



Career Center Corner

September 27, 2019

IMPORTANT DATES

- Oct. 1 FAFSA opens for seniors to apply for financial aid for college or trade school: www.fafsa.gov
- Oct. 2 Paying for College Night, 7-8:30pm in the CVHS auditorium
- Oct. 3 NOVA Application Workshop during PLUS and lunches. No registration required.
- Oct. 5 SAT at CVHS
- Oct. 20 College Fair at Fair Oaks Mall, 7:30-9:30pm. Register at www.fcpscollegefairs.com.
- Oct. 23 Alcanza College Fair at GMU, <https://www2.gmu.edu/admissions-aid/alcanza>. Field trip forms available from Mrs. Stamper, Mrs. Langstein, and Mrs. DeJesus-Brent. Completed forms due Oct. 15!
- Nov. 3 [Performing and Visual Arts College Fair](#) – Duke Ellington School of the Arts - Washington, DC
- Nov. 9 Fill in the FAFSA Event for seniors and their parents, 9am-12pm, CVHS library. For information and to register, visit <https://collegeaccessfairfax.org/event/fafsa-completion-centreville/>

NEWS & INFORMATION

Parents and students in all grades are encouraged to attend **Paying for College Night** on Wednesday, October 2nd from 7-8:30pm in the CVHS auditorium. Financial Aid Manager Lisa Branson will present on the financial aid process, applying for grants and scholarships, and accessing the FAFSA. We hope you can join us!

Seniors who plan to attend a 2 or 4-year college can apply for financial aid through filing the FAFSA. It opens on October 1 at www.fafsa.gov. If you need assistance, consider attending the FREE workshops sponsored by College Access Fairfax: <https://collegeaccessfairfax.org/event/fafsa-completion-centreville/>. CVHS is hosting one on Saturday, November 9 in our school library from 9am-noon.

COLLEGE REP INFO SESSIONS – Over 90 universities will visit this fall! Juniors and Seniors can sign up in Naviance Student under Colleges < Research Colleges < College Visits. Print the confirmation page and get teacher signature at least one business day before the presentation. All sessions are in the library or College & Career Center and last about 30 minutes unless otherwise noted. Upcoming sessions include:

- Sept. 30 Richard Bland College
- Oct. 1 University of Maryland
- Oct. 2 Miami University of Ohio, Randolph-Macon College
- Oct. 3 Randolph College
- Oct. 7 Johnson & Wales University, William & Mary
- Oct. 8 University of Virginia, Radford University, Dartmouth College
- Oct. 9 Duke University
- Oct. 10 George Washington University, George Mason University, University of Louisville

Link to instructions on How to Sign up for College Information Sessions: <https://tinyurl.com/CVHSCollegeVisits>

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Jersey Mike's Subs in Fair Lakes (12703 Shoppes Lane, Fairfax) is now hiring! **Team members** must be able to work with a sense of urgency and be outgoing with customers. **Marketing people** must promote the company through social media and work on catering sales and fundraisers to grow the business. Benefits include competitive pay, tips, promotion opportunities. To apply contact owner Lori Kollar at Lorikollar@comcast.net or 240-277-2226.

Shadowland (4300 Chantilly Shopping Center) is seeking part-time staff members for 1 or 2 shifts during the week. Students age 16 and over can apply. Responsibilities include public speaking, general cleaning and looking after children

as they play laser tag. Starting pay is \$8 an hour and 6 free games of laser tag a month. Apply online at <http://www.shadowlandadventures.com/join-our-team/>.

Cinemark is hiring team members at their Centreville location. Enjoy free movies, employee concession discounts, flexible schedules, and tuition reimbursement. Apply today at <https://cinemark.com/careers>.

Papa John's is seeking employees for part-time work. Call Bob Gammache at (703) 271-8818 to discuss employment and educational opportunities.

CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES – Check Naviance Student for scholarship opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Scholarships & Money< Scholarship List. Descriptions are also available in the College & Career Center. Recent additions include:

CVHS SCHOLARSHIPS (see Naviance listing for details):

- UVA Jefferson Scholarship – due to College & Career Center by 3pm on Friday, October 18, 2019.
- Harry F. Byrd, Jr. Scholarship – due to kastamper@fcps.edu by 3pm on Monday, October 21, 2019.
- Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership (HOBY) – for **SOPHOMORES**. Due to kastamper@fcps.edu by 3pm on Monday, October 21, 2019.
- Northern Virginia Athletic Directors Administrators and Coaches Association (NVADACA) – due to College & Career Center by 3pm on February 7, 2020. Do NOT mail to NVADACA. Application available at <http://www.nvadaca.org/scholarship-applications/>

NEW:

- Golden Door Scholarship - deadline extended to Sept. 30, 2019
- Elks National Foundation Most Valuable Student Scholarship – deadline Nov. 5, 2019
- School House Connection Scholarship – deadline Nov. 10, 2019
- Cook College Scholarship Program – deadline Nov. 13, 2019
- Graduate Women in Science – deadline Nov. 15, 2019
- Dr. Juan Andrade Jr. Scholarship for Young Hispanic Leaders – deadline Nov. 30, 2019
- Sixt Scholars Program – deadline Nov. 30, 2019
- National Space Club and Foundation Keynote Scholarship – deadline Dec. 2, 2019
- Colonel James L. Graham, Jr. Memorial Aviation Scholarship – deadline Dec. 13, 2019
- DialMyCalls – deadline Jan. 8, 2020
- Virginia State Scholarship Fund - deadline Feb. 15, 2020
- Modern Castle Scholarship – deadline March 31, 2020
- Bull Run Civil War Round Table (BRCWRT) Scholarship – deadline April 6, 2020

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO NOTE – Check Naviance Student for enrichment opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Research Colleges< Enrichment Programs. Search by category, date, and location. Recent additions include:

Know Your Local Government: Become Engaged – event date Oct. 26, 2019 – deadline Oct. 20, 2019 - <https://www.fairfaxcounty.gov/neighborhood-community-services/know-your-government/providence>

Student Leadership Program (SLP) in Business – event date Jan. 2 – 4, 2020 – deadline Nov. 3, 2019 - <https://www.emboldenme.org/winter-2020>

Road to Success Luncheon – event date Nov. 17, 2019 - deadline Nov. 8, 2019- <https://www.fcacdst.org/fcaccollegebound>

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