



RENO HIGH COLLEGE AND CAREER CENTER NEWSLETTER

If you are receiving this newsletter, it is because you or your student submitted the form to be included in my bi-weekly newsletter. I send out updates on upcoming events, scholarships posted and deadlines every other Friday. If you prefer NOT to receive these updates, please email me (tasha.palzkil@washoeschools.net) and I will remove you from the list. All distribution lists will be erased at the end of the school year.

All information within this email can be accessed on our school website, under the College and Career tab or access here: <https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/17264>

What's new for the CLASS OF 2023

I will be posting any new information from my last newsletter here or upcoming registration for events/workshops:

- **All RHS Scholarships will begin on October 1st.** There will be various deadlines but those will be in January and beyond. Information for all scholarships – eligibility requirements, applications and start/deadlines will be posted on the Reno High School website under College and Career Center / Scholarships for RHS Students starting October 1st <https://www.washoeschools.net/Page/17297>
- **NEW NATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS POSTED!! GO CHECK THEM OUT!**
- **9/26 UNR Admissions Application Workshop (register to attend: <https://forms.office.com/r/KRRG0GMbKQ>)**
- **9/27 United States Naval Academy** Presentation in Cube during lunch and 5th (1 hour presentation) to register: <https://forms.office.com/r/xmCFBhr9Ww>
- **9/28 SAT, ACT or Both?** If you don't know which test to take or just want more information about the differences and strategies to improve scores, this FREE zoom session is for you. You need to register here: <https://www.princetonreview.com/product/offerings/510403?ceid=fd?exid=f3777be0-dfcf-4576-b27b-9e0c900e4463> You will get a link to join the meeting after you register. 6:00P.M. TO 7:00P.M. – online webinar hosted by the Princeton Review
- **9/28 TMCC Admissions Application and Nevada Promise Application Workshops (register to attend: <https://forms.office.com/r/Evtf2fW945>)**
- **9/28 & 9/29 – Real Talk: HBCU Edition** – For students interested in going to a HBCU (Historically Black Colleges and Universities) - Two-night event to compare and find schools. First night is September 28th at 7 for Claflin, Dillard, Howard, Norfolk State, and Spelman. Night 2 September 29th at 7 for Fayetteville State, Hampton, Morehouse, Morgan State, and Texas Southern. You must register for these events at [Real Talk – BigFuture | College Board](#)



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Event Details <https://uwenns.volunteerlocal.com/volunteer/?id=67433> Date: 09/29/2022 Location: Stremmel Gallery (1400 S Virginia St, Reno, NV 89502) Point of contact: Isabelle Cecilio isabelle.cecilio@uwenns.org (408)966-2849

- **FAFSA Nights for WCSD** – join us at any high school to be lead through FAFSA (Federal Government's Financial Aid) (see more information under Financial Aid) Pre-registration is required at all events. Space is limited at many schools. To Register, **FAFSA NIGHTS FOR WCSD**
- **10/14 – 5th Annual Construction Day** - RHS will be taking select students to attend this event. If you are interested in a Trade Career, this is a great event for you. You must come to cube to get a release signed by your parents. Sign up here <https://forms.office.com/r/nrrgHct80z>
- **TMCC / Renown CNA Certification:** Students can scan the QR code on the attached flyer (which was placed on Teams) or go to [Students | ROC Foundation \(ckcreno.org\)](https://www.ckcreno.org) to fill out the Interest Form. **Applications are due November 30.** Students will be notified as soon as possible. If selected, student tuition will be covered IN FULL. Upfront/testing costs totaling \$600 are reimbursable once the students complete the program. 15 spots available
- **UNR Nursing Program:** Interested in becoming a nurse? You're invited to attend our informational night – **September 27th** to learn more about Pre-Nursing and the University of Nevada Reno's Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program. <https://admissions.unr.edu/register/?id=ae9577b9-4e09-49e9-b238-b1e5d32ac5a3>

College Information

If you are struggling with the college process for any University or College (application, deadlines, scholarships, etc), please stop by the cube for help!



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University of Nevada

UNR Admissions for Fall 2023 is now open

Nevada Bound / Campus Tours - a free program available for prospective students and parents to visit the campus. Learn about admissions, scholarships, financial aid, housing, tour residence halls, meet with academic representatives and participate in informal discussions with current students and faculty.

