

ASSIST-A-GRAD SCHOLARSHIPS

Class of 2008

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Assist-A-Grad Scholarship Foundation is an incorporated non-profit organization developed to provide services to scholarship donors and graduating seniors within the Fairfield-Suisun-Travis communities. Its major purpose is to communicate to students the various scholarships that have been made available by the cooperating donors.

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APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, FEBRUARY 29, 2008
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ASSIST-A-GRAD AWARDS CEREMONY

Sunday, May 18, 2008 3:00 p.m.
Fairfield Community Center

(Students are expected to dress appropriately for interviews and the Awards Ceremony.)

FROM: Assist-A-Grad Board of Governors

February 2008

SUBJECT: IMPORTANT INFORMATION

READ THIS BEFORE YOU FILL OUT THE APPLICATION

Within this booklet you will find a number of scholarships listed in alphabetical order by sponsor with the criteria by which the recipient will be selected. Winners are requested to forward a class schedule or Proof of Enrollment letter from a college/university and monies will be sent to the Financial Aid Office of that organization.

EACH STUDENT IS ENCOURAGED to give serious consideration to the requirements of those scholarships for which he/she is most qualified. The increased number of scholarships and diverse requirements should provide an opportunity for almost all students who plan to continue their education.

1. Students may apply for **ONLY THREE (3)** scholarships.

EXCEPTION: The Valedictorian Scholarship is an honorary grant and Valedictorians may apply for three (3) additional scholarships. A fourth copy of the application is required for the Valedictorian scholarship.

2. Please read the scholarship criteria carefully. To qualify for some scholarships, the criteria may require attendance at a certain high school, high academic achievement, or parent membership in an organization.

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| Code: (A) | Armijo | Students attending schools OTHER THAN THOSE listed at the left are eligible ONLY for: #4, #21, #22, #40, #42, #58, #62, #63, #78, #79 and #82 <u>Read EACH CRITERIA carefully to see if you qualify.</u> |
| (F) | Fairfield | |
| (R) | Rodriguez | |
| (SY) | SemYeto | |
| (V) | Vanden | |

3. Student GPA will be rated on unweighted scores:

A = 4.00; B = 3.00; C = 2.00; D = 1.00

4. The APPLICATION PACKET and INSTRUCTIONS begin following the listing of available scholarships.

5. **APPLICATION DEADLINE: Friday, FEBRUARY 29, 2008**

Any student that does not file an application through Assist-a-Grad by the specified date is not eligible for an award through Assist-a-Grad. Specific instructions precede the application. Return the scholarship application to the advisor or counselor at your high school.

Applicants attending high schools OTHER THAN Armijo, Fairfield High, Rodriguez, Sem Yeto, or Vanden should return their applications to Assist-a-Grad, c/o Fairfield-Suisun Chamber of Commerce, 1111 Webster Street, Fairfield, California 94533, by Friday, FEBRUARY 29, 2008. (See the last page for instructions regarding the Application Brief).

6. All applicants must attend a personal interview. Interviews will be scheduled for the **EVENINGS** of **APRIL 21 through APRIL 24, 2008** at Armijo High School. Interviews CANNOT be re-scheduled for any other date.

1. Friends of Greg Adams (Sponsor)
GREG ADAMS MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. Greg Adams was a graduate of Armijo High School with a passion for music. **Selection criteria:** Armijo High student who plans to continue music education at a community college or university. Attitude and love of music are primary considerations.
(A)
2. Advanced Hearing Aid Center (Sponsor)
ADVANCED HEARING AID CENTER SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$600 will be awarded. Selection criteria: Either student or member of immediate family has a hearing impairment. Students are eligible if enrolling in a vocational or community college.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
3. Advocates for the Arts (Sponsor)
ADVOCATES FOR THE ARTS SCHOLARSHIP
Five scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum GPA 3.00. Students who plan on studying visual or performing arts at a community college, a four year college or an art institute. Students must provide a sample of their art for the interview (visual, tape, photos, or similar).
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
4. Air Force Association, Gen . Robert F. Travis Chapter (Sponsor)
AIR FORCE ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Student must maintain a 3.5 GPA or higher; student must be actively pursuing a commission in the United States Air Force; student must undergo a personal interview.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V) (All Solano County High Schools)
5. Alooma Ct. #198 - Daughters of Isis, Suisun City, CA (Sponsor)
ALOOMA CT. #198 DAUGHTERS OF ISIS SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Daughters of Isis is a ladies auxiliary of the Prince Hall Shiner Organization. **Selection criteria:** An African American student with a grade point average of 3.00 or higher, planning to attend a four year college or university. Criteria includes good character, extra school activities and community service.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
6. Ameriprise Financial Services (Sponsor)
AMERIPRISE FINANCIAL SERVICES SCHOLARSHIP (Sponsor)
One scholarship of \$400 will be awarded. At Ameriprise Financial, we have a clearly defined mission to help you craft a vision for your ideal financial future - especially when it comes to retirement – and then help you make it a reality. **Selection criteria:** Recipient should have a 3.0 or better GPA and plan to major in business or finance at a four-year college/university.
(A) (F) (R)
7. Anderson & Associates, CPAs, A Professional Corporation (Sponsor)
ANDERSON & ASSOCIATES, CPAs SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** GPA of 3.25 or better and majoring in accounting.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
8. Armijo Associated Student Body – Ed Hopkins Memorial Classic (Sponsor)
ED HOPKINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** An Armijo High School senior with a minimum 2.50 GPA who has played boys' basketball for at least two years and who has shown strong leadership, sportsmanship, citizenship.
(A)
9. Armijo High School Football Boosters (Sponsor)
ARMIJO FOOTBALL BOOSTERS SCHOLARSHIP
Four scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 2.00 GPA; graduating senior who played football at Armijo High School for at least one season on the JV or Varsity team; plans on continuing education at vocational/trade school, community college, or four-year college or university.
(A)

