March 16, 2020

Dear High School Senior,

Each year the Rotary Club of Alameda confers scholarships to outstanding students attending high schools in Alameda. We will be awarding over $20,000 in scholarships to high school seniors, ranging from $500 for **vocational scholarships** to $3,000 for **academic** **scholarships**.

Scholarship recipients will receive their grant once proof of enrollment and matriculation to a college or vocational program has been submitted to the Rotary Club of Alameda no later than December 31, 2020.

The Rotary Club of Alameda Scholarship Committee will select the 2020 scholarship winners based on the following criteria:

* Academic Achievement
* Community Service Involvement
* Extra-curricular Activities Participation
* Financial Need
* Quality of Interview

The attached electronic application form should be completed, signed and submitted electronically with all additional requirements in a folder clearly marked with your name. Send the electronic file to Les Hilger at leshilger@gmail.com no later than **Friday, April 24, 2020.** Incomplete or late applications will not be considered.

Applications will be intensely screened and those candidates with superior qualifications will be invited to interview before the Scholarship Committee on **May 12 & 13, 2020 (12-4 pm).**

Scholarship winners will be recognized at our scholarship award luncheon on

**Thursday, May 28, 2020 (12-1:30pm)** at the Encinal Yacht Club (1251 Pacific Marina, Alameda, 94501).

Thank you for applying for the 2020 Rotary Club of Alameda Scholarship and we wish you all the best in your college or vocational careers in the future.

Sincerely,

Les Hilger

Chair, Scholarship Committee

Attachment: Scholarship application