

Seton Guidance Corner

November 16, 2023

Military Day at Seton

This year's Military Day will take place this coming Monday, Nov. 20, during both lunch periods in the gym. Students are encouraged to take advantage of this great opportunity to learn about serving in our Armed Forces, ROTC scholarships, service academies, summer leadership programs, and military affiliated schools and opportunities. All students and parents are invited to participate and thank the military members for their service!

ASVAB for the Juniors – What's the ASVAB?

The ASVAB (Armed Services Vocational Aptitude Battery) is part of a Career Exploration Program which offers students the opportunity to identify strengths, interests, and skill levels. The junior class will be taking the test on Tuesday morning, Nov. 28, beginning at 8:20 a.m. in the gym. Once you receive your ASVAB scores and access code, you can visit www.asvabprogram.com/ for additional, in-depth career information as well as assessments to determine possible career interests. For more information about the test, click [here](#).

Information on Military Service Academies

Click [here](#) for a slide presentation on the admission requirements, profile statistics, keys to success, and the reward of attending a Military Service Academy. (Provided by Captain Ron Bishop, USN (ret.))

Cardinal Newman Recommended Colleges with ROTC Programs

Serving our country is a noble calling, and several faithful Catholic colleges help put students on the path for careers in the military. Reserve Officer Training Corps (ROTC) is offered at a number of recommended colleges, sometimes in partnership with other local universities. These colleges include:

Belmont Abbey College (Belmont, NC)

Benedictine College (Atchison, KS)

The Catholic University of America (Washington D.C)

Franciscan University (Steubenville, OH)

University of Dallas (Dallas, TX)

University of St. Thomas-Houston, (Houston, TX)

Walsh University (North Canton, OH)

[\(https://cardinalnewmansociety.org/popular-majors-sports-and-activities-at-newman-guide-colleges/\)](https://cardinalnewmansociety.org/popular-majors-sports-and-activities-at-newman-guide-colleges/)

Fall Open House at Christendom College

Christendom College invites high school students and families to their Fall Open House scheduled for this Saturday, November 18, 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 <https://www.christendom.edu/admissions/open-house/>.

Harmel Academy - Foundations of Skilled Stewardship Program

The Foundations of Skilled Stewardship Program offered at Harmel Academy of the Trades, located in Grand Rapids, Michigan, is a gap year program which trains men in the fundamentals of skilled work and spiritual maturity, whether they intend to continue on in the study of a specific skilled trade, to defer their college entrance to gain skills helpful to put themselves through college, or simply to receive a year of focus, discipline, and community. To learn more, visit

<https://www.harmelacademy.org/curriculum/foundations-of-skilled-stewardship-program/>.

Laurel Ridge Community College - IT Fast-Track Programs Information Session

A free online information session will be held on Thursday, November 30, at 4:00 p.m. and will introduce students to the fast-track, career training IT certification and other information technology programs offered by Laurel Ridge Community College. Staff will be in attendance to help students navigate their pathway and also educate them on funding sources that may be available. For more information and to register, visit <https://laurelridgeworkforce.com/event/it-information-session/>.

CLT, SAT, and ACT Registration Deadlines Coming Up

CLT Test Date – December 2 (Remotely Proctored)

Registration Deadline – November 27

Click [here](#) to register.

[Signup](#) for CLT's free practice test.

SAT Test Date – December 2

Registration Deadline – November 17

Click [here](#) to register.

[Signup](#) for free SAT practice test.

ACT Test Date – February 10

Registration Deadline – January 5

Click [here](#) to register.

[Signup](#) for free ACT test prep.

Scholarship Opportunities

The NHS Scholarship

Amount: Up to \$25,000

Deadline: November 30, 2023

<https://app.goingmerry.com/scholarships/the-nhs-scholarship/7741>

Stephen J. Brady Stop Hunger Scholarship

Amount: Up to \$5,000

Deadline: December 5, 2023

<https://app.goingmerry.com/scholarships/stephen-j-brady-stop-hunger-scholarships/7173>

Burger King Scholars Program

Amount: \$1,000

Deadline: December 15, 2023

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/10533/burger-king-scholars-program>

Power of Resilience Scholarship

Amount: \$1,000

Deadline: December 31, 2023

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/14792/power-of-resilience-scholarship>

Roger W. Kahn Scholarship

Amount: \$10,000

Deadline: December 31, 2023

<https://studentscholarships.org/scholarship/25909/roger-w-kahn-scholarship>

**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.*