- Armijo Staff Club (Sponsor)
10. **ARMIJO STAFF CLUB SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Armijo High School student, "B" average extra curricular activities, and high degree of school spirit.
(A)
- Assist-A-Grad Scholarship Foundation, Inc. (Sponsor)
(Includes funds donated by the Fairfield High Black Student Union)
11. **ASSIST-A-GRAD FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$350 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** GPA minimum of 2.9. Demonstrated financial need with community service OR family obligation/responsibilities. One of the letters of recommendation in this application packet must verify family obligations/responsibilities.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- (Sponsored by a Grant from Fairfield Youth Foundation)
12. **ASSIST-A-GRAD FOUNDATION VALEDICTORIAN SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1500 will be awarded to valedictorians of Armijo High, Fairfield High, Rodriguez High, and Vanden High. If more than one valedictorian is selected at any high school, the \$1500 for that school will be divided equally. An application is NOT required. Valedictorians may apply for three other scholarships and must file applications for those as per instructions.
(A) (F) (R) (V)
- Ball Corporation (Sponsor)
13. **BALL CORPORATION SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum GPA of 3.00, high financial need, and majoring in mechanical engineering or business.
(A) (F) (V)
- The Ball Family (Sponsor)
14. **CHARLOTTE BAILARD BALL MEMORIAL NURSING SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. Charlotte Bailard Ball graduated from Armijo High in 1936 and from the Providence School of Nursing in Oakland in 1941. For ten years she worked at Bunny Hospital in Fairfield. In 1951 she started her school nursing career with the Crystal School District for Suisun City and Travis schools which became part of the Fairfield-Suisun Unified School District. She retired in 1976.
Selection criteria: Minimum 3.00 GPA with an intent to major in the nursing profession.
(A)
- Bank of the West (Sponsor)
15. **BANK OF THE WEST SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum of 2.00 GPA and pursuing a career in business.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Mayrene and James Bates (Sponsor)
16. **M. J. BATES SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Major in elementary education.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Felicia C. Bautista (Sponsor)
17. **JAMES and FELICIA BAUTISTA SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Successful completion of a 2-year curriculum leading to a diploma or certificate in the International Baccalaureate Program; demonstrated abilities in leadership and community involvement; financial need; proof of acceptance of enrollment in an accredited 4-year college or university with a major in environmental science, medical research, medicine (in general) or engineering; THREE letters of recommendation and/or character reference. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad Personal Statement, an ESSAY explaining financial need, and academic and career goals is required. (Please indicate "IB Program Candidate" in the Special Qualifications section on the Application Brief.)
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- Bay Medical Center for Cosmetic & Laser Surgery / William Chen, M.D. (Sponsor)
18. **ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 3.25 GPA demonstrating leadership and activity in community environmental improvement and natural habitat preservation. One letter of recommendation from the community will be required.
(A) (F) (R)
- Beta Psi Chapter – Delta Kappa Gamma Society (Sponsor)
19. **ROXIE ALEXANDER GRANT-IN-AID**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Roxie Alexander Grant-in-Aid was established in 1953 by Beta Psi Chapter. Purposes: Provide financial support to female seniors and students attending California and out-of-state colleges and universities. **Selection criteria:** Female applicant must be studying to enter the education profession as a teacher, counselor, school librarian or psychologist. One of the letters of recommendation must be from a counselor and/or teacher.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Briggs/Hafich Family (Sponsor)
20. **BRIGGS/HAFICH SCHOLARSHIP**
Eight scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** GPA 3.30, DEMONSTRATED FINANCIAL NEED, school and/or community involvement, acceptance at U.C. or Cal State University.
(A) (F)
- California School Employees Association, Fairfield-Suisun Chapter #302 (Sponsor)
21. **C.S.E.A. FAIRFIELD-SUISUN CHAPTER #302 SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded to a high school senior who is a family member of a CSEA Chapter #302 member. *(Please indicate "family member of CSEA member" in the Special Qualifications section on the Application Brief.)*
(FAMILY MEMBER OF C.S.E.A. FAIRFIELD-SUISUN CHAPTER #302 MEMBER)
- California State Prison – Solano - Prison Outreach Program (Sponsor)
22. **CALIFORNIA STATE PRISON – SOLANO - PRISON OUTREACH PROGRAM SCHOLARSHIP**
Four scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded.
1. One \$1000 scholarship will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA, male or female from single parent, foster care, or low-income household, who has overcome great adversity, graduating from high school and planning to attend a two or four-year college/university, and/or a one year or more trade school. Students must provide a copy of their GPA, letter of recommendation from teacher, counselor, or community at large member (church, recreation or community organization leader, etc.) and submit a minimum of 300 word essay describing how you overcame your own life adversity, and how you would help others overcome similar adversities.
 2. One \$1000 scholarship will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA, male or female from single parent, foster care, or low income household, who has overcome great adversity, graduating from high school and planning to attend a two of four-year college/university and/or a one year trade school. Students must provide a copy of their GPA, letter of recommendation from teacher, counselor, or community at large member (church, recreation, or community organization, etc.) and submit a 300 word essay describing how you overcame your own life adversity and how you plan to benefit your community.
 3. Two \$1000 scholarships will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Graduating male or female high school senior with a GPA range between 2.00 and 3.00, wishing to attend a two or four-year college. One scholarship specifically is for students from a single parent family or out of foster care. Both scholarships are for students that are financially limited. Continuation school students are encouraged to apply. An essay of 500 words or less on life experiences and goals, or on overcoming adversity is required. Extra school activities and/or employment is a plus.
- ONLY ONE APPLICATION IS NECESSARY for the above four scholarships. Sponsor will determine winners of each scholarship as a result of the personal interview.*
- (A) (F) (R) (SY) (V) (Any Vacaville High School)**

