

# **ROTARY CLUB OF CAMAS-WASHOUGAL**

## **2017-2018 SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM**

1. The scholarship applicant must be able to meet post-secondary education program requirements and must live within the attendance boundaries of the Camas or Washougal school districts.
2. The scholarship funds shall be directly applied to an accredited college, university, or vocational training program.
3. The scholarship applicant must provide the names and addresses of two references below. This application must be accompanied by a letter from each of these references. One reference must be an educator. The other reference must be someone (other than a family member) who can identify your involvement in community service.
4. The scholarship application must be accompanied by a resume, scholastic transcript, and an original essay on the topic ***Service Above Self***, which is the Rotary motto. Essay requirements are as follows:
  - A. The essay should be approximately 500 words.
  - B. The essay must be typed or computer printed, double spaced.
  - C. The essay must be on the topic Service Above Self, and explain how you have touched people's lives with service in your local, state, or world community.
  - D. Essays written by scholarship recipients may be published in a public forum.
5. A completed application consists of a fully filled out application form, a resume, a transcript, an essay, and two reference letters. **INCOMPLETE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED.** The completed application must be received **NO LATER THAN MAY 1, 2018** by the Scholarship Committee at the following address: Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal, Attention 2018 Scholarships, P.O. Box 716, Camas, WA 98607.

Applications received after the deadline may not be considered. You will not receive a receipt of your application.
6. All materials submitted with the application become property of the Camas-Washougal Rotary Club and they **WILL NOT BE RETURNED** to the applicant.
7. The Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal may award up to eight scholarships of \$1,000 each, in its sole discretion.
8. Scholarship winners will be notified of their award on or before June 1, 2018.
9. The scholarship award will be paid by the Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal directly to the registrar of the college or vocational program in which the applicant is enrolled.
10. Winning applicants and their parents will be invited to attend a Rotary Club meeting to participate in an award presentation during June 2018.
11. By agreeing to accept a scholarship, the applicant irrevocably consents to the Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal's use of applicant's image in any and all of its publications, including social media and websites.
12. Funds for the scholarships are raised during the Rotary Club's Ducky Derby, which is held in late July. The Rotary Club of Camas-Washougal anticipates that scholarship funds will be disbursed to the scholarship winners' schools by the end of August, 2018.

***Please provide the name, address, and telephone number of two (2) references:***

Name and Phone (please print name):
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Address
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**“COMMUNITY PEOPLE SERVING COMMUNITY NEEDS”**

\* This field is required for scholarship consideration.

\*\*FEEL FREE TO ATTACH ANY ADDITIONAL INFORMATION PERTINENT TO SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security No. \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone No. \_\_\_\_\_ e-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

High School \_\_\_\_\_

Leadership Experiences \_\_\_\_\_ G.P.A.\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Significant achievements in High School \_\_\_\_\_

\*\*Significant out-of-school activities \_\_\_\_\_

College or Vocational Program you are planning to attend \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your career goals and how your proposed educational plan will help you attain them \_\_\_\_\_

Other Information you wish the Committee to consider (such as financial need \_\_\_\_\_

If selected as a scholarship recipient, are you able and willing to walk with the Rotary float in the Camas Days parade during July 2018? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ (Scholarship recipients are **REQUIRED** to participate or their scholarship awards may be forfeited)