# Seton Guidance Corner

April 20, 2023

# Requesting a High School Transcript

Seniors, if you would like to request a copy of your high school transcript, please email Mrs. McIntyre at tmcintyre@setonschool.net.

#### All Course Scheduling Forms Due

If you have not turned in your course scheduling form for next year's classes, please hand in ASAP at the Seton Front Office or Corpus Christi Office. If you were absent and need a form or have any questions, please see Mrs. McIntyre or Mrs. Guyant in Cenacle.

#### Reminder - College and Career Night for the Junior Class Next Week

The annual mandatory College and Career Night for juniors and at least one parent will take place on Wednesday evening, April 26, from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the gym. Presentation topics include the college application process and career planning as well as information about trade schools and the military.

# **Christendom College Open House**

Christendom College invites high school students and their families to an Open House scheduled for Saturday, April 29, from 1:00 to 5:00 p.m. Meet President Dr. Timothy O'Donnell, experience a class with a Christendom professor, take a tour of campus, learn about financial aid offerings, and more. To register, visit <a href="https://www.christendom.edu/admissions/open-house/">https://www.christendom.edu/admissions/open-house/</a>.

# **ASJB Parent Night Opportunity**

The Associates of St. John Bosco (ASJB) will be hosting a Parent Night for parents of juniors and seniors called "Parents Prepared: What's Around the Corner for Your Child Going to College?" on Tuesday evening, May 2, from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the Basilica of St. Mary Lyceum (313 Duke Street, Alexandria). Parents will learn steps to help prepare their child for college as well as help them live out their faith while on campus. Registration is free at <a href="www.asjb.org/parents-prepared">www.asjb.org/parents-prepared</a>. Click <a href="here">here</a> for additional information. (\*ASJB - Associates of St. John Bosco - is an all-volunteer non-profit organization located in the Northern Virginia area that enables rising college students to transition into their college years and keep their Catholic faith at the very center of their lives.)

# **NOVA Fab Lab Design Challenge**

The challenge for Spring 2023 is to design an upcycled product linked to your community. Upcycling is creative reuse; it is the process of taking something considered as "junk" and transforming it into something useful (i.e., plastic bags woven into rugs, swings made with old tires, bike racks made from scrap bike parts, and furniture crafted from shipping pallets). How can the functional objects, structures, and spaces in your community be reimagined through upcycling or what useful, upcycled product can you provide your community? Grand Prize is \$1,000. Design Submission Portal closes on Sunday, April 30. For more information and to enter, visit <a href="https://form.jotform.com/230604443890151">https://form.jotform.com/230604443890151</a>.

# Earn College Credit with CLEP

For over 50 years, the College-Level Examination Program (CLEP) has helped students receive college credit for a fraction of the cost of a college course. The program lets students show mastery of introductory college-level material and earn credit for what they already know. Students can test out of courses and move to more advanced courses sooner, saving time toward a degree. CLEP offers 34 exams covering intro-level college course content, including College Algebra, Biology, and History of the United States. Nearly 3,000 colleges and universities grant credit for CLEP exams. Exams are scored from 20 to 80 and many colleges require a 50 score to receive credit. Students prepare for the exams on their own. For more information, visit <a href="https://clep.collegeboard.org/?excmpid=VT-00062">https://clep.collegeboard.org/?excmpid=VT-00062</a>.

# Jack Kent Cooke Foundation – Young Scholars Program

The Cooke Young Scholars Program is a selective five-year, pre-college scholarship for high-performing 7th grade students with financial need. It provides comprehensive academic and college advising, as well as financial support for school, Cooke-sponsored summer programs, internships, and other learning enrichment opportunities. Deadline to apply is May 11. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/young-scholars-program/">https://www.jkcf.org/our-scholarships/young-scholars-program/</a>.

# CLT, SAT, and ACT Registration Deadlines Coming Up

CLT Test Date – May 20 (Remotely Proctored)

Registration Deadline – May 15

Click here to register.

Signup for CLT's free practice test.

SAT Test Date – June 3

Registration Deadline – May 4

Click <u>here</u> to register.

Signup for free SAT practice test.

ACT Test Date – June 10

Registration Deadline – May 5

Click here to register.

Signup for free ACT test prep.

#### **Scholarship Opportunities**

#### **DutchCrafters Amish Furniture Heritage Scholarship**

Amount: \$500

Deadline: May 1, 2023

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/11076/dutchcrafters amish furniture heritage scholarship

#### Got a Spine Scholarship

Amount: \$500

Deadline: May 2, 2023

https://arcticchiropracticfairbanks.com/chiropractor\_fairbanks.php

#### **Nurse Corps Scholarship Program**

Amount: \$10,000 Deadline: May 4, 2023

https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/15267/nurse-corps-scholarship-program

#### Trane Technician of the Future Scholarship

Applicant must be pursuing an HVAC (heating, ventilation, and air conditioning) degree or certification or building automation technology degree or certification.

Amount: \$4,000

Deadline: May 8, 2023

https://app.goingmerry.com/scholarships/trane-technician-of-the-future-scholarship/15423

Please note, opportunities in the Guidance Corner are not endorsements of the programs. They are shared as options for students and parents to carefully consider.