- Christine Carbonel and Kurt Schaubach (Sponsor)
23. **PAUL CARBONEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Paul Carbonel was a hard worker, kind and passionate friend, and always willing to help others. **Selection criteria:** 3.20 GPA minimum, priority given to students who demonstrate a well-rounded high school record. Must demonstrate academic performance, leadership (class, school organizations, and community organizations), extra-curriculars (the arts and athletics) and commitment to community service (as a volunteer in church, civic, school, etc.) One letter of recommendation in your application must be from a school teacher or administrator. The other letter of recommendation must be from a person in charge of your community service activities. Additional letters of recommendation may also be attached.
(A)
- Cordelia Rotary Club (Sponsor)
24. **CORDELIA ROTARY HARRY HOLBROOK MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Five scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.20 GPA, motivated student who plans to attend an accredited two or four-year college or university; strong community and volunteer service; student leadership; financial need.
(R)
- Creative Sign Company (Sponsor)
25. **CREATIVE SIGN COMPANY GRAPHIC ARTS SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 2.50 GPA or better, Must plan to pursue a line of study in commercial or graphic arts or a teaching profession in art. Applicants must bring portfolio to interview.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Crescent Elementary Staff (Sponsor)
26. **CRESCENT ELEMENTARY SCHOLARSHIP in memory of Mary Jo Beyer-Tracy**
Two scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Preference will be given to former Crescent students, with past students of Mary Jo Beyer considered first. The sponsors hope to award at least one scholarship to a student considering a career in education.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Daily Republic (Sponsor)
27. **DAILY REPUBLIC SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 2.70 GPA and above, financial need, communications major, preferably in newspaper field (editorial and advertising). Will consider other media forms.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Eagle Eye Engraving (Sponsor)
28. **EAGLE EYE ENGRAVING SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$350 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 2.60 GPA required. Student continuing to a two or four-year college/university or trade school, expressing a desire to create one's own business in the retail or service industries.
(A) (F) (R) (V) (SY)
- Electrical Contractors Trust of Solano & Napa Counties (Sponsor)
29. **ELECTRICAL CONTRACTORS TRUST OF SOLANO & NAPA COUNTIES SCHOLARSHIP**
Five scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA; school and community involvement; and pursuing a continued education at a vocational college, community college, college/university with a program focus in construction management, electrical engineering, drafting, electronics or a related field.
(A) (F) (R) (V)

30. Fairfield Community Services Foundation (Sponsor)
COMMUNITY SERVICES FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP
 Three scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded; one in memory of Lt. Col. Rex Floyd. **Selection criteria:** 3.00 or higher GPA. Preference will be given to seniors who have demonstrated a commitment to community service as a volunteer (school, civic, church, etc.) throughout high school. Must show evidence of 100+ hours of volunteer service; and must demonstrate financial need. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", a separate essay of a minimum of 250 words is required providing details of your community service and future goals. Students with R.O.T.C. experience will be given preference for the Lt. Col. Rex Floyd Scholarship.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)

31, Fairfield F.A.S.T. Lions Club (Sponsor)
F.A.S.T. LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP
 One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Learn more about the F.A.S.T. Lions Club by visiting our website at fairfieldfastlions.com. **Selection criteria:** Acceptance at a higher institution of learning. Evidence of clearly defined education goals. Preference will be shown for students who show a record of community service or leadership in extracurricular activities. Students with physical impairments are especially invited to apply.
(A) (F) (R) (V)

32. Fairfield High School Athletic Boosters Club (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC BOOSTERS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP
 Ten scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded, representing each of the eleven participating Fairfield High ABC teams listed below. No more than one \$1000 scholarship may be granted to any single individual.

Selection criteria:

- a. Maintained a minimum 2.50 cumulative GPA
- b. Participated in at least one varsity sport during both of their last two years of attendance at Fairfield High School as verified by a letter of support from the head coach of their varsity team(s) submitted at the time of their scholarship application.
- c. Have had at least one adult family member actively participating in supporting the Fairfield High School Athletic Boosters Club for two years in Club activities as verified by a letter from the President of the Fairfield High School Athletic Booster's Club submitted at the time of their scholarship application, either through 1) the minimum number of team required hours at Sunday Night Bingo, or 2) approved alternative service.
- d. In the event of multiple qualified applicants for any one of the eleven scholarships, the grant shall be awarded, at the discretion of the interview panel, based upon responses to interview questions, highest GPA, and most hours of personal participation as a student supporting bingo.

(Please indicate the sport team in the Special Qualifications section on the Application Brief.)

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| Baseball | Boys Soccer | Girls Basketball |
| Volleyball | Girls Swimming | Boys Basketball |
| Wrestling | Boys Swimming | Cheerleading |
| | Girls Water Polo | |
| | Boys Water Polo | |

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33. Fairfield Host Lions Club (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD HOST LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP
A total of six scholarships will be offered as follows:

Three scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded and three memorial scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. The Fairfield Host Lions have served the community since 1924 by practicing their motto "We Serve." These scholarships are a part of that service.

One memorial scholarship of \$500 will be awarded in memory of **Curtis and Lil Burgan**. The Lions honor Curtis Burgan, a past district governor and past president of the Club, and his wife, Lil Burgan, who joined the Club after his death to continue the promotion of service to our community.

