Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) Submission – the priority deadline for submission is March 2, 2020 for Cal Grant and other state and federal aid for the 2020-2021 school year. Visit: https://fafsa.ed.gov to start your application. Both student and parent will need to create a FSA ID to submit the FAFSA. You may register for a FSA ID at https://fsaid.ed.gov/npas/index.htm.

Chico Elks Ladies Lodge #423 – Deadline 2/28/20. Applicants must have a parent/stepparent, aunt/uncle, grandparent, or great grandparent who is a member of Chico Elks Lodge #423 in good standing. Applications can be picked up in the Counseling Office.

California-Hawaii Elks Vocational Grants - The vocational grant program is open to anyone residing in California or Hawaii who is a citizen of the United States of America and planning to pursue an eligible vocational/technical course resulting in a certificate or two-year degree and leading to employment opportunities. Awards will be between $500 and $2,000 for an academic year. For additional information, please visit the CHEA website at https://chea-elks.org/youth-activities/scholarships.

bold.org - High School Social Leaders Bi-Annual Scholarship: The High School Social Leaders Bi-Annual Scholarship will award $1,000 every 6 months to students who are focused on solving critical social issues either in their communities or at a global scale. The scholarship is open to any high school students who plan to pursue higher education. To apply, students must be actively involved in organizations working to solve key social issues that we face today. https://bold.org/scholarship/high-school-social-leaders-bi-annual-scholarship/

Shasta Regional Community Foundation Scholarships - visit www.shastarcf.org/scholarships for lists of scholarships available and applications. Deadlines may vary.

American Chemical Society Scholars Program - ACS sponsors scholarship programs for qualified applicants who want to enter the fields of chemistry, biochemistry, chemical engineering, chemical technology and teaching. The programs aim to encourage diversity among applicants and build awareness of the value and rewards associated with careers in science and technology. https://www.acs.org/content/acs/en/funding-and-awards/scholarships.html DEADLINE: March 1st, 2020

Sierra Pacific Foundation Scholarship – Any dependent child of a full time, Sierra Pacific Industry employee is eligible to apply. Applications with instructions are available at www.spi-ind.com/Foundation starting December 15th and the deadline is the last Friday of February each application year. Check out the FAQs for further details: http://www.spi-ind.com/Foundation/FAQ

The Christermon Foundation - awards scholarships to students whose parent or grandparent is employed with a company holding a valid liquor, beer or wine license; retailer, airlines, restaurants, hotels, suppliers, distributors, breweries, wineries, etc. are but a few that qualify! Application and details available at www.christermon.com. Deadline is February 15th, 2020

California State University, Chico Wildcat Scholarships - Visit the financial aid and scholarship office website at: http://www.csuchico.edu/fa/scholarships for more details. Wildcat Scholarship application deadline is February 15th, 2020.

North Valley Health Education Foundation - provides scholarships to local high school seniors who are Enloe Hospital Junior Volunteers with at least 50 hours of service and plan to enter the health care field. Applications available at www.nvhef.org/nv.

Sons of Italy Western Foundation – scholarships are available for graduating seniors in the following categories: Academic Awards, Italian Language Study Grants in Italy for high school seniors for the summer of 2020 and Athletic Awards for high school seniors pursuing a career in sports or sports related fields. The requirements for applying for a Scholarship or Student Grant with the Order Sons and Daughters of Italy, Grand Lodge of California is as follows: applicant must be wholly or partially of Italian descent, and applicant must be enrolled in an accredited Trade School, College, University or Community College in the fall of 2020. The Deadline is March 1, 2020. Applications are available online at http://www.osiaca.org/Portals/20/Academic%20Scholarship%20Fillable.pdf.

California Association of Wine grape Growers Foundation Scholarships – for the children of California vineyard employees. At least two four-year scholarships worth $8,000 each and four two-year scholarships worth $2,000 each will be awarded to qualifying students in 2020. Students may study the subjects of their choice at any campus within the UC, CSU and California Community College system. Applications can be found at www.cawgfoundation.org and the deadline is March 6th, 2020.

Butte College Foundation Scholarship application period is now open. Many different types of scholarships are available at www.butte.edu/foundation/scholarships.html. Application deadline is March 12th, 2020.

CHICO UNIFIED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION: Scholarship for Graduating Seniors - “at large” scholarships are available to any graduating senior in CUSD, including dependents of CUTA members. Chico High and Pleasant Valley High each receive three scholarships. Fairview receives one of these scholarships. These are each $1,000. Completed applications for the CUSD Graduating Seniors “at large” Scholarships can be returned to the school’s respective counseling office by March 13, 2020 by 5:00 p.m.
• CHICO UNIFIED TEACHERS ASSOCIATION Dependents of CUTA Members - Any graduating high school senior whose parent(s) is currently an active member of CUTA is eligible to apply for a Dependents Scholarship. It is not necessary that the recipient be graduating from a CUSD high school. The money for these scholarships is annually budgeted from our CUTA funds. Two $1,250 scholarships are available and our CUTA Scholarship Committee selects the recipients. Completed applications for CUTA dependent scholarships must be returned to the CUTA office by 5:00 p.m. on March 13, 2020. Applications not submitted to the CUTA office by that time and date cannot be considered for receipt of a scholarship. Applications are available at the CUTA office 819 East Fifth Avenue, at chicouta.org under the Awards & Scholarships link, or by calling the office (343-0226) to ask that one be sent to you through the school mail.

