

SCHOLARSHIP BULLETIN

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Throughout the academic school year, local, state and federal organizations or agencies provide the opportunity for graduating seniors planning on pursuing post-high school education to apply for scholarships. Although many have financial need as part of their criteria, they all are looking to reward students for personal or academic achievements and/or encourage them to pursue a certain career or degree program.

SPECIAL NOTE: This bulletin will not address the financial aid process which is totally based on need. That process and appropriate forms will be handled through classroom presentations to seniors, newsletters and a special evening program for parents in September.

This bulletin is designed to be a guide for seniors and their parents/guardians for the scholarships that are available to seniors at Lyme/Old Lyme High School. Please read through the various scholarships and make note of the ones that would seem appropriate for you.

The danger of compiling a guide for scholarships at the beginning of a year is that **frequently application deadlines change or scholarships are added or dropped**. Updates will be made to this Bulletin through the Region 18 website (www.region18.org) on the high school counseling department page under the “Financial Aid and Scholarship Information” link.

Stop in the Counseling Office a month before the stated deadline for applications and/or more information.

The Counseling Office will supply a high school transcript for a scholarship when requested by the student. **Please expect a reasonable turn-around time upon request (approximately 2-3 school days)**. Students are responsible for mailing their scholarship application materials, including transcript, unless the instructions specifically state that the Counseling Office should mail the completed application packet.

MacCurdy-Salisbury Educ. Foundation, Old Lyme The Brevillier/Bruestle Fund, Lyme

The MacCurdy-Salisbury Educational Foundation, founded in 1893, was established to serve the purpose of education in the Town of Old Lyme. One of these purposes is awarding of scholarships to students residing in Old Lyme, who are enrolled in institutions of learning beyond high school. The Brevillier and Bruestle Funds were established to aid residents of the Town of Lyme. In 2015 the two foundations merged together under the MacCurdy-Salisbury name. These awards are grant-in-aid, based on both need and merit; they are not automatically assigned for high scholastic attainment per se. Grants are paid to students not to institutions.

Eligibility: Applicants may be considered for scholarship awards who are:

1. Bona fide residents of the Town of Old Lyme or Lyme, Connecticut,
2. Recent graduates of high school or equivalent, and
3. Candidates for further education beyond the high school level.

Qualifications: In making its selection from among eligible applicants, the Foundation will give consideration to:

1. The student's scholastic performance and personal record at high school as indicated by school reports, and
2. The student's financial need as judged by the Foundation pursuant to a recommendation by the Foundation's Financial Aid Officer.

Any senior going on to post-high school education who feels they need some financial assistance should consider applying to the MacCurdy-Salisbury Foundation. Last year, awards ranged between \$200 and \$3,000. The awards are grants and are paid directly to the student--half for the first semester and half for the second. **The awards are renewable.**

Applications and brochures will be made available each year in the Counseling Office. Most families fill out the application in January or February. A short financial needs form and a copy of the family's IRS 1040 will be required. **The application deadline was May 3 in 2024. Please check in the Spring of 2025 for the updated deadline.** Complete instructions for applying for the scholarship are included with the application.

WHERE POSSIBLE, LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS ARE INDICATED BY THE DESIGNATION: (LOL).

Fall Scholarships

Deadlines: September through January

AMERICAN SOCIETY OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, CONNECTICUT CHAPTER—Scholarships are given to college-bound high school seniors who intend to pursue an education leading to a career in Landscape Architecture. **Deadline: October 12**

COCA-COLA SCHOLARS FOUNDATION, INC.—Selection of recipient based on character, personal merit, and background. Application can be downloaded at: www.coca-colascholars.org **Deadline: October 2**

CONNECTICUT/UNITED STATES JUNIOR CHAMBER OF COMMERCE INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP—Two scholarships are awarded to high school seniors planning to further their education at an accredited institution of higher learning. The two winners will have their applications forwarded to the U.S. Senate Foundation for further consideration for awards. **Deadline: January 19**

ELKS NATIONAL FOUNDATION LEGACY AWARDS—awards children and grandchildren of current elks' members \$1,000 scholarships renewable for four years for a total of \$4,000. applications available online only at www.elks.org/enf/scholars **Deadline: February 5**

FIRST SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES—Over 90 colleges and universities, professional association and corporations from the US and Canada provide 450 scholarship opportunities valued at nearly \$9 million to FIRST high school students. Scholarship amounts and application deadlines vary. Up to date lists of scholarships available at www.usfirst.org **Various Deadlines**

IMPERIAL SOVEREIGN COURT OF ALL CONNECTICUT LGBTQA+ SCHOLARSHIP—A \$1000 scholarship is offered to a student who considers themselves part of the LGBTQ and ally community. They will need to be a resident of Connecticut and can show involvement in the LGBTQ community. Students will send a letter to the organization with their contact information and introducing themselves to the organization. The organization would like to hear about the student's accomplishments and goals in life and why they are applying. Send the letter to: secretary@ctimperialcourt.org or mail it to Imperial Sovereign Court, PO Box 4427, Hartford CT 06147. **Deadline: December 31, 2023**

