

## **SCHOLARSHIP UPDATE**

January 24, 2019

Please find below a list of scholarships that are now posted on **NAVIANCE**. These scholarships have been listed alphabetically in various categories for your convenience.

Please make note of the following **DEADLINES** through February:

**JANUARY 31 - PVP ROTARY CLUB SPEECH CONTEST** (\$200 - \$1,000) - grades 9-12; students will present their speech on February 8 at the Rotary Club Meeting. Speech Topic: *"Be the Inspiration"*, the Rotary Motto this year. Completed application is due prior to speech. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: JANUARY 31, 2019**

**FEBRUARY 1 - AL NEUHARTH FREE SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP –JUNIORS ONLY** are encouraged to apply for the 2019, all expense-paid, conference at the Newseum in Washington, D.C. To qualify you must be a high school junior who will graduate in the Class of 2020; be committed to pursuing a career in journalism; demonstrate qualities of a "free spirit". To apply, log onto <https://www.freedomforuminstitute.org/initiatives/al-neuharth-free-spirit-and-journalism-conference/>

**FEBRUARY 1 - CA STATE PTA** (\$750) – seniors only; state competition; must be a member of PVHS PTSA in good standing; no minimum GPA; focuses on a student's volunteer service in the school and community. To apply, log onto <http://capta.org/programs-events/scholarships/graduating-high-school-seniors/>. Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance.

**FEBRUARY 1 - COX CARES** (up to \$5,000) - seniors only; will enroll in a two or four year college within the U.S.; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0; demonstrated commitment to volunteer service; demonstrated financial need. To apply, log onto [www.coxcharitiesca.org](http://www.coxcharitiesca.org)

**FEBRUARY 1 - ELK'S LEGACY AWARD** (\$4,000) – seniors only; any child/grandchild of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2016 is eligible to apply. Candidates who qualify are judged on knowledge, charity, community service and integrity. To apply, log onto <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/legacy.cfm>

**FEBRUARY 2 - DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. LOS ANGELES CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP** (varies) - seniors only; must be of African-American ancestry; have at least at 3.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale and an ACT/SAT score in the 90<sup>th</sup> percentile; demonstrate extracurricular activity/leadership; show financial need. To apply, log onto <http://dstlchapter.com/> Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance.

**FEBRUARY 5 - SANDPIPERS SCHOLARSHIP** (varies) - seniors only; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0; demonstrate financial need; actively involved in community service; scholarship RENEWABLE for each year in college. To apply, log onto <http://app.smarterselect.com/programs/55505-Sandpipers>

**FEBRUARY 15 - LOS ANGELES CLIPPERS** (\$4,000) – seniors only; regional competition; judged on academic achievement, extracurricular activities, community activities and a 300-word essay on the topic, "Why College is Important to Me". To apply, log onto <https://laclippersfoundation.fluidreview.com/>

**FEBRUARY 24 - SOUTH BAY BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION** (\$2,000) – for women who are graduating high school seniors; preferences given to those residing in the South Bay; candidates must be planning to enroll full-time in college in fall 2018; applicants must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 and show financial need. To apply log onto <https://www.sbbwa.com/scholarships> .

**FEBRUARY 26 - ASIAN PACIFIC FUND SCHOLARSHIP** (\$1,000 - \$20,000) – administers 10 scholarship programs. Many are designated for Asian students with financial need. Eligibility requirements vary from program to program. To apply, log onto [www.asianpacificfund.org/scholarships](http://www.asianpacificfund.org/scholarships)

**FEBRUARY 28 - LA MILITARY CHARITABLE CLUB** (\$500 - \$2500) - seniors only; must be a child of an active, retired service member or current or retired Dept. of Defense employee; awarded on academic performance, extracurricular activities, demonstrated leadership, and applicant's character. To apply log onto [lamcf.weebly.com](http://lamcf.weebly.com). Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance.

