

## Longhorn Lookout

## February 2022

Hamshire-Fannett High School

#### School Code: 443100

#### **Upcoming Test Dates:**

**SAT:** May 7, 2022 June 4, 2022

**ACT:** April 2, 2022

June 11, 2022 July 16, 2022

#### **Registration Deadline:**

April 8 May 5

February 25 May 6 June 17 \*Juniors and Seniors are allowed 2 college visits each year. You must get this approved in the office first, and then bring back documentation on the college's letterhead stating the date you were visiting their campus.

Seniors: The SAT or ACT should be taken soon. The SAT is \$55.00. The Act is \$60.00 without writing and \$85.00 with writing. Your application for admissions and scholarship applications will not be complete without them. \*Fee waivers are available for the SAT and ACT for students on free and reduced lunches. Fee waivers are also available for college applications. See Mrs. Hancock to receive a fee waiver.

**FAFSA** (FREE Application for Federal Student Aid) application opened on OCTOBER 1<sup>ST</sup>! The sooner you apply, the better chance you have to receive some form of financial aid.

www.fafsa.gov

Facebook: Hflonghorns CounselingOffice

Twitter: Hancock\_HF Senior REMIND: @hfhss

College Prep REMIND: @coll3g3s

**SAT School Day:** On March 2, 2022, we will be giving the SAT for FREE to all JUNIORS. You do NOT need to sign up.

Sometimes information comes to us in between the publication of each month's newsletter that has an approaching deadline, and when this happens, the information will be announced and posted on the Facebook page

Twitter and/or Remind.

#### March 1st Deadlines

Midwestern State University- Priority Admissions
Prairie View A&M- Priority Scholarships
Tarleton State University- Priority Admissions
Texas A&M Univ.- Corpus Christi- Priority
Admissions

Texas State University- Priority Admissions Univ. of Dallas- Admissions & Scholarships

Univ.of North Texas- Priority Admissions & Scholarships
The Univ. of Texas- SA-Priority Admissions

#### March 15th Deadlines

Angelo State University- Priority Scholarships

#### **April 1st Deadlines**

Midwestern State University- Scholarships Texas A&M Texarkana- Priority Admissions

#### April 30th Deadlines

#### May 1<sup>st</sup> Deadlines

Schreiner University- Priority Admissions The Univ. of Texas- El Paso- Priority Admissions St. Edwards University- Final Admissions

#### June 1<sup>st</sup> Deadlines

Prairie View A&M University- Final Admissions
The Univ. of Texas- San Antonio- Final
Admissions

The University of Texas- Arlington- Admissions University of Houston- Downtown- Admissions

#### TSI Assessment @ Hamshire-Fannett High School

Seniors who need to take the TSI should do so ASAP. You MUST email Mrs. Hancock to sign up as spots are limited!!!!

## The following dates have been scheduled for SENIORS:

Monday, March 7 @ 3:30 p.m.\*
Monday, March 21 @ 9:00 a.m.\*
Thursday, April 21 @ 3:30 p.m.\*
Wednesday, May 4 @ 8:00 a.m.
\*Seniors have priority. Any spots not taken by seniors are open for juniors on these dates.

## The following dates have been scheduled for JUNIORS:

Tuesday, April 5 @ 8:00 a.m. *(MATH)* 

Thursday, April 7 @ 8:00 a.m. (READING/WRITING)

Like our FACEBOOK page and follow us on TWITTER for updates and deadline reminders.

#### **Youth Preparedness Council**

Eligibility: 8th grade through 11th grade

FEMA created the Youth Preparedness Council (YPC) in 2012 to bring together young leaders who are interested in supporting disaster preparedness and making a difference in their completing communities bν disaster preparedness projects nationally and locally. YPC members meet with FEMA staff throughout their term to provide input on strategies, initiatives, and projects. YPC members also attend the annual YPC Summit in Washington, DC, meet regularly with FEMA representatives, and complete several emergency preparedness

For more information, visit:

https://www.ready.gov/kids/youth-preparedness-

Applicant Information Session (Webinar):

February 17, 2022

Deadline: March 6, 2022

#### **Southern Texas PGA Foundation Scholarship**

Awards: various amounts

Eligibility: Senior, 2.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale. description of participation in golf required on application, ranking, SAT or ACT score, extracurricular involvement, and financial need (based on the FAFSA SAR) will also be considered; must be enrolled or planning to enroll as a full time student in a 2 or 4 yr. college

Scholarships are awarded based on academic performance, extracurricular activities, financial need, not on golf accomplishments or ability.

For more information and the application, go to https://www.stpgareach.org/college-scholarships Deadline: March 18, 2022

#### Fashion Institute of Technology (New York) on the Road Visit in Houston at the National **College Fair**

For information about programs available go to http://www.fitnyc.edu/about/. To connect with FIT on the road go to http://www.fitnyc.edu/admissions/on-the-road/.

#### Beaumont A&M Club Meeting & Scholarships

Award: Not yet publicized

Seniors who have demonstrated Eligibility: strong academic achievements through grades. SAT scores, and extra-curricular activities; You will also be asked to write a brief essay about Texas A&M on your application.

Students or their immediate family must attend the Beaumont A&M Club meeting on ??? to get the application. This is when applications will be distributed.