One memorial scholarship of \$500 will be awarded in memory of **Bev Dihel**. The Lions honor Bev Dihel, a past president of the Club who died in 2005 after 43 years of membership and service to the community.

One memorial scholarship of \$500 will be awarded in memory of **Verde Hawley** who was a past president of the Club and served as principal in many of our local schools before his untimely death in 1969.

ONLY ONE APPLICATION is necessary for the above six scholarships. Sponsor will determine winners of each scholarship as a result of the personal interviews.

Selection criteria: A student who will be enrolling in Solano Community College for the first two years of a planned four-year college career.

(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)

34. Fairfield Host Lions Club (Sponsor)
RALPH PENNING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Ralph Penning** was a past district governor and past president of the Fairfield Host Lions Club whose numerous contributions to the community were recognized when the Fairfield City Council voted to name a street after him. **Selection criteria:** Hearing or sight impaired students who are continuing their education at the college or trade school level.

(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)

35. Fairfield Pacific Little League (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD PACIFIC LITTLE LEAGUE SCHOLARSHIP

A total of two scholarships will be offered as follows:

One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a graduating senior from Armijo High. **Selection criteria:** GPA 3.00 or higher; played on the Fairfield Pacific Little League for 1 year or more; economic need will be considered; planning to attend a two-year or 4-year college or university. In addition to the required Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", a separate essay recalling years of play in the Fairfield Pacific Little League is required.

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One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded to a graduating senior from Rodriguez High. **Selection criteria:** GPA 3.00 or higher; played on the Fairfield Pacific Little League for 1 year or more; economic need will be considered; planning to attend a two-year or 4-year college or university. In addition to the required Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", a separate essay recalling years of play in the Fairfield Pacific Little League is required.

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36. Fairfield Solano Lions Club (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD SOLANO LIONS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP

One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. Fairfield Solano Lions Club is a service organization composed of individuals who encourage people to serve their community without personal financial gain. **Selection criteria:** Scholastic achievement; school and community activities; recommendations; financial need; and planning to attend a two/four year college, or a trade/vocational school. Students with physical impairments are especially invited to apply. (Scholarship must be claimed and used within two years.)

(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)

37. Fairfield-Suisun Adult School Staff (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD-SUISUN ADULT SCHOOL STAFF SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$325 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Full-time re-entry student attending the Adult School, attendance record, high achievement, and financial need.
(FAIRFIELD-SUISUN ADULT SCHOOL)
38. Fairfield-Suisun Adult School (Sponsor)
IRIS A. L'LYLE NURSING SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded in memory of Iris Ann L'yle, former Director of Nursing Education at the Fairfield-Suisun Adult School, to a 2007-2008 graduate of the Adult School Certified Nursing Assistant Program for further education in the field of nursing.
(FAIRFIELD-SUISUN ADULT SCHOOL)
39. Fairfield-Suisun Adult School Staff (Sponsor)
WOMEN IN ACTION RE-ENTRY SCHOLARSHIP
Two scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Full-time re-entry student attending the Adult School, attendance record, high achievement, and financial need.
(FAIRFIELD-SUISUN ADULT SCHOOL)
40. Fairfield-Suisun Management Association (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD-SUISUN MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION SCHOLARSHIP
Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. Preference will be given to dependents of the Management Association of the Fairfield-Suisun Unified School District.
Selection criteria: Good academic standing, citizenship, and moral character.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V) OR dependent of FSUSD Management Association
41. Fairfield-Suisun Rotary Club (Sponsor)
FAIRFIELD-SUISUN ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP
A total of nine scholarships will be awarded as follows:
- Eight scholarships of \$1000 each. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.50 GPA; academic excellence; service/community activities; and financial need. Consideration will be given to students active in an Interact Club. Students are eligible if enrolling in a vocational, community college, or a four year school.
- One scholarship, the Gaylord Whitlock Community Scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.50 GPA, academic excellence, minimum of 120 hours of community service divided among three areas of service and financial need. Consideration will be given to students active in Rotary Interact clubs. Students are eligible if enrolling in a vocation, community college or four year college or university.
- ONLY ONE APPLICATION is necessary for the above nine scholarships. Sponsor will determine winners of each scholarship as a result of the personal interviews.*
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
42. Fairfield-Suisun Unified Teachers Association (Sponsor)
F-SUTA SCHOLARSHIP
A total of five scholarships will be awarded:
- Four (4) scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Applicant must be a dependent of an F-SUTA member, minimum 2.50 GPA, community service, potentially able to succeed in college, demonstrated leadership, talent, and financial need. *(Please indicate "dependent of FSUTA member" in the Special Qualifications section on the Application Brief.)*
(DEPENDENT OF F-SUTA MEMBER)
- One (1) scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Applicant must be a dependent of an F-SUTA member, potentially able to succeed in college, and financial need. *(Please indicate "dependent of FSUTA member" in the Special Qualifications section on the Application Brief.)*
(DEPENDENT OF F-SUTA MEMBER)
- ONLY ONE APPLICATION is necessary for the above five scholarships. Sponsors will determine winners of each scholarship as a result of the personal interviews.*

