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Anna Cramer Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants for this award must reside in Atlantic County and be pursuant of a Bachelor's of Music Degree. Preference is afforded those who are majoring in performance rather than education. 	--	May 1, 2011	Guidance Counselor
John & Irene Papines Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must reside in Atlantic County and be of Greek heritage. Applicants are to be of good moral character, shall have evidenced scholarship ability and shall have demonstrated a need for financial assistance. All things being equal preference shall be shown to those applicants who are intending to pursue a career in nursing or in medicine. Specific preference is to be given, in the discretion of the trustee, to those applicants who are children of AHEPA (American Hellenic Education Progression Association). 	--	May 1, 2011	Guidance Counselor
NAWBO (South Jersey – National Association of Women Business Owners) – The Next Generation Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicants must submit a personal statement essay of no more than 500 words, and a letter of recommendation from two of the following: teacher, guidance counselor, employer, mentor, friend, client or customer. Your personal statement should address your thoughts on entrepreneurship, business leadership, financial independence or giving back to the community. The recommendation letter should address how the candidate: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Demonstrates budding entrepreneurship or financial acumen. Takes the first steps towards financial independence Makes a difference in your community or peoples' lives. For an application go to: www.NAWBOSouthJersey.org. 	\$1,000	March 5, 2011	Guidance Counselor
Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation Mid Atlantic Region Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This annual scholarship is for students with financial need and academic achievements. It is open to all high school seniors with a minimum GPA of 3.0. Applications may be found at: http://www.us.tzuchi.org. Look for the information section and then Tzu Chi Scholars 2011. 	\$1,000	March 19, 2011	Guidance counselor

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Kohl's Cares Scholarship Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Do you know a student who's making a difference in your community through volunteering? Nominate them for the Kohl's Career Scholarship Program today. • This year Kohl's is recognizing over 2,100 kids, ages 6-18, with more than \$415,000 in scholarships and prizes. • Nominate a student now or learn more at: www.kohlskids.com. 	Ranging from \$50 gift cards to \$10,000 scholarships	March 15, 2011	Guidance Counselor
Sources for Students Scholarship Fund	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must be a senior in high school, have a "C" average or above, be a full time or part time student. • Applicant must submit a 250 word essay. • Applicant must produce a class schedule and tuition costs. • There are no income guidelines. • Winners are chosen by committee, which bases its' decisions on extracurricular achievement, individual accomplishments and a submitted essay. The essay topic will be provided upon submission of your completed application. The number of awards given is based on the amount of monies received through donations and fundraising. Complete an application on the website; www.sourcesforstudents.com. 	Students can win up to \$10,000	August 31, 2011	Guidance counselor
New Jersey Utilities Association (NJUA)- Excellence in Diversity Scholarship Awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This scholarship is offered to all high school seniors who meet the following criteria: • US Citizen; NJ resident for 5 years • Presently pursuing a degree in a New Jersey college or university (2 or 4 year) as an undergraduate or graduate student (part or full time). • Be maintaining at least a 3.0 GOA /4.0 scale. • Be interested in the water utility industry or in any related field, such as, natural resource management, environmental sciences, biology, chemistry, engineering, communication, computer science, business administration, human resources, consumer affairs, law, accounting, finance, etc. • Obtain an application from: www.njua.com. (click on Download NAWC Scholarship Application in At a Glance) 	Three 4-year scholarships providing \$1,500 per academic year	April 1, 2011	Guidance Counselor

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Paws and Claws Society, Inc.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is a scholarship idea essay contest for graduating seniors with hopes of solving an old problem—how to get more animals adopted from animal shelters. • There will be a first, second, and third place in each of four counties. There also will be a prize for the best idea from the four counties. • Each senior may submit up to five separate entries. Each essay should be 500 words or less. Ideas must be original, but can be enhancements of existing methods. 	<p>1st place- \$1,000 2nd place-\$750 3rd place- \$500</p> <p>The senior with best idea from all four counties will receive \$1,500</p>	May 1, 2011	Guidance Counselor
GE-Reagan Foundation Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This scholarship is in honor of the legacy and character of President Ronald Reagan during the Centennial of his birth. This new program annually rewards up to 20 college bound students who demonstrate exemplary leadership, drive, integrity, and citizenship with \$10,000 renewable scholarship. • Nominating a candidate for this award: during the application process, applicants must be nominated by a community leader, such as a high school principal, elected official or nonprofit executive, and each leader may nominate only one application. • Recommending a candidate for this award: during the application process, applicants must be recommended by an authority figure who has observed them in a leadership role, such as a student activity advisor, community service coordinator, coach, employer, teacher, counselor or religious leader. Applications are available online: www.reaganfoundation.org/SCHOLARS-PROGRAM. You also can visit: facebook.com; GEREaganScholarships. 	\$10,000 renewable up to \$40,000 per recipient	March 18, 2011	Guidance Counselor