Representatives from the Office of Student Affairs, Corps of Cadets, Financial Aid office, and the Cooperative Education Department will be available. A complimentary dinner will be provided to students and family members.

Not yet publicized Date of Event: I HAVE BEEN TOLD THAT THIS EVENT WILL OCCUR, BUT THEY DO NOT HAVE DATES

#### **University of Houston In Person Tours**

(Prospective students, parents, and guests)

This is an opportunity for all students and their families to visit campus. Prospective freshmen and transfer students learn about admission requirements. information about various academic programs, scholarships and financial aid opportunities, and campus housing. Go to https://uh.edu/undergraduate-

admissions/visit/campus-visit/

Date of Event: Choose your date

#### University of Houston Alumni Association Legacy Scholarship

Awards: \$6,000

This scholarship is for children and grandchildren of University of Houston alumni. At least one parent or grandparent of the applicant must be an active alumni of UH at the time of the application deadline for the student to be eligible. You must be eligible for admission to the University of Houston as a freshman, and must enroll at the University of Houston in Fall 2022 immediately following graduation to receive this award. For information https://app.reviewr.com/s1/site/2018UHHA

#### .<u>Sam Houston State University Freshman</u> Leadership Program

Amount: Previously- 30 \$600 scholarships per semester during freshman year

Eligibility: Must have been accepted for admission to Sam Houston AND a 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale

This packet should include: The application form, essay, resume, and high school transcript.

This is a challenging leadership preparation program that is offered to selected entering freshmen who have demonstrated a high level of leadership activity in high school, maintained an outstanding academic record, and display the potential to attain student leadership positions at SHSU. Get an application online at

https://www.shsu.edu/dept/dean-of-

students/organizations/freshmen/applicants.html

Deadline: April 15, 2022

#### <u>Hamshire-Fannett Education Foundation</u> Scholarships

The applications are available in the counselor's office or on the Counselor/Higher Ed. Coordinator page of our school website under "Scholarship Applications" beginning February 17<sup>th</sup>. Scholarships range from \$500-\$1,500. You must submit a copy of your SAR (Student Aid Report) from the FAFSA.

https://www.hfisd.net/Page/233

Deadline:

March 22, 2022 3:30 p.m.

#### Sam Houston State University Honors College Elliott T. Bowers Scholarship

Eligibility: Students interested in the HONORS COLLEGE must meet at least one of the following (1) SAT score of 1270 SAT, (2) ACT score of 27 or above, OR (3) ranked in the top 10% of class Amount: Students admitted to the Honors College will receive a scholarship in the amount of \$18,500. They will also be considered for additional academic scholarships including the President's Scholarship, the University Scholars, and the Undergraduate Academic Achievement Award. Go to http://www.shsu.edu/academics/honors/.

Honors College Deadline: March 1, 2022

## Saturday @ Sam Honors College Open House: March 5, 2022

Sam Houston Honors Scholarship is an \$18,500 scholarship available for incoming freshman with SAT scores at/above a 1350 OR ACT scores at/above a 30.

https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOU SE0030F6PKATS

## Information on choosing a major: www.mymajors.com

In 15 minutes, the program will recommend your best fit majors that match your academic achievement, aptitude, unique interests, and preferences.

#### **Armed Services YMCA Art and Essay Contest**

**2021 Theme:** "The Wisdom of a Military Child" <u>Awards:</u> Winning entries will receive a Kindle Fire tablet.

Essay Eligibility: Children of all Active Duty or retired (with 20+ years of service) military personnel from Army, Navy, Marine, Air Force, Coast Guard and National Guard/Reserve families in first through twelfth grade are eligible to enter. words. 9th-12th grade essays should be no more than 500 words.

Art Eligibility: Grades 1-6; Children of Military Families in the Army, Navy, Marines, Air Force, Coast Guard & National Guard/Reserves. The military parent must be active duty or retired (with 20+ years of service). You must photograph or scan the art.

For information and an entry packet go to <a href="https://www.asymca.org/art-and-essay-contest">https://www.asymca.org/art-and-essay-contest</a>.

Deadline: March 31, 2022

#### The Shell Scholarship Program

Shell Oil Company offers scholarships for students pursuing associate AND bachelor's degrees. Go to

https://www.shell.us/careers/about-careers-at-shell/shell-graduate-program/scholarships.html for more information and to fill out an application.

Deadline: March 15, 2022

#### **Don't Mess With Texas Scholarship**

<u>Eligibility:</u> Senior planning to pursue a 2 or 4-year degree at an accredited Texas college or university

Award: 1 \$5,000, 2 \$2,000 scholarships

Information to be Covered: "For over 30 years, Don't mess with Texas has reminded people to keep litter off Texas roads. Litter is defined as trash that is left on the ground in a public place or on a roadway rather than in a trash receptacle. The most commonly littered items are wrappers, packaging, cans, and cigarette butts. These trash items create an unsightly mess that is costly to clean up." Answer each of the following questions in 50-100 words:

