



# Black Hawks Weekly News

April 4, 2022

## In the News:

### Learning for a Greener Future high school internship this summer at Phipps!

This internship is available to high school students (16+) from low income families who have an interest in nature and the environment. The high school internship is a paid 6 week program that runs Monday – Thursday from June 16 through July 28<sup>th</sup>. Each week focuses on a different topic, such as horticulture, food systems, climate change, green careers, sustainability, etc. Interns will have the opportunity to work with Phipps horticulture staff to grow produce, learning cooking skills, do some photography, go on fieldtrips, and learn career building skills. Please click the link below for information and application.

<https://www.phipps conservatory.org/classes-and-programs/for-educators/high-school-internships/>

Any questions please contact Jennifer Torrance, Science Education Coordinator, 412/622-6915, ext. 3230

[jtorrance@hipps.conservatory.org](mailto:jtorrance@hipps.conservatory.org)

### Income Eligibility Guidelines for High School Summer Internship 2022

Household Size	Annual Income (before deductions)
1	< \$25,142
2	< \$33,874
3	< \$42,606
4	< \$51,338
5	< \$60,070
6	< \$68,802
7	< \$77,534
8	< \$86,266

For each additional family member add \$8,732.

Income eligibility set using TANF and USDA Food and Nutrition Service guidelines

## Current Fundraisers:

**The Class of 2025** are selling fudge from **Have a Sweet Day Fudge Co. Inc.** The Fudge is \$10 per ½ lb. Flavors include: Chocolate, Vanilla, Raspberry, Orange Cream, Peanut Butter, and Chocolate Nut. All fudge will be packaged separately in ½ lb. containers to avoid contamination for allergy reasons. **Orders will be taken April 5<sup>th</sup> through April 20<sup>th</sup>. Delivery (pick-up) is scheduled for April 28<sup>th</sup> at BPHS.** Order forms will be distributed to the class of 2025 students in their homerooms on April 5<sup>th</sup>. **The Class of 2025 thanks you for your support!**

**The DECA students** are running another fundraiser to help reduce the costs of their national trip. **That's A Wrap Pepperoni Rolls: orders due May 16th and arrive on May 26th** DECA thanks you for your support!

## TESTING DATES

### 2022 SAT Testing Dates at Bethel Park High School:

- May 7

### 2022 ACT Testing Dates at Bethel Park High School:

- June 11
- July 16

**Scholarships:**

**ATTENTION STUDENTS:** Many local, regional, and national scholarships are available. All local scholarship information can be found in the Counseling Office with Mrs. Guarino or on Naviance. Following is a listing of this week's highlights:

**The Rotary Club of Bethel Park**

Robert Brindley Memorial Community Service Scholarship Program

Deadline: May 6

Award: \$3,000.00

Minimum 3.0 GPA and demonstrate active community service

**Passavant Memorial Homes Foundation Community Service Scholarship**

Deadline: April 29, 3:00 pm

Award: \$10,000.00

Community service and/or volunteer activities

**The Bernie Matthews Opportunity Foundation**

Deadline: April 30

Award: \$4,000.00 (\$1,000 per academic year/4 years)

Demonstrate critical financial need (\$55,000 or lower adjusted gross family income)

**Pittsburgh Metropolitan Area Hispanic Chamber of Commerce Foundation**

Deadline: April 30

Award: \$1,000.00

**Mechanical Contractors Association of Western PA, Inc.**

Deadline: May 23

Award: Four (4) \$1,000.00 scholarships  
Enrolled in plumbing, HVAC, Mechanical Engineering, Construction/Project Management, Architecture, or other construction related major

**Scholarships (continued):**

The following have an April deadline:

**BP/USC Breakfast Rotary Club "Service Above Self"**

Deadline: April 6

Award: \$1,000.00

To ALL interested students. Display exemplary humanitarian service with a focus on active involvement in helping others.