*To access more information on these scholarships, please log onto NAVIANCE. Click on the COLLEGES tab and then scroll down to SCHOLARSHIPS and MONEY. Click on SCHOLARSHIP LIST. At this point, select the scholarship of interest. In many cases, you will be directed to a website for the application. In other instances, you may be able to download the application directly from NAVIANCE. Should you have any questions, please contact Teresa Hoffman in the College and Career Center, Room 318.*

## **COMPLETE LIST OF SCHOLARSHIPS CURRENTLY ON NAVAINCE**

### **CAREER/MAJOR**

**AL NEUHARTH FREE SPIRIT SCHOLARSHIP –JUNIORS ONLY** are encouraged to apply for the 2019, all expense-paid, conference at the Newseum in Washington, D.C. To qualify you must be a high school junior who will graduate in the Class of 2020; be committed to pursuing a career in journalism; demonstrate qualities of a "free spirit". To apply, log onto <https://www.freedomforuminstitute.org/initiatives/al-neuharth-free-spirit-and-journalism-conference/>  
**DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2019**

**JACK BAGDASAR** (\$500) – awarded to a senior who demonstrates the ability and desire to be an elementary school teacher. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 13, 2019**

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

**CA STATE PTA** (\$750) – seniors only; state competition; must be a member of PVHS PTSA in good standing; no minimum GPA; focuses on a student's volunteer service in the school and community. To apply, log onto <http://capta.org/programs-events/scholarships/graduating-high-school-seniors/>. Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2019**

### **ESSAYS**

**ANDREW SAKURA MEMORIAL** (\$1,000) - for male seniors only at PVHS; application includes an essay on one of three prompts relating to friendship. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 22, 2019**

**PVHS ALUMNI SCHOLARSHIP** (\$500) – PVHS seniors only; short application and an essay not to exceed two pages about contributions you have made to the Sea King Community and your plans to support involvement of PVHS Alumni with PVHS/PV Community. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 28, 2019**

**PVP COUNCIL OF PTSAs** (\$1,000) - seniors only; **MUST be a PTSA member at least 30 days prior to the deadline** and complete an essay of 350 words max to describe "In what way has the PTA influenced your life?" Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 21, 2019**

### **ETHNICITY**

**ASIAN PACIFIC FUND SCHOLARSHIP** (\$1,000 - \$20,000) – administers 10 scholarship programs. Many are designated for Asian students with financial need. Eligibility requirements vary from program to program. To apply, log onto [www.asianpacificfund.org/scholarships](http://www.asianpacificfund.org/scholarships) **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 26, 2019**

**DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC. LOS ANGELES CHAPTER SCHOLARSHIP** (varies) - seniors only; must be of African-American ancestry; have at least at 3.5 GPA on a 4.0 scale and an ACT/SAT score in the 90<sup>th</sup> percentile; demonstrate extracurricular activity/leadership; show financial need. To apply, log onto <http://dstlchapter.com/> Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 2, 2019**

**CABRILLO CIVIC CLUBS OF CA** (\$500) –seniors only; must be of Portuguese descent; minimum weighted GPA of 3.5; participated in three extracurricular activities. To apply log onto <http://www.cabrilocivicclubs.org/scholarship.asp> . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2019**

**ITALIAN CATHOLIC FEDERATION** (up to \$2,500) - seniors only; must be of Italian ancestry and also Roman Catholic; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.2; participation in extracurricular activities; financial need. To apply log onto [www.icf.org](http://www.icf.org) . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2019**

**JACL ERNEST TSUJIMOTO** (\$2,000) – seniors only; must be of Japanese-American ancestry and planning to pursue an undergraduate/graduate degree in the STEM fields: Science, Technology Engineering and Math. To apply, log onto [http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship\\_sb.html](http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship_sb.html) . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2019**

**JACL GARDENA VALLEY** (\$500 - \$1,000) – seniors only; must be of Japanese-American ancestry; min 2.5 GPA; emphasis on Japanese American community involvement and volunteerism. To apply, log onto [http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship\\_sb.html](http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship_sb.html) . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2019**

