UPCOMING EVENTS & REMINDERS

11/3  - Daylight Saving Time Begins (set clocks back one hour)
11/7  - THURSDAY CHECK-OUT, 3:30 p.m. - 6 p.m.
11/8  - Staff Professional Development, School Closed for Scholars
         - Senior Portrait Day (Check your home mail for appointment info)
11/10 - NO CHECK-IN
11/11 - Veterans’ Day - School Closed - NO CHECK-IN
11/12 - Tuesday Check-in, 6 a.m. - 7:30 p.m. - ALL GRADES
11/18-22 - American Education Week
11/20 - Recognition Assembley, 2 p.m.
11/20 - Family Resource Hour, 4 p.m. & 5:30 p.m.
11/26 - MID-WEEK CHECK-OUT, 3:30 P.M - 6 P.M.
11/27-29 - Thanksgiving Break - School Closed
12/1  - Check-in, 7 p.m - 8:30 p.m.

American Education Week

We need family volunteers to sponsor and set up a desserts & treats table for school faculty for American Education Week (November 18-22, 2019).

If you are able to donate items (desserts, treats, beverages, decorations, serving & eating utensils etc.) and/or your time (serving, set up and clean up) in the faculty lounge, please sign-up below.

We also need volunteers for morning (for academic faculty) and evening (student life faculty) hours. Thank you in advance for your the gift of your time!

If you have questions, please contact Mrs. Holman-Jones at 202-248-3005 or rholmanjones@seedschooldc.org.

American Education Week Volunteer Sign-up:
https://forms.gle/9dkg2A3pgsmRoJBm7
FAMILY VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN VOLUNTEERING ON CAMPUS?

Visit https://forms.gle/GdSFF1RGW17e8vj79 to complete the Family Partners Volunteer Form & to read descriptions of the volunteer opportunities we have available. Contact Mrs. Holman-Jones, 202-248-3005 or rholmanjones@seedschooldc.org if you have questions.

SENIOR CLASS NEWS

SENIOR PORTRAITS - Friday, 11/8/19 is senior portrait day. By now you should have received your appointment cards in the mail. You should have also confirmed your appointment and paid the sitting fee online. Please be on time for your scheduled time slot so that you don't get pushed to the end of the line. If you arrive late for your scheduled time you will get moved to the end in order to respect the time of others and those that arrived on time for their scheduled time slot.

SENIOR DUES - The second installment of senior dues was due October 1st. The next three installments are due on the following dates:
-3rd installment - November 1, 2019
-4th installment - December 1, 2019
-Final installment - January 15, 2020
Visit the website to view the senior class letter for more details on package options & fees.
WEEKLY FALCON NEWS

FALL sale!

10% OFF ALL INVENTORY IN-STORE and ONLINE!

throughout the month of NOVEMBER 2019

Take 10% OFF all clothing and items in all of our stores, for any school! Shop the sale online and use promo code FALL19 for your discount!

Risse Brothers
SCHOOL UNIFORMS

www.rissebrothers.com
COMMUNITY SERVICE OPPORTUNITY

READY, SET, HELP
Always Ready to Help

Ready, Set, Help is a community outreach based organization who’s mission is to be a change agent in our community by combating homelessness, empowering youth, and rebuilding neighborhoods. We achieve this mission through community service projects and partnering with local non-profit organizations. There is plenty of work to do in our communities, and plenty of people ready to help; however, there are not enough bridges to connect the two. It is our goal to be that bridge!

Ready, Set, Help is here to provide volunteers with opportunities to help others, and provide local non-profits with needed help. In addition, we work to address the needs of the community through Ready, Set, Help initiated projects.

Ready, Set, Help is a newly started organization ready to grow and meet the needs of our community. Please feel free to contact us directly if you are interested in being a Ready, Set, Help volunteer, or an interested business/organization looking to partner.

Regards,

Felicia Johnson-Founder
(703) 879-2816
www.readysethelp.org
@readysethelp.org
Office of Naval Research
Science and Engineering Apprenticeship Program

Program Information
- Eight week summer research opportunities
- Stipends - $3,500 for new students and $4,000 for returning students

Eligibility Requirements
- U.S. citizenship required
- Rising 10th graders through graduating 12th graders
- Must be 16 years old (15 years old may apply at some labs, check website for details)

Participating Laboratories
Arizona, California, Connecticut, DC, Florida, Hawaii, Indiana, Maryland, Mississippi, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Virginia, & Washington

Application Closes Nov. 1st!!!
http://seap.asee.org/apply
seap@asee.org 202-649-3833

The Department of the Navy is an Equal Employment Opportunity employer. All qualified candidates will receive consideration without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, marital status, political affiliation, sexual orientation, or any other non-merit factor. The Department of the Navy provides reasonable accommodation to applicants with disabilities.

See below for more flyers of available opportunities.
EXPieriennial LEARNING & EXTERNAL OPPS

YOUR FUTURE STARTS TODAY

Urban Alliance (UA) and Martha's Table have partnered together to bring increased economic opportunity to youth from Wards 7 and 8 in southeast D.C. Together, we aim to remove barriers to success and fully prepare students for long term self-sufficiency.

