

# MVHS COUNSELING SCHOLARSHIP NEWS



January 20, 2020

## UPCOMING EVENTS

- 1/10 Registration deadline for 2/8 ACT at MVHS
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- 2/23 College Goal Sunday (FAFSA Help), Ivy Tech, 2:00 pm
- 2/27 Ball State at MVHS
- 2/28 Registration deadline for 4/4 ACT at MVHS
- 4/3 Registration deadline for 5/2 SAT at MVHS
- 4/4 ACT at MVHS
- 4/15 FAFSA deadline
- 5/1 Red Cross Blood Drive at MVHS
- 5/2 SAT at MVHS
- 5/22 Graduation

## NEW SCHOLARSHIPS



### Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing Alumni Entry Level Nurse Scholarship Program

Provides assistance to a student pursuing education in order to obtain a license for Registered Nursing who is a direct descendant of a graduate of the Deaconess Hospital School of Nursing in Evansville, Indiana. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. *Amount of Award:* up to \$15,000. *Deadline:* March 13, 2020

### ECS Solutions Engineering Scholarship

ECS Solutions will be awarding a \$1,000 scholarship to a deserving high school senior planning to study electrical or computer engineering at any four-year college or university beginning in the fall of 2020. Application and additional information can be found at <https://ecssolutions.com/scholarship/>. *Deadline:* March 6, 2020.

### Indiana Oil and Gas Association

This scholarship is for seniors who are planning to enroll in a post-secondary education program and pursue a career in the oil and gas industry. Preference will be given to student pursuing a four-year degree in Earth Science, Petroleum Engineering, Chemical Engineering, or Geology. Applications are available in the Counseling Office and online at <https://www.indianaoga.org/scholarship.html>. *Deadline:* March 1, 2020

### Indiana Sheriff's Association Scholarships

The Indiana Sheriff's Association will be awarding 40 \$750 scholarships to qualified students who are pursuing an education and career in the criminal justice field. Applicants must be a current member of the association or the dependent child/grandchild of a current member. An application for membership is included with the scholarship application. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. *Amount of Award:* \$750. *Deadline:* April 1, 2020

### Kiwanis Indiana Foundation, Inc. Scholarship

This scholarship is for seniors who are planning to enroll in an Indiana post-secondary education program. The application requires that the local Kiwanis Club President or representative complete a portion of the application. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. *Amount:* \$1,000. *Deadline:* March 2, 2020.

### Kyle L. Harrop Memorial Scholarship

Students who have been a member of the MVHS Academic or Spell Bowl Teams are eligible for this scholarship. Applicants must also be attending Purdue University in the fall of 2020. The application is available in the Counseling Office. *Deadline:* Application must be emailed as a pdf to [dabel@iasp.org](mailto:dabel@iasp.org) no later than March 31, 2020.

### **M-Club Scholarships**

Each year the Mt. Vernon M-Club awards Athletic Scholarships to outstanding senior athletes who plan to pursue a college degree. These awards are based on varsity letters earned, scholarship, citizenship, financial need, and the potential to participate in college athletics. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. *Amount: \$1,000. Deadline: Tuesday, April 7, 2020.*

### **McNamara Family Scholarship**

This scholarship will be awarded to a graduating senior from MVHS planning to attend a two or four-year accredited institution of higher education. Applicants must have participated on the high school boys' or girls' golf team and/or participated in any sport for a minimum of two years. The applicant must also have a 3.0/4.0 GPA. . Applications are available in the Counseling Office. *Deadline: March 1, 2020.*

## **MSD OF MT. VERNON SCHOLARSHIPS**

The scholarship applications listed below are available in the Counseling Office. All applications are due no later than 3:30 pm on March 30, 2020.

### **Anne E. Bolger Scholarship**

Merit scholarship to a MVHS senior who has not been awarded another scholarship which would be diminished by this scholarship

### **Bostick-Steinmetz Scholarship**

Awarded to a MVHS senior who enters a four-year college/university majoring in engineering or physical science

### **Edward A. Pence Scholarship**

Awarded to one or more MVHS seniors to further their education at an accredited college/university or trade/vocational institution

### **Gallucci-Steinmetz Scholarship**

Awarded to a MVHS senior who enters a four-year college/university majoring in engineering or physical science

### **Lena A. and Paul F. Addison Scholarship**

Selection is based on academic achievement, leadership achievement, or future potential in these areas. Financial need will also be considered.

### **Lillian L. Root Scholarship**

Awarded to a MVHS senior who enters a four-year college/university and exhibits a need for financial assistance in order to further his/her educational objectives.

### **Thomas L., Myrtle R., Arch, and Elva Alexander Scholarship**

Selection is based on academic and leadership achievement and potential.

### **Tri-Kappa Medical Scholarship**

Applicants must plan to major in a medical field, including nursing, veterinary medicine, etc.

