

# **Playa Venice Sunrise Rotary Club**



## **DON CULTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP \$1,000.00**

Don Culton was a dynamic Rotarian who was a leader in our community for many years and an educator at West Los Angeles College and throughout the world. Don devoted countless hours to Rotary both locally and throughout the world and reminded us that we can unite people throughout the world through friendship and service. As such, it is fitting that Playa Venice Sunrise Rotary Club will award a scholarship in memory of Don and his tremendous service to education and Rotary. The recipient of this scholarship must demonstrate in an essay how they are a “global thinker” and how through volunteerism they have made or will make a positive impact in international relations. If you are a graduating senior who is college bound and meet the following qualifications, you may apply for the Don Culton Memorial Scholarship. Because of Don’s tenure at WLA College, preference will be given to someone who is pursuing a Junior College admission. The deadline is April 29, 2016.

### **QUALIFICATIONS**

- ❖ **Must be a high school senior**
- ❖ **Maintained at least a 2.5 cumulative GPA (to be verified)**
- ❖ **Must be college bound (vocational school, junior college or university)**

❖ Complete application and submit essay – essay must be 250 – 500 words,  
typed with 12 pt. font and double spaced

❖ Scholarship may be renewable for a deserving applicant

If you meet all of the above qualifications, please complete the attached application and write an essay about the activities which support the criteria stated above for this scholarship.

## **DEADLINE**

**Application packages must be received by Playa Venice Sunrise Rotary Club**

**no later than April 21, 2017**

**Application packages may be emailed to [gail.goldstein18@gmail.com](mailto:gail.goldstein18@gmail.com) prior to  
April 21, 2017**

**or**

**postmarked no later than April 21, 2017 to Gail Goldstein at  
10940 Wilshire Boulevard, Suite 800, Los Angeles CA 90024**

**The winner will be chosen by our Scholarship Committee**

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**The GPA of the winner and acceptance to school will be verified prior to  
distribution of funds**

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**The winner will agree to make a presentation to the Playa Venice Sunrise Rotary  
Club within the first year following receipt of the scholarship to report on  
progress and use of the funds**

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**Family members of Playa Venice Sunrise Rotarians are not eligible for this  
scholarship**

**If you have questions, please call Gail Goldstein, Scholarship Chair of Playa  
Venice Rotary Club at 310.420.4870**

**PLAYA VENICE SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB**  
**DON CULTON MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of vocational school, college or university you will be attending:

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Major or field of interest: \_\_\_\_\_

Essay Attached: \_\_\_\_\_

I affirm that all information on this application is correct. The submission of erroneous information may result in the forfeiture of a scholarship award granted.

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Applicant Signature

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Date