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## **Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island awards Rotary Scholarships to Bainbridge Islanders**

*Thirteen students benefit from the club's 2017 Auction/Rummage Sale proceeds*

The Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island is pleased to announce that it awarded the 2018 Rotary Scholarships at a Club meeting on May 7, 2018 at Wing Point Country Club. A total of 13 scholarships were awarded to Bainbridge Island High School seniors and Island residents.

The Rotary Club has a long history of awarding scholarships dating back to 1957. Two types of scholarships were awarded: **Community Service Scholarships** that recognize high school seniors for their community service and **Career / Technical Scholarships** to Bainbridge residents who are pursuing a specific career goal.

"We had another outstanding group of 29 applicants for the Community Service Scholarships this year. We are proud of the achievements of all of the applicants," said Scholarship Committee Chair Christy Givans. "It is always difficult to select our Scholarship recipients."

For the first time, one of the Community Service Scholarship recipients, Max Weber, was recognized as the Jay Mitchell Memorial Scholar. The Jay Mitchell Memorial Scholar is named for long time Rotarian, Jay Mitchell, member of the Club's Scholarship Committee for many years, who passed away during this past year.

In the last 10 years, the Rotary Club has awarded 101 Community Service Scholarships and 13 Career / Technical Scholarships. The Auction & Rummage Sale provided funds for these scholarships.



**Rotary Scholarship Recipients:**

Front Row: Olivia Zachariah, Rose Bandrowski.

Middle Row: Jennifer Allen, Kathryn Wangthamkua, Stella Streufert, Mallory Browne.

Back Row: Max Weber, Emma Gace, Jack Rusher, Anna Scott, Joe Talavera, Bryn Morgan-Ness



Max Weber, the Jay Mitchell Memorial Scholar,

with Marilyn Mitchell

The 2018 Rotary Scholarships recipients are:

### **COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

Jennifer Allen  
Rose Bandrowski  
Mallory Browne  
Emma Gace  
Jack Rusher  
Anna Scott  
Stella Streufert  
Kathryn Wangthamkua  
Max Weber  
Olivia Zacharia

### **CAREER / TECHNICAL SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENTS**

Toni Konig  
Bryn Morgan-Ness  
Joe Talavera

For a list of Rotary Scholarship recipients for prior years, please go to [www.bainbridgerotaryauction.org](http://www.bainbridgerotaryauction.org).

Members of the Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island are stewards of funds we raise at our yearly Rotary Auction & Rummage Sale. We strive to ensure that we recognize those individuals who exemplify the Rotary motto of “Service Above Self.”

Since 1947, the Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island has convened under the motto “Service Above Self” to help others, promote integrity, and advance local community and world understanding, goodwill, and peace through a fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders. Today the Club is proud to have more than 115 active members, each working hard to make a difference in the world we share. The Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island is part of Rotary District 5020, which includes Vancouver Island and Western Washington. Some of the Club’s landmark local accomplishments include funding the construction of the Bainbridge Public Library, the Waypoint, Rotary Field, and other significant parks and recreational facilities. For more information, visit [www.bainbridgeislandrotary.org](http://www.bainbridgeislandrotary.org).