- DESCRIBE HOW YOUR ACTIONS SUPPORT THE DON'T MESS WITH TEXAS LITTER PREVENTION AND BEAUTIFICATION INITIATIVE.
- HOW DID YOU IDENTIFY A SPECIFIC LITTER-RELATED PROBLEM IN YOUR SCHOOL OR COMMUNITY?
- WHAT CREATIVE AND/OR SUSTAINABLE SOLUTION DID YOU DEVELOP TO ADDRESS THE PROBLEM OF TRASH? WHAT MOTIVATED YOU?
- HOW DID YOU MOTIVATE OTHERS NOT TO LITTER?
- PLEASE LIST THE STATISTICS AND MEASURABLE RESULTS THAT SHOW THE OVERALL IMPACT OF YOUR EFFORT. INCLUDE SPECIFICS SUCH AS NUMBER OF HOURS, NUMBER OF PEOPLE OR VOLUNTEERS, AMOUNT OF SPACE OR AMOUNT OF TRASH COLLECTED.
- PLEASE ATTACH ARTIFACTS SUCH AS PHOTOS, DRAWINGS, OR GRAPHICS THAT ILLUSTRATE THE EFFORTS OF YOUR PROJECTS. (UP TO THREE)

http://www.dontmesswithtexas.org/educationoverview/scholarships/

to submit your answers online.

Postmark Deadline: March 31, 2022

## The University of Texas at Tyler Patriot Preview Day

(All students and parents)

Academic sessions will be offered where students can hear from advisors within the department of your intended major. Hear about opportunities for student involvement, career exploration beyond the classroom, and attend an athletics meet and greet. Go to <a href="http://www.uttyler.edu/previewday/">http://www.uttyler.edu/previewday/</a> to register.

Date of Event: April 9, 2022

## UTSA Day (University of Texas at San Antonio)

UTSA Days are scheduled now. You can also schedule a campus tour of campus during spring break as well as other dates. Go to <a href="https://future.utsa.edu/visit/utsa-">https://future.utsa.edu/visit/utsa-</a>

day/#\_ga=2.99995802.561001810.1644872256-1949450834.1644872256

to register.

Date of Events: February 26 & April 9, 2022

## Southeast Texas Independent Cattlemen's Association

Awards: 4 \$1500 scholarships

Eligibility: Senior, with priority given to students whose parents, grandparents, or guardians are current SETICA members for two consecutive years prior to the date of this application deadline. Applicant may attend any college of their choosing and enroll in any degree program. Further consideration will be given to ANY Texas FFA or 4-H Member planning to major in an agriculture-related filed. Applicants must submit two letters of personal reference from any of the following: extension agent or ag instructor, any active ICA member, high school counselor, principal, teacher, someone with personal knowledge of applicant other than a family member. A typed essay is also required.

\*\*Application available from Mrs. Hancock or Mr. Bertrand.

Deadline: April 8, 2022

#### **The Junior Statesmen Summer School**

<u>Cost</u>: \$5,650 for tuition, textbooks, academic expenses, housing, and meals- Georgetown and Stanford)

(\$7,500 for China diplomat programs)

<u>Scholarships</u> are available for partial and full tuition. Awards are based on financial need, academic excellence, demonstrated leadership abilities, and evidence that an applicant is highly motivated to attend the program.

This program is for students who have a passion for politics and government. Meet and question national leaders, including White House officials, Congressional leaders, Cabinet members, lobbyists and journalists. Travel costs to and from the Summer School are not included in the tuition. However, staff members will be available at nearby airports to help transport students to campus. They will also assist graduates in returning to the airport at the close of the summer session.

Go to <a href="https://www.jsa.org/index.php?option=com\_conte">https://www.jsa.org/index.php?option=com\_conte</a> nt&task=view&id=18&Itemid=88.

#### **Texas Builders Foundation Scholarship**

<u>Eligibility:</u> Senior who will be enrolling in the fall semester in a Texas technical or trade school OR community college/university AND pursuing a construction related trade certification or construction degree. Must also plan to enter the construction industry, particularly the homebuilding industry.

For the scholarship application go to www.TexasBuildersFoundation.org.

Deadline: April 29, 2022

#### **Angelo State University Music Auditions**

Scholarships are available for those participating in the band and choir. All students who are interested in majoring or minoring in music must audition and be accepted into the music program. For degrees and music audition requirements, go to <a href="http://www.angelo.edu/dept/arts/music/future\_st udents.php">http://www.angelo.edu/dept/arts/music/future\_st udents.php</a>.

#### QuestBridge College Prep Scholarship

Eligibility: Junior, regardless of citizenship, with a strong academic record (primarily A's in the most challenging courses AND top 5%-10%) and an annual family income of less than \$65,000 with typical assets for a family of 4, who also shows strength in character. Many past award recipients have also been part of the first generation in their family to attend college.

Typical scholars are in the top 5-10% of class, >1280 on the SAT (CR and Math) or >27 ACT and eligible for free or reduced-price lunches.

Awards: Previous awards included: Full scholarships to summer programs at leading universities (Stanford, Yale, Emory, Penn, and others), individualized college admission counseling, travel expenses and room & board covered by a QuestBridge partner college to visit their campus, awards such as new laptop computers, and some students were invited to QuestBridge conferences at Stanford and Yale where participants attended workshops on how low-income students can successfully apply to leading colleges.

<u>Purpose:</u> Attending a selective private college actually can be less expensive than going to a community or state college, because aid packages at many leading schools cover 100% of students' financial need. QuestBridge helps high-achieving low-income students learn how to get the full benefit of top-ranked colleges' generous financial aid policies.

