2020 ROTARY CLUB OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND COMMUNITY SERVICE RECOGNITION SCHOLARSHIPS

Rotary's mission is to provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace under the motto Service Above Self.

Each year the Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island awards college scholarships of up to \$5,000 to *graduating seniors* living and/or attending school on Bainbridge Island who *demonstrate exemplary commitment to, and leadership in, community service*. Financial need is not a consideration for selection. Besides a minimum GPA, academic record is not a consideration.

Who is eligible: High school seniors graduating in the spring, who maintain a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher, and who live and/or attend school on Bainbridge Island.

Application requirements: To be considered for the scholarships, *all* of the following must be *received* by the application deadline. Note that a grade transcript is not needed.

- Completed Rotary Club of Bainbridge Island Community Service Scholarship Application.
- Two letters of recommendation from community members or others familiar with your service activities.
- [Optional] Supporting documents, such as certificates, letters of merit, awards, etc.

The documents listed above, with the exception of letters of recommendation which may be either included or sent directly depending on the preference of the recommenders, must be included with the application and transmitted together (preferably in a single PDF) via email to <u>anne.k.lesage@gmail.com</u>.

Application Deadline: Completed applications must be received by Rotary on or before 5pm on March 9, 2020. APPLICATIONS INCOMPLETE AFTER MARCH 9, 2020 at 5PM WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.

Interviews: Finalists will be notified and scheduled for a 30-minute interview. Finalists will be notified on or about April 3, 2020. Interviews will take place April 18, 2020. (Because of tight timelines and the need to schedule multiple interviews, alternate interview dates are NOT available.)

For more information:

- Our website is <u>bainbridgeislandrotary.org</u>
- Send email inquiries to either

cindymcgregor@comcast.net svbray@hotmail.com

ROTARY CLUB OF BAINBRIDGE ISLAND COMMUNITY SERVICE SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

I. GENERAL INFORMATION

NAME:LAST	FIRST	MIDDLE
ADDRESS:		
E-MAIL:		
PHONE NUMBERS: HOME		
CURRENT SCHOOL:		
To which schools have you applied or do you p	blan to apply?	
What will be your major area of study?		
What career do you plan to pursue?		
II. COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES		
Use the space below to identify community problem to include activities for which you were prodescending order of significance to you.	aid or sporting activities in which you were a	player. List your service in
NAME OF ORGANIZATION/PROJECT:		
DATES:	NUMBER OF H	OURS SERVED:
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	TOTAL COMMUNITY SERVICE HOURS:

III. OTHER EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Use the space below to list other extracurricular activities you have participated in at any time during the last 5 years. These activities may include participation in sports teams, clubs, school leadership, and other extracurricular activities. Attach additional typed pages if the space provided is insufficient.

Activity	Dates

IV. EMPLOYMENT / INTERNSHIPS

Use the space below to list any part-time, seasonal, and/or summer jobs you have had at any time during the last 5 years. Attach additional typed pages if the space provided is insufficient.

Job	Employer	Dates	Paid? Y/ N	Hours

V. ESSAY TOPICS

Please respond to each of the topics below in 300 words or less per topic: (ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS AS NEEDED)

- 1. Describe how you were inspired to get involved in community service.
- 2. Describe a meaningful contribution you have made to your community, and any leadership roles you assumed while making this contribution. (For purposes of this question, you may define community however you view it, be it school, local, regional, or international.)
- 3. What have your community service experiences done for you?

I attest that the information provided in this application is true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I further attest that I have maintained a cumulative high school GPA of 2.5 or higher. If information provided is found to be false, I understand that I will be ineligible to receive a Bainbridge Island Rotary Scholarship.

Applicant Signature