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<p>The Hellenic University Club of Philadelphia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scholarships will be awarded to students of Greek decent or declared majors in Greek Studies, with outstanding academic qualifications and financial need. Students must be enrolled full time in a degree program at an accredited four-year college or university. • There are 12 different undergraduate scholarships. Applications are available through their website: www.hucphila.org. 	<p>Awards range from \$1,000 to \$5,000 depending upon the particular scholarship</p>	<p>April 20, 2011</p>	<p>Guidance Counselor</p>
<p>Germania Volunteer Fire Company and Ladies Auxiliary</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The applicant who receives this award must have met the following requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Must have attended either South Egg Harbor Elementary School, Cologne, Elementary School or reside within those geographical boundaries. - Must have performed a minimum of 40 hours of community service during their high school years. The student must provide documentation and/or a contact person, with a phone number, where the community service was performed. - Must have been accepted to any institute of higher learning, college, two year or four year trade school (example cosmetology), or a technical school. - This is open to all students; need not be an honor student. - Must complete the following questions on a separate sheet of paper with name, address, phone number, name of elementary school attended/geographic boundary, and name of institute of higher learning (if known), and all community hours listed with contact information for community service on the bottom of page: a) Why do you think community service is important? b) What motivated you to perform community service? c) What have you gained personally through community service? 	<p>\$500</p>	<p>May 6, 2011</p>	<p>Guidance Counselor *Selection is by Absegami High School Scholarship Committee Selection Guidelines: 1) Most community hours 2) Fireman/Ladies Auxiliary child 3) Any youth residing in the coverage boundaries of Germania Volunteer Fire Company 4) Youth who has worked at fire companies turkey dinner</p>

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Atlantic City Fire Department – Sand Pipers Pipe and Drum Band Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To be eligible, a student must be the son or daughter of a Public Safety Professional (police officer, professional firefighter, paramedic, or EMT employed in Atlantic County, Ocean City, or Cape May County. New this year is the eligibility inclusion of students that have been involved for a minimum of 2 years in a Police Explorers Program regardless of whether their parents were public safety professionals. Judging criteria: Academic performance, leadership, extracurricular activities, essay (one page, double spaced; answering one of three choices). 	\$1,000 awarded after completion of 1 st semester with a minimum of 2.0 GPA	April 30, 2011	Guidance Counselor
Dan Ross Memorial Fund, Inc.	<p>This fund was established in memory of Daniel Eric Ross who passed away tragically on August 12, 2004.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant must have a GPA of 3.0 or higher and pursuing a degree in sports related field (Sports Medicine, Physical Therapy, and Physical Education). Applicant must have been recruited to play a sport at a Division I or II College or University and made the initial deposit required by the institution. 	Awards will be given to one or more applications, up to a total of \$7,500	March 31, 2011	Guidance Counselor *EACH SCHOOL MAY SEND A MAXIMUM OF 3 APPLICATIONS FOR CONSIDERATION.
Atlantic Audubon Society – Patricia Booye Bristow Memorial Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Applicant must be a female, Atlantic County resident, senior who plans a college major and future career in the sciences with preference given to those pursuing environmental science. <p>Students should complete an application; submit it along with an academic transcript, a 150-200 word essay stating why they are interested in entering their chosen scientific field, and two references: (one from a science teacher and another from a non-science professional of your choice).</p>	\$1,000	April 15, 2011	Guidance Counselor
Student Insights – 2011 Student View Scholarship Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> This scholarship will be awarded via a random drawing of all completed applications. The scholarship winner will be announced in May 2011. No minimum SAT/ACT score or grade point average. No essay required; no lengthy application forms, and no application fees. Log on to: www.student-view.com and complete a 15-20 	One award of \$4,000 Two awards of \$1,000 Eight awards of \$500	April 22, 2011	Guidance Counselor