## **ADDITIONAL LOCAL SCHOLARSHIPS**

### **Jane Blaffer Owen Scholarship**

The Jane Blaffer Owen Scholarship is awarded to graduating seniors from New Harmony who have exhibited voluntary leadership that models the example of Jane Blaffer Owen in the New Harmony community. Each recipient must have at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA (grade point average) and be in good standing with the high school attended. Applying students must submit a letter of acceptance from an accredited postsecondary education institution, and a narrative (1-2 pages maximum) describing how the community service impacted her/his life and the community. Additional information is available in the Counseling Office. *Amount: \$1,000*

## Posey County Community Foundation Scholarships

Deadline: February 11, 2020

Additional Information and Application: <https://www.communityfoundationalliance.org/posey/scholarships/opportunities>

Scholarship	Criteria	Amount
Ben Dickhaut Memorial 4-H and FFA Scholarship	Graduating high school seniors who are residents of Posey County, Indiana, planning to attend a two- or four-year accredited institution of higher education or technical school. Applicants must have participated as a member of 4-H for five years and/or FFA for two years.	\$2,500
Bobby Rogge Memorial Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any Posey County high school planning to attend a two- or four-year institution or accredited technical school.	\$200
Cash Family Scholarship	Graduating seniors of MVHS with a minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale) planning to pursue a healthcare degree (e.g. medicine, nursing, physical therapy, occupational therapy) at any accredited college or university	\$500
CountryMark Technical Trade Scholarship	Residents of Posey County who are graduating seniors of an accredited high school and have a minimum cumulative grade point average of 2.75 (4.0 scale). Must be planning to pursue a degree in electrical maintenance, electronics and computer technology, mechanical maintenance, or welding at the Evansville campus of either Ivy Tech or ITT Technical Institute.	Up to \$4,500
Gillenwater Scholarship (College Scholarship Award)	Graduating high school senior of any Posey County high school enrolled or planning to enroll in a full-time course of study leading to a baccalaureate degree at an accredited four-year degree granting institution. Applicants must be in the upper third of their high school senior class.	\$1,000
Gillenwater Scholarship (Junior College or State-Supported Technical College Scholarship Award)	Graduating high school senior of any Posey County high school enrolled or planning to enroll in a full-time course of study leading to a two-year degree or certificate at an accredited junior college or state-supported technical college.	\$1,000
Greater Evansville USBCA Scholarship	Applicants must have been members of the Greater Evansville USBCA for two of the past four years, or their children, who have a minimum 2.0 Cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale) and attend high school in Posey, Vanderburgh, or Warrick counties.	\$1,000
Herb and Betty Curry Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any Posey County high school pursuing post-secondary education in music (vocal or instrumental), music education, or the performing arts. Applicants must have a minimum 3.0 cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale).	\$1,000
James W. Moore Scholarship	Graduating seniors of MVHS pursuing post-secondary education in industrial arts.	\$200
Jay Lampton Memorial Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any high school served by the Community Foundation Alliance (which includes high schools located in the Indiana counties of Daviess, Gibson, Knox, Perry, Pike, Posey, Spencer, Vanderburgh, and Warrick) with a 2.0 cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale) and who have been enrolled in technology courses during his or her high school education. Applicants must demonstrate financial need and be planning to pursue post-secondary education at the Lincoln College of Technology (formerly Nashville Auto Diesel College) or another institution of higher education seeking a degree in auto mechanics.	\$400