**JACL JANICE KOBATA ZOEGER MEMORIAL** (\$500 - \$1,000) - seniors only, must be of Japanese-American ancestry and planning to pursue a degree in any field relating to biological sciences, foreign or ancient language or business. To apply, log onto [http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship\\_sb.html](http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship_sb.html) . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2019**

**JACL KIICHI EGASHIRA MEMORIAL** (\$500 - \$2,000) - seniors only; must be of Japanese-American ancestry and planning to pursue a degree in physical or biological sciences, engineering or mathematics. To apply, log onto [http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship\\_sb.html](http://www.southbayjacl.org/scholarship_sb.html) . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 31, 2019**

**JACL NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS** (varies) - currently offers over 30 awards, every applicant must be an active JACL member at either an Individual or Student Youth Level. To apply, log onto <https://jacl.org/jacl-national-scholarship-program/> . **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2019**

**SONS OF ITALY ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP** (\$500 - \$5,000) – seniors only; must be wholly or partially of Italian Descent; selection based on scholastic record, activities evidencing leadership, financial need, written personal goals statement, essay of Italian Origin, and letters of recommendation. To apply log onto <http://www.osiaca.org/Scholarships/How-To-Apply> Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2019**

**SONS OF ITALY ATHLETIC SCHOLARSHIP** (\$500 - \$5,000) – seniors only; must be wholly or partially of Italian Descent; will be awarded to those pursuing a career in sports or a sports related field. Selection based on scholastic record, activities evidencing leadership, financial need, written personal goals statement, essay of Italian Origin, and letters of recommendation. To apply log onto <http://www.osiaca.org/Scholarships/How-To-Apply> Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2019**

**SONS OF ITALY LANGUAGE STUDY GRANT** (varies) – seniors only; Italian Language Study Grants are available for a one-month complete immersion summer course in Italian language at an Italian College; applicants must be wholly or partially of Italian Descent; selection based on scholastic record, activities evidencing leadership, financial need, written personal goals statement, essay of Italian Origin, and letters of recommendation. To apply log onto <http://www.osiaca.org/Scholarships/How-To-Apply> Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2019**

**TAIWANESE AMERICAN SCHOLARSHIP FUND** (\$2,500) – students must be a high school senior, a U.S. citizen AND a direct blood descendant of a Taiwanese citizen; plan to attend a university in Fall 2019; have an unweighted GPA of 3.0; have a household income at or below the Federal/State/County low income level. To apply, log onto [www.tascholarshipfund.org/2019-tasf-scholarship-overview/](http://www.tascholarshipfund.org/2019-tasf-scholarship-overview/) **DEADLINE: MARCH 27, 2019**

#### **FINANCIAL NEED and MERIT, COMMUNITY SERVICE, LEADERSHIP, EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

**CATHAY BANK SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** (\$1,000) – for local high school seniors who reside in CA, WA, IL, NV, MD, TX, NY, or NJ and plan to attend a U.S. accredited 4–year college or community college in those states; must have a min. unweighted GPA of 3.0 and household income at or below CA State low income level; scholarship is open to ALL majors and there is NO ETHNICITY REQUIREMENT. To apply, log onto [www.apcf.org/2019-cathay-bank-scholarship-program](http://www.apcf.org/2019-cathay-bank-scholarship-program) **DEADLINE: MARCH 27, 2019**

**COX CARES** (up to \$5,000) - seniors only; will enroll in a two or four-year college within the U.S.; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0; demonstrated commitment to volunteer service; demonstrated financial need. To apply, log onto [www.coxcharitiesca.org](http://www.coxcharitiesca.org) . **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2019**

**KIWANIS CLUB** (\$500; \$1,000) - seniors only; given to students to have shown special heart, academic merit, service and financial need. To apply, log onto <http://kiwanisclubrhe.org/scholarships/> . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: March 18, 2019**

**MEGA BANK SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** (\$1,000) – for local high school seniors who reside in Los Angeles County and Orange County who plan to attend a U.S. accredited 4–year college or CA community college; must have a min. unweighted GPA of 3.0 and household income at or below CA State low income level; scholarship is open to ALL majors and there is NO ETHNICITY REQUIREMENT. To apply, log <http://www.apcf.org/2019-mega-bank-scholarship-program/> **DEADLINE: MARCH 27, 2019**

