



WHATS BRUIN IN THE CAREER CENTER

March 25, 2022

COLLEGE REP INFO SESSIONS – Fall College Visits are over, but I have several opportunities coming up.

Career Talk – Nursing	March 29, 2022	9:45AM	Career Center
Military Night	March 29, 2022	6:00PM	West Spgfld HS
Career Talk – Accounting	April 12, 2022	9:45AM	Career Center
Career Talk- Medicine	April 22, 2022	9:45AM	Career Center
Career Talk- Careers with United Airlines	April 26, 2022	9:45AM	Career Center
NOVA Next Steps – Advising	April 28, 2022	9:45AM	Career Center
Career Talk – FBI	May 4, 2022	9:45AM	Career Center

STUDENT SERVICES NEWS

Regional Military Night

Regions 3&4 will be hosting **Military Night** at West Springfield High School (6100 Rolling Road Springfield, VA 22152) on **Tuesday, March 29th from 6pm-8pm**. Representatives from Military Academies, Military Colleges, ROTC Programs, Recruiters, and Congressional Offices will be represented! If you have any interest in serving in the military, this is the event you do not want to miss!

Please fill out this quick [Google Doc](#) if you plan to attend (must do so through your fcpschools.net account).

Academy Day 2022

Senator Mark Warner invites high school and middle school students, their parents or guardians, and school counselors to Academy Day 2022. Attendees will have the opportunity to join breakout sessions with representatives from the United States service academies for presentations and an interactive question and answer period.

On the main stage, you will hear from representatives from the Virginia congressional delegation about the application procedures for congressional nominations to the academies as well as speakers from the Department of Defense Medical Examination Review Board, the University of Virginia ROTC programs, the Virginia Tech Corps of Cadets, the Virginia Military Institute, and the Virginia Women's Institute for Leadership at Mary Baldwin University. There will also be time to speak in more detail with any of these representatives at their virtual resource tables.

Virtual - Saturday, April 23, 2022, 10:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

To ensure you receive it and the registration link for the event, please email academy_noms@warner.senate.gov. For more information on the Academy Nomination Process, please visit www.warner.senate.gov.

Junior College Tour – George Mason University

Student Services is taking a bus on April 20th to GMU for an information session, campus tour and lunch in the cafeteria. If you are interested in joining us, please stop by the Career Center for field trip forms or download the attachment. Space available on a first come first serve basis.

JumpStart2NOVA

NOVA is pleased to announce [JumpStart2NOVA](#) for summer 2022. Please note there are a few changes to this award-winning program targeting seniors who are thinking of attending NOVA in the fall. The application is open now and a press release from NOVA is coming very soon.

Who/What: Qualified seniors graduating this spring may take one 3-credit course and our 1-credit College Success Skills course, SDV 100, at no tuition.

When/How: All classes will be offered through NOVA Online and run May 31st through August 8th, 2022. Students are required to pay for textbooks or other course materials.

The application is now open and will close at 5PM on April 29th, 2022. First-time NOVA students will need to apply to [NOVA](#) and create an account to request the course in [nvcc.dualenroll.com](#). Current DE students can skip the NOVA application and go straight to [nvcc.dualenroll.com](#), selecting term "JumpStart Summer 2022." All students will be required to upload a high school/homeschool transcript and any qualifying test scores if they do not have a 3.0 GPA. To learn more about JumpStart2NOVA, including course offerings, minimum qualifying scores, and details on how to apply, please visit <http://www.nvcc.edu/jumpstart/>.

Earth Day - Climate Change and the Chesapeake Bay Event

Join *STEM for Her* for a special Earth Day presentation via zoom- Climate Change and the Chesapeake Bay hosted by WUSA Channel 9's Kaitlyn McGrath. The event will be held on April 22, 2022, at 4:00pm.

Kaitlyn will kick off the program with a backstage tour of her workplace at WUSA Channel 9. She will share her STEM career path and the effect that climate change has had on her job as a meteorologist.