MENSA FOUNDATION—Awards of \$300 locally and \$1,000 nationally are awarded based on an essay of fewer than 550 words, which describes the applicant's career, vocational, or academic goal for which assistance is sought. Applicants do not need to be members of Mensa nor eligible for membership. Not need based, and no minimum GPA requirement. Apply online at: <https://www.mensafoundation.org/what-we-do/scholarships/rules-and-guidelines/> **Deadline: January 15**

PRUDENTIAL EMERGING VISIONARIES AWARD—The Prudential Emerging Visionaries Award Program awards students ages 14-18 WITH UP TO \$15,000 who see potential where others see problems and have an initiative to address a financial or social challenge in their community. **Apply online by November 2** at <https://www.prudential.com/links/about/emergingvisionaries>

RONALD MCDONALD HOUSE LOCAL CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIPS—Seniors who are eligible to attend a two- or four-year college, university or vocational/technical school with a complete course of study may apply for a maximum of one of the following four scholarships. Apply online at <https://rmhly.org/what-we-do/scholarship-program/> **deadline for all is January 18**

- 1) **RMHC/ASIA:** Applicant must have at least one parent of Asian-Pacific heritage;
- 2) **RMHC/Future Achievers:** Applicant must have at least one parent of African American or Black Caribbean heritage;
- 3) **RMHC/HACER:** Applicant must have at least one parent of Hispanic heritage; or
- 4) **RMHC/Scholars:** All students are eligible to apply regardless of race, color, creed, religion, sexual orientation, gender, disability or national origin.

SHORELINE ARTS ALLIANCE— (Available to Juniors and Seniors) Award of \$1,000 made in the areas of Creative Writing, Dance, Music, Theatre and Visual Arts. **Deadline: January 4**—**Note: there is a \$25 application fee**

WESTBROOK ELKS-MOST VALUABLE STUDENT—Nominees are eligible for state and local competition. Scholarship awarded for academic achievement, extra-curricular activities, athletics and community affairs. **Deadline: November 13**

Winter Scholarships
Deadlines: February through April

ALAN MCLEAN KYLE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to a graduating senior who plans to major in any field of engineering. \$500. **Deadline: April 15 (LOL)**

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF FAMILY & CONSUMER SCIENCES: CONNECTICUT AFFILIATE—A \$500 scholarship awarded to 2 graduating seniors planning to major in Family & Consumer Sciences or a related field, e.g. Child or Family Development, Fashion Design, Dietetics, Clothing & Textiles, Home & Living Design, Hotel/Restaurant Management, Cons. & Resource Management. **Deadline: March 15**

AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY—For college-bound seniors of African-American, Hispanic/Latino or Native American descent; must be high achievers in chemistry or science and able to demonstrate financial need. **Deadline: March 1**

ASSOCIATION OF GENERAL CONTRACTORS OF CONN—Applicants must be planning to enter a 4-year building technology or civil engineering program or entering a 2-year technical school with a construction course of study with the intent of entering a 4-year college. **Deadline: February 28**

ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED TEACHERS OF CONNECTICUT GLENN MOON SCHOLARSHIP—For seniors who are seriously pursuing a teaching career. \$2,000 (1); \$1500 (2). **Deadline: March 31**

BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU STUDENT ETHICS AWARD

Honoring high school students in their senior year who personify high ethics demonstrated through leadership, community service, and overall personal integrity and academic history. A student will be selected by an independent panel of judges to receive a scholarship of \$2,500 to an accredited college or university of his or her choice. The student will be required to write an essay of 500 words on a topic described by the CT BBB each year. **Deadline: March 15**

BIG Y SCHOLARSHIP—For outstanding students in the Big Y area. Go to www.bigy.com/education **Deadline: February 1**

CHARTER OAK FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP—Student must be a member or the child of a member of the credit union. Extra-curricular and community service are important. Children of employees excluded. **Deadline: March 13**

COMMUNITY FOUNDATION OF SOUTHEASTERN CONNECTICUT—Numerous scholarships are available to LOLHS students. Check their web site for further information and applications: www.cfsect.org **Deadline: May 1**

CONNECTICUT BAR FOUNDATION JAMES W. COOPER FELLOWS QUINTIN JOHNSTONE ESSAY CONTEST—Open to all Connecticut student enrolled in grades 9-12. Grand prize is \$2,000 and two runner-up prizes are \$1,000 each. Visit the website: www.ctbarfdn.org/essaycontest for details and essay topic. **Deadline: February 22**

CONNECTICUT BUILDING CONGRESS SCHOLARSHIP—Applicants must be planning to attend a two- or four-year program in the construction industry, i.e. architecture, construction management, drafting, city or urban planning, engineering (civil, mechanical, structural, electrical only), and have financial need. (\$500-\$2,000) **Deadline: March 1**

CONNECTICUT CHAPTER AIR & WASTE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION—Awarded to high school seniors pursuing courses of study in science/engineering leading to careers in the environmental field, especially air pollution or waste management. \$1,000. Go to www.awma-nes.org. **Deadline: January 23**

CONNECTICUT CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CENTER ISIDORE WISE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM—Three \$10,000 awards given to current or past patients of Connecticut Children's Medical Center. **Deadline: March 7**