NV Guarantee - If you've got the grades to go to the University of Nevada, Reno, but family finances are standing in your way, UNR can help you with **Nevada Guarantee**. If you're a Nevada resident and come from a low-income family, **UNR will guarantee you free tuition, fees and books**, plus all the academic and social support you'll need to graduate in four years or less. To learn more about this program: <https://www.unr.edu/nevada-guarantee>

UNR First Year Scholarships - UNR has a deadline of February 15th to apply for their Freshmen Scholarships. See website for eligibility requirements:

<https://www.unr.edu/financial-aid/scholarships/first-year-scholarships>

Upcoming UNR Events:

9/26 UNR Application Workshop in the Cube during lunch through 6th period

<https://forms.office.com/r/KRRG0GMbKQ>)

10/24 UNR Application Workshop in Library Lab (will be doing a sign-up sheet in October)

11/1 UNR First Year Scholarship Workshop in the Cube (sign-up sheet for different sessions will be available at the end of October)

TBD UNR STEM Meet and Greet – UNR department heads will be here during a lunch period to answer questions about the different programs/degrees UNR has to offer (tentative December 1st)

UNR Nursing Program

Interested in becoming a nurse? You're invited to attend our informational night to learn more about Pre-Nursing and the University of Nevada Reno's Bachelor of Science in Nursing Program. We will discuss:

- Required pre-requisite coursework
- How to be a competitive applicant
- How and when to apply to Orvis School of Nursing
- Admission process and guidelines



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- Q & A with Academic Advisors

Take your next step in your nursing journey and join us on **Tuesday, September 27, 2022 5:00-6:30pm.**

Click below to REGISTER!

<https://admissions.unr.edu/register/?id=ae9577b9-4e09-49e9-b238-b1e5d32ac5a3>

Truckee Meadows Community College (TMCC)

Admissions Application opened 9/1/22 for Fall of 2023

TMCC will be here every other Wednesday in the Cube for any questions you might have

Upcoming TMCC Events:

9/28 TMCC Admissions Application and Nevada Promise Application Workshops (register to attend: <https://forms.office.com/r/Evtf2fW945>)

10/31 Deadline for NV Promise Scholarship Application

Nevada Promise Scholarship: DEADLINE TO REGISTER IS OCTOBER 31ST!!!

The Nevada Promise Scholarship is targeted at all graduating high school seniors, regardless of income or academic performance. This is a last-dollar Scholarship, providing up to three years of coverage. For more information about this program: <https://www.tmcc.edu/nevada-promise-scholarship>

TMCC Scholarships: Using scholarships to pay for college expenses is a great way to reduce student loan debt. TMCC has several different scholarships that students can apply too. TMCC will start their scholarship applications on January 1 and the priority deadline is March 1st. <https://www.tmcc.edu/financial-aid/types/scholarships>

Miscellaneous College Information:

SAT, ACT or Both? If you don't know which test to take or just want more information about the differences and strategies to improve scores, this FREE zoom session is for you. You need to register here: <https://www.princetonreview.com/product/offerings/510403?ceid=fd?exid=f3777be0-dfcf-4576-b27b-9e0c900e4463> You will get a link to join the meeting after you register. **SEPTEMBER 28TH FROM 6:00P.M. TO 7:00P.M. – online webinar hosted by the Princeton Review**



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Applying to the UC or California State System? Their applications are now OPEN. They have extended the time to submit from October 1st through November 30th. Do not miss the deadline!!!

Save-the-Date!! The **WACAC College Fair** will be in person this year at the Reno/Sparks convention center. It is scheduled for **Sunday, October 23rd from 12p.m. to 4 p.m.** You must **Register as a student:** <https://app.strivescan.com/students?> Family registration: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/2022-college-fair-2022-feria-universitaria-tickets-410812420007>

College Visits for RHS:

- **SEPTEMBER 27TH - United States Naval Academy - will be here at lunch in the Cube**
- **OCTOBER 13TH - University of Oregon - will be here at 10:30 a.m. to 11:15 in the Cube**
- **OCTOBER 17TH – University of Chicago – will be here at lunch in the Cube**
- **OCTOBER 20TH – California Lutheran University - will be here at lunch in the Cube**
- **OCTOBER 23rd - WACAC College Fair - Convention Center - 12 pm to 4 pm**
- **OCTOBER 24TH – University of Portland – will be here at lunch in the Cube**
- **OCTOBER 24TH – University of Arizona – will be here from 12 to 1**
- **OCTOBER 25TH – University of Utah – will be here at lunch in the Cube.**
- **OCTOBER 25TH – University of Idaho – will be here between 12:50 and 1:30 in the Cube**
- **OCTOBER 26TH - Fashion Institute of Design and Merchandising in L.A. - will be here at lunch in the Cube**

Scholarships — see scholarship links for FULL eligibility requirements

- **RHS Scholarships will kick off on October 1st, deadlines vary but will start in Jan 2023**
- Go **LOCAL** first, you will have a better opportunity since the applicant pool tends to be smaller and your likelihood of receiving a scholarship is increased.
- See RHS College and Career Center website for more scholarship information

LOCAL:

Jiffy Lube – What Drives You – 500 word essay – Deadline March 10, 2023

<https://www.yourturn2apply.com/nevada.htm>

NATIONAL:

Lots of new National Scholarships are now available... too many to list... go to RHS website / College and Career Center / National Scholarships.