**NATIONAL CHARITY LEAGUE** (varies) - seniors only; awarded based on financial need, academic performance, extracurricular activities including community service. Scholarship RENEWABLE for each year in college. **DEADLINE: MARCH 20, 2019**

**PANHELLENIC ALUMNAE SOUTH BAY ASSOCIATION** (\$1,000) - for female seniors only who will be attending a 4 year college or university where sororities are established; must demonstrate academic excellence, demonstrate character, participation in school/community, and financial need. To apply log onto [www.SouthBayPanhellenic.com](http://www.SouthBayPanhellenic.com) . Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2019**

**PV JUNIOR WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP** (varies) - seniors only; awarded primarily on financial need with a secondary emphasis on academic achievement, community service and extracurricular activities. To apply log onto <https://www.pvjuniors.org/scholarships/> Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 1, 2019**

**PVP LION'S CLUB** (\$500 - \$1000) – seniors only; consideration will be given to academic achievement (min. GPA of 3.0), service to others, leadership, financial need and a strong desire/plan for further education/professional focus. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 21, 2019**

**ROYAL BUSINESS BANK SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM** (\$1,000) – for local high school seniors who reside in Los Angeles, Orange or Ventura Counties and plan to attend a U.S. accredited 4–year college or CA community college; must have a min. unweighted GPA of 3.0 and household income at or below CA State low income level; scholarship is open to ALL majors and there is NO ETHNICITY REQUIREMENT. To apply, log onto <http://www.apcf.org/2019-royal-business-bank-scholarship-program/> **DEADLINE: MARCH 27, 2019**

**SANDPIPERS SCHOLARSHIP** (varies) - seniors only; minimum unweighted GPA of 3.0; demonstrate financial need; actively involved in community service; scholarship RENEWABLE for each year in college. To apply, log onto <http://app.smarterselect.com/programs/55505-Sandpipers> **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 5, 2019**

**SOUTH BAY BUSINESS WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION** (\$2,000) – for women who are graduating high school seniors; preferences given to those residing in the South Bay; candidates must be planning to enroll full-time in college in fall 2018; applicants must have a minimum grade point average of 3.0 and show financial need. To apply log onto <https://www.sbbwa.com/scholarships>. **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 24, 2019**

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### **MILITARY**

**LA MILITARY CHARITABLE FUND** (\$500 - \$2500) - seniors only; must be a child of an active, retired service member or current or retired Dept. of Defense employee; awarded on academic performance, extracurricular activities, demonstrated leadership, and applicant's character. To apply log onto [lamcf.weebly.com](http://lamcf.weebly.com). Applications may also be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 28, 2019**

## SPEECH CONTEST

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## OTHER

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**ELK'S LEGACY AWARD** (\$4,000) – seniors only; any child/grandchild of a living Elk who joined the order on or before April 1, 2016 is eligible to apply. Candidates who qualify are judged on knowledge, charity, community service and integrity. To apply, log onto <https://www.elks.org/scholars/scholarships/legacy.cfm> **DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2019**

**SEAN HEFFERNAN MEMORIAL** (\$1,000) – graduating senior who shows academic achievement, community service; must include original artwork (includes photography, poem, writing, sculpture, etc.) and an essay on caring. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2019**

**SUSAN PAVELKA SCHOLARSHIP FOR JOURNALISTIC EXCELLENCE** (\$500) – for a college-bound senior who has participated and excelled in Palos Verdes High School journalism. Candidates are eligible to apply after fulfilling a minimum of two consecutive years as a leader/writer in one or more of these journalism programs: yearbook, literary magazine, newspaper, podcast or broadcast news. Applicants are judged based on leadership, writing and character along with two written entries publications/broadcasts. Applications may be downloaded from Naviance. **DEADLINE: MARCH 30, 2019**