CONNECTICUT CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATIONAL & CHARITABLE ASSOC. RACHAEL & CHRISTOPER CAIN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD—One \$1000 award awarded annually by the Connecticut Criminal Justice Educational & Charitable Association, Inc. to high school seniors or undergraduates enrolling or enrolled in college and planning to major in any criminal justice or related fields. **Deadline: April 26**

CONNECTICUT CRIMINAL JUSTICE EDUCATIONAL & CHARITABLE ASSOC. JOHN M. BAILEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD—Three \$1000 awards awarded annually by the Connecticut Criminal Justice Educational & Charitable Association, Inc. to high school seniors or undergraduates enrolling or enrolled in college and planning to major in any criminal justice or related fields. **Deadline: April 26**

CONNECTICUT FOREST & PARK ASSOCIATION JAMES L. AND GENEVIEVE H. GOODWIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to a student enrolling in undergraduate or graduate curriculum in silviculture or forest resource management. Awards are \$1,000 to \$3,000. **Deadline: March 20**

CONNECTICUT HIGH SCHOOL COACHES ASSOCIATION SCHOLAR-ATHLETE SCHOLARSHIP—Minimum GPA 3.2 and must have earned at least one varsity letter in a CIAC sport and must have participated in at least two varsity seasons of any one sport. **Deadline: March 21**

CONNECTICUT NURSERYMEN'S FOUNDATION LUD AND MARIE HOFFMAN SCHOLARSHIP—A \$5,000 grant renewable for four years of study (total \$20,000) to a graduating Connecticut senior. Course of study must be beneficial to the horticulture industry. Students attending U Conn will have the grant matched. **Deadline: March 5**

CONNECTICUT NURSERYMEN'S FOUNDATION HOWARD JENNINGS SCHOLARSHIP—A \$500.00 one-time grant awarded to a CT student who has been accepted by UCONN, majoring in the field of Horticulture in either the 2 or 4-year program. **Deadline: March 5**

CONNECTICUT NURSERYMEN'S FOUNDATION MICHAEL JOHNSON SCHOLARSHIP—A \$2,500 per semester, renewable each semester for 2-4 years, this scholarship given to a student who loves plants and is interested in going into the nursery/horticulture field at a 2-year or 4-year institute or trade school. **Deadline: March 5**

CONNECTICUT PARKS ASSOCIATION DENNIS MALONE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—Open to applicants who are graduating high school seniors planning to attend accredited colleges pursuing careers in park management, forestry, horticulture, agronomy or a closely related field. **Deadline: April 19**

CONNECTICUT SPORTS WRITERS' ALLIANCE—Awarded to seniors planning to major in Print (Sports) Journalism at a 4-year college. Web site: www.ctsportswriters.org . **Deadline: March 22**

CONNECTICUT SOCIETY FOR RESPIRATORY CARE SCHOLARSHIP—A \$1,000.00 scholarship awarded to a graduating senior planning to become a Respiratory Therapist, who will be entering a Connecticut Respiratory Care Program in September. **Deadline: April 1**

CONNECTICUT STATE USBC (BOWLING ASSOCIATION)—For male or female high school seniors who are the son, daughter, granddaughter or grandson of a currently sanctioned member of the Connecticut State Bowling Association. **Deadline: March 31**

CONNECTICUT WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP—The Connecticut Water Works Association and the Connecticut Section of the American Water Works have established a scholarship for eligible high school seniors who plan to pursue an approved course of study at an accredited higher education institution directly related to environmental science, water resources, public health or the water industry. Students must have a GPA of at least 3.0. **Deadline: March 15.**

CONNECTICUT WOMEN'S HALL OF FAME EILEEN KRAUS SCHOLARSHIP—Must submit a two-page, 1,000-word essay detailing how an inductee of the Women's Hall of Fame inspired them and the goals they hope to achieve in their fields of study. **Deadline: February 15**

DARE GREATLY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP—The purpose of this scholarship is to provide financial assistance to students who demonstrate strength of character, volunteerism, community involvement, and more. The funds can be used to cover the cost of tuition, books, and other educational expenses for the recipients. This scholarship is open to all Connecticut students attending a higher education program. **Deadline: April 15**

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL: ETA CHAPTER —Awarded to two high school seniors accepted at accredited institutions of higher learning and planning to major in education or related fields of study. **Deadline: April 26**

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL (THE ELIZABETH SONIER GRANT) —Awarded to a senior pursuing a degree in music education. A \$750, renewable grant. **Deadline: April 10**

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL (THE HANNAH GRISWOLD GRANT) —Awarded to a senior minority student pursuing a degree in education. A \$750, renewable grant. **Deadline: April 10**

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL (THE LEE FORMICA GRANT)—Awarded to a senior student entering a planned program for teaching communications, which includes, but is not limited to, English, reading, computer graphics, journalism and ESL. A \$500 grant. **Deadline: April 10**

DELTA KAPPA GAMMA SOCIETY INTERNATIONAL (THE MARGARET ROSE NIELSEN GRANT)—Awarded to a senior planning on majoring in Math, Science, or Technology Education. A \$500 grant. **Deadline: April 10**

