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## 2021-2022 Vernon College Student Scholarship/Financial Aid Committee

The Vernon College Student Scholarship/Financial Aid Committee held its spring meeting on Friday, April 8, 2022 virtually via Teams.

**Members Present:** Ms. Michelle A. Alexander, Chairman; Ms. Jeanne Ballard; Mr. Delayne Crow; Ms. Sharon Cudjo; Mr. Jeff Feix; Ms. Mindi Flynn; Ms. Deliah Fowler; Ms. Katrina Gundling; Ms. Kristen Harris; Ms. Christie Lehman; Ms. Amanda Raines; Ms. Callee Serrano; and Dr. Marissa Underhill.

**Members Absent:** Dr. Lisa Crandall; Ms. Shana Drury; Mr. Nicholas Long; Ms. Julie Myers-Kuhn; Ms. Aletha Newman; Dr. Mary Rivard; and Ms. Rachel White.

### 1. Call to Order

Ms. Michelle A. Alexander called the meeting to order at 9:16 am

### 2. Approval of Minutes –September 17, 2021

**Action:** Ms. Jeanne Ballard moved approval; seconded by Ms. Kristen Harris. The motion carried unanimously.

### 3. Consideration of Action Items

#### a) Funding Proposal-Graduation HS/New Students

Est. No of Students	Award Amount	Total
Top 10%	12	\$2,000
11-20%	14	\$1,500
21-30%	27	\$1,000
31-40%	25	\$1,000
41-50%	20	\$750
<b>Total Funding</b>		<b>\$112,000</b>

**Action:** Ms. Amanda Raines moved approval; seconded by Mr. Jeff Feix. The motion carried unanimously.

#### b) Returning Students, Non-Nursing

**Available Funds: \$171,061**

Nursing students, both ADN and LVN, are excluded from this applicant pool because both programs have restricted Nursing Scholarships. Scholarship offers will be made to eligible candidates based upon the following guidelines depending upon the final availability of funds.



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1. Eligible returning candidates will be reviewed and offered scholarships once the Spring 2022 grades have been turned in and the grade point averages (gpas) recalculated (about mid-May).
2. Eligible applicants will have a grade point average of at least 3.0, unless otherwise stated in the scholarship criteria, and completion of at least 25% of the student's Certificate program or Associate Degree or at least 12 credit hours, excluding all Development course hours.

Grade point average:	4.0	\$2,000-\$2,500
	3.5-3.99	\$1,500-\$2,000
	3.0-3.49	\$1,000-\$1,500

**Action:** Ms. Mindi Flynn moved approval; seconded by Ms. Ballard. The motion carried unanimously.

**c) Institutional Scholarships**

There is a total of \$17,500 available for Institutional Scholarships as outlined below.

**Athletic Trainer -- \$5,000**

Six (6) \$500 Athletic Trainer Scholarships	\$3,000
Two (2) \$1,000 Dorm Scholarships	\$2,000

**Drama -- \$3,000**

Four (4) \$500 Drama Scholarships	\$2,000
One (1) \$1,000 Dorm Scholarship	\$1,000

**Music -- \$3,000**

Four (4) \$500 Music Scholarships	\$2,000
One (1) \$1,000 Dorm Scholarship	\$1,000

**Student Government Association, Vernon -- \$3,000**

Six (6) \$500 SGA. Vernon Scholarships	\$3,000
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**Student Government Association, Century City Center -- \$2,500**

Five (5) \$500 SGA, CCC Scholarships	\$2,500
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**Phi Theta Kappa -- \$1,500**

Three (3) \$500 Phi Theta Kappa Scholarships \$ 1,500

**Total Institutional Scholarships \$17,500**

**Action:** Ms. Christie Lehman moved approval; seconded by Ms. Flynn. The motion carried unanimously.

**d) Out of State Students**

It is proposed that out of state students who are awarded a 2022-2023 competitive scholarship, either academic or athletic, valued at \$1,000 or more are eligible for in-state tuition.

**Action:** Ms. Flynn moved approval; seconded by Ms. Lehman. The motion carried unanimously.

**e) Athletic Scholarships**

It is proposed that the Vernon College Student Scholarship/Financial Aid Committee approve the awarding of 2022-2023 competitive athletic scholarships by the Athletic Director based upon the recommendations of the four NJCAA/NIRA head coaches. The maximum number of scholarships that may be awarded by each sport will comply with the constituted rules of the NJCAA/NIRA governing bodies. Additionally, these recommendations will also be submitted to the President of the College for approval and the President will subsequently report these to the Vernon College Board of Trustees on an annual basis.

**Action:** Ms. Harris moved approval; seconded by Mr. Feix. The motion carried unanimously.

**f) Scholarship Subcommittee**

It is proposed that a Subcommittee of the Vernon College Student Scholarship/Financial Aid Committee be appointed to award the 2022-2023 Scholarships and that this subcommittee can use their discretion to make these awards as they deem necessary.

Ms. Jeanne Ballard, Ms. Sharon Cudjo, Ms. Rachel White, volunteered.

**4. Old Business**

None



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**5. New Business**

None

**6. Adjournment**

The meeting adjourned at 9:30 a.m.