**Bethel Park Lions Club George Meyer Scholarship**

Deadline: April 8

Award: \$2,500.00

**Pittsburgh Italian Scholarship Fund**

Deadline: April 15

Award: \$16,000.00

**Ken Waldie Memorial Scholarship**

Deadline: April 15

Award: \$12,500.00

**BP/USC Breakfast Rotary Club "Service Above Self" Award**

Deadline: April 20

Award: \$1,000

**Thomas A. Knight, Ed.D Memorial Scholarship**

Deadline: April 20

Award: (2) \$7,000.00

**Bethel Woman's Club**

Deadline: April 29

Award: \$3,000.00

**The Judge Ron Arnoni "Leadership in Action" Scholarship**

Deadline: April 30

Award: \$250.00

**Scholarships (continued):**

The following have May deadlines:

**May 1:**

**Sydney Marie Romanus Memorial Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**Bethel Park Volunteer Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**Scott Beynon Memorial Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**Cindy Schaudé Buckley Memorial Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**Frank L. P. Edwards Memorial Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**John Deans Memorial Scholarship**

**Lois Johnson Child Care Center Scholarship**

Award: Determined based on number of applicants

**Michael J. Furey Memorial Scholarship**

Award: \$500.00

**Kramer Family Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**South Arts Scholarship**

Award: \$1,000.00

**The American Legion Family Scholarship Fund**

Applicant must have a parent, grandparent, or sibling who has served or is serving in the US military.

**Jugo-Slav Club Memorial Scholarship**

**Scholarships (continued):**

**May deadlines (continued):**

**Benjamin Franklin Elementary PTO Scholarship**

Deadline: May 6

Award: Two (2) \$500.00 scholarships

**George Washington PTO Award for Higher Education**

Deadline: May 6

Award: \$500.00

**Blue Sky Closing Services, Inc. Future Leader Scholarship**

Deadline: May 6

Award: \$1,000.00

**John A. Garner Civic Engagement Scholarship**

Deadline: May 10

Award: \$2,000.00/\$1,000.00/\$500.00

**William Penn Elementary School PTO Presents The Rosemary Gainar Scholarship**

Deadline: May 13

Award: \$1,000.00

**Patti & Walter Blenko Scholarship Fund**

Deadline: May 20

Award: \$4,000.00

**Mechanical Contractors Association of Western PA Foster McCarl, Jr. Scholarship**

Deadline: May 23

Award: Four (4) \$1,000.00 scholarships

**Students should check Naviance frequently.** Many more local scholarships will be arriving soon, as well as many state and national scholarships that are listed in Naviance.

**Counseling:**

**Attention all students interested in going into Pharmacy:** This is a great opportunity for students who want to go into pharmacy. Westmoreland County Community College (WCCC) just finalized an agreement with Duquesne University where they can start at WCCC, then finish their PharmD. at Duquesne after two years. This would be a great way to save a lot of money. See the following link for more information:  
<https://westmoreland.edu/academics/pdfs/transfer-guides/duquesne-pharmacy-agreement-student-342022.pdf>



**NOW HIRING!** Looking for a job? We have the place for you! The Bethel Park High School **Student Job Posting Board**. Go to the high school website → Counseling → Student Job Posting Board, or click [Link](#). Check back frequently as positions are updated daily.

If you have a job you would like to post, please contact Nancy Guarino in the Counseling Department at 412.854.8595, or [guarino.nancy@bphawks.org](mailto:guarino.nancy@bphawks.org).

**Counseling (continued):**

Our friends at **Revolution Prep** are offering practice SAT and/or ACT to our students.

**SAT Practice Exam**

**Date:** Saturday, April 23, 2022  
**Time:** 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM EST  
**Where:** Proctored Live Online by Revolution Prep  
**Cost:** FREE  
**Register here:**  
<https://www.revolutionprep.com/partners/11895>

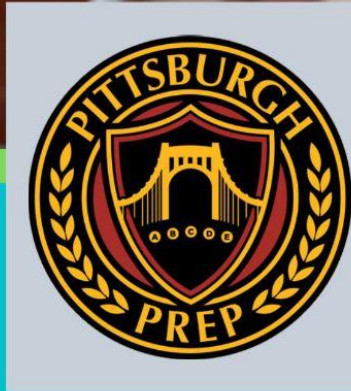
**ACT Practice Exam**

**Date:** Saturday, April 30, 2022  
**Time:** 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM EST  
**Where:** Proctored Live Online by Revolution Prep  
**Cost:** FREE  
**Register here:**  
<https://www.revolutionprep.com/partners/11895>

Materials will be emailed to students 24 hours before the exam.