DOMINION NUCLEAR CT ENGINEERING TECHNOLOGY SCHOLARSHIP—Scholarship will pay for tuition, fees and books at Three Rivers Community Technical College for a student to receive a two-year Associate in Science Degree in Nuclear Engineering Technology. Student will receive a monthly stipend during the school year. **Deadline: February 26**

DUCK RIVER GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP—A college bound senior planning on majoring in one of the Horticulture, Forestry or other Agricultural fields, i.e. Botany, Biology, Environmental Science or Environmental Engineering, Landscape Architecture or Design, Ecology and related STEM fields, Natural Resources Management and Sustainability, etc. \$1,500 **Deadline: April 15 (LOL)**

DUTCH POINT CREDIT UNION DOROTHY J. SULLIVAN SCHOLARSHIP--\$1,000 award given to high school seniors who are members in good standing of the Dutch Point Credit Union. The criteria are based on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, work experience and an essay of not more than 300 words about why going to college is important to you and how college will influence your future. **Deadline: April 30**

EASTERN CT USBC ASSOCIATION SCHOLAR OF THE YEAR—Applicants shall be currently certified members of the Eastern Connecticut USBC Association and currently bowling in a Youth League in one of the bowling centers governed by the Eastern CT USBC Association OR applicant's mother or father is a certified member of the Eastern Connecticut USBC Association and currently bowling in a league in one of the bowling centers governed by the Eastern CT USBC Association. Applicants must be entering an institution of higher learning in the summer or fall following high school graduation. **Deadline: April 1**

ENVIRONMENTAL SUSTAINABILITY ACHIEVEMENT SCHOLARSHIP—This award is given in memory of Nancy Gergler and is awarded to a senior who has demonstrated through individual acts and community involvement a deep commitment to improving the quality of our planet. Essay required. **Deadline: April 15**

EUGENE ATWOOD FUND--LOAN—Interest free loans to New London County students who will be or are attending college. For an application write to Eugene Atwood Fund, Box 270, New London, CT 06320. **Deadline: February 28**

EUGENE ATWOOD INNOVATION AWARD FOR TOOLS / EQUIPMENT IN THE TRADES--This award provides funding to purchase necessary tools/equipment for students pursuing a career in a trade related program or profession. The process requires a student essay, the list of requested tools/equipment to include costs as well as a recommendation from the student's Principal, Guidance Counselor or Teacher with their application. The amount of money awarded is dependent on the amount of funding available per year which may range from \$250-\$5000 and is at the discretion of the Trade/Tech Committee. If chosen, funds will be distributed directly to student by July 1st. **Applications begin January 1st and end February 28.**

EVERETT F. "RED" LATOURETTE SCHOLARSHIP FUND—Awards two graduating high school seniors residing in Lyme or Old Lyme, with GPA of 85 or higher, active in community service, and must have participated in Little League at any level (Softball, T-Ball, Baseball, Coach, Umpire), and be admitted to an accredited institution of higher learning. **Deadline to Counseling Office: April 15 (LOL)**

FRIENDS OF MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP—Two \$500 scholarship awarded to students who have demonstrated excellence in the LOLHS music program and challenged themselves academically. Community service will be considered. Preference given to student who will be continuing music studies as a major or elective in college. **Deadline: April 15 (LOL)**

GEORGE COLEMAN SCHOLARSHIP—Each year, the New England Association of Collegiate Registrars and Admissions Officers awards scholarships to three (3) high school graduates who will be enrolling in a NEACRAO member institution for the fall semester of that year. Each high school graduate who is selected is awarded \$2,000. Each recipient of the scholarship is selected from candidates who are recommended by New England secondary school guidance professionals. **Deadline: March 1**

GREATER OLD SAYBROOK CHAMBER LYME-OLD LYME BUSINESS LEADERSHIP AWARD—A \$1,000 award will be given to a graduating senior of the Lyme-Old Lyme High School who has demonstrated achievement in economics, business, technology or a closely related area who plans to pursue a career in business studies or a related field. Student shall have demonstrated ability to balance and integrate academics with community service and his or her entrepreneurial skills. **Deadline: April 12 (LOL)**

GREATER OLD SAYBROOK CHAMBER LYME-OLD LYME SCHOLARSHIP FOR PROMISE & ACHIEVEMENT IN THE ARTS—For residents of Lyme or Old Lyme, this senior award is given to a student who is taking or has taken an Advanced Placement (AP) art course and who has demonstrated achievement in the fine arts. Applicants must be entering college in the fall to pursue a Bachelor of Fine Arts degree at an accredited art school or college. **Deadline: April 12 (LOL)**

HARTFORD GAY AND LESBIAN HEALTH COLLECTIVE SCHOLARSHIP—For Connecticut resident high school seniors who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender, or come from an LGBT family, or consider themselves an ally of the LGBT community. **Deadline: April 30**

HEALTH CARE ADVOCATES INTERNATIONAL Dr. GARY BLICK SCHOLARSHIP—This generous \$10,000 scholarship is awarded to a Connecticut resident who is a graduating senior and who plans to attend an accredited 4-year college or university. Must demonstrate financial need via the FAFSA. Must have a 3.0 minimum GPA and have demonstrated advocacy and/or allyship for LGBTQ+ community through group membership, participation in awareness campaigns, efforts to fight stigma and discrimination, etc. **Deadline: April 15**

