

Scholarship Announcements – September 29, 2009:

**AXA Achievement-**

Eligibility – Open to students who have be active in community service and have overcome personal challenges

Application – Apply at [www.axa-achievement.com](http://www.axa-achievement.com)

Deadline – December 15, 2009

**Herff Jones Principal's Leadership Award –**

Eligibility – Seniors who are in the top 20% of their class, and have demonstrated outstanding leadership qualittes

Application – Interested applicants should submit a page essay or resume detailing their leadership. On applicant will be selected to represent FHS at the national level.

Amount of scholarship – One hundred scholarships will be awarded nationwide, ranging from \$1,000 - \$12,000.

Deadline: Essay or resume must be submitted to guidance **no later than Friday, Nov. 13, 2009.**

**Optimist Club of Frederick County Youth Appreciation Week Scholarship –**

Eligibility – **Open to JUNIORS and SENIORS**, with selection based 20% on academics/school activities; 25% community/religious activities; 20% home/work responsibilities and 35% financial need, as well as a goal statement.

Amount – Two \$1,000 scholarships and two \$500 scholarships – Celebration of winners with be at a local restaurant Nov. 17, 2009.

Application – Available in guidance

Deadline – **October 30, 2009**

**ATTENTION SOPHOMORES:**

**Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Seminar –**

This leadership conference is open to a **HOBY AMBASSADOR** selected by each high school. The conference has been held in D.C. in past years.

Eligibility – Open to 10<sup>th</sup> graders who have outstanding oral and/or written skills, critical and creative thinking, participation in community service activities, and other related qualities

Application – Students interested in being FHS's representative must submit an essay, in 100 words or less, "***describe the most rewarding and challenging aspect of being a leader in your school and community.***" Submit essay to guidance.

Deadline – Friday, Nov. 13, 2009