Every exam comes with a free 30-minute score report review with a Revolution Prep testing expert to assess specific strengths and areas of improvement. We highly recommend taking advantage of this opportunity. Schedule your consultation to review the score report with a dedicated Revolution Prep team member, who will help you interpret the results and develop a customized plan to prepare for the official exam. You can pre-schedule this Score Report Review here:  
<https://my.revolutionprep.com/s/midwest>

**If you have BP news and would like to see it in our weekly, please send your information to [ricciuti.angela@bphawks.org](mailto:ricciuti.angela@bphawks.org) by 12:00 noon on Fridays. Information sent after 12:00 pm may be held for the following publication.**



# SUMMER EXPERIENCE PITTSBURGH PREP

## College Application Bootcamp 8/8-8/18

For rising seniors: a POWERFUL 2-week bootcamp to complete all aspects of the college application from A to Z...stay on task and NEVER miss a deadline! Make your summer count!



## Creative Writing and Publishing 6/20-7/1 (9am-1pm)

Over the course of two weeks, students will finish a short story and, if they choose, submit it to a literary magazine or anthology. This publication will be great for college applications!



## Visual Art Studio and Portfolio 8/8-8/19 (9:30am-1:30pm)

Produce projects in class that showcase important skills and techniques! Work towards a capstone project in your specific artistic discipline using the techniques and skills developed in this class that you can feature in your school application.



**412-486-5833**

**hello@pittsburghprep.com**

**124 S Highland Avenue  
Pittsburgh PA 15206**



**Register Now!**

**<https://pittsburghprep.com/summer/>**

# Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA®) Completion Workshop

Monday, April 4th

Sessions are available at 4 PM, 5 PM, and 6 PM

Receive one-on-one assistance with completing the FAFSA!

Register Today!

Registration is required as space is limited!  
A Zoom link will be sent prior to the event.

For one-on-one assistance be sure to have the following information available.  
If you are considered a dependent student, you will need your parent's information, too.

- Your Federal Student Aid account username and password (FSAID)
- Social Security Number
- Driver's license number, if you have one (optional)
- Alien registration number, if you are not a US citizen
- 2020 W-2 forms
- Records of untaxed income
- Your 2020 federal income tax return 1040 and accompanying schedules
- Your current bank statements and records of stocks, bonds, 529 plans, and other investments

For more information and questions contact  
Amy Sawdey at [amy.sawdey@pheaa.org](mailto:amy.sawdey@pheaa.org)



The Pennsylvania Higher Education Assistance Agency (PHEAA) and the Community College of Allegheny (CCAC) are partnering to offer a virtual FAFSA Completion Workshop on Monday, April 4<sup>th</sup>, open to any student/family, where one on one assistance will be provided!

Financial aid counselors will be available to assist families one on one in completing the FAFSA and state grant form. **Limited space is available so advance registration is required.** To register for one-on-one FAFSA assistance go here:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/FNQLLYH>. Three time blocks are available from 4-5 p.m., 5-6 p.m., and 6-7 p.m. so be sure to select the time that is most convenient for you! A zoom link will be sent to registrants prior to the event.

For one-on-one assistance be sure to have the following information available. **If you are considered a dependent student, you will need your parent's information, too.** For more information on who counts as your parent when you file the FAFSA visit: <https://studentaid.gov/apply-for-aid/fafsa/filling-out/parent-info>.

- Student email address
- Your Federal Student Aid account username and password (FSA ID). To create an FSA ID go to: <https://studentaid.gov/fsa-id/sign-in/landing>. \*For more information on how to create an FSA ID visit: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?app=desktop&v=vj1Pn-shze8&form=MY01SV&OCID=MY01SV>.
- Social Security Number
- Driver's license number, if you have one (optional)
- Alien registration number, if you are not a US citizen
- 2020 W-2 forms
- Records of untaxed income
- Your 2020 federal income tax return 1040 and accompanying schedules
- Your current bank statements and records of stocks, bonds, 529 plans, and other investments