- Fairfield Women In Action (Sponsor)
43. **FAIRFIELD WOMEN IN ACTION SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** (1) minimum 3.00 GPA; (2) entering a two or four year college or university and has a financial need; (3) involvement in school, community, and volunteer service activities; (4) preference will be given to dependents of Fairfield Women in Action members providing the dependents meet the above qualifications.
(A) (F) (R) (V)
- Gary Falati State Farm Insurance (Sponsor)
44. **JANICE LYNN ROSSI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. Janice Lynn Rossi was the niece of Gary Falati. She was born with a developmental disability. **Selection criteria:** A student involved in school or community working with the developmentally disabled, or who has a family member developmentally disabled; student who plans on attending a community or four-year college/university.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Friends and Family of Mary Jane Fout (Sponsor)
45. **MARY JANE FOUT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Mary Jane Fout was a charter member of Assist-A-Grad since 1967 and on the staff at Armijo High School for 35 years. **Selection criteria:** 2.50 minimum GPA, extra-curricular activities, and community service. Candidate should be planning a career in an education profession (i.e. teacher, librarian, counselor or psychologist) or in community services.
(A)
- Geranium City Garden Club (Sponsor)
46. **GERANIUM CITY GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. The scholarship is in honor of John Dyer. Mr. Dyer received the first scholarship given by the Geranium City Garden Club in 1968. **Selection criteria:** Career plans in the field of conservation science (i.e., fire and landscape ecology, biohydrology, endangered species control or ecological monitoring). Alternative field of environmental horticulture or agriculture studies will be considered.
(A) (F) (R) (V)
- Friends of Donna-Marie Girton (Sponsor)
47. **DONNA-MARIE GIRTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. Donna-Marie Girton was a teacher in the Fairfield-Suisun Unified School District for many years. **Selection criteria:** Any Fairfield-Suisun Unified School District graduating senior who attended Suisun Elementary School. (Please indicate "attended Suisun Elementary School" in the *Special Qualifications* section of the Application Brief.)
(A) (F) (R) (SY)
- Golden Hills Mustang Club (Sponsor)
48. **GOLDEN HILLS MUSTANG CLUB SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** At least 2.50 GPA and plans to continue studies in the automotive repair field (e.g., repair or design engineering) **OR** either the student or one of the student's parents must currently work in an automotive field (e.g., repair, design or sales).
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Herbert Family and Friends (Sponsor)
49. **KATHLEEN E. HERBERT MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 2.70 GPA or better, a student planning to attend a two or four year college/university and considering a career in elementary education.
(A) (F) (SY)

- Family of Ella C. Owens Jennings (Sponsor)
50. **ELLA C. OWENS JENNINGS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. This award is to honor Ella C. Jennings' commitment to young people. "Miss Ella" loved children and devoted her career to caring for them. **Selection criteria:** African American graduating student planning to attend an accredited two or four-year college/university; 2.00 GPA or better. In addition to the required Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", a separate one page essay (typed) reflecting on your goals and the important influences in your life (people or experiences that have made a difference in your life) must be submitted with your application. *Students with a vocational interest in childcare or youth development/education are particularly encouraged to apply.*
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- The Ed Johnson Family and Friends (Sponsor)
51. **THE MARK JOHNSON MEMORIAL MUSIC SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. Mark graduated from Fairfield High School in 1971. He played Bluegrass, Cajun and classical music in Northern California for several years. **Selection criteria:** A graduating high school student who plans to continue music studies at a two or four-year college/university or a reputable music school.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- The Kerner Family (Sponsor)
52. **MELINDA ANN KERNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$5000 will be awarded. "Mendy" graduated from Fairfield High and Chico State University. She was a teacher at Suisun Valley Elementary. **Selection criteria:** 3.70 GPA or better; must plan to pursue a line of study in science or engineering at a four-year university or college; preference given to student with financial need. If no student qualifies, scholarship amount to be added to next year's scholarship.
(R)
- Scott Lindgren / Charlotte Toon and Friends (Sponsor)
53. **PRISCILLA TOON LINDGREN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One or more scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Outstanding Armijo High School Girls' Athletic Association senior(s) as voted by students and faculty. This award is in memory of Priscilla Toon Lindgren, Armijo High School Class of 1966. ***(Application NOT required.)***
(A)
- Ed Lippstreu Family (Sponsor)
54. **ED LIPPSTREU FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA; planning to attend an accredited two or four-year college or university; business major; academic achievement; sports; and participation in school/community activities.
(A) (F) (R)
- Jimmy Low (Sponsor)
55. **JIMMY LOW SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** GPA 2.70. Applicant must be a graduating senior who has shown desire and made serious effort to succeed despite early learning difficulties. Student must be enrolling in a college of any level with the goal of attaining a four-year degree. Chinese descent given priority.
(A) (F) (R) (SY)
- The Marsh Family (Sponsor)
56. **THE MARSH FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$700 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** To a Vanden High School graduate meeting or exceeding these minimum requirements: 3.00 GPA; service to the school; service to the community; entering into a community college, four-year college/university, trade or business school.
(V)

