

Carl Schurz High School  
**Scholarships and Postsecondary Opportunities**

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To All Students:

- A copy of this list will be found on the Schurz website [www.schurzhs.org](http://www.schurzhs.org).
- If you access the list from the website, you will be able to view the *actual* scholarship applications most of the time.
- You are welcome to come to the College/Career Center (room 118) to print a copy of the list or the applications.
- If a scholarship says "Received Deadline", this means that it MUST be RECEIVED by the organization by that date. It must be mailed several days before that date so that the organization will receive it on time.
- If a scholarship says "Postmark Deadline", this means that the envelope must be postmarked on or before that day.
- Scholarship books, college catalogues, etc. are available in the College/Career Center for your college and scholarship research.

**Seniors:** Students/parents/teachers/counselors are all welcome to attend the following *College Day Programs* in order to learn about the opportunities offered at **19** private colleges/universities in the South:

*Agnes Scott College/Decatur, Georgia*  
*Furman University/Greenville, South Carolina*  
*Rice University/Houston, Texas*  
*Stetson University/Deland, Florida*  
*Tulane University/New Orleans, Louisiana*  
*University of the South/Sewanee, Tennessee*  
*Washington & Lee University/Lexington, Virginia*

*Davidson College/Davidson, North Carolina*  
*Hollins University/Roanoke, Virginia*  
*Rollins College/Winter Park, Florida*  
*Texas Christian University/Fort Worth, Texas*  
*University of Miami/Coral Gables, Florida*  
*Vanderbilt University/Nashville, Tennessee*

*Emory University/Atlanta, Georgia*  
*Rhodes College/Memphis Tennessee*  
*Southern Methodist U./Dallas, Texas*  
*Trinity University/San Antonio, Texas*  
*U. of Richmond/Richmond, Virginia*  
*WakeForest Univ.Winston-Salem, N.C.*

Event: College DAY Program Date: Sunday, September 7, 2008 Place: Chicago Marriott Southwest at Burr Ridge 1200 Burr Ridge Parkway Burr Ridge, Illinois 60527 Time: 1:00 p.m. Phone: 630-986-4100	Event: College NIGHT Program Date: Sunday, September 7, 2008 Place: Renaissance Chicago North Shore Hotel 933 Skokie Boulevard Northbrook, Illinois 60062 Time: 7:30 p.m. Phone: 847-498-6500
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**Juniors, Seniors: LeTendre Education Fund** – this **\$1,500** scholarship is for students who are homeless or are temporarily living with friends/relatives because they do not have permanent housing; it is also for students who are currently in GED programs or recent graduates (younger than 21 years old). Go to [www.naehcv.org/letendre\\_app.html](http://www.naehcv.org/letendre_app.html) for an application. **Received Deadline is September 12, 2008.**

**Seniors: QuestBridge National College Match Program** – helps outstanding *low-income* seniors gain admission and full 4-year scholarships to some of the most selective colleges in the nation. You do not have to be concerned about tuition costs; 100% of your financial need will be covered so that you can afford to attend selective schools like the University of Chicago, Northwestern University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Princeton University, Stanford University, and Yale University. The application is long, but worth the time you will invest in filling it out!! Go to [www.questbridge.org](http://www.questbridge.org) for applications and the names of the other colleges. **Deadline is September 30, 2008.**

**All Students: L. Ron Hubbard's Writers of the Future Contest** offers **\$500-\$1000** and a \$5000 grand prize. You can submit a work of prose, up to 17000 words in length, with any science fiction, fantasy, and/or horror elements. For more information, go to [www.writersofthefuture.com](http://www.writersofthefuture.com). Entries are judged once each quarter – the deadlines are September 30, December 31, March 31, and June 30. The Next **Deadline is September 30, 2008.**

**All Students: L. Ron Hubbard's Illustrators of the Future Contest** offers **\$500** and a \$5000 grand prize. You can submit any science fiction and/or fantasy illustrations. For more information, go to [www.writersofthefuture.com](http://www.writersofthefuture.com). Entries are judged once each quarter – the deadlines are September 30, December 31, March 31, and June 30. The Next **Deadline is September 30, 2008.**

**Seniors: Wendy's High School Heisman Award** is a Wendy's Gift Card from **\$5 to \$500**, a *Wendy's High School Heisman patch*, and a *weekend trip to New York City* for students who have at least a "B" average, and participate in athletics. (If you do not have an e-mail address, now is the time to create one.) Apply online at [www.wendysheisman.com](http://www.wendysheisman.com). Entries are offered each quarter. Next **Deadline is October 1, 2008.**

**10<sup>th</sup>, 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup> Graders: College Insider Resources** offers academic and athletic scholarships for **\$1,000** each month. Go to [www.ezcir.com](http://www.ezcir.com) for information and to apply online. You need a GPA of 2.0 and above.