Go to <a href="http://www.questbridge.org/forstudents/cps-college-prep-scholars-program">http://www.questbridge.org/forstudents/cps-college-prep-scholars-program</a>.

Deadline: March 24, 2022

## American Foreign Service Association (AFSA) Scholarships

<u>Awards:</u> Over \$350,000 in college aid to 100 children of AFSA members whose parents are/were Foreign Service employees

Eligibility: Seniors; Only the children of Foreign Service employees, whose parent(s) is a member of the AFSA, is eligible to apply for an AFSA award/scholarship. A student must be claimed as a dependent on the most recent IRS tax form by his/her parent(s) or guardian(s). The AFSA member is or has been an employee (active duty, retired, deceased, and/or separated) with a foreign affairs agency as defined by the Foreign Service Act of 1980. Students should be planning to attend a 2 or 4 year university and show demonstrated financial need by completing the financial instrument, PROFILE. For information go to http://www.afsa.org/afsa-scholarships.

Deadline: March 14, 2022

## Ocean Awareness Student Contest (Art, Essay, or Advocacy)

Awards-

<u>Ages 11-14</u>- Range from \$50-\$1,000 Ages 15-18- Range from \$100-\$1,500

(Prizes in the areas of Art, Poetry, Creative Writing, Interactive and Multimedia, Film, and Music & Dance)

Theme- The Funny Thing About Climate Change Use humor, positivity, irony, or other unconventional approaches that are not typically used in environmental communication to address the climate crisis. Think outside the tackle-box, beyond clichés, to create something that makes the topic of climate change and our oceans more approachable and accessible.

Our Contest is a call for young artists, thinkers, and activists who are concerned about the future of our human and natural communities to use their creative voices to explore, express, and advocate for issues related to climate change and our oceans.

Go to <a href="http://www.fromthebowseat.org/index.php">http://www.fromthebowseat.org/index.php</a>.

Deadline:

June 13, 2022

#### **Neches Federal Credit Union Scholarship**

Eligibility: Senior; active member of Neches FCU; plan to attend a two year or four year college.

Application is available on the Neches FCU website. <a href="https://www.nechesfcu.org/neches-fcu-scholarships.html#section-visa-debit-card">https://www.nechesfcu.org/neches-fcu-scholarships.html#section-visa-debit-card</a>

DEADLINE: April 4, 2022

## University of Texas at San Antonio BOLD PROMISE

<u>Award</u>: Grants and scholarships to cover tuition and mandatory fees for four years; work-study funds and low interest student loans to help with cost of room, board, and other expenses

Eligibility: Family income of \$50,500 or less and have family reported assets of less than \$50,000 (cash, savings, checking, business, farm value, inv. net worth); must be admitted to UTSA and have the FAFSA submitted by **January 15**th. Must be in the top 25% of your class.

For information go to https://onestop.utsa.edu/financialaid/types/bold-promise/

#### **The Naval Academy Summer STEM Program**

(8th-10th grades- Annapolis, MD)

<u>Cost:</u> All students selected will be required to pay \$900 which will include room and board, meals, as well as a variety of materials. Each student is responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from the Naval Academy.

This is for High School students who excel in math, science and technology courses and are interested in pursuing engineering, architecture, or related fields in college Students must demonstrate superior academic performance to include GPA, class standing, and/or strong PSAT, SAT or ACT results. Selection is based in large part on ensuring geographic representation along with overall accomplishments in and out of the classroom. For more information go to <a href="https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/ST">https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/ST</a> EM.php#fndtn-panel4-Attending

Dates of STEM: Rising 9<sup>th</sup>-June 6-11 Rising 10<sup>th</sup> grade-June 13-18

Rising 11<sup>th</sup> grade-June 20-24

**Deadline: Apply ASAP-** (Applications will close on March 31.)

#### **The US Naval Academy Summer Seminar**

(Juniors- Annapolis, MD)

Cost: Tuition is \$650. The tuition covers room and board, as well as a variety of materials. Each student is responsible for arranging their own transportation to and from the Naval Academy.

This is a fast-paced, six-day experience for high achievers. Summer Seminar teaches you about life at the Naval Academy, where academics, athletics, and professional training play equally important roles in developing our nation's leaders. If you think that you may be interested in pursuing an appointment to one of the nation's service academies and considering the Naval Academy as your college choice, you should seriously consider attending the Naval Academy's Summer Seminar. For more information go to https://www.usna.edu/Admissions/Programs/NA

Session 1: June 4-9
Session 2: June 11-16
Session 3: June 18-23

SS/index.php.

Deadline: March 31, 2022

#### Odenza Marketing Group Scholarship

Amount: \$500

Eligibility: Be between the ages of 16 and 25 on March 31, 2022; Submit answers to the essay questions, which can be found on the application page, prior to the deadline; Have at least one full year of post- secondary studies remaining at the time of the award. (Current high school students are also eligible.); Have a GPA of 2.5 or greater; Be a citizen of the United States

Go to

http://www.odenzascholarships.com/awards/8/eli gibility odenza marketing group scholarship.p hp.