Juniors
• First day of programming, Tuesday, October 15th
• Students attend workshop once a week
• Professional training on resume writing, communication, professional development and much more

Incentives for participation
• Opportunity to join the PAW internship during the summer and your senior year of HS
• Earn community service hours
• Invited to college visits, career fairs, special access events, and other fun activities

Additional information
Workshops will be held at Martha’s Table’s new building, The Commons, located at 2375 Elvans Road SE, Washington, D.C. 20020
Students will be fed a heavy afternoon meal.
Workshop hours are 4:30pm - 6:00pm

Visit https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/UA368685

Step 1: Complete the online application
Step 2: Bring in parent consent form

Please contact the Community Programs Manager, Francesca Glover, at fglover@theurbanalliance.org with any questions.

www.theurbanalliance.org | 202-456-4300

Opportunity for Juniors

Apply now for summer 2020
Early decision by November 12, 2019
Regular decision by January 15, 2020
EXTERNAL LEARNING INFO SHEETS
FOR 9TH GRADE ONLY

What is it?

- 3-summer residential program
- 5-weeks of STEM enrichment (Math, Science, English/College Counseling)
- Held on the Phillips Academy 500-acre campus in Andover, Mass.
- Free – including airfare

Program Dates: Tuesday, June 30 - Sunday, August 2, 2020

How to apply?

1. Complete Online Application – www.andover.edu/ms2
   - Applicant's Personal Essay
   - Teacher Recommendations (Math, Science, English, and Guidance Counselor)
   - Parent/Advisor Essay
   - Theatre/Orchestra Financial Statement (Procedure Publication)
2. Complete Online Math Assessment
3. Application Deadline – December 15th

www.andover.edu/ms2

Application Deadline: 12/15/2019
For more information, visit www.andover.edu/ms2 to complete the online application & complete the online math assessment.
WEEKLY FALCON NEWS
FOR THE WEEK OF NOVEMBER 3RD

EXTERNAL LEARNING INFO SHEETS

GIT Mentor-Protégé Program 2019-2020

For Who: DC, MD and VA Girls in Grades 6-12

What: Mentoring program that connects HS girls interested in Science, Technology, Engineering and Math (STEM) careers with professional women in STEM

Cost: Free!!! (Registration Required)


More info: https://www.womenseducation.org/protgees-in-technology

Email: GIT-Protégés@womenstemtechnology.org

City at Peace is a space and a process, made for and by young people to examine systems of oppression that marginalize people based on race, gender, age, ethnicity, sexuality and values. Together, with other young people you can figure out your place in all of it and create tools to change it.

You will collaborate with professional artists and theatre designers to build and manage an artistic production that displays your ideas for change, and meet some of the best people ever!

Here’s how it works:

• Join us Wednesday, September 25 at 4:30pm at the Atlas Performing Arts Center
• We meet every Saturday from 10am until 4pm and Wednesday from 4:30pm until 8:30pm… it’s a commitment! You can’t make change without showing up.
• Program start date is Wednesday, September 25, 2019 4:30pm.
• Located at the Atlas Performing Arts Center, 1333 13th Street NE.
• Contact Sandy Holloway, cityatpeace@atlastarts.org.
• Wear comfortable, loose fitting clothing and be ready to move!
• Apply on-line at www.atlastarts.org under the Education tab, look for the application.

COMMITMENT

For every US participant, we will provide valuable college preparatory services, academic instruction, and educational-cultural programming to help each participant strive for excellence at no monetary cost. In return, all participants must strive to commit 100% participation and attendance during their tenure in Upward Bound. Full participation is defined as a student's commitment to pursue academic success and admission to an accredited college/university throughout their enrollment in Upward Bound. Our hope is that all US scholars remain committed to working towards the achievement of their primary long-term goal-college graduation within 4-6 years of high school completion.

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If you are interested in becoming a GW Upward Bound community partner or making a financial contribution to this non-profit 501(c)3 organization, please contact the GW SMHS Upward Bound at 202-687-7200.
As a deviously delicious Broadway and Hollywood sci-fi smash musical, *Little Shop of Horrors* shares the story of a meek floral assistant who stumbles across a new breed of plant he names “Audrey II”. This foul-mouthed, R&B singing carnivore promises unending fame and fortune to the floral assistant as long as he keeps feeding it.

All scholars & all talent levels were encouraged to sign-up & audition on Thursday, October 10th. Check back here for the cast list.

*Little Shop of Horrors* will be performed at THEARC Theater in Washington, D.C. December 13th and 14th @ 7pm. More details will be provided on how to purchase tickets.

The SEED Falcon Theatre is also proud to be selected by Disney Theatrical Productions (producers of *The Lion King, Beauty and the Beast*, etc. on Broadway), to join a cohort of select schools, demonstrating theatre excellence, in producing a pilot production of *Disney’s Peter Pan, Jr.* (currently in development before being released to the general public in 2021). Peter Pan, Jr. will be presented at THEARC Blackbox Theater in Washington, D.C. in April 2020. More details to follow.