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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

The Counselors will be hosting **HOT TOPICS!** throughout the new school year. These presentations will be over important information parents of high school students and students need to know.

(These dates are subject to change so please refer to the FHS website or future newsletters to confirm dates and time.)

ALL SESSIONS WILL BE HELD IN THE FHS LIBRARY AT 8:15 A.M.
Students and Parents are welcome!

We hope to see there!

FRIDAY, JANUARY 11, 2019
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SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

1- THE SANKOFA FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP

The Sankofa Foundation is awarding three scholarships this year to graduating African American male seniors. Each student will be awarded an individual scholarship in the amount of \$1,000. The scholarship is payable to the student's college or university upon verification of enrollment as a full-time student at an accredited college or university. All material is to be postmarked and sent to this address: Scholarship Committee, P. O. Box 743693 Dallas, TX 75374 by **February 8, 2019**. Awardees will be notified no later than April 1st, 2019. If you have questions please contact scholarship committee chairman, Christopher M. Johnson, at CJohnsonXTL1906@gmail.com.

Selection Criteria:

1. Scholarships are limited to seniors attending public high schools in the DFW Area.
2. Preference is given to students who have demonstrated exceptional involvement and service to the community and who have greater needs given their socioeconomic background.
3. To be eligible for the scholarship, the student must be an African American Male and have a 3.0 grade point average or better on a 4.0 scale.
4. An eligible candidate must be a graduating high school senior.
5. An eligible candidate must be enrolling as a full-time student in a 2 or 4 year accredited college or university in the fall semester. Payment will be made directly to that school.
6. Students must complete the attached scholarship application including all required supporting materials

[Application form is attached to this newsletter.](#)

2 - DALLAS AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION - ESSAY CONTEST

The Seidel Chapter – Dallas Air Force Association is proud once again to announce that the Air Force Association - Texas will sponsor an essay contest with the statewide winners receiving a total of \$3,000 in awards. The awards are given in honor of Earle North Parker, a noted industrialist and community leader of Fort Worth.

The Air Force Association is an independent, non-profit national association, which was established at the end of World War II. Its primary objective is to support an armed strength adequate to maintain the security and peace of the United States and the Free World.

The essay topic for this year's contest is, **“How might the emerging technologies of Robotics and Artificial intelligence effect, both positive and negative, the operations of the United States Air Force?”** ALL high school seniors in Texas are eligible to participate in this essay contest. Each essay shall be limited to a maximum of two pages. Please read the entire Contest Entry Form attachment before starting work on your essay. **Deadline** for submission of the essay, accompanied by the completed Contest Entry Form, is **January 20, 2019**.

After all entries are received, the Seidel Chapter will select our Chapter winner, who will receive a \$500 award. Our winning entry will then be forwarded to our Texas State Office where the winning entry from each of the Air Force Association Chapters across the state will compete for \$3,000 in scholarship awards. The two scholarships are \$2,000 for 1st Place and \$1,000 for 2nd Place. The winners will be determined and announced this spring.

Contest Entry Form is attached to this newsletter. This appropriately completed form must accompany each contestant's essay. For more information, please contact Ric Hamer at (214) 500-0951 or rhamer@aol.com.

3 – TEXAS STATE ASSURED SCHOLARSHIPS

Application form is attached to this newsletter.

4 – COLLIN COUNTY MASTER GARDENERS ASSOCIATION – 2019 SCHOLARSHIP

TO: Graduating High School Seniors

SUBJECT: \$2,000 Scholarship

The Collin County Master Gardeners Association is pleased to announce that TWO individual \$2,000 scholarships will be awarded to eligible Collin County Texas high school seniors for the 2019-2020 collegiate academic year. The scholarship award recipients will be announced by May 15, 2019.

ELIGIBILITY: The \$2,000 scholarship awards are available to all graduating high school seniors (Class of 2019) who are verifiable residents of Collin County, plan to attend a Texas college or university, and have selected a horticulture related college major such as **Botany, Entomology, Environmental Science, Environmental Studies, Forestry, Horticulture, Landscaping, Agricultural Sciences, and Ag Leadership & Development.**

TO APPLY: Submit the complete application packet by 4:00 pm, Friday, April 12, 2019 to:

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service Office
Collin County Master Gardeners Association Scholarship
825 N. McDonald Street, Suite 150
McKinney, TX 75069

The information letter and application form are available at: <http://www.ccmgatx.org/scholarship>

We look forward to receiving your application.

Scholarship Committee
Collin County Master Gardeners Association

Chase Brooke
Collin County Extension Agent
Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service
825 N. McDonald Street, Suite 150
McKinney, TX 75069



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5 – COLLIN COUNTY YOUNG LAWYERS ASSOCIATION – HOMER REYNOLDS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

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COLLEGE INFORMATION, VISITS AND SUMMER PROGRAMS

1 – UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING – ENGINEERING SUMMER PROGRAM

We now are accepting applications for the 2019 Engineering Summer Program (ESP) at the University of Wyoming!

If you're interested in becoming an engineer or improving the lives of people around the world, apply to participate in hands-on exploration of the diverse fields of engineering. You could build a digital circuit, design a timber truss, examine solutions to pressing environmental issues, or discover materials for use in emerging technologies.

ESP, which takes place June 16-22, is for **current high school juniors** who will be seniors in the 2019-20 school year. This is a unique opportunity for students to work one-on-one with university faculty and graduate students and to ask questions about their experiences as professionals in the field. Apply today!

Apply for the Engineering Summer Program

If you have any questions about the program, please contact me at esp@uwyo.edu.

Thank you,

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2 – UNIVERSITY OF WYOMING – NEW DEGREE

For more information, please visit: <http://www.uwyo.edu/ceas/news/2018/181115/index.html>

New Degree Program Will Develop Next Generation of Leaders in Construction Management Industry



The University of Wyoming's College of Engineering and Applied Science will offer a new [construction management degree](#) to meet the demands of industry in the state and region.

"This degree program will produce students with the critical skills needed to become our next generation of leaders in the construction industry," Professor of Practice Matt Newman says. "These project management skills, however, are not isolated to construction. We will be working in parallel with many of our existing programs, better preparing Wyoming students to excel in their respective fields."

JOB, VOLUNTEER & INTERNSHIPS OPPORTUNITIES

1 – CINEMARK IS HIRING

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Positions :

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Additional Information :

If you are interested, please submit an application on Cinemark.com/careers and fill out the assessment prior to your interview.

Will you make the Cut?