Deadline: March 31, 2022

#### The University of Texas of the Permian Basin **Falcon Free**

Covers tuition and fees (up to 15 hrs/sem) for Pell-eligible students (according to FAFSA) whose family gross income does not exceed \$60,000. The program will not cover books, room/board, supplies, miscellaneous or expenses.. Go to

https://www.utpb.edu/admissionsaid/scholarships/falcon-free

#### University of the Incarnate Word Cardinal **Experience Weekend and Preview Day**

Meet with representatives from Financial Aid, Athletics, Support Services and more. Attendees will be able to take campus tours and residence hall tours. Special sessions for Honors Program students will also be held. RSVP at

https://www.uiw.edu/admissions/admissiondetails/cew.html#:~:text=Preview%20Day,in%2D person%20and%20virtual%20attendance.

Date of Event: March 26, 2022

#### My Introduction to Engineering Summer Camp at The University of Texas at Austin (MITE)

(Juniors)

MITE is a **FREE**, five-day residential program at The University of Texas at Austin. All expenses (including housing and food) are paid for, with the exception of travel to and from UT.

Eligibility: Current juniors with a strong interest in engineering, science, or math and a strong interest in applying to UT-Austin; Applicants must meet at least one of the following three academic criteria by the deadline in order for their application to be considered:

a.) Score a minimum of 620 on the SAT Math section, b.) Score a minimum of 620 on the PSAT Math section (most students have taken the PSAT by the fall semester of their 10th grade year), c.) Score a minimum 26 on the ACT math or d.) Rank in the top 10 percent of their class. Cost: All expenses are paid with the exception of

travel to and from UT Austin.

Fifty students will be selected to participate in each session. Outstanding African American, Hispanic, and Native American students, as well as those who have overcome any social or economic hardships are encouraged to apply. vlaaA

http://www.engr.utexas.edu/eoe/recruitment/mite Dates of Sessions: Applications will open mid-spring semester

#### Monday at Texas Christian University (TCU)

(All students and parents)

This is a campus visit for students and their parents including a campus tour, residence hall tour, breakfast and lunch on the campus, special interest sessions and meetings with faculty and financial aid representatives. In the past, Monday at TCU reservations needed to be made at least three weeks in advance by registering online or by calling the Office of Admission at 800-828-3764 or 817-257-7490. For information go to https://apply.tcu.edu/portal/mondayattcu

Dates of Event: March 28 & April 25, 2022

#### **Lamar State College Port Arthur Scholarships**

Students must have submitted an application for admission to LSCPA through Apply Texas and have a

valid LSCPA Student ID to apply for any scholarships. Go to <a href="https://www.lamarpa.edu/General/Forms/LSCPA-Scholarship-Application">https://www.lamarpa.edu/General/Forms/LSCPA-Scholarship-Application</a> to apply.

Priority Deadline: March 11, 2022

#### Lamar State College-Port Arthur Open House

Learn about LSCPA by visiting campus. LSCPA now has a new dorm on campus also. Go to <a href="http://www.lamarpa.edu/Future-">http://www.lamarpa.edu/Future-</a>

<u>Students/openhouse</u> to get information about the open house. (Last month's newsletter had wrong date because their website wasn't updated.)

Date of Event: April 2, 2022

## Sam Houston State University "Saturdays @ Sam"

This SHSU campus preview day is an all day program free to prospective student, families, and friends. Attendants can visit with faculty and speak with representatives in Undergraduate Admissions, Financial Aid, and Residence Life (just to name a few). The event will take place at the Johnson Coliseum. Register online at https://www.shsu.edu/dept/visitors/

or call 1-866-BEARKAT.

Dates of Event: March 5, 2022

#### The University of Texas at Arlington Maverick Experience

Learn about admissions, financial aid and scholarships, and tour the campus and housing. For more information or to register go to

https://www.uta.edu/admissions/events/maverick -experience

You'll also be able to apply for admission, turn in documents, check status, and more at our Prospective Student Center or any of the administrative offices. Lunch is provided by UTA for you and your guests.

Date of Event: March 14, 2022

#### Life Lessons Scholarship

<u>Award:</u> \$5,000-\$15,000 scholarships (\$250,000 total this year) to be paid directly to winners' college, university or trade school

<u>Eligibility:</u> Seniors or college students 17-24 years of age; have experienced the death of a parent or legal guardian

In 500 words or less essay OR a 3 minute video describe the financial and emotional challenges you have experienced as a result of the death of a parent or legal guardian. You must explain how the lack of adequate life insurance coverage (or no coverage at all) impacted your family's financial situation and your college plans. Comment specifically on how things might have turned out differently for you and your family if the person who died had adequate life insurance coverage. Also indicate what you have done to provide for yourself and/or other family members because of financial challenges your family has faced Apply online at <a href="https://lifehappens.org/life-lessons-scholarship-program/">https://lifehappens.org/life-lessons-scholarship-program/</a>

Deadline: March 1, 2022 @ 4:00 p.m. (eastern time)

#### Big Sun Athletic Scholarship

Awards: \$500 (number of awards vary)

Eligibility: Senior or be attending a post secondary institute

All student athletes are eligible for this award, regardless of sport they are participating in.

Write an essay (500-1,000 words) on the topic:

"How did your participation in sports during your high school years influence you? Has your participation influenced your career goals? Has your participation influenced how you relate to your family?"

Please remember to include your name and the name of the school that you are attending. All essay submissions should be sent to:

<u>athleticawards@bigsunathletics.com.</u>
Information go to http://www.bigsunathletics.com/.