- Greg W. Matz (Sponsor)
57. **JACOBS-LONG ACHIEVEMENT AWARD**
One scholarship of \$1500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** A Vanden High School senior who has met adversity and refused to give up; pursuit of a college degree at an accredited university, college or junior college; and financial need as determined by the school.
(V)
- Military Officers Association of America - Solano County Chapter (Sponsor)
58. **MILITARY OFFICERS ASSOCIATION (SCC) SCHOLARSHIP**
\$3000 will be available to be divided among one to three recipients at the discretion of the MOAA Scholarship Committee. MOAA is an organization of retired and active duty commissioned officers. **Selection criteria:** Applicant must be a member of a graduating class located in Solano County; must have an academic achievement of 3.00 or above GPA; should have demonstrated leadership ability in school or community; and must plan to actively pursue an officer commissioning program in the uniformed services (USA, USN, USCG, USAF, USMC, NOAA, NHS) at college level. Financial need will be given consideration.
(All Solano County High Schools)
- The Moretti Family and Friends (Sponsor)
59. **MICHAEL DOMINIC MORETTI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One or more scholarships of \$500 will be awarded. Michael was a 1978 graduate of Fairfield High School and a long-time volunteer firefighter with the Suisun Fire Protection District. **Selection criteria:** A motivated student in pursuit of a career as a firefighter, paramedic, or emergency medical technician. Also will consider a student who is currently volunteering or has served as a volunteer firefighter.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- The Family and Friends of Ian Netto (Sponsor)
60. **IAN ALBERT NETTO MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. Ian called Suisun City home for almost 19 years. He graduated in 2005 from Armijo High School and attended Solano Community College. Ian was a dynamic, loving young man dedicated to family, friends, and community. **Selection criteria:** A student that plans to attend a community college or 4-year college and has either: a long term community service involvement or provided care for a disabled family member.
(A) (F) (R) (SY)
- North Bay Engineers Club (Sponsor)
61. **CIVIL ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$2000 will be awarded. The North Bay Engineers Club is an association of engineers from the Solano County and surrounding areas.
Selection criteria:
1. The applicant must have applied to a 2-year college or 4-year university accredited by the Accreditation Board for Engineering and Technology (ABET). Most colleges and universities with engineering and technology curriculums in California and other regions in the United States are ABET accredited.
 2. The applicant must declare an engineering major with preference given to declared majors in civil engineering, construction management, engineering technology, environmental engineering, geotechnical engineering, materials science, mechanical engineering, soils engineering, structural engineering, traffic engineering, transportation engineering, or in a related curriculum.
- Evaluation Factors:**
1. Academic record and scholastic ability.
 2. Record on non-academic activities and character.
 3. In addition to the required Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", a one-page, 300-word minimum statement with font size not less than 11 point is required on:
 - a. Why I am inspired to become an engineer, and
 - b. Why I should be considered for the Engineering Scholarship from the North Bay Engineer's Club.
- (A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)

62. Northern Solano Lodge #2534, Fairfield - Order of Sons of Italy in America (Sponsor)
SONS OF ITALY IN AMERICA. FAIRFIELD ORDER #2534, SCHOLARSHIP
Four scholarships of \$750 each will be awarded. One scholarship will be in memory of Rose Simon. **Selection criteria:** Students who are at least partly of Italian ancestry and financial need. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", each applicant should submit a separate brief biographical summary of his/her Italian heritage.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V) [Rio Vista, Vacaville, Dixon]
63. Order of Daedalians, Golden Gate Flight 5 (Sponsor)
ORDER OF DAEDALIANS SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded through Assist-A-Grad. An additional \$1000 may be awarded to the recipient by National Headquarters, Order of Daedalians, for a total \$2000 scholarship. The Order of Daedalians is a fraternity of military pilots originally organized after World War I. **Selection criteria:** Applicant must be a member of a 2008 high school graduating class with a GPA of 3.00 or better; have demonstrated leadership in school or community activities; intend to pursue an officers' commissioning program at college level and a pilot rating in the military services (Army, Navy, Air Force, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard). Financial need will be given consideration.
(All Solano County High Schools)
64. Cora Page (Sponsor)
CORA PAGE SCHOLARSHIP
Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** A graduating Fairfield High School senior with a GPA of 2.00 or higher; must be of Mexican descent, intending to pursue vocational or technical training.
(F)
65. Parkside Dental Care (Sponsor)
PARKSIDE DENTAL CARE SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 3.00 GPA or better. Student continuing to a two or four-year college/university, expressing a desire in any field of dentistry.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
66. Debbie and Vic Ramos (Sponsor)
BRIAN BURZYNSKI MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** A graduating high school senior with a GPA of 3.00 or higher who has an interest in math, science, and athletics and plans to attend an accredited four-year college or university. Applicants must be graduates of Dover Middle School. In addition to Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", applicants must submit a separate 300-word essay identifying how this money will help support their educational endeavors. (Please indicate "graduate of Dover Middle School" in the Special Qualification section on the Application Brief.)
(A) (F) (R) (V)
67. Ranch Management Consultants (Sponsor)
RMC ENVIRONMENTAL ADVOCATE SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Student with at least a 3.00 GPA planning to attend a 4-year college majoring in environmental engineering, environmental studies or the conservation of natural resources. In addition to Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", applicant must submit one 300-word essay on the importance of habitat conservation and habitat diversity.
(F)
68. Yvonne Robbins (Sponsor)
YVONNE ROBBINS SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** An African-American graduating senior with a 2.50 GPA or above and considering a career to become a teacher.
(A) (F) (R) (SY)

