Scholarship List
May 6th, 2020

• **WASHINGTON COUNTY RETIRED TEACHERS’ ASSOC. SCHOLARSHIP** - The Association is offering a scholarship to a graduating senior in the amount of $1,000.00. The boy or girl selected for this award will have been selected for acceptance in September ‘19 at a Post-Secondary Technical School approved by the State Dept. of Education, or at an accredited Community or Junior College. **A student who will enroll in a four-year college is not eligible for this award.** The following criteria will be used in selecting a senior for this award: demonstration of excellent citizenship qualities as a student, creditable academic work, financial need to attend college or technical school and participation in community activity or extra-curricular school activity. Applicants must write a short paragraph on his or her life plans for the next ten years. Please visit the Guidance Office for more information/application. **Deadline: Application must be received by May 15th, 2020**

• **The GRACE Scholarship**  This scholarship was established by the class of 2019 in memory of Grace Reddington, a Narragansett student who passed away during her freshman year after a battle with Rhett Syndrome. Applicants should have demonstrated unique self-management skills and academic independence while a family member was struggling with a chronic illness or life challenges. Applicant must be a Narragansett resident. Applications are available in Guidance and should be given to Mrs. Pratley. **Deadline May 15th**

• **BPOE South Kingstown Lodge #1899 Edward Saffron Memorial Scholarship**  Applicant should be any of the following: An Elk or child or grandchild or step-child, step-grandchild or legal ward of a living Elk. Who joined the SK Lodge at least 2 years previous to the deadline for this application. The applicant must be a graduating senior who is enrolled in an institution of continuing education. **DEADLINE: APPLICATION MUST BE DROPPED OFF AT THE LODGE BEFORE May 25th.**

• **Vincent A. Buddy Cianci and Columbian Awards** - These scholarship awards are given to high school seniors for achieving excellence in both athletics and academics. The applicant must
have an Italian surname, if not maternal or paternal grandparents have to be of Italian decent, and so noted on the application. The applicant must be an outstanding student and athlete. Applications are available in Guidance and should be returned to Mrs. Pratley. 

**Deadline June 17th 2020.**

- **JASON DOUGLAS FOREMAN SCHOLARSHIP**  This scholarship in the amount of $1000 is available to graduating seniors from Narragansett or South Kingstown. Priority will be given (but not limited to) who will be attending a **Trade School, Two Year Vocational School or two Year College Technical program.** Graduating students who will enroll in community college, college, university, etc. are also encouraged to apply. **Applications are available from Mrs. Pratley jpratley@nssk12.org. Deadline May 5th, 2020.**

- **Elizabeth Stone Fund Scholarship** - Elizabeth Stone Fund scholarships are onetime awards intended to be used for expenses associated with freshman year at an accredited four-year institution of higher learning. The applicant must be a Jamestown resident. He or she must be a graduating senior at an accredited public, private, parochial, vocational or charter high school; or be completing a home school program approved by the Jamestown School Committee. Preference may be given to students accepted at RISD or a similar four-year fine arts institution. **Deadline May 6, 2020.**

- **NARRAGANSETT ATHLETIC BOOSTERS CLUB SCHOLARSHIP**  Note: do not write your name anywhere on the documents you submit. Among the criteria: applicants must have earned an NHS varsity letter, must be in good academic standing (minimum GPA 2.0), must have demonstrated integrity, perseverance, and good citizenship in the classroom, in athletics, and in the community. Preference will be given to applicants who have demonstrated good sportsmanship and leadership. Applicants are required to submit an essay (one page- double spaced) on the following: Describe your future goals, how you have prepared to meet these goals, and, most importantly, what role sports have played in this preparation. Visit the Guidance Office for an application / additional information, **Application Deadline: 2:00 pm on Friday, May 8th, 2020 - turn into the Guidance Office jpratley@nssk12.org.**
• **NARRAGANSETT FIREFIGHTERS LOCAL 1589 SCHOLARSHIP 220**  This annual scholarship is offered to Narragansett residents who are high school seniors planning to pursue any phase of a technical, career trade program or attend college. Two (2) $1,000.00 scholarships will be awarded! The intent of this award is to reward and encourage continued education beyond High School by students who have either overcome some type of adversity in their life or have improved their educational efforts in the course of their studies. Each applicant is required to write and submit a short essay on the following topics: (1) Write about a single event in your life that has had a major impact on you and (2) Why you should be considered for this award. Applications are available in from Mrs. Pratley. jpratley@nssk12.org. **Deadline: return to Guidance no later than May 29, 2020**