HISPANIC ALLIANCE OF SOUTHEASTERN CONNECTICUT-- The Hispanic Alliance Scholarship Fund has awarded 300+ scholarships to promising Hispanic graduating high school students, current college students, and returning students who pursue higher education at 2-year colleges, 4-year colleges, or accredited training programs. Applicants must plan to enroll full-time in an accredited college or university during the fall of a scholarship cycle. **Deadline: February 23**

JOE LIEBERMAN CONNECTICUT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM—U.S. Senator Joe Lieberman, serving 1989-2013, has established the Joe Lieberman Connecticut Scholarship Fund to assist outstanding high school seniors from Connecticut who plan to continue their education in college or vocational school programs. Generous donations to the fund support the renewable \$1,500 scholarships which are awarded for full-time study at an accredited institution of the student's choice. **Deadline: March 30**

KEY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to Key Club members. For additional info, go to www.keyclub.org. **Deadline: February 1 for the New England District Scholarship application; Various deadlines for other Key Club-related scholarships**

KIWANIS CLUB OF NEW LONDON N. B. KING SCHOLARSHIP—Awarded to seniors at New London, Waterford, East Lyme, St. Bernard's, Lyme-Old Lyme or Grasso Tech High Schools, also college students or returning-to-college students. **Deadline: April 30**

LYSB YOUTH LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP—Two scholarships awarded to graduating seniors, accepted into an accredited post secondary institution. Must have demonstrated community involvement and leadership through service and volunteering. Applicants must have a cumulative average of 75 or higher. Amount varies. Apply online at <https://forms.gle/1hyPLSEz3RbG87V26> **Deadline: April 15 (LOL)**

NATHAN HALE BRANCH OF THE CONNECTICUT SOCIETY OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION: 700-1000 word essay contest for graduating seniors. Original researched and proven essay which shall deal with an event, person, philosophy, or ideal associated with the American Revolution, the Declaration of Independence, or the framing of the United States Constitution. Connecticut related topic preferred but not required. See application for details. **Deadline: March 31.**

NEW ENGLAND CHAPTER-NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF WATER COMPANIES (NENAWC)—Scholarship awarded to graduating high school seniors in CT, MA, ME, NH and RI with a minimum 3.0 GPA. Preference will be given to applicants who are actively pursuing an approved course of study at an accredited higher education institution directly related to drinking water, water engineering, environmental studies or waste water. **Deadline: March 15**

NEW LONDON COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF RETIRED TEACHERS—For students who plan to study for the teaching profession at an accredited four-year college. **Deadline: April 19**

OLD LYME AREA CABLE ADVISORY COUNCIL SCHOLARSHIP—Up to \$3000 for a senior continuing education after high school graduation. Open to residents in Old Lyme Area cable franchise area: East Haddam, Haddam Neck, Lyme, Old Lyme, and Salem. The applicant need not be a subscriber. There is no requirement for the program of study to be within a college degree program. **Deadline: April 1**

OLD LYME HISTORICAL SOCIETY—Awarded to seniors of LOLHS pursuing college degrees in any field of History. **Deadline to Counseling Office: April 15 (LOL)**

PHI DELTA KAPPA STATE OF CONNECTICUT CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP—For high school seniors who plan to major in education in college. **Deadline April 1**

PROFESSIONAL WOMEN IN CONSTRUCTION CONNECTICUT CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP—For any student, male or female, who plans to pursue a degree in the area of Construction, Construction Management, Architecture, or Civil, Mechanical, Structural or Electrical Engineering. **Deadline: March 15**

REID MACCLUGGAGE BLACK HISTORY AWARD—Juniors and Seniors from a list of area schools (see application for list) are eligible to enter an original essay, short story, novella, play, movie script or poem based on the theme: the African-American experience in the maritime world. **Deadline: February 28**

ROTARY CLUB OF OLD SAYBROOK SCHOLARSHIPS—Awarded to 2 high school seniors from the area (one two-year award, one four-year award) displaying academic ability, leadership, extracurricular involvement, resourcefulness and need for aid. **Deadline: April 19**

SCIENT FEDERAL CREDIT UNION SCHOLARSHIP—Four \$500 scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors who are members in good standing of the Scient Federal Credit Union, have a GPA of at least 3.0, have demonstrated a commitment to his/her community and have been accepted as an incoming freshman to a college, university or vocational school. Employees, volunteers and immediate family members of the Scient Federal Credit Union are ineligible to apply. **Deadline: March 31**

SHORELINE MATH SCHOLARSHIP—The Shoreline Math Scholarship in the amount of \$500 was established by the Shoreline Heads of Math Departments. They are a community of educators interested in increasing math achievements of our students through collaboration and sharing. The purpose of this scholarship is to reward the love of mathematics and encourage continued education in the field. **Deadline: April 30**

SILVER PEN WRITING COMPETITION—Sponsored by retirement community Evergreen Woods, this writing competition brings three monetary awards. First place receives \$2,500, second place receives \$750 and third place receives \$500. High school seniors who live within 25 miles of Evergreen Woods in Branford are eligible. Students must write an original essay of 1000 words or more on the chosen topic. **Deadline: February 10.**