Deadline: June 19, 2022

### Texas Tech Alumni Association Scholarships (Seniors)

TTAA scholarships are awarded based on a variety of factors including ethnicity, academic merit and financial need. Go to <a href="https://www.texastechalumni.org/s/1422/alumni/index.aspx?sid=1422&gid=1001&pgid=1384">https://www.texastechalumni.org/s/1422/alumni/index.aspx?sid=1422&gid=1001&pgid=1384</a>

Deadline: April 15, 2022

## <u>Texas A&M University- Galveston Sea Camp</u> in the summer

(Ages 10-18)

Week-long residential programs include: Adventures in Marine Biology, Sharks and More, Coral, Crabs, and Cephalopods, Coastal Ecology, Fishing Camp, Coastal Photography, Biology of the Sea Turtle, Oceanography and Nautical Archaeology, Marine Engineering, Veterinary Medicine and Ocean Careers Awareness to name some. For information, dates, and costs go to <a href="https://www.tamug.edu/seacamp/">www.tamug.edu/seacamp/</a> or call 409-740-4525.

https://www.tamug.edu/seacamp/ResidentialCamp/index.html#Schedule2020

Register ASAP- Some have already filled and some have waiting lists.

## The Institute of Food Technologists (IFT) Freshman Scholarship

Awards: \$1,000 scholarships (up to 4 awarded) Eligibility: Senior, 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale, intending to earn a B.S. Degree in Food Science at IFT-approved colleges and universities (Texas A&M Univ. and Louisiana State University are members); You must submit a transcript and recommendation letter. For colleges in other states participating and for more information go to

https://www.ift.org/community/students/scholarships

or call (312)782-8424.

Deadline: May 31, 2022

#### **Discover Engineering @ Lamar University**

(For young students and parents)

<u>Cost:</u> **FREE**; (Last year, door prizes were given away throughout the day as well as free t-shirts and snacks.)

Young students will be introduced to engineering concepts through various hands-on activities in a Science Fair atmosphere. Meet current engineering students and learn about the different Engineering Fields. Sign up at <a href="http://engineering.lamar.edu/k-12-">http://engineering.lamar.edu/k-12-</a>

programs/discover-engineering.html.

Date of Event: April 2, 2022 12:00-4:00 p.m.

#### **Grammy Camp**

Eligibiity: U.S. citizen currently enrolled in grades 9–12

Cost: \$1500

<u>LA tuition</u> is \$1,500 for a five-day nonresidential camp. A parent of guardian must arrange for transportation. Those attending from outside the LA area must provide their own housing locally. Campers must reside during that time with an adult approved by the GRAMMY Foundation.

Camps include: Forum discussions, Workshops, Clinics, Panels, and Master Classes with Top Industry Professionals, Individual and small group instruction, Interactivity between various Career Tracks, Media, performance and recording projects, Music business best practices: How to make a living in the music business. For more information and to apply go to

http://www.grammyintheschools.com/programs/grammy-camp.

Deadline to Apply: March 31, 2022 Camp Date: August 2-6, 2022

## The Kim and Harold Louie Family Foundation Scholarship

Awards: approximately \$100,000 in scholarships Eligibility: Senior, enrolling at a U.S. accredited college/university, 3.7 on a 4.0 scale, minimum SAT score of 1300 (out of 1600) or 1800 (out of 2400) or a minimum ACT score of 28- However, if you did not take the SAT or the ACT because the school you will be attending in the fall of 2022 does not require such test scores, please so indicate in the application form. You must submit to interviews in person or by phone/Skype, if requested, and 2 recommendation letters should be included.

Applicants should have demonstrated outstanding personal achievements, academic merit, leadership qualities and/or community service. Special consideration will be noted for applicants who: have parents that are United States veterans or are currently in the U.S. military; have a demonstrated financial need; have parents who did not attend college; or have a documented significant disability.

Go to

http://www.louiefamilyfoundation.org/scholarship-application.

Deadline: March 15, 2022

## Camp ARCH (College of Architecture at Texas A&M) Summer Camp

(Current 9th-11th grade)

Cost: \$1,200

Designed to give students an opportunity to experience the professions of Architect, Construction Science, Landscape Architecture, Urban Planner, and Visualization. Students will experience working together in a studio environment just as professionals in a design or construction firm. Students will stay in dorms on the Texas A&M campus. Participation is limited to 75 students selected on a competitive basis. For information

http://www.arch.tamu.edu/future/camparch/

Date of Camp: July 11-16, 2022 Postmark Deadline: April 1, 2022

#### Texas Women in Public Finance Scholarship

Award: 2 \$1,000 scholarships

Eligibility: Female seniors who have exhibited scholastic achievement and demonstrated leadership skills and will be attending a Texas institution of higher education. Must have a 3.0 on a 4.0 scale. Consideration will be given to those pursuing careers in finance and, more specifically, public finance.

Go to <a href="https://txwpf.com/scholarship">https://txwpf.com/scholarship</a>

for more information. Submit application to:

2020scholarships@txwpf.org

Deadline: April 1, 2022

#### <u>DuGood Federal Credit Union Cash for</u> College Challenge

Award: 7 \$1000 scholarships

Eligibility: Senior, be a primary member of DuGood and in good standing, plan to attend an accredited college, university, or trade school Not a member yet? Get started by opening savings account with just \$5. You'll be asked to complete five tasks. Go to <a href="https://www.dugood.org/scholarship-giveaway">https://www.dugood.org/scholarship-giveaway</a>.

