



# **Amyville Guidance Scholarship & College Newsletter**

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...A bi-monthly posting of college updates, open-house programs & scholarship opportunities

## **ATTENTION SENIORS**

### **SAT TEST DATES**

November 1<sup>st</sup>  
December 6<sup>th</sup>

### **REGISTRATION DEADLINE**

September 26  
November 5

### **COLLEGE APPLICATION DEADLINES**

Please make sure the following items are brought down to guidance and put in your senior folder  
ASAP

- **Resume**
- **Letters of Recommendation**
  - **College Essay**
- **SAT Registration Workshop**

**If you need help completing any of these things, please  
sign up for workshops in the counseling office!**

## College Fairs

**October 5:** Long Island National College Fair: Nassau Coliseum from 11:00a.m.-4:00 p.m.

**October 30:** Amityville Memorial High School College Fair 7:00p.m-9:00p.m. at the High School.

\*\*\*Pick up sample questions from the counseling office to bring with you to the fair!

### SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

- **Prudential Spirit of the Community Awards:** Open to students in grades 9-12 who have committed themselves to volunteer in school and in the community. Any interested student should come down to the guidance office and speak to Mrs. Noon by **October 17**. An application must be filled out.
- **SAE International 2008 Engineering Scholarships:** Range in value from \$1,000 to 10,000. This is available to students who are interested in studying engineering and the related sciences. Deadline to file an application is **December 1, 2008**.
- **Doctors of Tomorrow Scholarship Program:** A meeting will be held on **November 19, 2008** for high school seniors interested in entering the field of medicine. Students must complete an essay and have the opportunity to spend the day with a Doctor to win a \$3,000 scholarship.
- **AXA Achievement Scholarship:** For students who demonstrate ambition and drive and have the ability to succeed in college, plus have respect for family and the community. Log onto [www.axa-achievement.com](http://www.axa-achievement.com). Deadline is **December 15, 2008**.

### **A FEW MORE THINGS TO CONSIDER.....**

- **National Collegiate Athletic Association:** Any senior who wishes to play competitive sports in college needs to complete an NCAA cleaning house form. It may be completed online at **www. NCAA.org**
- [www.fastweb.com](http://www.fastweb.com): Free search of 4,000 colleges and the scholarships they offer plus college search and career planning.
- [www.fafsa.ed.gov](http://www.fafsa.ed.gov): Financial Aid Information
- [www.collegeboard.com](http://www.collegeboard.com): A comprehensive web site on college planning tips and SAT
- [www.meritaid.com](http://www.meritaid.com): Merit based scholarship information.

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