Teton High School

Scholarship Bulletin

October 2021

General rule of thumb for seniors searching for scholarships......

Check the websites of the schools you are applying to, or call their financial aid office or admissions office, and inquire about scholarships they may have available for incoming freshman. Also, please note the majority of the scholarships in the Teton High School Scholarship Bulletin are outside scholarships, meaning you can use these scholarships at the school of your choice and are not college specific. It is not possible to list all scholarships offered by individual colleges and universities in the Scholarship Bulletin.

College Application Week Oct. 18-22

SEIdaho College Fair Wed. Oct. 20th in Idaho Falls, sign up to ride the bus

FAFSA help night: Thur. Oct. 21st, 4:00-8:00 in the THS computer lab.

Due in October

Coca-Cola Scholarship

Students must apply online http://www.coca-colascholarsfoundation.org/applicants Teton High School CEEB# is 130170 and you will need this on the application. They are offering \$4000-\$20,000 scholarships for students that can be used at any accredited U.S. School. Employment is considered when applying. Must have a 3.0 GPA.

Deadline: October 31, 2021

Due in November

The Elks National Foundation Scholarship \$1,000-\$50,000

The Elks National Foundation will award 500 four-year scholarships to the highest-rated applicants in the 2018 competition.

- Any high school senior who is a citizen of the United States is eligible to apply.
- Applicants need not be related to a member of the Elks.
- Applicants must be citizens of the United States on the date their applications are signed; permanent legal resident status does not qualify.
- Male and female students compete separately.

To apply go to: http://www.elks.org/ENF/scholars/mvs.cfm

Deadline: November 15, 2021

Jack Kent Cooke Foundation Scholarship

The Jack Kent Cooke Foundation College Scholarship Program is an undergraduate scholarship program available to high-achieving high school seniors with financial need who seek to attend and graduate from the nation's best four-year colleges and universities. Selected from a nationwide pool of applicants, over 60 students will become Jack Kent Cooke Scholars and have access to funding for up to four years for undergraduate studies.

For information and to apply, go to: http://www.jkcf.org/scholarship-programs/college-scholarship/

Deadline: November 18, 2021

Idaho FFA Scholarship Opportunities

There are many Idaho FFA Scholarships available. If you are a member of FFA, see eligibility guidelines by going to growidahoffa.org

Deadline: November 30, 2021

Due in December

Hagan Scholarship Foundation

Up to \$40,000

Helping Rural Students Graduate College Debt Free

The Hagan Scholarship is a nationwide, need based, merit scholarship; each scholarship will help pay the unmet financial need of the recipient, up to \$5,000 each semester. The intended recipient of a Hagan Scholarship is a high achieving, self-motivated student with high goals in need of financial assistance in order to attend college.

- 1. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
- 2. Must attend an Eligible Public High School; Teton High School is eligible
- 3. Must be a student in the 2022 high school graduating class.
- 4. Must have achieved a high school GPA of 3.50 or higher.
- 5. Must have scored 23 or higher on the ACT (Composite Score); or 1,200 on the SAT.
- 6. Must enroll in a four-year college the first semester following high school graduation.
- 7. Must work 240 hours in the twelve months prior to the start of college.
- 8. Must provide the FAFSA SAR showing the EFC. Must be Pell Grant eligible.
- 9. Must apply for eligible Federal and State grants.
- 10. Must not have been convicted of a felony.

For information and to apply, go to: haganscholarships.org

Deadline: December 1, 2021

Barbara Lotze Scholarship For Future Teachers

American Association of Physics Teachers will award scholarships in the amount of \$2,000 each. Applicants must declare their intent to prepare for, and engage in, a career in physics teaching at the high school level and must, at the time the scholarship funds are received by the student, be:

- an undergraduate student enrolled in an accredited college, or a high school senior accepted for such
- planning to pursue a course of study leading toward a career in physics teaching in the high schools.
- showing promise of success in their studies.
- a citizen of the United States of America.

For information and to apply go to: www.aapt.org/Programs/grants/lotze.cfm

Deadline: December 1, 2021

National Space Club Scholarship

The National Space Club and Foundation has offered the opportunity for a student to give the keynote address at the National Space Club and Foundation's annual Goddard Memorial Dinner, one of the space industry's most prestigious gatherings. The student must intend to pursue a career in the Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics (STEM) fields, be academically strong and excel in public speaking. In addition to speaking at the Goddard Memorial Dinner, the individual selected will also receive a scholarship, in the **amount of \$10,000**. This scholarship is awarded to a U.S. citizen, and is open to seniors in High School through graduate students studying at an accredited educational institution in the United States, who has definite plans to pursue a career in the STEM fields.

- Completed application and video must be uploaded to the National Space Club and Foundation website by December 3, 2021.
- If chosen to continue, the recipient must be available to speak with the NSCF executive committee for a live audition via video conference on January 2022
- The recipient must be available to speak at the 2022 Goddard Memorial Dinner (date to be determined). Travel and lodging for the recipient and one guest will be provided by the National Space Club and Foundation.