- Rodriguez Athletic Boosters (Sponsor)
69. RODRIGUEZ ATHLETIC BOOSTERS SCHOLARSHIP
Four scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. The preferred distribution will be two female athletes and two male athletes graduating from Rodriguez High School. However, in the event that there are less than two qualifying athletes in one gender, all four scholarships should be awarded if the applicants meet the selection criteria. **Selection criteria:**
1. Achieve a minimum cumulative 3.00 GPA.
 2. Earn a varsity letter during their attendance at Rodriguez High School.
 3. Obtain a letter of recommendation from either a coach or Athletic Director and included it with the application packet.
 4. Have at least one adult family member actively participating in supporting the Rodriguez High School Athletic Boosters. This is to be verified by a letter from a Board Member of the Rodriguez High School Athletic Boosters submitted at the time of the scholarship application.
- Participation may be defined as:
- a. Attendance of at least 2/3 of membership meetings while the applicant participated in varsity athletics at Rodriguez High School, and
 - b. Chaired or participated on a committee for one school year, or
 - c. Worked in at least one fundraising function while the applicant participated in varsity athletics at Rodriguez High School.
5. Be a college bound student. Attendance at community college, junior college, or university is acceptable.
 6. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", each applicant should submit a separate essay of 500-700 words in length describing why the applicant wants to attend college or how they benefited from being a student athlete at Rodriguez High School.
 7. For purposes of qualifying, varsity cheerleaders will be considered as participating in a varsity sport.
- (R)
- Richard and Juanita Schiel (Sponsor)
70. ANDREA "ANNIE" SCHIEL MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
Two scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** GPA 2.70 or less. Students with grade point average ABOVE 2.70 NEED NOT APPLY. The scholarship is designed to acknowledge an individual who has encountered obstacles in life but overcame them, who may have had to struggle for academic achievement but did not give up, and who has a desire to further their education but has limited financial resources.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- SCI Consulting Group. (Sponsor)
71. JOSEPH SHILTS MEMORIAL ENGINEERING SCHOLARSHIP
Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. Joe Shilts founded Shilts Consultants for the purpose of helping public agencies find funding for a variety of public improvements, such as parks, schools, open space, and fire and flood control. **Selection criteria:** Student must be entering a four year college or university and should have financial need. Applicant must be in pursuit of a degree in engineering and should have good academic standing.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Sem Yeto High School Student Government (Sponsor)
72. THE STEPHANIA TERRY MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. Stephania Terry was a graduate of Sem Yeto High School. She exhibited energy, enthusiasm, joy, and caring for others. She was president of Sem Yeto's student government and, as such, displayed leadership and a sense of purpose. **Selection criteria:** This scholarship is for a Sem Yeto graduate who exhibits her qualities and plans to pursue training or further education.
(SY)

- E. Ruth Sheldon Elementary School (Sponsor)
73. **E. RUTH SHELDON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 3.00 GPA minimum; priority given to students who attended E. Ruth Sheldon; has exhibited leadership and involvement in extracurricular activities.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Sheldon Gas Company (Sponsor)
74. **ANNA SHELDON HOPKINS MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. Anna Sheldon Hopkins was a leader in the community in numerous service clubs. She wrote recipe bulletins for Sheldon Gas until her passing in November of 2006. She lived a full and interesting life. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA; a female graduating senior who has shown outstanding leadership qualities throughout her high school years and plans to continue these endeavors into attendance at a two year or four year college or university; financial need will be given consideration. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement, each applicant should submit a separate 500 word essay explaining why you feel you are qualified to receive this particular scholarship.
(A)
- Sheldon Oil Company (Sponsor)
75. **WILLIAM BOYD SHELDON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. Boyd Sheldon founded Sheldon Oil Company and Sheldon Gas Company which are still thriving companies today. His entrepreneurship and passion for his family and his companies are honored by this scholarship. **Selection criteria:** 3.50 GPA or above; Armijo graduating senior planning to attend a two or four year college or university with the goal of attaining a four-year degree; financial need will be given consideration. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement, each applicant should submit a separate 500 word essay explaining why you feel you are qualified to receive this particular scholarship
(A)
- Sheldon Gas Company (Sponsor)
76. **JOHN PAUL HOPKINS TOWNER MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$1000 will be awarded. John Paul Towner died of bone cancer at the age of 17. He was a student at Armijo and while he was not an A student, he excelled at life in other ways. We honor his life and struggle by this scholarship. **Selection criteria:** 2.50 GPA; an Armijo High graduating senior who has met adversity through his/her high school career and has persevered to overcome it; planning to continue to a 2-year or 4-year college or university; financial need will be given consideration. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement, each applicant should submit a separate 500 word essay explaining why you feel you are qualified to receive this particular scholarship.
(A)
- Family & Friends of Sudie M. Smith (Sponsor)
77. **SUDIE M. SMITH MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$750 will be awarded to an Armijo High School student. **Selection criteria:** Preference will be given to an African American student with a minimum GPA of 2.50 who plans to enroll in a trade/vocational school, community college, or four-year college/university; pursue a major in the health care field. Extracurricular and community activities; financial need will also be considered.
(A)
- Solano Affordable Housing Foundation (Sponsor)
78. **CLARE FICKLIN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$3000 will be awarded, plus \$1000 for each of the following three years if proof of continued enrollment is submitted for each year. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.50 GPA; financial need (family income not to exceed median income for Solano County); must be enrolled in a four-year accredited college/university. Candidates for consideration must be pursuing a major in Business Administration or Pre-Veterinary Medicine..
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V) (All Solano County High Schools)

