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LAKE CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL  
GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT

SENIORS: This is another update of scholarship and open house information.

**WORKSHOP**

Lake Central is sponsoring a workshop for seniors and/or their parents on Thursday, Oct. 13, at 7:00 p.m. in the Freshman Center LGI Room. If you or your parents have any questions regarding college and financial aid, please plan to attend. This will be a follow-up from the workshop of last spring.

**GRADUATION ANNOUNCEMENTS**

If you are graduating this June, you should have received a card for you to print your name as it is to appear on your diploma. Keep in mind; this is a formal document meaning there should be no nicknames or initials. If you did not put your middle name on the card and would like to change that, stop by the main high school office as soon as possible. Names should be printed clearly on the blank side and information filled out on the opposite side of the card. **All names printed on diplomas do not need to be announced at graduation.** Diplomas will be ordered soon and after the order has been placed changes will result in a \$40 charge.

The Herff Jones representatives will be at Lake Central during the lunch periods for **cap and gown information** Wednesday, Oct 12, for the guys and Thursday, Oct. 13, for the girls. Seniors are asked to stop by the Herff Jones table to pick up a packet, fill out the gown card and when you turn the card in, you will receive a free gift.

**TIMELY INFORMATION**

Since Lake Central High School does not receive information about every scholarship opportunity available throughout the country, there are several Web sites that provide scholarship searches free of charge. The guidance office has put links to these free scholarship search services on the high school guidance office webpage.

ROSE HULMAN is again sponsoring their HOMEWORK HOTLINE for students who need help in math and science classes. This is a free service sponsored by the school and students need to call 1-877-ASK-ROSE for help.

The SCHOOL OF THE ART INSTITUTE in Chicago is hosting a NATIONAL PORTFOLIO DAY on Sunday, Oct. 23, from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Representatives from

60 art schools and universities will be present to discuss their schools and evaluate portfolios.

The Sam Fox School of Design & Visual Arts of WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY is hosting a NATIONAL PORTFOLIO DAY on Sunday, Oct. 30, from 10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Representatives from 60 art schools and universities will be present to discuss their schools and evaluate portfolios.

BALL STATE UNIVERSITY Department of Art will host its annual **Open House and Portfolio Review** on Saturday, February 18. On this date students can bring actual artwork to be reviewed as part of the criteria for admissions. For registration information go to: [www.bsu.edu/art/openhouse](http://www.bsu.edu/art/openhouse).

The National Association of College Admissions Officers is sponsoring a **National College Fair** in Chicago on Oct. 10 from 11:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m. at McCormick Place. Over 250 colleges and universities throughout the nation will have representatives at this fair. A listing of colleges participating in this event is posted in the C-Wing display case. Indianapolis will also be hosting a National College Fair on Oct. 11 at the Indiana Convention Center. The fair will take place from 9:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m. and from 6:00-8:00 p.m.

WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY is offering their Gold Rush application service to Lake Central students. Any student interested in attending this university can submit their Application, official transcript, ACT/SAT scores and \$35 application fee to the college representative who is visiting Lake Central on Nov. 16 and students will get an admission decision within 48 hours.

DEVRY UNIVERSITY is hosting a SAT prep review and a Financial Aid information session for parents at their Merrillville Center on Oct. 22 and April 21. Interested students/parents must call 708-342-3200 to register. Please note that the October date has change from the previous announcement.

### **SCHOLARSHIPS**

**BOSTON UNIVERSITY TRUSTEE SCHOLARS PROGRAM** Over 30 full tuition and fees scholarships are available for students who rank in the top ten percent of their class and who are active leaders in their high school and community. Applicants must be recommended by their principal. For further information, check on-line at [www.bu.edu/admissions/trustee](http://www.bu.edu/admissions/trustee). Application deadline is Dec. 1.

**BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS** A flyer listing all the scholarships available at this university is available from Mrs. Myers.

**CENTIER BANK SCHRAGE FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** \$500 per year scholarships are available for students planning to continue their education beyond

high school. Preference may be given to students planning a career in the financial industry. Applicants must be in the top 20% of their class, minimum SAT Score of 1425, and will be judged on their scholastic achievement, involvement and leadership activities within school, and involvement and leadership within the community. Application must be returned to Mrs. Myers by March 16.

**COMCAST LEADERS AND ACHIEVERS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** \$1,000 scholarships are available for students who have demonstrated commitment to community service, positive attitude, leadership skills and academic achievement. Applicants must have at least a 2.8 grade point average. Lake Central can only nominate one student for this program. If you wish to be nominated for this program, see Mrs. Myers by Nov. 11.

**ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS** \$500-19,000 scholarships are available for students that participate in an audition on one of the following dates: Oct. 10, Nov. 5, Jan. 14, Feb. 4, Feb. 18 or March 3. Contact Laura Dolan at 309-556-3063 or email: [ldolan@iwu.edu](mailto:ldolan@iwu.edu) for further information or to schedule an audition date.

**INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS GONGAWARE CENTER SCHOOL OF BUSINESS SCHOLARSHIPS** \$30,000 scholarships are available for students planning to study in the financial services industries. Applicants must rank in the top 10% of their class; have SAT scores of at least 1500 out of 2400, minimum grade point average of 3.5 and exhibit leadership experience and potential. If you wish to be nominated for this program, see Mrs. Myers by Oct. 14.

#### **LEGACY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIPS**

1. PATRICK LINDSEY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP A \$500 scholarship is available for a minority student planning to pursue an undergraduate degree in visual or performing arts. Applications are available in the guidance office or online at: [www.legacyfoundationlakeco.org/scholarships](http://www.legacyfoundationlakeco.org/scholarships).
2. BEGNOCHE SCHOLARSHIP \$4,000 scholarships are available for male students accepted as full-time students at Purdue University Calumet, Indiana University Northwest, Calumet College of St. Joseph or University of St. Francis planning to study Nursing or Education. Applicants will be evaluated on academics, school activities, community or volunteer involvement, financial need, work experience and an essay. Applicants must also have at a minimum SAT score of 850 (math and critical reading) for education majors and minimum SAT score of 900 (math and critical reading) for nursing majors. Applications are available in the guidance office or online at: [www.legacyfoundationlakeco.org](http://www.legacyfoundationlakeco.org).
3. A flyer listing all the scholarship offered by the Legacy Foundation is available from Mrs. Myers. Most have an application deadline of April 15.

**LILLY ENDOWMENT COMMUNITY SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** Up to 6 full tuition and required fees scholarships and a special stipend of up to \$900 per year

for required books and equipment for four years of undergraduate study leading to a baccalaureate degree at an Indiana public or private college or university accredited by the North Central Association are available for graduating high school seniors. The scholarship does not cover room and board expenses. Lake Central will be able to nominate only one student for this award program. Potential applicants must have at least a 2.5 grade point average and score at least 1200 on the SAT or 17 on the ACT composite. The Legacy Foundation will then select the winners based upon: academic performance (grade point average and test scores), demonstrated leadership skills, community service, character as reflected in letters of reference, narrative, interview and financial need. All applicants for this scholarship are required to fill out the College Cost Estimator from the National Center for College Costs online (info sheet available from Mrs. Myers) and return it to the guidance office by Nov. 15. Only after this form is submitted then see Mrs. Myers for Part II of the application. The application must be returned by Jan. 17.

**NORTHERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY** OUT-OF-STATE HUSKIE SCHOLARSHIPS \$9,200 scholarships are available for Indiana students that attend this college. Interested students must apply to the school by Dec. 9.

**TRINE UNIVERSITY SCHOLARSHIPS** A brochure listing all the scholarships offered at this school is available from Mrs. Myers.

#### OPEN HOUSES

BOSTON UNIVERSITY Oct. 16 at Renaissance Chicago North Shore  
BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY Oct. 29, Dec. 3, Feb. 20  
CEDAR CREST COLLEGE Oct. 16, Nov. 13  
DARTMOUTH COLLEGE Oct. 11 at New Trier Township HS 7:00 p.m.  
GOSHEN COLLEGE Oct. 21, Nov. 11  
MANCHESTER COLLEGE Oct. 21, Oct. 28, Nov. 5, Nov. 19  
TUFTS UNIVERSITY Oct. 9 at Chicago Marriott Downtown 2:00 p.m.  
UNIVERSITY OF FINDLAY Oct. 10, 11, 13, 14, 15  
UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURG Oct. 8, Oct. 22, Nov. 12, Nov. 19  
UNIVERSITY OF ST. FRANCIS Oct. 8, Nov. 12  
YALE UNIVERSITY Oct. 15 Lake Station-New Chicago Public Library 2:30 p.m.

#### COLLEGE REPRESENTATIVES VISITS

BALL STATE UNIVERSITY Oct. 19  
BETHEL COLLEGE Nov. 3  
HOPE COLLEGE Oct. 19  
INDIANA PURDUE FORT WAYNE Oct. 11  
INDIANA STATE UNIVERSITY Oct. 13  
INDIANA TECH Oct. 25  
IVY TECH Nov. 4

KENDALL COLLEGE Oct. 24  
LEWIS UNIVERSITY Oct. 25  
LINCOLN COLLEGE Oct. 12  
LOYOLA UNIVERSITY Oct. 17  
PURDUE CALUMET Oct. 20  
ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE Oct. 20  
TRICOCI UNIVERSITY Oct. 13  
VANDERBILT UNIVERSITY Oct. 31  
WESTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY Nov. 16  
XAVIER UNIVERSITY Oct. 26

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