

## ***Rotary Club of Shawnee Kansas***

### **Community Service Scholarships 2026**

The Rotary Club of Shawnee, Kansas will honor two high school seniors who have a record of outstanding community service.

Two scholarships of **\$2,000** each will be awarded to qualifying students who either reside in the City of Shawnee, Kansas, or who attend a public or private high school in Shawnee, Kansas.

- Applications will be judged by club members.
- Family members of Shawnee Rotarians are ineligible.
- Winners will be guests at the club's regular Friday breakfast meeting May 1, 2026, at 7:15 at Town Hall, Shawnee Town 1929, at 11600 Johnson Dr., Shawnee, Kansas. At that time, winners will tell the club about themselves, their community service, and their college plans.

***Applications must be postmarked or hand-delivered or emailed to Brad Nielsen no later than Friday, March 27, 2026.***

- Scholarships may be used at the post-secondary school of the student's choice.
- Each scholarship will be paid directly to the post-secondary school after the student has enrolled.
- Applications are available from and should be returned to Brad Nielsen

**Brad Nielsen  
6615 McCormick Drive  
Shawnee, Kansas 66226**

**913-375-8100  
[Bradleyn196482@gmail.com](mailto:Bradleyn196482@gmail.com)**

Applications are also available from school counselors and on the club's website: <http://shawneerotary.org> under Foundation/Forms/Community Service Scholarship Application.

**Rotary Club of Shawnee, Kansas  
Community Service Scholarship Application 2026**

The Rotary Club of Shawnee Kansas is pleased to offer **\$2000** scholarships to each of two high school seniors (1) who are **committed to volunteer service** and (2) who either **reside in the city of Shawnee** *or* **attend a high school located in the city of Shawnee**. The two recipients will be selected from qualifying candidates who submit the following application *and* appropriate letter(s) of reference no later than **March 27, 2026**, to Brad Nielsen, 6615 McCormick Drive, Shawnee, Kansas 66226 or email at [bradley196482@gmail.com](mailto:bradley196482@gmail.com).

**Community Service Scholarship Application**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City State Zip

Phone: (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_ @ \_\_\_\_\_

School: \_\_\_\_\_

Academic Status: GPA (4.0 Scale): \_\_\_\_\_ ACT or SAT Score: \_\_\_\_\_

**Attach one sheet for each of the following. Limit each response to 200 words.**

1. How and why did you get involved in community service? ***Be certain to include your earliest service as well as that while attending high school.***
2. How has your service helped you understand the importance of volunteering?
3. How will you continue your community service in college and later life?
4. Attach at least **one letter of reference from an adult** (other than a family member) who is familiar with your community service. ***Ask them to describe your involvement in and commitment to community service.*** This is ***not*** a general character reference.
5. *Please do not include transcripts or photographs.*

See cover letter for more details.

***REMEMBER: Your application and letter(s) of reference must be postmarked or hand-delivered or emailed to Brad Nielsen no later than March 27, 2026.***

Please describe the **voluntary service** you have performed **for the community**.  
*Be certain to include your earliest service as well as that while attending high school.*

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