To apply go to: www.spaceclub.org/scholarship

Deadline: December 3, 2021

The Science Ambassador Scholarship

A full—tuition scholarship for a woman in science, technology, engineering, or math. You must be a US citizen and plan to attend college this fall in the US. You must plan to major in a STEM field. Film a three—minute educational video of yourself explaining a STEM topic you're passionate about. You must be a high school senior or an undergraduate college student to apply. Your video should be:

- A mini-lecture, not a personal statement. Pretend you're a lecturer speaking to a class. Teach us something.
- Clear, creative, accurate, and a demonstration of your passion for the subject. We value novel, memorable approaches to topics. Your video doesn't need to be fancy or high–tech. Production value is not a factor.
- Three minutes or less in length.
- About any STEM topic, not necessarily your field of study. Pick a topic that excites and fascinates you. We don't need to hear about the latest thing in science news (unless that's your jam).
- Scientifically accurate. We encourage you to cite the sources used to research your topic. Ideally, this would be in a slide or frame at the end of your video.
- Uploaded to YouTube and marked 'public.'

To apply go to: www.scienceambassadorscholarship.org

Deadline: December 13, 2021

Equitable Excellence Scholarship

Students must demonstrate ambition and drive, determination to set and reach goals, respect for self, family and community and the ability to succeed in college. Be a HS senior and plan to enroll full-time in an accredited two-year or four-year college or university in the United States by Fall 2022.

To apply go to: https://learnmore.scholarsapply.org/equitableexcellence/nt-scholarship.html
December 15, 2021 (whichever comes first) (so apply now)

Idaho 4-H Scholarship Opportunities

There are many Idaho 4-H Scholarships available. If you are in 4-H, see eligibility guidelines by going to: University of Idaho Extenstion's <u>Scholarship Guide</u>. Click on link on page 3 of guide for link to application.

Deadline: December 15, 2021

CAMP (College Assistance Migrant Program)

CAMP is a unique federally-funded educational support and scholarship program that helps seasonal farm workers and their children complete college. Financial support, as well as counseling, tutoring, academic skills assessment, and mentoring help first year students succeed. After the first year, CAMP continues academic and personal support throughout college. To qualify a student must be a U.S. citizen or legal resident of the U.S. and demonstrate financial need. You must be accepted into **Boise State University**, or **University of Idaho**. (Some out of state colleges may apply.)

Deadline: Applications are accepted year-round, but priority consideration is December 1st, 2021.

Visit your counselor to obtain an application for this scholarship.

Due in January or later

John F Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest

The Profile in Courage Essay Contest invites United States high school students to consider the concept of political courage by writing an essay on a U.S. elected official who has chosen to do what is right, rather than what is expedient. Go to www.jfklibrary.org to get more information on this scholarship.

Visit website for Essay topic, guidelines and eligibility

- Win scholarship money
- First-place winner receives \$10,000
- Second-place winner receives \$1,000
- Up to five finalists receive \$500
- Win an expense paid trip to Boston
- Winner will receive recognition at the John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum in Boston, Massachusetts.
- Enhance and develop research and writing skills

Deadline: January 14, 2022

Hathaway Scholarship

The Hathaway Scholarship is available to all students living in Alta, Wyoming who are interested in attending a Wyoming College. If you live in Alta, Wyoming and are interested in learning how to qualify for the Hathaway Scholarship, please see your counselor for more information.

Deadline: Date of beginning college in the fall of 2022

The Alert Scholarship \$500

You can help others become more alert by speaking out against the dangers of drug and alcohol abuse. Alert invites high school seniors to write a 650-800 word essay about a personal encounter you or someone you know has had with drug and/or alcohol abuse and what you learned from the experience. Qualified applicants must have a GPA of 2.5 or higher, have plans to attend college after graduation, and reside in one of 11 qualifying states (Idaho is one of them!). Check out their website for details that should be included in your essay and how to submit your materials.

For info and application visit: www.alertmagazine.org/scholarship.php

Deadline: Ongoing

Idaho Websites for Scholarships

Idaho Community Foundation offers over 60 scholarship opportunities. Go to <u>idcomfdn.org/scholarships</u> for information on how to apply for each of their scholarships, including contact information, application and eligibility requirements. Here are the scholarships that Teton High School Students may apply for. <u>Idaho Community Foundation</u>, or there is a list outside your counselor's office. These are great scholarships to apply to.

Idaho State Board of Education Scholarships offers online applications as well as links to other Idaho scholarships through specific Idaho colleges and universities.

Go to: http://www.boardofed.idaho.gov/scholarship/scholarship_jump.asp

Other Reputable Scholarship Search Websites

www.bigfuture.collegeboard.org/scholarship-search
www.fastweb.com
www.scholarships.com
www.cappex.com
https://www.unigo.com/scholarships

FAFSA

The Free Application for Federal Student Aid (known as the FAFSA) is a form that can be prepared annually by current and prospective college students in the United States to determine their eligibility for student financial aid (including the Pell Grant, Federal student loans and Federal Work-Study).

The U.S. Department of Education began accepting applications on October 1.

You first create your FSA ID for you and a parent. To create your FSA ID go to: https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm
The FAFSA can be filed after October 1, 2021 by going to www.fafsa.ed.gov
(You will be using your 2020 income tax information filed in 2021, for both you and your parents)

Other Useful Information

Next Steps Idaho/ State Board of Education

Your student's path to graduation and beyond can be overwhelming for you, too. Next Steps Idaho offers information and resources that are meant to serve students and families as they plan, prepare and prioritize the most important steps toward life after high school.

Go to: https://nextsteps.idaho.gov/

Scholarships Available for Undocumented Students

This scholarship website keeps an ongoing list of scholarships available for undocumented students. The due dates vary with each scholarship listed. Go to this website often to check on new scholarships being added. Scroll down till you find the list of scholarships.

Go to: https://mydocumentedlife.org/2016/09/12/scholarships-open-to-undocumented-students/

Deadlines: Vary