

# Steubenville High School Guidance



## What are you Thankful for?

November 2009

First and foremost, I am thankful for my family and friends. Second, I am thankful for the ability to inform you of the many activities, scholarships, education, and career opportunities available to you. Seniors! Get ready for College Application Week! During the week of November 23, we will be applying to various colleges of your choice. On November 24, a few college representatives will be visiting Steubenville High School to assist our seniors in applying to that particular college/university. Our goal is to provide our seniors with the opportunity to submit college applications.

It's never too early for juniors to begin preparing for graduation! It would be in the best interest of every junior to visit a guidance counselor to review credits and discuss career or educational opportunities. Also, remember to visit COIN to look up college and career opportunities.

Sophomores! The JVS will be holding a Career Day on November 17, 2009. You must sign up in the guidance office as well as obtain a permission slip to be signed by your parent and turned in by November 13, 2009.



## Remember Test Dates

**ACT Dates:** Dec. 13, 2009; Feb. 6, 2010; April 10; June 12

**Register by:** Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> for the Dec. test; Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> for the Feb. test; Mar. 5<sup>th</sup> for the April test; May 7<sup>th</sup> for the June test.

**SAT Dates:** Dec. 5, 2009; Jan. 23, 2010; March 13; May 1; June 5<sup>th</sup>

June 6, 2009 **Register by:** Oct. 30<sup>th</sup> for Dec. test; Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> for Jan. test; Feb. 4<sup>th</sup> for Mar. test; Mar. 25<sup>th</sup> for May test; April 29<sup>th</sup> for June test.



## **Considering college:**

### **Scholarship opportunities:**

**KFC Colonel's Scholars Program:** apply online for this scholarship that could mean up to \$5,000 dollars per year ([www.kfcscholars.org](http://www.kfcscholars.org)) The online application will be available from Dec. 1st through February 10, 2010.

**2010 Navy ROTC Scholarship:** Complete the Navy ROTC Scholarship application online <https://www.nrotc.navy.mil/>

**Gates Millennium Scholarship:** Applications must be submitted online by January 11, 2010 or the paper application postmarked on or before January 11, 2010. Visit [www.gmsp.org](http://www.gmsp.org). See a guidance counselor for more information.

**The University of Akron's Choose Ohio First Scholarship:** Planning to pursue a Bachelor's degree in a STEM field. See a counselor for more information.

**Miami University** is offering a four-year renewable scholarship to any senior who completes the Bridges program in October and November in Oxford, Ohio. Those seniors must also apply, be accepted and enrolled into Miami University for Fall 2010. See a counselor for more details.

**Upper Ohio Valley Italian Foundation:** The 2010 scholarship applications can be downloaded at [www.italyfest.com](http://www.italyfest.com). All candidates must have a 2.5 GPA and an ACT score of 18 or SAT score of 800. See a counselor for more details. Deadline is March 12, 2010.

**US Bank Internet Scholarship Program:** Scholarship online applications will be accepted from October, 2009 through March, 2010. Check out the website: [usbank.com/studentloans](http://usbank.com/studentloans).

**PTI Scholarships:** PTI is offering 9 different scholarships for the graduates of 2010 who plan to attend PTI. Please see the guidance board for more information or a guidance counselor. Deadlines range from January 29, 2010 until March 5.

**Engineers Foundation of Ohio~** College Scholarship Application Deadline, Dec. 15, 2009.

**ATTENTION SENIOR LADIES:** Ohio's junior Miss scholarship program is offering a tremendous opportunity for our young ladies graduating in 2010. Please view the bulletin board outside the hall on the first floor across from guidance office.

### **Colleges visiting Steubenville High School**

November 5: Carlow Univ. (8:45)

November 13: Carnegie Mellon (10:15)

### **Seniors wanting to visit colleges:**

**Miami University** is providing an all expense paid visit through Bridges: A Program for Excellence. This is an overnight (Oct. 25-26 or Nov. 1-2) visit program for those academically ambitious seniors from Ohio. A four-year renewable scholarship if accepted and enrolled for fall 2010! See a guidance counselor for more information.

### **Parents and Students:**

**Free PSAT Prep Course** - GleimPSAT Online Prep Course requires roughly 6-8 hours to complete. The techniques provided will ensure that our students will learn and understand the material as well as get higher scores. To begin this free online course please do the following: visit <https://www.gleimpsat.com> then click "register" and enter your personal information. Then you will click "create account", next click "ok". Finally, choose from the GleimPSAT Prep Course links to get started. For additional assistance, please contact Marissa Aulick at [marissa.aulick@gleim.com](mailto:marissa.aulick@gleim.com)

### **Important Links for Students, Parents, and Educators:**

#### **Student Information:**

[www.actstudent.org](http://www.actstudent.org)

Sign up/log into an ACT Student Web Account-Register for a test, send scores, and much more.

Learn how scores are reported

Access ACT Podcasts

#### **Parent Information:**

[www.actparent.org](http://www.actparent.org)

College road tripping for parents

ACT test dates and registration deadlines

Monthly Parent Newsletter

Financial Aid Need Estimator

#### **K-12 Educator Information:**

[www.act.org/path/secondary](http://www.act.org/path/secondary)

Helping students prepare for testing, college and careers

Helping students measure student progress, improve teaching and learning, and strengthen school counseling programs

#### **Open House:**

Trinity School of Nursing is holding several open house dates for anyone interested in a diploma for a Licensed Practicing Nurse (LPN) to a Registered Nurse (RN). Trinity is offering a 24 month Registered Nurse Diploma Program.

**Open House Dates:** Sunday, November 8, 2009  
Sunday, January 10, 2010  
Sunday, February 7, 2010  
Sunday, March 7, 2010  
Sunday, April 18, 2010

**All dates from 1:00 pm until 3:00 pm**