• Italian Catholic Federation - offers $400 scholarship awards to students of Italian ancestry who are of the Catholic faith. A minimum 3.2 gpa is required. Application available at www.icf.org. Deadline is March 15th, 2020.


• Portuguese Historical and Cultural Society - offers scholarships to students of Portuguese descent with a gpa of 3.5. An essay and one letter of recommendation are required. Applications available online at www.Sacramentophcs.com/phcs-scholarship-program. Deadline is March 16th 2020.

• Safe Credit Union – will award 10 $1,000 scholarships to exceptional college-bound seniors with a 3.0 GPA or above. Further details and applications are available at safecu.org. The application must be postmarked by March 20th, 2020.

• PTA District 13 Graduating High School Senior Scholarship - This scholarship awards high school seniors for volunteer service in the school and community. The application along with a current copy of the applicants’ PTA/PTSA membership card and reference letters is due by March 27th to the address listed on application. Applications are available in the counseling office.

• Canyon Oaks Women’s Golf Club “Bridging the Gap for Breast Cancer” scholarships are available to high school seniors residing in Butte and Glenn Counties who have lost a parent or sibling to breast cancer or who have a parent or sibling currently in treatment, or is a survivor. The scholarship is renewable and may be reapplied for the following year. Application in the counseling office. Deadline is March 26th.

• North Valley Community Foundation Scholarship Portal – NVCF offers a variety of scholarships to high school seniors and recent graduates. The portal can be accessed at www.nvcf.org/scholarships. All applications are due before March 26, 2020 at 5 p.m.

• California State Retirees – is offering a $500 scholarship to senior students who have a family member that is a current or retired California state employee. Scholarship applications must be postmarked no later than March 30, 2020. Applications are available in the Counseling Office. For more information, contact Robin at 530-899-7911 or keehnr68@gmail.com.

• Hearthstone Housing Foundation Scholarship – Scholarship awards range from $500 to $5000 for high school students demonstrating financial need and maintaining a 3.0 GPA. Visit https://www.hearthstonehousing.org/scholarship for more information and the online application. The application opens on Dec 1st, 2019 and the deadline is March 31, 2020.

• Student Award Search Aid – the creators of the “Student Award Search Aid” website are offering a scholarship for 2020. You can visit the website: http://www.studentawardsearch.com/scholarships.htm to read more about the scholarship. Amount of scholarship: $1,000. The deadline for application is May 22nd, 2020. If you have questions, please feel free to contact them at awards@studentawardsearch.com

• Violet Richardson Community Service Award (Soroptimist International of Chico) – For young women 14–17 years of age who significantly contribute to their communities through volunteer efforts. The deadline for completed applications is March 15th, 2020. Applications are available in the counseling office.

• Hearthstone Housing Foundation Scholarship – Scholarship awards range from $500 to $5000 for high school students demonstrating financial need and maintaining a 3.0 GPA. Visit www.hearthstonehousing.org/scholarship for more information and the online application. The application deadline is March 31, 2020.

• Cynthia Ann Kennedy Memorial Scholarship- is a $1,000 scholarship given by the family in her name. Cynthia was the mother of CHS 2011 graduate, Levi Stanton. The goal of this scholarship is to support the spirit and determination required for young people to realize their dreams and to encourage a goal-oriented approach to do this. Application details online at http://nvcf.org/cindy-kennedy-scholarship/. Deadline is May 1, 2020.

• Chico Breakfast Lions Club – Applications are available in the counseling office and must be received no later than May 15, 2020 to the address listed on the application.
• **Big Sun Scholarship** – The Big Sun organization is proud to be able to continue to help young athletes succeed in their academic pursuits. Please send us a short essay (500 - 1,000 words) answering the following questions:

  o How did your participation in sports during your high school years influence you?
  o Has your participation influenced your career goals?
  o Has your participation influenced how you relate to your family?
  o **DEADLINE**: June 19th, 2020

• **2020 Youth On Course College Scholarships** – Youth on Course is offering 25 scholarships between $4000- $20,000 for members of the Youth On course program. Youth on Course is a program for young golfers to have access to play golf at over 1250 courses, work as a caddie and intern at a golf course. The scholarship requirements are: 1) 3.0 GPA, 2) scholarships are both need and merit based, 3) student must be accepted into a four year college the same year scholarship is awarded, and 4) must be a member of Youth on Course (you can join at wwwyouthoncourse.org/join)

**Visit the CHS Counseling website** for updated scholarship information at [http://chs.chicousd.org/Counseling/College--Planning-/Scholarship-Opportunities/index.html](http://chs.chicousd.org/Counseling/College--Planning-/Scholarship-Opportunities/index.html)