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Kiwanis Memorial Scholarship	Graduating seniors of MVHS who have been members of the Mt. Vernon High School Key Club for a minimum of one year and who are pursuing post-secondary education at a college, university or technical school. Applicants must demonstrate excellence in academic achievement, initiative, dependability, leadership, and service to the MVHS Key Club and to the community	\$1,000
Mac McCutchan Memorial Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any Posey County high school enrolled in a two- or four-year degree program in agriculture and/or family and consumer services. Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale) and must have participated as a member of 4-H for five years and/or FFA for three years.	\$600
Margaret Corbin Wathen Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any Posey County high school planning to pursue a major in post-secondary music or music education.	\$500
Melba Jean Racener Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any accredited high school whose home residence is in Daviess, Gibson, Knox, Perry, Pike, Posey, Spencer, Vanderburgh, or Warrick counties in Indiana. Applicants must have a minimum GPA (4.0 scale) and be planning to pursue post-secondary education in advertising, marketing, communications or a related field.	\$1,500
Oscar and Helen Uebelhack Agriculture Scholarship	Graduating seniors of Mt. Vernon High School pursuing post-secondary education in agriculture or animal sciences. Applicants must have a minimum 2.5 cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) or above.	\$500
Posey County Co-Op Scholarship	Graduating high school seniors who are residents of Posey County with a minimum GPA of 2.75 (on a 4.0 scale). Applicants must be planning to pursue post-secondary education in agriculture, electrical maintenance, electronics and computer technology, mechanical maintenance, or welding at any accredited college, university or technical/vocational school.	\$1,500
Project Associates Engineering Scholarship	Qualified applicants must be a graduating senior of a high school located in Gibson, Henderson, Pike, Posey, Vanderburgh, or Warrick County who has been accepted at the University of Evansville or the University of Southern Indiana and has enrolled in a course of study leading to a four-year engineering degree. Previous recipients of the scholarship may re-apply for consideration and evaluation.	\$1,250
Riedford Health Professions Scholarship	Graduating seniors of MVHS with a minimum 3.2 cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) pursuing a two- or four-year degree at any accredited college or university in Indiana, Western Kentucky (which offers in-state tuition to Indiana residents) or Wabash Valley College in Southeastern Illinois. Applicants must be planning to pursue a major course of study in healthcare including, but not limited to, nursing, pre-medicine, occupational/physical therapy, respiratory therapy, or pre-optometry.	\$500
SABIC Innovative Plastics Scholarship	Graduating seniors of any high school located in the US who are the natural or adopted children or legal dependents of active employees of the SABIC Innovative Plastic facility located in Mt. Vernon, Indiana. Applicants must have a 2.75 cumulative GPA (4.0 scale) and be planning post-secondary education at any accredited US college, university, or vocational/technical school.	\$1,000
Southwestern Indiana Master Gardener Association Scholarship	Graduating seniors or graduates of any high school located in Gibson, Posey, Vanderburgh, or Warrick counties who are planning full-time enrollment at an accredited college or university. Applicants must have a minimum 2.65 cumulative grade point average (4.0 scale) or equivalent and be planning to major in horticulture, botany, or landscape architecture or a major that has primary focus in horticulture, botany, or landscape architecture. Past recipients of the scholarship may reapply; however, renewal awards are not guaranteed.	TBD

Scholarship	Criteria	Amount
Whitney Wehr Memorial Scholarship	Graduating seniors of MVHS pursuing a degree at any accredited educational institution, with preference given to applicants pursuing a degree in education.	\$2,000
William H. Keck Leadership Scholarship	Graduating seniors of MVHS planning full-time enrollment in a four-year program at IU-Bloomington.	\$1,500

## OTHER SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

### Army ROTC Scholarships Army

ROTC information is available at <https://www.goarmy.com/rotc.html>.

### Beta Sigma Psi Educational Foundation

Applicants should be male members of a Lutheran congregation. *Amount of Award:* Varies.

*Deadline:* February 15, 2020. *Additional Information:* <http://wp.betasigmapsi.org/scholarships-grants/high-school-scholarships/>

### Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship Evansville Pi Chapter

Awarded to a student who is planning to major in education. *Amount of Award:* \$1,000. *Deadline:* March 1, 2020.

*Online Application:* [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdKFE\\_iTKCljo\\_HL\\_6NMseK6W35nIbiLZ53S\\_T8BQpsIKwDrw/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdKFE_iTKCljo_HL_6NMseK6W35nIbiLZ53S_T8BQpsIKwDrw/viewform)

### Evansville Teachers Federal Credit Union Ted Hitch Scholarship

Ten scholarships will be awarded to graduating seniors whose parents/guardians have been members of ETFCU for at least one year by March 2, 2018. Minimum GPA requirement is 3.75/4.0. Applications are available in the Counseling Office and online at the URL shown below. *Amount of Award:* \$5,000. *Deadline:* February 28, 2020. *Application/Additional Information:* <https://etfcu.org/wp-content/uploads/ETFCU-Ted-Hitch-Scholarship-Application-2020.pdf>

### Gill Orthodontics

Two nonrenewable scholarships will be awarded to eligible high school seniors who are in treatment or have completed treatment with Gill Orthodontics. Applications are online at <http://gillorthodontics.com/our-office/scholarships/>. *Amount of Award:* \$1,000. *Deadline:* March 13, 2020.

### Horatio Alger Association Scholarship Programs

These scholarship programs provide financial assistance to students who have financial need and have exhibited integrity and perseverance in overcoming personal adversity. Amounts of Awards and deadlines vary. *Application/Additional Information:* <https://scholars.horatioalger.org/about-our-scholarship-programs/>

### Indiana Association of Educational Office Professionals, Inc. Scholarship

The Indiana Association of Educational Office Professionals will present one \$1,000 scholarship to an Indiana graduating senior. It is designed to assist a business or office-related career or vocation student who wishes to continue his/her education. Criteria for selection is based on scholastic (20%), financial need (20%), letters of recommendation (10%), application/essay (30%), activities/school/extracurricular (20%). Applications will be available in the Counseling Office Beginning Monday, January 13. *Amount:* \$1,000. *Deadline:* Postmarked by February 5 or emailed by February 10.

