount: \$10,000 (1), \$15,000 (2) plus a computer and an offer for an internship at AXA office.
Deadline: December 15, 2005
www: <http://www.axa-achievement.com/>

HISPANIC SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Open To: Senior of Hispanic heritage, with a GPA of 3.0, who plan to be enrolled full time in a degree-seeking program at an accredited college or university in the Fall of 2006, and must apply for financial aid.
Selection: The applicant will be evaluated on academic record, financial need, community service and personal qualities.
Amount: \$1000-\$3000 educational grant
Deadline: December 15, 2005
www: www.HSF.net

GATES MILLENNIUM SCHOLARS

Open To: Low-income African Americans, Asian Pacific Americans, American Indians/Alaska Natives, and Hispanic Americans who are seniors in high school and permanent residents of the United States.
Selection: Student must have minimum GPA of 3.3, been accepted into or enrolled full-time in an accredited college or university in the fall, have demonstrated financial need and leadership commitment through participation in community service, extra-curricular activities or other activities that reflect leadership.
Amount: To be determined by student's financial need
Deadline: January 13, 2006
www: <http://www.gmsp.org/>

THE WILLIAM S. DAVILA SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Open To: Seniors graduating in June who live in San Diego County, your parents work in the food industry excluding convenience stores, fast food or regular restaurants, which plan to attend a four-year college or university in the fall.
Selection: Complete application, official transcript, and have financial need. Download application.
Amount: Ranging from between \$1000 to \$2500
Deadline: January 20, 2006
www: <http://www.davila.scholarshipamerica.org/>

SAM WALTON COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Open To: Seniors planning to attend a two or four year accredited college approved by the Wal-Mart Foundation.
Selection: Students are judged on their ACT/SAT scores, grade point average, extra-curricular activities, community involvement, financial need and work activities. Only online applications will be accepted (use access code SWCS).
Amount: \$1000
Deadline: January 20, 2006
www: <http://www.scholarshipadministrators.net/>

THE BEVERAGE INDUSTRY COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

Open To: Senior whose parents or grandparents are employed full-time with organizations holding a valid California Beverage Alcohol License for example: hotels, airlines, restaurants, retail grocery chains, etc. Must be attending a four-year college in the fall.
Selection: Complete application online, print it and mail it.
Amount: Ranging from \$1000-\$5000
Deadline: February 1, 2006
www: <http://www.christermon.com/>

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA MOTHERS OF TWIN CLUBS, INC.

Open To: High school senior who is a twin or whose mother is a twin who is not currently or within the previous two years been a member of the S.Ca. Mothers of Twins Club, Inc.
Selection: Financial need, application, two letters of recommendation, official transcript, a picture, 200-400 word personal essay and interview are required.
Amount: \$250 to \$1800
Deadline: February 1, 2006
www: <http://www.scmotc.org/>

FORD SALUTE TO SCHOLARS SCHOLARSHIP

Open To: All high school seniors. The purpose of this scholarship is to encourage students to continue their education, whether it is at a technical/vocational school, community college or university.
Selection: Students are selected for their personal achievements and their contribution to their communities and schools. Academic achievement is considered, but is not the sole determining factor. Students must fill out the application (typed), answering four essay questions and providing a letter of recommendation from a faculty member.
Amount: \$250 - \$1000
Deadline: February 17, 2006
www: <http://www.salutetoeducation.com/>

PACIFIC ISLANDER FESTIVAL ASSOCIATION

Open To: Seniors must live in San Diego County and can attend college away from home. Must attend Pacific Islander Festival scheduled for September 23, 2006.
Selection: Complete application, photo, minimum GPA 3.0, letters of recommendation
Amount: Varies
Deadline: February 28, 2006
www: <http://www.pacificislanders.com/>

U. S. BANK SCHOLARSHIP

Open To: High school seniors planning to attend an accredited two or four-year college full time next fall.

Selection: Students with strong academic achievement or who excel in school and community involvement are encouraged to apply. Students can apply online by visiting the U.S. Bank website.

Amount: 30 - \$1000

Deadline: February 28, 2006

www: <http://www.usbank.com/studentbanking>

SONS OF ITALY IN AMERICA SCHOLARSHIP

Open To: Seniors who are wholly or partially of Italian Descent, must attend a two or four year accredited college or university in the fall of 2006.

Selection: Complete application, official transcript, two letters of recommendation, 200 words or less essay. Three different scholarships are offered; academic, athletic, Italian language study grant (yellow copy).

Amount: \$500 to \$5000

Deadline: March 1, 2006

www: <http://www.sonsofitalyca.org/>

SAN DIEGO EDUCATION FUND

Open To: Seniors committed to teach in the San Diego Unified School District for at least three years, U.S. citizen, attend college in San Diego and demonstrate financial need.

Selection: Based on high school record, application, recommendations, demonstrated community service or leadership.

Amount: \$1000 for community college, \$2000 for four year college

Deadline: March 8, 2006