

GLENDALE HIGH SCHOOL
DAILY BULLETIN
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 30, 2009

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Nitros! It's time for the Annual Homecoming Dance! This year's theme is "It's Vegas Baby!" We'll have gambling tables and lots of high rollers, entertainment and clubbing going on at the dance on Saturday, Nov. 14th! You may purchase your tickets at the student store starting next Monday at snack and lunch. Or even better, save yourself the hassle of standing in line, and buy them online on our school's website. Use a credit card and pay later for the best school wide dance of the year! Viva Las Vegas!

Planning on bringing a guest to the Homecoming Dance on November 14? Guest Permission forms are now available in Bungalow 20 and on Glendale High's website. Questions see Mr. Bertram.

Seniors:

SAT/ACT Registration---Seniors applying for Fall admission must take the SAT and/or ACT no later than December 2009. Fee waivers are now available. Please see your counselor for more information.

"Explore Oxy" Occidental College is having their Fall Open House on Saturday, November 14, 2009 - 8:15 AM. All prospective students and their families are invited to attend. Reservations at: www.oxy.edu/admission

Afternoon at the Mount - Open House at Mount St. Mary's College, Sunday, November 1, 2009 at 10 AM and Sunday, November 15, 2009 at 10 AM. Reservations at www.msmc.la.edu

College Application Workshops-- Any senior who needs help filling out their college application to the Cal States should attend one of two College Application workshops offered this year. The workshops will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 4th; and Wednesday, Nov. 18th at LUNCH in Room J186. You must sign up for these workshops in B108 ASAP. There are only 30 computers available at each session so don't miss out!

Seniors, Thank you to those who took their senior portrait, over 500 of you. Bronson Photography is picking the yearbook picture pose for the seniors who did not choose one and will deliver all of the portraits for the yearbook the first week of December. At that time seniors should come by the yearbook room (J187) and check to see if everything is correct going into the yearbook.

Oct. 30 Horatio Aleger Scholarship Programs – Seniors who are entering college fall of 2010. Must be US citizen have a GPA of 2.0 have be involved in co-curricular and community activities, demonstrated integrity and perseverance in over coming adversity and have a critical financial need (\$50,000 or less adjusted gross income per family is preferred). www.horatioalger.org

Nov. 2 Safe Jobs for Youth Month 2010 Poster Contest – California teens between 14 and 18. Design a poster highlighting job safety and health for teens. May be in any media (pen & ink, collage, paint, print, photography, etc.) It can be up 17” x 22” and in any language(s). www.youngworkers.org

Nov. 2 The Prudential Spirit of Community Awards –9-12 graders who are legal resident of the U.S. and have engaged in a volunteer activity that occurred at least partly during the 12 months prior to the date of application, and submits a completed application to a school principal or the head of an officially designated local organization by the last weekday in October <http://spirit.prudential.com>

Nov. 21 Scholastic Art Awards for 2010 – www.artandwriting.org

Nov. 25 MetroPCS Community Scholars Program – Seniors who have demonstrated exceptional involvement in volunteerism and community service, in addition to academics and other criteria. www.metropcs.com/scholarship

Dec. 1 Music Center Spotlight Awards Visual Arts - Open to students of all talent levels. Students may apply in both the performing Arts and the Visual Arts program. Students can apply to more than one category. Categories are: Photography and two-dimensional art. The preliminary round of judging will take place in January of 2010. Semifinal auditions and master classes will be held form January-February 2010. www.musiccenter.org

Dec. 15 AXA Achievement Scholarship – Seniors who are US citizens or legal residents. Must demonstrate ambition and self-drive as evidenced by outstanding Achievement in an activity in school, the community or the workplace, and be recommended by an unrelated adult who can attest tot the student’s achievement. www.axa-achievement.com

Jan 9 2010 John F. Kennedy Profile in Courage Essay Contest – 9th – 12th grade write an original and creative essay of less than 1,000 words that demonstrates an understanding of political courage as described by John f. Kennedy in Profiles in Courage. Subject must be an elected official in the US since 1956. Essays must Demonstrate an understanding of President Kennedy’s definition of political courage. www.jfklibrary.org

Jan. 11 Safe Jobs for Youth Month, 2010 Public Service Announcement (PSA) Contest – California teens between 14 and 18 design a 30-sceond video highlighting job safety and health for teens. Use your Creative talents, dancing, acting, script writing, directing, or even singing to promote job Safety for youth in the workplace. www.youngworkers.org

Jan. 11 Gates Millennium Scholars - Nomination materials must be submitted online before Monday, January 11, 2010 11:59 EST or postmarked on or before January 11, 2010. Seniors who are African American, American Indian/Alaska Native, Asian Pacific Islander American, Hispanic American, and a citizen, national or legal permanent resident of the United States. Must have attained a cumulative GPA of 3.3 and have demonstrated leadership abilities through participation in community service, extra curricular or other activities. www.gmsp.org

Feb. 2 Milken Scholars – Seniors who have a GPA of 3.6 minimum SAT I Reasoning Score of 1850 with results submitted for critical reading, math, and writing, or a minimum ACT score of 28, active participation in community service activities, a record of leadership, financial need and a US citizen or Permanent Resident. www.mff.org/scholars

Feb. 10 KFC Colonel's Scholars Program – Seniors graduation this academic year (between 12/1/09 and 8/31/10). Maintaining a GPA of 2.75 or higher. Enrolling in a public, in-state college or university (starting no later than 9/30/10). Pursuing a bachelor's degree, and a U.S. citizen or permanent resident. www.kfcscholars.org

Feb. 15 Oh, the Places You'll Go! College Scholarships – Seniors who understand and values the limitless possibilities that education can offer. Essay Question: Dr. Seuss's Oh, the Places You'll Go! Delivers an important message about the chances and the troubles that life presents. Thinking about the book Oh, The Places You'll Go!, what kinds of opportunities and challenges do you think your education will present in the future? www.ohtheplaces.org

Feb. 19 Stay In School Scholarship Program – seniors will be judged on the following: Academic Achievement (grades and Sat Scores), extracurricular activities, civic and community activities, and a 300-word essay on the topic, "Why College is important to me".

March 20 Anthem Essay Contest - 8th, 9th, and 10th graders. Essays will be judged on both style and content. Judges will look for writing that is clear, articulate and logically organized. Winning essays must demonstrate an outstanding grasp of the philosophic meaning of *Anthem*. www.aynrandeducation.com

April 26 The Fountainhead Essay Contest – 11th and 12th graders. Essays will be judged on both style and content. Judges will look for writing that is clear, articulate and logically organized. Winning essays must demonstrate an outstanding grasp of the philosophic meaning of *The Fountainhead*. www.aynrandeducation.com

Summer Opportunities – students need to apply as early as possible, and before April 15, 2010, space is limited.

AIFS Summer Advantage, students 16–18 who have completed their sophomore year can take courses at a prestigious university abroad and earn college level credit. Courses include art history, business, culture, language, literature, music, politics, social sciences, and more. No previous language study is required prior to participating, and students can take courses in the local language as well as in English.

www.summeradvantage.com

Cambridge College Programme, High Achieving High School Scholars, 65 Academic courses, plus Leadership Programme, Excursions: London (4trips, plus 2 plays), Bath, Stratford Ely Cathedral Stonehenge, Warwick Castle, Plus Sports, evening activities, and the James Bond ball. www.cambridgecollegeprogrammer.org