Kaitlyn will then welcome Hilary Falk (Chesapeake Bay Foundation) and Ilissa Ocko (Environmental Defense Fund) to discuss how climate change has impacted our local area.

For more information and to register, click [here](#).

Hispanic College Institute at Virginia Tech

The Hispanic College Institute (HCI) is a free, overnight program from July 21-24 at Virginia Tech. HCI provides clear and practical college application and financial aid information and offers students the opportunity to engage with successful Latinx leaders and role models who will help inform them about career and educational opportunities. There is NO cost to the student. Participants are provided with free transportation and lodging. Rising juniors and seniors with a GPA of 2.5 or above are eligible to apply. Application closes April 1, 2022. Apply at vt.edu/hci/register. If admitted, students will:

- Live on Virginia Tech's campus.
- Receive help writing a college application essay.
- Learn and/or improve public speaking, presentation, and interviewing skills.
- Experience increased awareness of community-focused civic engagement.
- Understand the financial aid and FAFSA application processes.
- Acquire knowledge on how to search for available scholarships and other types of financial aid.
- Meet and engage with Hispanic leaders and role models to learn about their career successes.
- Meet with college admissions and financial aid representatives.
- Compete for available scholarships.
- Participate in a college, career, and community resource fair.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Horizon Day Camp – Metro DC|VA|MD

Location: Pozez JCC of Northern Virginia, 8900 Little River Turnpike, Fairfax, VA

Seasonal Positions: Counselors, Supervisors, Nurses, Swim Instructors, Specialists

Make a difference in a child's life. Horizon Day Camp—Metro DC, the area's first day camp for kids battling cancer that is completely free of charge to the families, is hiring counselors and other summer staff positions. Our mission is "to bring back the joys of childhood to children with cancer."

We are seeking dedicated, motivated, energetic, and empathetic counselors, supervisors, swim instructors, and nurses for our six-week day camp which exclusively serves children with cancer and their siblings.

Camp dates for summer 2022 are June 27-August 5. Prior to the start of camp, there will be a staff orientation and development training week. The camp day runs from approximately 9:30am-3:45pm. Tentative work hours are 8:00am to as late as 5pm.

Questions? Email horizondaycamp@theJ.org.

To apply, visit horizondaycamp.org/apply.

FCPD Police Cadet Program

Fairfax County Police Department will start accepting applications on Saturday March 26, 2022 for positions within the Police Cadet Program! Interested candidates can review the Cadet Program webpage:

<https://www.joinfcpd.org/pages/cadet> and then apply.

The ST James is Hiring for Summer Sports Camp Positions!

High School students interested in working this summer should check out the <https://www.thestjames.com/careers> to learn about the Summer Sports Camp Positions. This seasonal employment opportunity is for students who are 17 years or older and are interested in working with kids between the ages of 6-15. Interested applicants should have the ability to work Monday through Friday during daytime hours. Some of the benefits include nights and weekends off, competitive pay, and a TSJ membership while employed.

Questions about this employment opportunity should be directed to camps@thestjames.com.

KinderCare

Hiring Highschool students to work after school hours at one of our centers. We can hire students 16+ and they will always be with a qualified teacher, we can offer them employment now and summer hours as well.

Jessica Nugent, jessica.nugent@kindercare.com, 864-549-8391

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

Lots of opportunities can be found at Volunteer Fairfax <https://www.volunteerfairfax.org/>

Cherry Run Elementary PURPLE UP Event

Cherry Run Elementary is celebrating the Month of the Military Child during a festive outdoor event. The Virginia Department of Education promotes schools to join in solidarity to support military connected children. On **April 20, 2022** schools and communities are encouraged to wear purple." We are seeking volunteers to join in on the fun at the Cherry Run **PURPLE UP!** event as we celebrate our "young heroes" and our **ENTIRE Cardinal family** who are impacted by the frequent moves, family separations, and community-life challenges when our military families and friends move or join us each year.