### IUPUI George W. Carver Teaching Initiative

The George W. Carver Teaching Initiative (CTI) is a scholarship and career development program dedicated to the recruitment, retention, and support of high-achieving, underrepresented minority youth in STEM (science, technology, engineering, and mathematics) teaching careers. Among the many benefits, CTI Scholars receive up to \$33,000 in scholarship support; paid summer internships, professional networking and career building opportunities, and support with job placement. Additional information can be found at <https://www.es2rp.org/cti>

### **Ivy Tech Chancellor's Academic Achievement Scholarship**

These scholarships are worth \$500 - \$3,000 and are based on a Core 40 GPA of 2.5 – 4.0. Additional information can be found at [www.ivytech.edu/evscholarship](http://www.ivytech.edu/evscholarship).

### **Kyle Parker Memorial Scholarship**

Kyle Parker was well-known and respected within the tristate business community, and was active in several local volunteer organizations. Sadly, he passed away suddenly in a tragic car accident on September 15, 2009. Kyle is survived by his wife and two young sons. The Kyle L. Parker Memorial Scholarship will be awarded to a local graduating high school senior who has been through a similar unfortunate situation as Kyle's sons. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. *Amount of Award:* \$4,000. *Deadline:* April 6, 2020

To be eligible for the scholarship, applicants must meet the following criteria:

- Reside in Vanderburgh, Posey, Warrick, Gibson, or Henderson County
- Be a graduating high school senior planning to attend a post-secondary institution in the fall of 2020
- Demonstrate a commitment to community service and provide documentation of the service
- At least one parent or legal guardian must be deceased - evidence may be requested

### **Marine Officer ROTC Program**

For more information about the Marine Officer ROTC Program, the Frederick C. Branch Leadership Scholarship, and the General Pedro Del Valle Leadership Scholarship, visit <https://www.marines.com/becoming-a-marine/officer.html>

### **National FFA Scholarships**

Scholarships are sponsored by businesses and individuals through the National FFA Foundation and are given for a wide variety of experiences, career goals and higher education plans. Both FFA and non-FFA members are eligible.

*Application/Additional Information:* <https://www.ffa.org/localengagement/scholarships/>

### **Naval ROTC Scholarships**

The Naval Reserve Officer Training Corps (NROTC) Scholarship is available to students who are U.S. citizens, physically qualified by Navy standards and meet a minimum SAT or ACT score requirement. *Additional Information:*

<http://www.nrotc.navy.mil/> or call 1-800-NAV-ROTC.

### **National Society Daughters of the American Revolution**

The NSDAR awards multiple scholarships to students showing dedication to the pursuit of degrees in diverse disciplines including history, economics, law, political science, medicine, nursing, occupational and physical therapy, elementary and secondary education, chemistry, math, science and English. *Application/Additional Information:*

<https://www.dar.org/national-society/scholarships> *Deadline:* February 15, 2020.

### **Rogers Academy of Hair Design**

Rogers Academy is offering a \$1,000 Good Attendance Scholarship and a possible \$3,500 in additional scholarships.

*Additional Information and Application:* <http://rogershair.com/financial-aid-scholarships/>

### **The Salon Professional Academy Scholarships**

TSPA Evansville beauty school programs are designed to develop the entire salon professional with great technical ability, business & marketing training, and the guest handling skills that are in high demand by top salons and spas. *Additional*

*Information:* <http://www.tspaevansville.com/contact-us/scholarships>

### **Tri-Kappa Erma Ribeyre Greathouse Scholarship**

Each active and associate chapter in Province I may select one candidate for the Erma Ribeyre Greathouse Scholarship.

Information on additional Tri-Kappa scholarships can be found at <https://www.trikappa.org/scholarships/>. *Deadline:*

January 31, 2020. *Additional Information and Application:* <https://www.trikappa.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/11/TriKappaERGScholarship-Application.pdf>

**Tropicana Evansville Project 21 Scholarship**

Project 21 is an educational program designed to communicate the consequences associated with under aged gambling. Students may submit a poster, essay, or video/DVD addressing the subject of deterring under aged gambling. Applications are available in the Counseling Office and online at <https://www.tropevansville.com/node/2982>. *Amount:* \$2,000 (3 awarded). *Deadline:* April 3, 2020.

**University of Southern Indiana Scholarships**

Students who have been admitted to USI may be eligible to apply for additional scholarship opportunities. Applications are now available for the scholarships.

- Alumni Association Scholarships: <https://www.usi.edu/admissions/scholarships-and-financial-aid/alumni-association-scholarships/>. *Amounts:* Vary. *Deadline:* March 8, 2020
- Art Scholarships: <https://www.usi.edu/freshmenartscholarships>. *Amounts:* Vary. *Deadline:* February 7, 2020.