Deadline: April 15, 2022

#### Sweet Briar College Fly-In Program

Sweet Briar College is a private women's college in Sweet Briar, Virginia. If you are interested, the college will cover the cost for you and one parent to visit and coordinate an agenda tailored to your interests. For more information, visit: https://sbc.edu/admissions/fly-in-pro

#### STEM Enhancement in Earth Science Summer High School Intern Program

<u>Eligibility:</u> Have an interest in pursuing Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics careers; Interns are selected on the basis of their academic records, written application that includes written essay questions, introduction video, letter of recommendation and interest in STEM.

This is a nationally competitive STEM program for high school students. The program provides selected students with exposure to Earth and space research. Interns will learn how to interpret NASA satellite data while working with scientists and engineers in their chosen area of work. Interns will work remotely prior to their on-site internship July 18-August 1. Housing, meals, and local transportation will be provided for those selected. A limited number of travel scholarships to Texas are available. The summer intern program will allow interns to view and investigate NASA remote sensing data including CSR analysis of ice sheets, Earth's gravity field, and other satellite observations while being mentored project scientists. http://www.tsgc.utexas.edu/sees-internship/.

Deadline: February 21, 2022

#### PB&J Scholarship

Award: \$500-\$1000

<u>Eligibility:</u> Seniors who have experienced personal challenges that may not have allowed them to perform well academically, but who still have the drive to succeed. Examples of personal challenges include, but are not limited to:

medical issues, peer issues: bullying, change of school, minority status, etc., family issues: divorce, death, lack of income, homelessness, foster care, abuse, etc. AND have the drive to succeed. Must plan to attend an accredited 2 or 4 year college in the fall of 2022.

To apply, go to <a href="http://bit.ly/pbjscholars2020">http://bit.ly/pbjscholars2020</a>

For questions, email Traven Watase at travwatase@gmail.com

Deadline: May 31, 2022

#### **BAF of Texas Undergraduate Scholarship**

Award: 10 \$4000 scholarships

**Eligibility:** Texas resident who plans to major in science, technology, engineering, math, business. 3.25 GPA or higher; must also come from a low income household.

Visit https://baftx.org/undergraduate-scholarship/

Deadline: March 31, 2022

#### **Create Real Impact Scholarship**

(Ages 14-22; enrolled in middle/high school or college)

<u>Awards:</u> 4 \$1,500 grants; 3 Top Online Vote Getter Educational Grants ranging from \$500 to \$1500.

Create an original work showcasing your idea for a SOLUTION or STRATEGY to fix the very real problem of reckless and distracted driving. Categories include: video, music, creative writing, and artwork. For information go to https://createrealimpact.com/contestrules/.

Deadline: April 28, 2022

#### <u>Texas</u> <u>Department</u> <u>of</u> <u>Transportation</u> Conditional Grant Program

Award: \$3000/semester maximum

**Eligibility:** Texas resident who has a minimum overall GPA of a 3.0, 900 SAT or 21 ACT, and has plans to attend an accredited four-year university. Student should intend on majoring in civil engineering (or similar career) and agree to work for TXDOT for two years immediately following the date of receiving their degree.

Visit <a href="https://www.txdot.gov/careers/students.html">https://www.txdot.gov/careers/students.html</a> for more information.

Deadline: March 1, 2022

#### **Capital Farm Credit Scholarship**

**Award:** \$1000

**Eligibility:** Senior with no less than a "B" average. Applicant must demonstrate that they have a tentative plan and goal related to fields in agriculture or natural resources. Two letters of recommendation are required and a 100-200 word essay explaining the following: How has agriculture shaped who you are today? What do you think is the most significant challenge facing agriculture and rural America?

\*\*Application available from Mrs. Hancock OR on the table outside the counselor's office.

Deadline: April 6, 2022

#### The EEqual Scholarship Awards Program

Award: Tuition costs, up to \$8000

**Eligibility:** This scholarship is designed to highlight the incredible potential of young people in the United States who are struggling with homelessness, housing instability, or extreme poverty.

http://eequal.org/scholarships

Deadline: March 1, 2022

#### Billy E. Martin, "You Are My Sunshine" Memorial Scholarship

Award: \$500

**Eligibility:** Write an essay on how your grandparents have influenced your life or a special memory of your grandparents. See application for more information. Application can be found on the high school website OR you can pick up a copy on the table outside the counselor's office.

Deadline: March 31, 2022

#### **Women Building Better Communities Award**

Award: \$1000

Eligibility: Senior, female who has demonstrated her commitment to volunteerism. The winner will be chosen based on volunteer activities, impact of volunteer efforts, continued commitment to volunteerism, and references. Application available

https://www.juniorleaguebeaumont.org/ywbc

Deadline: March 31, 2022

#### **Cruz Events Community Impact Scholarship**

**Award:** \$500

**Eligibility:** First-generation senior who is a Texas resident; This scholarship aims to support first generation students who will be pursuing trade school or the traditional college path. You must write a 400-600-word essay on the following topic: What does being a first generation student mean to you, and how will you share your experience to help others?