SIMON YOUTH COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP—The Clinton Crossing Premium Outlets has partnered with Simon Youth Foundation to bring you the Simon Youth Community Scholarship program. A one-time award of up to \$1500 will be given to one high school senior who lives near Clinton Crossing Premium Outlets or a nearby community. The student must plan to attend an accredited university, two or four-year college, or technical or vocational school. Apply online at syf.org/scholarships **Deadline: February 16**

SOCIETY OF MAYFLOWER DESCENDANTS IN THE STATE OF CONNECTICUT—For Connecticut high school seniors who have confirmed plans to attend a college or university, \$1,250 will be awarded for each of three scholarships:

- 1) **The Mrs. Henry Griggs Isham Scholarship**
- 2) **The Bernice Andrews Livingston Rieg Scholarship**
- 3) **The Jordon Konov Scholarship**

Academic achievement, extra-curricular involvement, community service and financial need will be considered in the review of each application. **Deadline: March 1**

SOUTH EAST CONNECTICUT JUNIOR SOCCER ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP—the SECJSA Board of Directors offers five \$500 scholarships for high school seniors who have played soccer with a South East Connecticut Junior Soccer Association affiliated club and who is planning to pursue post-secondary education at a college or university. **Deadline: April 30**

STEPHEN PHILLIPS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP FUND, INC.—The Stephen Phillips Memorial Scholarship Fund offers renewable, four-year scholarships to students with financial need who display academic achievement, a commitment to serving others, a strong work ethic, grit and passion for overcoming obstacles and/or achieving future goals, and leadership qualities. **Early Response Deadline: April 3, Late Submission Deadline: May 1**

THE BLACK ENGAGEMENT COUNCIL OF ELECTRIC BOAT SCHOLARSHIP—New London County High School Seniors of African-American descent who have been accepted to a college or university for the fall after graduation and who have a minimum GPA of 2.5 are eligible to apply. Two winners will be selected and the amount of each scholarship may vary each year, but a total of approximately \$4,500 will be awarded. **Deadline: March 29**

THE REGIONAL MULTICULTURAL MAGNET SCHOOL FOUNDATION RICHARD SPINDLER-VIRGIN SCHOLARSHIP AWARD—A \$1,000.00 scholarship will be awarded to each of two graduating seniors who currently attend a high school in the Southeastern Connecticut area and who attended the Regional Multicultural Magnet School (RMMS) in New London. **Deadline: April 15 (received by date)**

THREE RIVERS COLLEGE FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP—Awards scholarships ranging in amount from \$500 to full tuition to students who fill a variety of criteria. There are a number of different scholarships listed on the application. **Deadline: April 1**

TYLER CARNESE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—A \$1,000 scholarship established in memory of past LOLHS graduate, Tyler Carnese. For a “well rounded student in pursuit of their passion.” **Deadline: April 15 (LOL)**

UAW LOCAL 571 MARINE DRAFTSMEN’S ASSOCIATION JOHN F. SAFFOMILLA AND E. ROY COVILLE SCHOLARSHIP—Awards of \$2500 and \$5000 given to students whose parent or legal guardian is a Local 571 member in good standing. **Deadline: April 26**

UCONN ECE SCHOLARSHIPS—These scholarships are intended to celebrate the academic achievement, creativity, and application of one's UCONN ECE experience various areas of study. Students must be enrolled in at least one UCONN ECE course during the current school year, sustaining an A average in any and all UCONN ECE courses in which the student is currently enrolled and has taken or is currently enrolled in the list of ECE courses shown on the application. There are three separate scholarships covering three categories of study, as shown on the applications. Applications are online at <https://ece.uconn.edu/students-parents/student-scholarships/> **Deadline: March 9**

UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT: 100 YEARS OF WOMEN SCHOLARSHIP—Open to UCONN undergraduate and graduate students, as well as to high school seniors planning to enroll at UCONN. Student shall have demonstrated a commitment to women’s issues through service to school and/or community. See www.womenscenter.uconn.edu. **Deadline: March 4**

VALLEY SHORE WOMENS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP—Two \$1,000.00 scholarships awarded to graduating seniors with a G.P.A. of 75 or above and based on demonstration of service to the community. **Deadline: April 15 (LOL)**

VICKI SOTO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—The Stratford-based Vicki Soto Memorial Scholarship is a four-year renewable scholarship for \$12,000. One recipient from the state of Connecticut and one recipient from around the country will receive a renewable scholarship for \$12,000. All recipients of the scholarship must be pursuing a college degree at an accredited university in the field of education and demonstrate excellence in academics, extracurricular activities and leadership skills. The recipients must also demonstrate the spirit to Live, Laugh, and Love both life and education the way Vicki did. **Deadline: Received by April 16**

VIRGINIA R. ROLLEFSON ENVIRONMENTAL LEADERSHIP SCHOLARSHIP—This scholarship, sponsored by the Lower Connecticut River Valley Rockfall Foundation, is given in memory of Virginia R. Rollefson, who was the former Executive Director of the Rockfall Foundation for 24 years. The scholarship recognizes a high school junior or senior for his/her participation in a program, project or activity that benefits conservation, preservation, restoration or environmental education. **Deadline: March 28 by noon**

