

College & Career Corner

May 3, 2024

Translations in Spanish and Korean available on the CVHS website

IMPORTANT DATES

May 28	Junior Class Presentation – Getting Ready for Senior Year, during PLUS in auditorium
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- May 20 Senior Awards Ceremony, 6:30pm in CVHS auditorium
- May 30 Underclass Awards Ceremony, PLUS in the CVHS auditorium
- June 5 CVHS Class of 2024 Graduation, 9:30am at GMU's Eagle Bank Arena

NEWS & INFORMATION

NACAC's <u>2024 College Openings Update</u> is now available. This resource provides families with a list of colleges and universities that are still accepting applications from qualified first-year and transfer students for the fall term. The list indicates if the institutions have financial aid and/or housing available. Member colleges will update their information as availability changes on their campuses. For those seeking information on enrollment deadlines, member institutions continue to submit information to the <u>NACAC Enrollment Deadlines Directory</u>.

The College Place is hosting a virtual session on **Tuesday, May 7 at 6pm** about college athletic recruitment and the **NCAA Clearinghouse.** Don't miss this session if you are a student athlete and have interest in playing college sports or you support students who are discussing college recruitment. To register, check out: <u>www.tinyurl.com/tcptuesdays2024</u>

The CVHS Class of 2025 has the exciting opportunity attend live online courses with **College Essay Guy** for the first time ever! **FREE college application resources and virtual workshops with the top expert in the field**. Junior students and parents - check your email for details on how to register! Mark your calendars for these options:

- How to Write A Personal Statement Boot Camp 2 sessions (June 3rd, 5th, 7th) OR (June 17th, 20th, 21st)
- The College Application + Supplemental Essays Crash Course (September 22nd)
- How to Answer the UC Personal Insight Questions Crash Course (October 5th & 6th)

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

<u>Fairfax County Park Authority Internships</u> – Event date: Summer 2024 Deadline: None, application portal open <u>FCPS "Grow Your Own" DIT Internship Program</u> Event dates: Virtual dates of 5/7, 5/9 and 5/14 <u>Part time work with the Center for Autism and Related Disorders (CARD®)</u> – Ongoing hiring for part time work

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES – FCPS encourages students to make connections between the classroom and community through authentic, intentional, and impactful <u>Service Learning</u>. X2VOL is used to find, track, and verify service hours electronically through <u>Naviance</u> (under the Careers tab<Experiential Exploration). Opportunities include:

<u>Fairfax County Environmental Quality Advisory Council</u> Deadline: 5/6 Event dates: July 2024- June 2025 <u>Herralink</u> ongoing events, including a community parade for Skilled Nursing Week on May 15, 2024 <u>Habitat For Humanity Volunteer Opportunities</u> – Event date: Ongoing projects throughout 2024, see website for details on specific projects Braddock Elementary School Summer Camp needs volunteers every Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 12:30-3:45. Contact jamatthews@fcps.edu for more information on how to apply <u>Humane Society Volunteer Opportunity</u> – Must be 18+ Ongoing need for volunteers at shelters

KEEN Volunteer Opportunities – Event date: 5/5/2024

CURRENT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES – <u>Check Naviance</u> for scholarship opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Scholarships & Money< Scholarship Search. Recent additions include:

Miller/Wenhold Capitol Strategies Scholarship – for CVHS students ONLY! Due May 15, 2024 Posse Foundation – for CVHS juniors, self-nomination application due to kastamper@fcps.edu by May 22, 2024 NNOA 2024 Scholarship (National Naval Officers Association) – Amount: \$1,000+ Deadline: 5/24/2024 May's Mission Scholarship – Amount: \$500 Deadline: 6/30/2024 Mobile Application Development Scholarship – Amount: \$5,000 Deadline: 5/15/2024 NOVA Core Scholarship Program – Amount: Up to \$6,000 a year SPIL It Scholarship – Eddie Hurley Project – Deadline: 5/19/2024 Amount: \$5,000 Commander Newell S. Rand Jr. Scholarship Program – Deadline: 6/1/2024 Amount: Up to \$1,000 Cure- Cancer Support Scholarship - Deadline: 6/1/2024 Amount: \$5,000 STUCK at prom Scholarship Contest – Deadline: 6/5/2024 Amount: Up to \$15,000 HPWM B. Gooden Scholarship Program – Deadline: 5/17/2024 WACA Memorial Scholarship 2023 (washington.org) – Deadline: 5/17/2024 Amount: Up to \$3,000 Frans Hagen Scholarship "Educated Eats" – Deadline: 5/10/2024 Amount: Up to \$5,000 7 x 24 Exchange DC Chapter Scholarship – Deadline: 5/10/2024 Amount: Up to \$25,000 2024 Fourth Circuit Student Essay Contest – Deadline: 5/31/2024 Amount: Up to \$2,000 My Impact Challenge from The Bill of Rights Institute – Deadline 5/19/2024 Prizes from \$1500-\$10,000

OTHER OPPORTUNITIES TO NOTE – <u>Check Naviance</u> for new opportunities vetted by FCPS. From the home page, go to Colleges< Research Colleges< Enrichment Programs. Search by category, date, and keyword. Recent additions:

Technology Youth Empowerment is a local non-profit dedicated to teaching STEM throughout FCPS. They are seeking members and leaders – apply here Virtual Opioid Overdose & Naloxone Education Training – Event date: Ongoing classes in a virtual setting Pre-College Programs at Catholic University – Event date: Varies Cyber Fortress 2045 Capture the Flag – Event date: 5/4/2024 Explore Bowdoin – Event date: session 1 (9/19-9/21) session 2 (10/24-10/26) Deadline: 8/14/2024 ET Career Scholars Application – Event date: Program for NOVA students Fall '24 Deadline: 5/7/2024 Social Justice Fellowship Program – Event date: Meetings every third Sunday Deadline: 5/17/2024 Benefits of Youth Registered Apprenticeship – Event date: 5/2/2024 EagleFest 2024 - Event date: 5/4/2024 Performing Arts Summer Camps at Lopez Studios – Event date: June-August Second Saturday Sungazing at Udvar-Hazy – Event date: 5/11/2024 Embolden's Rising Leaders Fellowship Program – deadline to apply to program 6/2/2024 School of Communication at American University Summer Programs – Deadline: 5/24/2024 Event dates: session 1 (7/1-7/13) Session 2 (7/15-7/25) Community of Scholars - Event dates: 7/8-7/19 FAF\$A Now by Virginia College Advising Corps – Event date: Through 6/28/2024 TECHSPO Washington DC 2024 Technology Expo – Event dates: 7/1-7/2 Big Data 2 days Bootcamp – Event dates: 5/6, 6/3, 7/1,8/5 3D Character Modeling for Games – Event dates: 7/22-7/26 Fairfax Summer: Python Programming – Event dates: 7/8-7/12 Building Momentum innovation academy summer camps - Rolling admission iCLEAR Shanghai Bio Internship – Event dates: 7/8-7/18 Summer camps at the University of Akron – Dates Vary depending on program First Things First at Uchicago – Event date: 5/22/2024 Discover Swarthmore Fly-In Program –Deadline: 7/14/2024 Event date: 9/26-9/28 or 10/24-10/26 Broad Futures Virtual Informational Session – Event date: 5/30/2024

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