

Blue and Gold Express
April 2011



Open Houses:

Francis Marion University Apr 16
Belmont Abbey College Apr 16
Erskine College Apr 16
USC Aiken Freshman Friday Apr 15

Palmetto Fellows Final Awards: If you think you will meet one of the following qualifications by June, please see Ms. Levesque in early May for the application procedure. **If you have already applied, this does not pertain to you.** The qualifications are: **(1)** Rank in the top 6% of the class at the end of the senior year, and have a 1200 on the SAT (CR and M) or a 27 on the ACT **OR (2)** Score 1400 on the SAT (CR and M) or 32 on the ACT by the June administration and have a 4.0 cumulative GPA.

Mu Pi Chapter, Omega Psi Fraternity, Inc. Scholarship

Proof of acceptance and enrollment in college or technical school, financial need, "C" average. See your counselor for an ap. **Deadline: Apr 18**

Gap Creek Singers/Greer Music Club Memorial Scholarship

Eligibility: HS Srs. who intend to study music on a collegiate level. Students must complete an ap, and include a resume with specific info: solo works studied or performed, music honors or awards received, solo and/or ensemble performing experience, any music theory or history courses studied, in school or privately, a recording of your musical talent, an essay of 100 words about your professional goals in music and any other pertinent info. See guidance ASAP for an ap and other details. **Deadline: Apr 14**

Mitsubishi Polyester Film Company Endowed Scholarship at Greenville Technical College

Eligibility: Graduating HS Sr. with a 2.0 GPA, applied to Greenville Tech academic curriculum program majoring in the Technologies & Manufacturing programs including EET, EGT, Engineering Transfer, MET, Building Construction Tech, Fire Service Tech, HVAC, MTT, IMT – Mechatronics, Welding, Associate Sciences, ACC, AOT, CPT, MKT, Network Systems Adm., and Supply Chain Management.

***New students - apply to Greenville Tech and pay a \$35 nonrefundable application fee by May 2 at the Admissions Office or visit http://gvltec.edu/admissions_process.aspx?id=4806.

New students - attach your HS transcript to your scholarship application and turn into financial aid office **before May 2nd**. NOTE: This does not take the place of your official transcript which may be needed for GT Admissions. See your counselor for additional info.

Greenville Family Partnership/Red Ribbon Works is offering (2) \$500 scholarships to HS Srs. who have repeatedly demonstrated passion and leadership qualities for living an alcohol, tobacco, and drug-free lifestyle. Students must submit an essay, and (3) "Character Recommendation References." See your counselor for an ap. **Deadline: Apr 28**

Sterling HS Alumni Association Scholarship \$500 Scholarship

Eligibility: Must be a GC graduate with a 2.5 GPA, must be attending a college as an undergraduate or must be accepted for undergraduate enrollment in an accredited postsecondary school, must submit an ap and complete an essay, must not be receiving a full scholarship of any type, must have family income that does not exceed HUD's financial guidelines by more than 10%, must meet the fin. requirement as the award is based on need, must submit a copy of 1040 Original form, filed with the IRS. See your counselor for an ap. **Deadline: April 26**

Bernice Barton Scholarship Epsilon Iota Zeta Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority

3 letters of recommendation, Copy of acceptance letter, 2.5 GPA, Official HS Transcript, SAT/ACT scores, and 150 word essay. See your counselor for an ap. **Deadline: May 25**

Will to Win Scholarship

Eligibility: HS Sr. with asthma, who will graduate in 2011, have achieved a level of excellence in excellence in performing arts, community service, athletics, visual arts or science and will be attending college in the Fall of 2011. See your counselor for an ap. **Deadline: Apr 26**

Eastside HS Athletic Booster Club Scholarship \$1000 for a deserving female male student-athlete/\$1000 for a deserving female student-athlete

Qualification/Eligibility: US citizen or permanent resident, GPA 2.75 or higher, Eastside HS Sr who must matriculate at a US accredited 4 yr college or university full time during school yr 2011 – 2012, Played a varsity sport at Eastside for at least 3 yrs and who have already demonstrated exceptional sporting talent, No criminal record

Required Documentation, Application, Official Transcript in a sealed envelope, Letters of Recommendation, Essay

Each candidate must submit a complete and timely application. An application will be considered incomplete and not processed if all instructions have not been followed or the material presented is insufficient to permit adequate review.

Application materials are to be impeccable in terms of appearance and legibility. Letters of Recommendation Letters

Each packet must include two letters of recommendation. One of the letters must be from an academic teacher who has taught the student for one academic school year and the other letter must be from an athletic coach who has coached the student for at least one season.

Applications are on the website or in Guidance. Application packet is to be given to Mrs. Julie Morgan.

Deadline: May 10

Other Important Information:

SC Teachers & Career Changers Loan Programs

For entering freshmen, the maximum loan amount per academic yr. is \$2500. Students must apply for the loan and meet the eligibility requirements each academic yr. See your counselor for an ap. **Deadline: April 12**