VIRTUAL HIGH SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM—Seniors who are either currently enrolled in a VHS course or who have successfully completed a VHS course during their junior or senior year can answer the question: “How did your VHS teacher or site coordinator impact your online learning experience?” and submit the answer in either a video, slide presentation or audio file for a chance to win up to \$1,000. **Deadline: April 30**

WESTBROOK ELKS LODGE #1784 LOCAL SCHOLARSHIP—The Westbrook Elks Scholarship awards \$1,500 each to a male and female who are high school seniors going to college and who exhibit the core values of Knowledge, Charity, Community and Integrity. **Deadline: third Friday in April by 4:00 p.m.**

WESTBROOK EMBLEM CLUB—Students nominated must be outstanding in areas of citizenship, school & community involvement, academic achievement & extracurricular and/or athletic activities. **Deadline: April 1**

WILLIAM H. CHAPMAN FOUNDATION—Provides financial assistance to scholars of New London County, CT for post-secondary education in both academics and the trades. Awards range from \$500 to \$2,500 and are renewable for up to four years. Awards are based on academic achievement and financial need. **Application materials must be received by the Foundation no later than April 1.**

WORKERS’ MEMORIAL DAY ESSAY CONTEST—Each year three awards are given for essays written on given topics that have to do with workers’ safety and workers’ rights. The awards are in the amount of \$1500, \$1000 and \$500. **Deadline: April 1**

Spring Scholarships
Deadlines: May--August

AQUARION WATER COMPANY ENVIRONMENTAL CHAMPION AWARD—Aquarian Water Company is offering a \$1000 award to a student in one of grades 9-12 in Connecticut who has worked to protect or restore Connecticut’s natural resources. Anyone can nominate a student and self-nominations are welcome. For more information or to nominate someone, go to www.aquarionwater.com. **Deadline for nominations is May 1**

BLACK HALL CLUB, INC. CARL G. ANDERSON SCHOLARSHIP—Given to a senior in high school who is either a member of the high school golf team or be employed in some capacity at a golf course. Student must be accepted at a college they plan to attend in the following fall. **Deadline: May 1st by 5:00 p.m.**

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE OF EASTERN CONNECTICUT—This \$1,250 scholarship is awarded to students who are planning to attend college or a technical, vocational or apprenticeship program. Criteria include: academic persistence, community involvement, career interest and financial need. **Deadline: May 15**

CHESLA SCHOLARSHIP—Sponsored by the Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority offering up to \$3,000 in scholarship money, depending on family income. Students eligible for a Federal Pell Grant per their FAFSA application submission and have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 are eligible to apply. Must be planning to attend a Connecticut college or university. **Deadline: May 1**

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH-GRAVES MEMORIAL/LADIES GUILD SCHOLARSHIPS—Active participant of Christ the King Church in Old Lyme who will be attending a two or four-year college or technical school. Selection will be made on the type of service given to church, school, and community. Amount varies. **Deadline: May 8 (LOL)**

CHRIST THE KING CHURCH PARACELUS SCHOLARSHIP—Active participant of the Christ the King Church in Old Lyme who will be attending full time at an accredited institute of higher learning for the study of the natural sciences. Amount varies. **Deadline: May 8 (LOL)**

CHRISTOPHER POTVIN SCHOLAR-ATHLETE SCHOLARSHIP—The Christopher Potvin Scholarship Fund was established in March 1987 in memory of Christopher Potvin who was fatally injured in an automobile accident on his way to school on the morning of January 6, 1987. This scholarship was created to reward student-athletes as they enter college. \$1,000 **Deadline: May 1**

CONNECTICUT ASSOCIATION FOR HEALTH, PE, RECREATION & DANCE MARY BENEVENTO SCHOLARSHIP—A \$1,000 scholarship awarded to a graduating senior who plans to attend a Connecticut college or university and major in school health, PE, recreation or dance. **Deadline: June 15**

CONNECTICUT ASSOCIATION FOR HEALTH, PE, RECREATION & DANCE GIBSON-LAEMEL SCHOLARSHIP—A \$1,000 scholarship awarded to a graduating senior who plans to attend a Connecticut college or university and major in school health, PE, recreation or dance. **Deadline: June 15**

CONNECTICUT ASSOCIATION OF LATINOS IN HIGHER EDUCATION--A \$1,000 scholarship is awarded to a Latino high school senior in CT who will be graduating from high school or achieving a GED equivalent diploma and who will be attending an undergraduate program full time in the fall. **Deadline: May 30**

CONNECTICUT CHILDREN'S MEDICAL CENTER REACH FOR THE STARS SURVIVORSHIP SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM—Scholarships in the amount of \$500 each will be awarded to deserving high school seniors who are past or present cancer patients of the Division of Hematology/Oncology at Connecticut Children's Medical Center. Applications are available online at www.connecticutchildrensfoundation.org/REACH **Deadline: May 1**

CONNECTICUT EDUCATION FOUNDATION, INC. MINORITY SCHOLARSHIP—A \$500.00 award to graduating minority high school student accepted at a Connecticut college or university who intend to enter the teaching profession. **Deadline May 1**