For other scholarship opportunities: see more under National Scholarships / College and Career Center / RHS Website

<https://www.fastweb.com/>

<https://www.cappex.com/greenlight>

Financial Aid / FAFSA Nights for WCSD

Starting October 2022, all High Schools within Washoe County School District will be hosting **FAFSA Nights for parents** and **FAFSA Days for students**. UNR and TMCC will be attending all these events to walk parents and students thru the FAFSA application process. Parents do not have to attend the "zoned school" of their child. We are encouraging all parents to attend one of these events at a high school that is most convenient for them. ***Reno High is limited to 30 spaces (we will be using the Library Computer Lab), If RHS night becomes full, the College and Career Facilitator will contact you and let you know that you have been put on a waiting list. If you are placed on a waiting list, please remember that you can sign up at other schools or schedule an appointment with TMCC or UNR Financial Aid (even if your student does not plan on attending) to help you navigate through FAFSA.***

- Pre-registration is required at all events. Space is limited at many schools. To Register, [FAFSA NIGHTS FOR WCSD](#)

Reno High Dates: October 17th and November 2nd – both nights will begin at 6 p.m to 8 p.m.

Please be aware that ALL Accredited Schools use FAFSA – this can be Universities, Colleges, Trade or Vocational Schools.

Vocational or Trade Opportunities

If you are interested in a specific trade or want to know more information about the Trade Industry, please stop by the Cube to learn more information

Construction Career Day 2022 – Friday October 14th from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.

RHS will be taking select students (Seniors and some Juniors) to attend this event. If you are interested in a Trade Career, this is a great event for you. Please stop by the Cube for more information on how to attend or register here: <https://forms.office.com/r/nrrgHct80z>



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You can also reach out to Scott Maryott, J4NG instructor at RHS.

TMCC Applied Technologies If you are interested in a career that requires you to work with your hands, think on your feet, problem-solve, troubleshoot, and craft creative, innovative, and lasting solutions. TMCC's Applied Technologies Department offers you the in-depth training you will need to do exactly that. Whether your calling is to become an architect, an automotive or diesel mechanic, to repair HVAC/R units, or machine or weld, these programs offer you real-time, hands-on training that will prepare you for a career in these high-demand and high-demand and high-wage industries.

In addition to in-house technical training that results in a certificate or degree, TMCC's Applied Technologies department also offers apprenticeship opportunities so you can earn while you learn, thanks to partnerships with Nevada's Apprenticeship Project. Students who select this pathway can earn a certificate or degree while working toward earning a journeyman's card. Applied Technologies offers single classes, a one-semester certificate or even a two-year degree.

For more information about this program, click [HERE](#). or Contact [TMCC Pennington Applied Technology Center](#) at 475 Edison Way.

BuildNV - BuildNV is a combined effort of Nevada organizations to collaborate, rather than compete, to develop a thriving construction workforce pipeline within the state. Because of Nevada's fast-paced growth, the construction industry is quickly becoming the largest employer in our state. With so many different fields, such as Architect, Carpenters, Painters, Plumbers, Roofers, Sheet Metal, Electricians, Iron/Steel Workers, etc., your opportunities are limitless! Plus you can receive degrees, diplomas or certifications in all aspects of the construction industry. For more information about BuildNV, click [HERE](#)

NNACA - Northern Nevada Apprenticeship Coordinators' Association - The Northern Nevada Apprenticeship Coordinators Association is your gateway to paid apprenticeship training in the in-demand, high-paying fields of advanced construction, engineering, and high-tech trades. Good wages and full benefits begin on day 1 of their apprenticeship programs, which include: Construction Craft Laborers, Electricians, Ironworkers, NV Energy, Plumbers and Sheet Metal Workers just to name a few. For more information about NNACA, click [HERE](#)

Job Corps - Job Corps is the largest FREE residential education and job training program for young adults ages 16-24. We connect you with the skills and education you need to get the career you want! You can enroll, complete orientation and the career preparation courses you need for your training all online. Then join us on campus to get the hands-on experience you need for a successful career. For more information or to enroll, click [HERE](#)



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Community Service / Volunteer Opportunities

Huskie Community Service Club:

This club is a great resource for all kinds of volunteer opportunities, plus they have on their website a list of local community service agencies/organizations. Colleges are now looking for students who are well rounded, not only through academics / sports, but through community service / volunteering. Community Service is a great way to boost your resume and make you stand out! **To find out more information:** <http://renohighhcsa.com/> or renohcsa@gmail.com. **You can also check out and follow their instagram:** renohighhcsa

