

NYS Office of Parks, Recreation & Historical Preservation
Riverbank State Park

Presents

The 15th Annual

COLLEGEfair

Save the Date!

Saturday

March 3, 2012

12 Noon - 4 PM

Riverbank State Park
145th Street & Riverside Drive
Manhattan
Free Admission

Open to Middle School and High School students seeking to pursue a degree from a Junior or Senior College, including Masters' programs and trade schools.

60-plus national colleges and universities represented.

Free workshops in Admissions Prep, SAT, financial aid, careers in medicine, opportunities in the music industry, and more.

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Guest host, Doctor Bob Lee
Riverbank State Park College Fair partnered with:



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Riverbank State Park's 15th Annual Collegefair Workshops



Financial Aid: Two Sessions

New York provides more grant and scholarship award money than any other state in the nation. Learn how the system works, what the most popular and largest financial aid programs are, what families need to know to take advantage of them, and what the calendar is for applying. Led by Michael St. John, MPA, of the New York State Higher Education Service Corporation. .

1 p.m. (left side of Cultural Theatre. Second session: 2 p.m.)

Preparing for the SAT or ACT test

A guideline for preparing for the standardized tests. Using an interactive question and answer format, our workshop will familiarize participants with both tests and how to properly plan and prepare for them. Students and parents will understand the format of the test, the techniques of successful test-takers, and the role of the test in the college admissions process. Led by Bell Curves.

1 p.m. (right side of Cultural Theatre).

Middle School – 8th – 10th Graders' Battle Plan!

Ideal for students and parents, this session is designed to demystify the admissions process, in order to more effectively apply to schools. Families will be informed about how to access a broad range of high school services, what courses to take now, how to gain admission to and pay for top-notch private schools, and how to prepare for college. Led by Bell Curves. **1 p.m. (Second floor, Rehearsal Room B).**



Social Networking – *It's Not Just for Fun!*

By the time you get out of college, the entire business paradigm of email marketing will be extinct. This will create enormous opportunities in every field of enterprise for those of you already familiar with social networking in the coming revolution. Join us for a wide-ranging conversation on where you will fit in, with Mike Mortellaro, VP of ZOG Sports, who graduated Cornell, took an MBA from Wharton, and also has a unique inside look at social networking.

1:45 p.m. (2nd floor, Rehearsal Room B).

So You Want a Career in Media/Entertainment

What are the right courses to take to achieve your dream? Famed WBLS DJ, Dr. Bob Lee, (pictured bottom right with Seal) will lead a symposium on the many careers in media and the value of internships. From studio engineering to management to marketing, there are many careers possible in the entertainment industry.

(2 p.m., right side of Cultural Theatre).



Yes, I Can Be a Health Care Professional!

What does it take to become a physician, pharmacist, nurse, physical therapist? The Mentoring in Medicine organization encourages high school students to explore health occupations & guides them through high school and college to take an active role in their future, led by Dr. Lynne Holden **(2:30, 2nd floor, Rehearsal Room B).**

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Colleges, Universities & Institutions represented at last
year's Riverbank State Park College Fair 2011



Academy of Art University/ San Francisco
Alabama State University
Baruch College - CUNY
Berkeley College, New Jersey
Bethune-Cookman University, Florida
Boricua College
Borough of Manhattan CC
Brooklyn College
Bryn Athyn College/Pennsylvania
Chatham University/ Pennsylvania
Cheyney University/Pennsylvania
City College of New York
Clark University/Massachusetts
Collegiate Scouting Association
Dillard University/ New Orleans
Dowling College
F.H. LaGuardia Community College
Five Towns College
Fordham University
Federal Bureau of Investigation
French Culinary Institute
Harvard College/ Cambridge
Hostos Community College
Howard University/ Washington DC
Johnson & Wales University, Rhode Island
LaGuardia CC -- CUNY
Lehman College
Lincoln University/ Pennsylvania
Long Island University
Marquette University, Wisconsin
Medgar Evers College
Metropolitan College of New York

Monroe College
Mount Holyoke College/ Massachusetts
Mount St. Mary's University/ Maryland
New York Institute of Technology
NYC College of Technology
North Carolina Central University
Northwood University/ Palm Beach
NYC Fire Department
Paul Smith's College
Penn State University/ Pennsylvania
Princeton Review
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute
Sacred Heart University/ Connecticut
School of Cooperative Technical Education
St Joseph's College
SUNY Alfred State
SUNY College New Paltz
The Art Institutes/ Pittsburg
The City University of New York
The College at Brockport
Touro College of Osteopathic Medicine
Tuskegee University,/Alabama
University at Albany
University at Buffalo
University of Iowa
University of New Haven
U.S. Naval Academy
U.S. Merchant Marine Academy
Utica College
Vaughn College of Aeronautics
Virginia State University
Wabash College/ Indiana