CONNECTICUT ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION—For students interested in pursuing a career in environmental health. **Deadline: July 31**

CONNECTICUT PROFESSIONAL TIMBER PRODUCERS ASSOCIATION NATURAL RESOURCES SCHOLARSHIP—The Connecticut Professional Timber Producers Association is offering two \$500 scholarships to Connecticut high school students who are planning on attending a two or four-year school of higher education in the field of natural resources. **Deadline May 31**

CONNECTICUT RESOURCE CONSERVATION AND DEVELOPMENT, INC. SCHOLARSHIP—Two \$500 scholarships will be awarded to high school seniors or college students attending school in Connecticut. Students must be pursuing a career in agriculture or conservation. **Deadline May 3 by 4:00 p.m.**

DONALD B. WILBUR SCHOLARSHIP--\$1,000 will be awarded to graduating seniors who intend to enroll in full-time study at an accredited institution of higher education with the goal of majoring in engineering or a technology-related field. This is also a need-based scholarship. **Deadline: May 17**

HEALTH COLLECTIVE SCHOLARSHIP—Scholarships given to students identifying as LBGQTQIA+ and who are planning to attend college or a vocational school. **Deadline: June 20**

KLINER FAMILY COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP—An award of at least \$250.00 to senior who plans to attend UCONN and has demonstrated a record of community service. **Deadline: May 1**

LIBERTY BANK KINDNESS SCHOLARSHIP—Liberty Bank offers this \$5000 scholarship to students who are committed to giving back and making a difference in their communities because a little bit of kindness goes a long way. **Deadline: May 24**

LYME/OLD LYME LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIPS—**Deadline: May 15**

- 1) **HAROLD J. NICKERSON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**—A scholarship awarded based on a combination of scholastic and athletic achievement. (LOL)
- 2) **RALPH P. KEHOE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**—Any graduating senior who has been accepted as a full-time student at a post high school accredited institution, including one-year non-degree programs, may apply. All students who feel they have a solid academic record and have been involved in some community and/or school activities are highly encouraged to apply. (LOL)
- 3) **LEW KRAUSE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**—The scholarship is offered in memory of one of the greatest Lions to belong to the LOL Lions Club. In honor of his profession, the primary criteria for award eligibility is a desire to pursue an undergraduate degree in communications. Other criteria that will affect the decision include community service, academics, and athletics. (LOL)
- 4) **DONALD MCCUE MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**—This scholarship is offered in memory of Donald McCue, a man dedicated to his community. (LOL)

MEGGIE DAWN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP—For a high school senior attending an accredited 4-year college in education, social sciences or therapy services. Selection will be based on academic achievement, leadership, contributions to school and community service and interest in assisting other to reach their full potential in living a productive life. **Deadline: May 1**

MIDDLESEX SHORELINE (MIDD-SHORE) ASSOCIATION OF REALTORS—For children or grandchildren of realtors. **Deadline: May 16**

MILTON FISHER SCHOLARSHIP FOR INNOVATION AND CREATIVITY— \$500 to \$5,000 scholarships awarded to high school juniors and seniors who have solved artistic, scientific or technical problems in new or unusual ways and/or have come up with distinctive solutions to problems faced by their schools, communities or families. **Deadline: May 15**

NEW LONDON COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION—For graduating seniors in New London County who plan to pursue a career in the law. This is a one-time scholarship in the amount of \$1,000. **Deadline: May 15**

NEW LONDON COUNTY TAX COLLECTORS' ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP—One scholarship per year is awarded to a senior in high school who lives in New London County and is planning on continuing his or her education beyond high school. This \$250 award is based on an essay written by the student on the following topic: How State and local taxes can affect my education. **Deadline: May 1**

PFLAG HELEN & BOB BRILL SCHOLARSHIP—For students graduating from high school and planning to attend a college/technical school/accredited post-high school program. Must be active in school or community regarding LGBTIA issues. **Deadline: May 3**

REGINALD C. LACASSE "COACH REG" SCHOLARSHIP—The Lyme-Old Lyme Booster Club will award \$1000 each to one male athlete and one female athlete who made an impact in their sport and who will be attending a 2 or 4-year institution in the fall following graduation. **Deadline: May 22**

SHORELINE DENTAL SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP—The Shoreline Dental Society has established a \$1000 scholarship awarded to a senior in the Shoreline area who intends to pursue post-high school education in the field of dentistry, including assisting, hygiene, lab technology, etc. **Deadline: May 9**

TRIANGLE COMMUNITY CENTER SCHOLARSHIP FUND—Provides scholarships to gay, lesbian, transgender and bisexual persons attending accredited vocation, undergraduate or graduate programs in CT. **Deadline Return to Counseling Office: May 10**

VISITING NURSES OF THE LOWER VALLEY JUDITH MCCANN HEISER NURSING SCHOLARSHIP—Provides scholarships to graduating seniors who plan to pursue a career in nursing. **Deadline: May 24**

This bulletin is intended to draw your attention to local, regional and state-level scholarships for which LOLHS students are/may be eligible. It is not intended to include national-level scholarships or contests, inclusion of which is prohibitive due to sheer volume. If you are interested in pursuing such information please see below.

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