Washoe County School District Student Advisory Council: The Washoe County School District's Student Advisory Council is currently accepting applications for the 2021-22 school year (9th thru 12th grade). The Student Advisory Council makes your voice of our youth visible as students work with peers and district staff to improve the educational experiences for ALL students. Students will be expected to attend monthly SAC meetings and other events/meetings that come up throughout the year. Students are expected to represent students in their schools and communities and offer student viewpoints accordingly regarding WCSD policies and procedures. To apply, please fill out the [Student Advisory Council Application](#)

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Nevada Youth Empowerment Project - They are looking for volunteers for their Fall Harvest Festival on **September 24th**. They need volunteers to help with everything from event set up,



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face painting, inflatables, games, etc. If you are interested in signing up for this event, use this link: <https://signup.com/client/invitation2/secure/117030931229648061/false#/invitation>

Reno Alliance for Free Tutoring is a student-led tutoring organization, committed to helping elementary and middle schoolers learn remotely by connecting them with high school-aged, volunteer mentors in our community. This is a great opportunity for High School students to volunteer and build their resume. <https://www.renoallianceforfreetutoring.org/>

The Northern Nevada R.A.V.E. Family Foundation (NNRFF): The mission of the NNRFF (R.A.V.E.-an acronym for Respite And Volunteer Experiences) is to improve the well-being of Nevada families by providing respite to families caring for young children and adult family members with special needs. The NNRFF, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization, accomplishes this by training youth volunteers to care for these exceptional children and by providing vouchers for families to choose appropriate respite options. The NNRFF operates the only center-based program in Washoe County that offers respite care for families caring for young children with disabilities and/or special needs. Volunteers are asked to donate 8 hours per month of their time. Volunteer application available at [Volunteer Application Link](#)/or email: raveceter@att.net.

Job Opportunities

C-A-L Ranch Stores have multiple positions opened. They start at \$14 per hour, willing to work around school and sports, and it's a super fun environment with great people to work with. They are opening a new store on Kinzie and Moana, in the sportsmen's warehouse parking lot. Apply now at CALRanch.com/join-us

Battle Born Health is looking for a dynamic front desk employee to join our team. This position will check patients in and out, answer phones, schedule appointments, make reminder calls, verify insurance benefits and coverage, and help keep the practice tidy and organized. This position is the face of the practice and the first point of contact for our patients. This person must have the ability to keep staff organized, warmly greet, and make each patient feel welcome, while ensuring all information is updated, accurate and complete. Responsible for collecting co-pays and other outstanding balances, verifying appointments, and ensuring the schedule is appropriately filled. Must be able to take direction and tasks from providers. Schedule is 2-3 hours a day, Monday-Friday between the hours of 2:30-5:30pm. \$10.50 is the starting pay. If you are a people person who enjoys interacting with the same faces and knows true customer service skills, this job is for you. 6880 S. McCarran Blvd. Suite 11, Reno, NV 89509



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Whispering Vine at the 4th Street Location is looking to hire a few dishwashers. The starting pay is \$13 per hour plus tips (which should add 1 to 2 dollars an hour more). You will be working Monday and Thursdays from 4:00p.m. to 10:00 p.m. (might be 10:30 some nights). Age: 15 and up. If you are interested in applying, please contact Josh Davis at 775-530-6851.

Old Southwest Social House

Old Southwest Social House is looking to hire dishwashers and a cook. The starting pay is at least \$13 per hour (plus cash tips). Hours will be from after school till 9:00 p.m. You need to be at least 16 years old to apply. If you are a responsible student and are interested in applying, please contact Shay at 530-941-9203. The Old Southwest Social House is located across the street from the school in the Village Shopping Center.

High Sierra Gymnastics

120 Woodland Ave, Ste B Ren, NV 89523, NW Reno, 4th street, between Mogul and Verdi
High Sierra Gymnastics is looking for employees that love to work with kids, that are friendly, outgoing and responsible. They are able to offer a job that centers around learning how to be an employee, and learning to communicate with parents, co-workers and employers.

They teach each employee how to coach gymnastics and how to teach life lessons to the gymnasts they coach. They are able to work around most schedules, allowing employees to participate in other sports, focus on their education and enjoy all activities.

Their weekly schedule starts at 3:30pm and ends at 7:45pm and Saturdays and Sundays. You can work only one day a week if that's what you want/need.

Minimum age: 15 years old

Starting wage: aprox \$9/hr

Website: www.highsierragym.com Phone: 775-747-1396 Email: highsierragym@gmail.com

Stop by the Cube for the flyer.

They are still needing applicants to hire. Paying \$15.00 to \$18.50. Stop by the cube to scan the QR code for more information.

Sierra Kids: Now hiring before and after school, camps and teen programs. Click [HERE](#) to apply.

St. Albert's Aftercare – They are recruiting Aftercare Leaders, you can choose from full or part time Mon-Friday from 3 to 6p.m. / must be 16 / If you are interested, contact Thomas Leeming at 775-800-6714 / email at tleeming@stalbertreno.org