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PIKE NEWS

2023 COLLEGE APPLICATION WEEK

WAIVED APPLICATIONS

ANDERSON UNIVERSITY
BETHEL UNIVERSITY
CARIS COLLEGE
DEPAUW UNIVERSITY
EARLHAM UNIVERSITY
FRANKLIN UNIVERSITY
GRACE COLLEGE
HANOVER COLLEGE
HUNTINGTON UNIVERSITY
INDIANA TECH
INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY
Until October 1

INDIANA UNIVERSITY EAST
INDIANA UNIVERSITY FORT WAYNE
September 15 - October 1
Use Code: FWCOLLGO
INDIANA UNIVERSITY INDIANAPOLIS
Use Code: INCOLLGO
INDIANA UNIVERSITY KOKOMO
INDIANA UNIVERSITY NORTHWEST
INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTH BEND
INDIANA UNIVERSITY SOUTHEAST

INDIANA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY
IVY TECH COMMUNITY COLLEGE
MARIAN UNIVERSITY
MARTIN UNIVERSITY
OAKLAND CITY UNIVERSITY
PURDUE FORT WAYNE
September 25 - October 8
Use Code: CollegeGo2023
PURDUE NORTHWEST
Entire month of September
SAINT-MARY-OF-THE-WOODS COLLEGE

SAINT MARY'S COLLEGE
TRINE UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY OF EVANSVILLE
UNIVERSITY OF INDIANAPOLIS
UNIVERSITY OF SAINT FRANCIS
UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN INDIANA
VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY
VINCENNES UNIVERSITY
WABASH COLLEGE

COLLEGE GO WEEK OFFERS SENIORS WAIVED FEES



Noah Love

Senior, staff writer

Activities for September 25-29

MONDAY-FRIDAY

Prizes will be given to students who show successfully-submitted applications
College Trivia-prizes

TUESDAY

Meet the author of Lights! Camera! College!

In order to help students navigate the college application process, Torria Buckley, district graduation coach, is offering special help for seniors during College Go Week Sept. 25-29.

"College Go Week is where most Indiana schools waive the application fee for students," Buckley said. She says the goal is to help seniors navigate the college admissions process to ensure each student submits at least one admissions application. Thirty-three Indiana colleges and universities are participating this year.

To encourage student participation, Buckley has planned events for every day of the week, which include author meet and greets to college trivia to essay writing assistance.

"I think it gives students a better opportunity to apply," senior Griffen Geer said. "It pulls students in and gets their attention. It gives students a chance to apply to schools they maybe would not have thought of."

Along with the activities, Buckley will also sit down with students and help them fill out college applications. Senior Ralph

Cooke, III has already filled out a college application to Ball State using the Common App, but plans on still participating in the events.

Cooke said, "I don't know what to think about college; yet, I do want to go to experience it." Cooke does not have more than one college option, not even a backup college. He currently has no scholarships. For students like Cooke, not having an application fee helps him, since fees range from \$35 to even \$100. For example, Indiana University's admission fee is \$65.

Many seniors plan on taking advantage of any event they can senior year.

"It's good for the seniors because it's their last year," senior Ernest Wesley said. "It gives me more of a social life going to these events that Mrs. Buckley plans."

Wesley said that he will take advantage of the College Go Week activities, especially applying to more colleges. "If it's free, why not," he said.

For more information on College Go Week and other senior opportunities like scholarships, students are encouraged to subscribe to the CCRC Canvas page.

TEACHERS SHOW SUPPORT FOR CLASS OF 2024



In order to show their support for the class of 2024, teachers, counselors and administrators sported their attire from the college where they earned undergraduate degrees. Teachers pay money to wear jeans with their shirts every Thursday, which goes towards scholarships for seniors. KURA

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