We are seeking ten (10) volunteers to help with various activities. Volunteers can sign up under the "Student Volunteer" tab. We ask volunteers to arrive at Cherry Run Elementary, 9732 Ironmaster Dr, Burke by 4:15pm for assignment location.

Signup Genius: <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090549AFAA2FA20-spring>

I9 Sports

i9 Sports is gearing up for the spring season in Springfield and Alexandria and are actively looking for high school students interested in earning volunteer hours in hopes of hiring a few kids for the summer programs/camps. The spring season runs for 7 weeks on Saturday and Sundays at Irving Middle School, Hayfield, West Springfield and Keen Mill Elementary beginning the weekend of April 9th through June 4th. Contact Brian if you are interested brian.jennings@i9sports.com

TOPSoccer

We are currently looking for volunteer buddies to help out in our TOPSoccer program for children ages 5-18 with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

This Spring we will be offering TOPSoccer on Sunday afternoons 4-5pm at the Sprague Center Field, 4414 Holborn Ave, Annandale, VA; Sundays, April 10-May 22 (5 weeks; no practice April 17, May 8) **The Pozez JCC requires all volunteers to be vaccinated.

Please contact Arlene.Lechner@thej.org for more information.

SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITIES – **Check Naviance** for new scholarship opportunities vetted by FCPS, including (but not limited to):

Scholarships

- Beyond the Cure Ambassador Scholarship – deadline March 31, 2022
- League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC) Scholarships – deadline March 31, 2022
- National Federation of the Blind Scholarship – deadline March 31, 2022
- Aircraft Electronics Association Education Foundation – deadline April 1, 2022
- Dunkin Baltimore/Metro-DC Regional Scholarship – deadline April 15, 2022
- Ashley R. Thompson Memorial Scholarship – deadline May 6, 2022
- Emily and Fred Ruffing ACCA Scholarship – deadline May 6, 2022
- Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, OKK Foundation Scholarship – deadline May 6, 2022
- Kaiser Permanente Health Equity Scholarship – deadline May 31, 2022
- Suzanne McGee Memorial Music Scholarship – deadline June 1, 2022
- Joan and Gene Hartman Scholarship – deadline June 30, 2022

Enrichment Programs

- STEM Camp Internship Program – deadline April 11, 2022 – event date June 13 – Aug. 19, 2022 - <https://form.jotform.com/220076220193142>
- Camp Woods & Wildlife – deadline April 15, 2022 – event date June 20-24, 2022 - <https://dof.virginia.gov/education-and-recreation/youth-education/camp-woods-wildlife/>
- National Crews – deadline April 30, 2022 – event date July 2-31, 2022 - <https://www.thesca.org/serve/national-crews>
- Summer Conservation Crew Program – deadline May 6, 2022 – event date July 5 – Aug. 12, 2022 - <https://www.thesca.org/serve/program/washington-dc#clc>
- Conflict Resolution Youth Summit (CRYS) – deadline May 16, 2022 – event date July 18-21, 2022 - <https://carterschool.gmu.edu/prospective-students/conflict-resolution-youth-summit>
- Northern Virginia Regional College Fair – event date April 7, 2022 from 6:30pm to 8:30pm - <https://events.admissions.gmu.edu/nvrccf-2022/>
- Virtual College Leadership Fair – event date April 23, 2022 from 10am to 5pm - <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2nd-annual-2022-virtual-college-leadership-fair-tickets-252023989537>
- Summer Volunteer Camp – event date April 30, 2022 from 1pm to 4pm, June 13-17, 2022 from 9:30am to 12:30 pm, July 11 – 14, 2022 from 9:30am to 12:30pm - <https://kidsgiveback.org/volunteer-with-us>
- St. James Summer Sports Camp Positions – event date Summer 2022 - <https://www.thestjames.com/careers>
- Fairfax County Police Cadet – event date 2022-23 - <https://www.joinfcpd.org/>