• **Jamestown Teachers Association** is offering a scholarship to Narragansett high school seniors who have attended Jamestown schools. Applications are available on the Jamestown school website. **Deadline May 3, 2020.**

• **Daughters of Vartan, Aik Otyag# 10** is proud to announce a $1000 academic scholarship for a high school senior who is of Armenian descent accepted to a full time undergraduate program of higher learning. Applications available from Mrs. Pratley. **DEADLINE Must be postmarked no later than May 9th, 2020**

• **NEA/Narragansett (Teachers) Scholarship** Each applicant must submit an essay (must be typed) and should not exceed 2 pages) about the following: “Events and relationships often influence the decisions we make. In a well-written, personal essay explain how such an event or relationship has influenced your future goals.” This application usually requires signatures from coaches and teachers, however because of circumstances now, the board will contact them to verify information. Please remember do not have your name anywhere on your application. **DEADLINE MAY 1ST**

• **THE MARTIN FAMILY SCHOLARSHIP Narragansett Education Foundation** Offers $5000 to a Narragansett senior who has been accepted to an accredited, 4 year college and has financial need. Potential candidates must also demonstrate hard work, perseverance and have a record of academic achievement. (although GPA or class rank will not be the only factors considered when awarding the scholarship) This scholarship is intended to offset college/university costs. Each applicant must submit a one page rationale why they feel they are deserving of this scholarship as well as a copy of their academic transcript to date.
Information is available from Mrs. Pratley jpratley@nssk12.org. **APPLICATION DEADLINE;** Must be postmarked before May 5, 2020. Mail to Narragansett Education Foundation C/O Martin Scholarship P.O. Box 23, Narragansett, RI 02882

• **ARBUTUS GARDEN CLUB SCHOLARSHIP** - The club will again be awarding four $1,000 scholarships to graduating seniors interested in pursuing a career in the field of natural resources. This may include a career in horticulture, agriculture, marine biology, or environmental sciences. Each applicant will be judged on financial need, interest and aptitude. **DEADLINE:** applications must be returned to guidance no later than May 5, 2020.

• **The Janet L. Wilson Scholarship** is in memory of Janet L. Wilson who worked for the Narragansett School System for over 20 years. She worked mostly in the NHS library as a library assistant. She was known to students and faculty alike as a person who would listen and help anyone in need. This scholarship will be given to a senior at Narragansett High School regardless of need, class rank or major. **DEADLINE:** May 15, 2020

• **Richmond Grange and The Taylor Family Scholarship**  Applicants with membership of Richmond Grange or a Richmond Grange member’s family will be given consideration or a member of a grange within Washington County, but not a priority. Applications are available in Guidance. **Deadline:** No later than June 1st.

• **JACK BLESSING MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP** - In memory of John “Jack” Blessing, this one-time gift of $1,500 will be awarded to a graduating senior who has participated in varsity athletics, been accepted to a four-year college, and has demonstrated determination, hard work, and integrity during his /her years at NHS. Among the criteria, the applicant must submit a typed, single-spaced essay (750 words or less) detailing how a decision, event, or person impacted his/her life. Essays may be tied to the theme of an obstacle overcome - academics, athletics, et al. Please visit the Guidance Office for more information/application. **Deadline:** return application by email to Mrs. Pratley or the blessing email no later than May 22nd, 2020.

• **Terence W. Ashworth Memorial Scholarship-Narragansett Education Foundation:** One scholarship (minimum of $500.00) is available to assist with expenses for higher education/further studies of any kind. Applications are available in the guidance office. **DEADLINE:** The application must be postmarked before May 8th, 2020 and mailed to Narragansett Education Foundation c/o Ashworth Scholarship, PO Box 23, Narragansett RI 02882
• **NARRAGANSETT EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PROFESSIONALS (NESP) AWARD** The NESP Scholarship was established in 1987 and is presented each year to a graduating senior who is a child or grandchild of a current support staff union member. Criteria include being accepted to a two or four year college or technical school. In addition, each applicant must include with his or her application a short essay describing his or her intended major and future goals. Visit the Guidance Office for more information and/or an application. **Deadline:** applicant must submit application and essay to the Mrs. Pratley no later than May 15th, 2020.

• **Janice Causey Memorial Art Award** Janice Causey was an artist and inspiring educator in the Narragansett Community for over 30 years. This Art Award exists thanks to the kind and generous people who donated to honor Janice. The applicant creative in visual arts. A portfolio must be submitted electronically. The flash drive or CD will be returned. **DEADLINE: Must be returned to Mrs. Pratley by May 20th.**