- Solano First Federal Credit Union (Sponsor)
79. **SOLANO FIRST SCHOLARSHIP**
Up to seven scholarships will be awarded in increments of one (1) at \$2500, two (2) at \$2000, two (2) at \$1000, and two (2) at \$750 to any high school senior who is a member or who is an immediate family member (parent/guardian, grandparents or siblings) of a Solano First Federal Credit Union member. All candidates must be interviewed to be eligible for the scholarship. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 2.70 GPA; planning to attend an accredited two or four-year college/university; business major (finance, marketing, computer science, human relations, etc.). Two letters of recommendation are required: one from a certificated teacher and one from community-at-large (church, recreation leader, community organization, etc.) *(Please indicate "member or immediate family member of SFFCU member" in the Special Qualifications section on the Application Brief.)*
(MEMBER or IMMEDIATE FAMILY MEMBER OF SOLANO FIRST FCU MEMBER)
- Solano Garbage Company (Sponsor)
80. **SOLANO GARBAGE COMPANY ENVIRONMENTAL SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 grade point average; school and community involvement; and pursuing a career in an environmental science, natural habitat preservation, or related field. First preference to children and/or dependents of employees of Solano Garbage Company and its affiliates.
(A) (F) (R) (V)
- Solano-Napa Builders Exchange (Sponsor)
81. **SOLANO-NAPA BUILDERS EXCHANGE SCHOLARSHIP**
One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA. Local high school graduating senior who plans a continued education at a vocational college, community college, college/university with a program focus on construction management, construction related engineering or architecture. Preference will be given to those students whose immediate family are members of SNBE.
(A) (F) (R) (V)
- Solano Stix Golf Club (Sponsor)
82. **SOLANO STIX EDUCATION AWARD**
One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Student continuing to a two/four year college/university or trade school. Applicant must be a member of a graduating class located in Solano County. Preference will be given to family members of active Solano Stix Golf Club members.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V) (All Solano County High Schools)
- Soroptimist International of Central Solano County (Sponsor)
83. **SOROPTIMIST SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. Soroptimist is an international organization dedicated to improving the quality of life for women and girls. **Selection criteria:** A female student with 3.00 or better GPA; minimum of 100 hours community service involvement with women and/or children during high school career. Financial need will be considered but is not necessarily a deciding factor. In the required Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", please include a discussion of your thoughts on the position of women in the world today.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Tigner Affordable Roofing (Sponsor)
84. **TIGNER FAMILY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships will be awarded - one for \$1000 and one for \$500. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 2.50 GPA; played football for a minimum of three (3) years; plans to attend a two or four-year college or a vocational school.
(A)
- University Society (Sponsor)
85. **UNIVERSITY SOCIETY SCHOLARSHIP**
Four scholarships of \$600 each will be awarded. The University Society is a non-profit organization of university college oriented women who have joined together to give scholarships, promote school libraries or other civic activities and for social and cultural interests. **Selection criteria:** Female student with minimum 3.80 GPA, planning to attend school in California, with high achievement.
(A) (F) (R)

86. Juan Mejia and Graduates from Vanden High School (Sponsor)
VANDEN CROSS COUNTRY AWARD
 Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. These scholarships recognize boy or girl athletes who have given to the team and school and helped to continue a history of success of Vanden Cross Country. **Selection criteria:** 3.00 GPA; at least two or three years of Cross Country participation; contributes not only through success on the field, but also as a student and teammate; letter of recommendation from the coach.
 (V)
87. Vanden High School (Sponsor)
IRENE CUOCO MEMORIAL ART SCHOLARSHIP
 One scholarship of \$300 will be awarded. This scholarship was originated when Irene Cuoco, an Art teacher at Vanden in 1988, unfortunately passed away from cancer. **Selection criteria:** This scholarship is to be given to a Vanden Art student who plans to attend a 4-year college/university or an Art School.
 (V)
88. Vanden Viking Music Boosters (Sponsor)
PAMELA JARVINEN MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
 Five scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded in honor of Pam Jarvinen's immense contributions to the Vanden High School Music and Drama Programs. Pam Jarvinen put four sons through Vanden High School, all of them participating in both the music and drama programs. Pam donated her time and energy to ensure the success of these programs. Our wish is to honor Pam's devotion to young artists by offering these scholarships to performing arts students who are continuing their education.
Selection criteria:
 1. Applicant must be currently involved in the performing arts at Vanden High School.
 2. Student must be enrolling in a two or four-year college or university.
 3. The applicant must have strong community / volunteer service.
 4. One of the required letters of recommendation must be from your performing arts teacher.
 5. A second letter of recommendation from a private lesson teacher, if applicable, would be considered but not required.
 6. In addition to the Assist-A-Grad "Personal Statement", each applicant must submit a 500 to 700-word essay (with font size not less than 11 point) on
 a. How did the performing arts benefit you in our life?
 b. Why do you think it is important to volunteer and give back to your community?
 (V)
89. Wednesday Club of Suisun (Sponsor)
WEDNESDAY CLUB - ROBBINS FAMILY ACADEMIC SCHOLARSHIP
 One scholarship of \$500 will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** Minimum 3.00 GPA; "Personal Statement" Essay must contain goals, financial need, experiences, and achievement. This statement plus teacher recommendation will determine selection.
 (A) (F) (R) (V)
90. Robert Wong (Sponsor)
HELEN AND L.S. WONG MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP
 Two scholarships of \$500 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 2.80 GPA; applicant must be a graduating senior who has shown a desire to obtain a four-year degree; Asian descent and financial need given priority.
 (A) (F) (R)

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- Elaine Woodard (Sponsor)
91. **DWIGHT D. WOODARD, Sr. MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** GPA 2.70; interested in a career in business, active in school programs and community service.
(A)
- (NAHREP) National Association of Hispanic Real Estate Professionals of Solano County
92. **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF HISPANIC REAL ESTATE PROFESSIONALS SCHOLARSHIP**
Two scholarships of \$1000 each will be awarded. **Selection criteria:** 2.5 GPA; students who plan to attend community, state, and university institutions. Please indicate financial need in the *Personal Statement*. Preference will be given to Hispanics.
(A) (F) (R) (SY) (V)
- Linda Ash Memorial Foundation
93. **LINDA ASH MEMORIAL**
Two scholarships of \$300 each will be awarded to graduates of Armijo High School. Linda Ash was a teacher at Armijo High School for more than thirty years. She was curious about everything and could teach anything that needed teaching. While at Armijo, she taught Math, Science, and English. **Selection criteria:** 2.50 minimum GPA; scholarships are intended for students enrolling in a trade/vocational school, or a two-year community college with plans for a career in the construction trades, electronics, computers, public service, etc.
(A)