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NKU Upward Bound October 2020 Newsletter

OCTOBER 3 Meeting for SENIORS ONLY

The October 3 meeting is for the seniors to complete the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) and find out more about financial aid. Seniors, we will be meeting in person in Landrum 103. Remember to wear masks and bring one parent/guardian if possible. Because of space restrictions and who we heard from, there are two meetings and these are the groups:

9:30 ~ Brianna Aguilar, Josh Brummett, Juan Calderon, Kali Lanter, Darianna Mayes, Ajada Nelson, Vanessa Paxtle-Granjeno, Brooklyn Rice, Saki Zapote

11:30 ~ Hannah Brock, Clifton Brown, Kennedy Detwiler, Sarah Lawrence, Mariah Maloney, Brooke Miller, Shelby Powell, Tiffany Turner

We are looking forward to seeing you and one parent or guardian only. Please bring a copy of your parent's 2019 Federal 1040 taxes or income information for your freshman year and 2018 Federal 1040 taxes or income information for the Bridge summer class if you choose. It's fine if you don't file taxes. Seniors and their parents will leave after they've completed the FAFSA. Seniors that miss this October 3 meeting will not take the summer class (if it becomes available).

SENIORS – If you can't attend this meeting, please let Judy (859-760-0853) or Eric (859-750-0259) know as soon as possible by call or by text.

SCHOOL MEETINGS

We plan to meet with students on Zoom after the school day for about 30 minutes. We'll be online at 3:15 p.m. the following dates by grade level:

Sophomores – Tuesday, October 13

Juniors – Wednesday, October 14

Seniors – Thursday, October 15

If you're working, please let your supervisors know about this commitment as soon as possible. We think this is enough time ahead, but you need to ask off if necessary.

COLLEGE VISIT INFORMATION

SENIORS,

As you are preparing for next year, you will be selecting which colleges you are interested in attending. Do not pick only one school as you need to keep your thoughts and options open as you don't know which school might offer the best financial aid package. You should apply to two or three schools. This is a year when going to visit a college in person may or may not be possible. The following is a list of Kentucky schools and information about what they currently indicate. As we all know, this could change. It is now time to decide if you need an in person visit or a virtual visit and to begin applying to schools by the end of October or November. Check deadlines for admission and for scholarship information at the schools that interest you.

Eastern Kentucky University

521 Lancaster Ave.

Whitlock Bldg Room 112

visit@eku.edu

Virtual Tour or

Register Online for a Campus Visit

859 622-3894

Berea

Click Admissions

Virtual or In Person

Berea.edu

Complete on online form

1 800 326-5948

University of Louisville

Click Admissions/Visit Campus

Visit for high school students

502 852-5555

Virtual or In person on

Wednesdays and some

Mondays, Fridays, or Saturdays

Tours at 11 a.m. or 2:30 p.m

University Kentucky

only virtual at this time

Email ukv@uky.edu

859 257-3595

Western Kentucky University

1906 College Heights Blvd.

wku.edu/visit

270 745-2551

270 253-4242 (text only)

Email: wku.admissions

Morehead

Moreheadstate.edu (click visit)

Virtual and In person

M/T 12:15

M-F 9:30 am

Register online

Vanessa Paxtle-Granjeno

STUDENT

SPOTLIGHT

As we begin this school year, we know our seniors will soon be going on to college. This is a chance to learn a little more about one of those seniors who attends Gallatin County. Let's see what Vanessa Paxtle-Granjeno had to say about herself.



If I had an extra \$50, I'd . . . save it.

I've been known to consume large quantities of . . . music (kpop) and anime.

In my earlier days, I was known as . . . V.

Once people get to know me, they're probably surprised to find I'm . . . very talkative.

I'd rather be . . . quiet . . . than . . . say something rude.

Three things I want to do in my life are: 1. Become an RN 2. Travel 3. Have lots of money

I hope people see me as . . . a person that they can rely on.

UPCOMING SATURDAY MEETING FOR EVERYONE!

We will meet in Landrum 110 on Saturday, November 7. We will NOT provide lunch that day, but we will have you sign for stipends. Because of space limitations, we are splitting into two groups by grade level:

Saturday, November 7

9:30 – 11:30 a.m. ~ Seniors

1 – 3 p.m. ~ Juniors and Sophomores

Again, if you work, let your supervisor know about this commitment as soon as possible.