Deadline: April 16, 2022

#### **NIADA Foundation Scholarship**

Award: 5-\$3500

Deadline:

Eligibility: 1) Be classified as a high school senior during the current 2021-2022 school year and legally reside in one of the 4 regions indicated above. 2) Have maintained an outstanding academic achievement record as reflected by an official high school transcript; and 3) Demonstrate an aptitude for college work 4) A desire to work in the Automotive Industry <a href="https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/8825/niada\_foundation\_scholarship\_scholarship.php">https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship.php</a>

March 12, 2022

BELOW ARE SOME APPROACHING DEADLINES. THIS DOES NOT INCLUDE EVERY UNIVERSITY. PLEASE CHECK WITH YOUR INSTITUTION TO BE SURE OF DEADLINES. THESE ARE NOT ALWAYS CLEARLY POSTED ON THEIR WEBSITES!

#### March 1<sup>st</sup> Deadlines

Midwestern State University- Priority Admissions
Prairie View A&M- Priority Scholarships
Tarleton State University- Priority Admissions
Texas A&M Univ.- Corpus Christi- Priority
Admissions

Texas State University- Priority Admissions Univ. of Dallas- Admissions & Scholarships Univ.of North Texas- Priority Admissions & Scholarships

The Univ. of Texas- SA-Priority Admissions

#### March 15th Deadlines

Angelo State University- Priority Scholarships

#### April 1st Deadlines

Midwestern State University- Scholarships Texas A&M Texarkana- Priority Admissions

#### April 30th Deadlines

#### May 1<sup>st</sup> Deadlines

Schreiner University- Priority Admissions The Univ. of Texas- El Paso- Priority Admissions St. Edwards University- Final Admissions

#### June 1st Deadlines

Prairie View A&M University- Final Admissions The Univ. of Texas- San Antonio- Final Admissions

The University of Texas- Arlington- Admissions University of Houston- Downtown- Admissions

<u>Circumstances you may want to discuss with a financial aid representative at the college you will attend (after submitting the FAFSA):</u>

-a reduction in income or loss of unemployment -an illness that results in a depletion of assets or an increase in out-of-pocket medical expenses -other major changes in income or assets that may affect your financial aid eligibility

# Hamshire-Fannett HS Website-Counselor & Higher Ed Page

All Longhorn Lookouts with scholarship information will be posted here each month. Any scholarship applications that the counselor's office has available will be posted under "Scholarship Applications" as we receive them. Go to <a href="https://www.hfisd.net">www.hfisd.net</a>, then click on "Schools," "High School," "Departments," then and "Counselor & Higher Ed."

#### We are also available on Facebook AND Twitter

Search for: Hamshire-Fannett High School Counselor/Higher Ed. Coordinator Information

https://www.facebook.com/hflonghorns.counselingoffice.3?ref=bookmarks

(Test dates and reminders of deadlines will be posted throughout the year.)
Twitter: @Hancock HF

Like our page for updates and deadline reminders!

#### **Tuition Exemptions**

The following are Exemption programs offered in Texas. If you think you may be eligible for one of these, contact the financial aid office of the school you are planning to attend. For more information go

http://www.collegeforalltexans.com/index.cfm?objectid=F0EFCF71-D6FB-4079-

BC54E83CEB3A9C2C. Online you can click on the links below to get more information. Listed below are the exemption programs available to Texas residents.

- Adopted Students Formerly under the <u>Conservatorship of the Texas</u> <u>Department of Family and Protective</u> <u>Services (TDFPS)</u>
- Blind/Deaf Student Exemption Program
- Children of Disabled or Deceased Firefighters and Law Enforcement Officers
- Children of Professional Nursing Program Faculty and Staff
- Clinical Preceptors and Their Children
- Combat Exemption for Children of Military Service Members
- Concurrent Enrollment Waiver
- Education Benefits for Certain Survivors of Individuals in Specific Public Servant Positions
- Educational Aide Exemption
- Fee Proration for Students Enrolled in Shorter than Average Terms
- Firefighters Enrolled in Fire Science Courses
- Good Neighbor Program (Students from Other Nations of the American/Western Hemisphere)
- Hazlewood Exemption (for Texas Veterans)
- Highest Ranking High School Graduate
- Irrelevant Fees
- Military: Children of U.S. Military who are Missing in Action or Prisoners of War (MIA/POWs)
- Military: Orphans of Texas Members of the U.S. Armed Forces or National Guard
- Military: Texas National Guard Tuition Assistance Program
- Out-of-District Fees for Certain Students
   Living Outside a Public
   Community/Junior College's Taxing
   District

- <u>Peace Officers and Firefighters Disabled</u> in the Line of Duty
- <u>Peace Officers Enrolled in Law</u>
   <u>Enforcement or Criminal Justice</u>
   Courses
- Senior Citizen, 55 or Older, Tuition Reduction Program
- Senior Citizen, 65 or Older, Free Tuition for 6 Credit Hours
- Senior Citizen, 65 or Older, Free Tuition for Auditing Classes
- Students Enrolled in Courses for Dual High School and College-Level Credit
- TAPS for Tuition Program
- <u>Tuition Exemption for Current or Former Foster Care Students under the Conservatorship of the Texas Department of Family and Protective Services (TDFPS)</u>
- Tuition Reduction for Students Taking More than 15 Hours