November 1st deadline is THIS WEDNESDAY!!

- Nov. 1st is priority deadline (for competitive scholarships and honors programs) for UT Knoxville and it is the Early Decision deadline for many competitive colleges!
- TN Promise scholarship deadline is Nov. 1st! Seniors must sign up in order to be eligible for this scholarship, which will pay for two years at a two-year community college in Tennessee or a TN College of Applied Technology.
- Seniors may start their 8 hours of community service for the TN Promise scholarship this Thursday! You will report your community service online at www.tnachieves.org

THIS WEEK'S ACTIVITIES:

- Mon., Oct. 30th-Sign up for Univ. of Alabama Tuscaloosa (Mon., Nov. 6th 12:40pm), Rhodes (TBA), and Navy rep session Tues., Nov. 7th 9:30am). Alabama-Srs must have 3.0 GPA + 21 ACT, juniors 3.0 GPA. Rhodes-Srs -3.75 GPA +26 ACT, Juniors 3.5 GPA, Navy- Seniors and juniors.
- **Mon & Tues**-College and Career Center open for all seniors who have not applied for the TN Promise Scholarship. 242 seniors have applied for the TN Promise scholarship! ^⑤
- Wed., Nov. 1st- Deadline for TN Promise and many Early Decision & priority college admissions!
- **Wed., Nov. 1**^{st-} Balfour senior meeting for graduation cap and gown measurements. Listen for announcements, girls meeting at approx.. 9am in theatre and boys at 9:30. Each senior will need to know height and weight! No cap measurement needed.
- **Wed., Nov. 1**st-Senior fee payment for seniors who did not pay their first payment last week. Students who would like to pay the entire fee early or make an additional payment early may pay on Wednesdays. Seniors must pay fee to teacher assigned by alpha range. See the info on page two for more payment information.
- **Fri., Nov. 3rd-**Regular registration deadline for the Dec. 9th ACT. This is the last ACT score taken for MANY institutional scholarships from specific colleges. Register online at www.actstudent.org

Scholarship:

Pat Gill Performing Arts Scholarship- Deadline Dec. 20, 2017- Must have 2.5 GPA and perform 3-5 minute talent at showcase. For more info and application, go to http://boltoncollegeandcareer.weebly.com/scholarship-info.html

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **HBCU College Fair Tour 2017- Monday, November 6:** Oak Grove M. B Church 5:00 p.m. 8:00 p.m. You must register at www.hbcucollegefairreg.com Students are encouraged to bring transcripts. Come to M212 on Wednesday and let Mrs. Warren know if you are attending this event and need transcripts to take.
- Southwest TN CC Student Portal Day-The Southwest rep, Amanda Victory, will be back at Bolton on Wed., Nov. 8th from 7:30-11:00am to help students set up their student portal and introduce them to their Southwest e-mail, financial aid portal, etc. Passes will be available in M212 and from Senior English teachers on Nov. 1st.
- **Southwest TN CC Campus Day** Nov. 11th at Macon Cove from 10-1. Students must register to attend. See attached info on newsletter. Register at: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/southwest-fall-campus-day-tickets-38233785281
- Army rep session Tues., Nov. 14th at 8:30am.
- Mock ACT test for students in all grades! See info on page two to register for this
 opportunity!



Senior Fee Payment Info

1st payment due Oct. 27th \$90 2nd payment due Jan. 19th \$90

- You may pay (total amount or smaller payments) any Wednesday!
- Payment must be paid in cash, money order or cashier's check (no personal checks are accepted).
- You may ALSO make payments on Wednesdays at the following times:

WEDNESDAYS ONLY

Before school from 6:45-7:10am During the teacher's planning period (see below info) After school from 2:15-2:30pm

Senior Last Name A-G: Pay Mr Young in N220. His planning period: 3rd p. 9:08-9:58am Contact info: youngvr@scskl2.org

Senior Last Name H-M: Pay Mrs. Peppers in E142. Her planning is 4th p 10:03-10:53am Contact info: siegristdr@scsk12.org

Senior Last Name N-Z: Pay Ms. Williams in M107. Her planning is 5th p. 10:53-12:25am Contact info: williamsdc@scsk12.org

• Senior Fees cover the following:

Graduation cap, gown, stole/tassel, diploma cover, yearbook, senior picnic and picnic t-shirt. Seniors keep the cap/gown.

THE FAFSA IS ONLINE NOW! All seniors and their parents should complete the FAFSA (www.fafsa,gov). Please e-mail Mrs. Warren a copy of your FAFSA confirmation page.

(No confidential information is contained on this page.)

- The FAFSA is the only application for the HOPE Lottery, a requirement for the TN Promise scholarship, Federal Work Study program, Federal Pell Grant and state TSAA grant. It also qualifies you for a Federal Student Loan if you need one.
- All students and one parent must have an FSA-ID in order to sign the FAFSA. Go to https://fsaid.ed.gov/ to create an FSA ID. Parents who already have one student in college should use the same parent FSA ID.
- You may look at page 42 in your senior handbook to see all of the documents that you will need to complete the 2018-2019 FAFSA.
- Please e-mail Mrs. Warren at <u>warrendb@scsk12.org</u> if you would like to get assistance completing the FAFSA at Bolton.