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Student Insights – 2011 Student View Scholarship Program , <i>Continued</i>	minute application survey about colleges in your area.	--	--	--
Kevin Aaron Ade Memorial Scholarship offered by the Community Foundation of New Jersey	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must be a graduating senior of Absegami High School who exhibits passion and dedication in the area of media arts, drama, communications or music. • Applicant must be accepted into and plan to attend a two or four year college or technical school as a full time student. • Applicant must submit the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A personal statement describing themselves, their interests, community service, and/or volunteer involvement, their intended major or career plans and an explanation as to why they should be considered for this award. - One letter of recommendation written by a senior year teacher, and a high school transcript, - All applications will be considered in their entirety. - There are no specific academic or minimum GPA requirements. 	\$1,000	April 15, 2011 Received by date	Guidance Counselor RETURN COMPLETED APPLICATIONS TO MR. R. QUINN, GUIDANCE SUPERVISOR
Unite Here, Local 54 Thomas Kissick Sr. Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicants must be a dependent of a member in good standing for two years, a high school senior, with a 2.75 GPA or higher. 	\$1,000 for four years	April 15, 2011	Guidance Counselor
Antonio Meucci Mainland Lodge #2613 of the Order Sons of Italy in America – Eugene and Barbara Compton Scholarship	<p>This scholarship will be awarded competitively based on the order of importance:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Essay, Academics, Financial Need, Community Service, Leadership, Recognition/Awards, Scholastic Activities • To request an application via email contact: NinaBG@aol.com. 	\$2,500	March 31, 2011 (No application received after this date will be accepted)	Guidance Counselor
Alpha Delta Kappa - Psi Chapter	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Selection criteria is based on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Academic performance substantiated by a transcript indicating rank in top 30% of the class and a report for the first semester of the senior year. - Community service and participation in extra-curricular activities. 	Two \$500 awards	Submitted to the Guidance Office by: April 13, 2011 *Representative	Guidance Counselor

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Alpha Delta Kappa - Psi Chapter, <i>Continued</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Submission of a one page letter stating why the applicant plans to pursue a career in education. - Submission of the application. 	--	will pick up applications at Absegami	--
Justice Lodge No. 285, F & A.M. Foundation Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This award is for the express purpose of assisting the son, daughter, grandson or granddaughter of a Master Mason in the Twenty-Third Masonic District (Atlantic County) of the State of New Jersey. Membership-in-good standing, (living or deceased) of the father, step father, grandfather or step grandfather is required. • The recipient must enter an accredited college or university and attend courses leading to a Baccalaureate on Post Graduate degree, and maintain a scholastic average consistent with the high standards of this Scholarship Award. • Applicants will be judged on the following qualifications: character, scholarship, religious consciousness, and financial need. Applicants also will be required to participate in an interview with the members of the selection committee. 	--	April 15, 2011 Received by date	Guidance Counselor
AES Engineers Consulting Firm	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be eligible, the student applicant must answer one of the essay questions that they will find on: http://www.aesengineers.com/scholarships.htm. • The scholarship is awarded on the basis of character, as determined by evaluating the essays that are submitted. 	\$500	October 7, 2011	Guidance Counselor
The Brigantine Beach Volleyball Association (BBVA) – 2011 Steve Hopp Memorial Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To apply, print and fill out an application which is available online at: http://www.brigvb.net • Scholarships are available to: three college-bound high school volleyball seniors with a an award of \$500 each; and 10 non-senior volleyball athletes to a summer volleyball camp (up to \$75 each). • For questions you may contact a scholarship representative at: bbva.scholarship@hotmail.com 	Three - \$00 awards Ten - \$75 awards	April 29, 2011	Guidance Counselor <i>**This award is NOT presented at the Absegami Senior Awards Night</i>

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Reeds Road School Scholarship	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Applicant must have been promoted from sixth grade from the Reeds Road School • Accepted into a higher education program; include a letter of acceptance to a school of higher education for the 2011-2012 school year. • GPA of 85% or higher; active participation in school and community • Completed essay describing your most valuable experience during your time at Reeds Road School and how that experience shaped your decision to continue your education after high school. • <i>Please complete the application and return it in a sealed envelope to Mr. Quinn, Director of Guidance.</i> 	Two awards of \$250 each	April 15, 2011	Guidance Counselor <i>Submit completed application in a sealed envelope to Mr. Quinn, Guidance Supervisor</i>