Scholarship Application Guidelines 2022-2023
Graduating High School Senior or Student *Re-Entering School

Rotary Club of Tucson is committed to providing financial support for Tucson high school students entering the University of Arizona, or Pima Community College. Over the course of 75+ years the Club was awarded well over $1,000,000 in tuition support to thousands of students seeking higher education.

**Eligibility:**
Eligible students are graduates of the greater Pima county high schools who are starting or re-entering (see definition below) University of Arizona or Pima Community college to pursue higher education. Eligible applicant must demonstrate financial need as determined by the applicable college based on the completed FAFSA (Free Application for Federal Student Aid) form. Students may re-apply for continued funding. Re-applying students must maintain 3.0 or greater GPA.

**Criteria for Selection:**
1. Completed Scholarship Application *application*. The application must be submitted digitally (see contact information below).
2. Evidence of financial need as determined by applicable college based on the completed FAFSA form.
3. Most recent unofficial transcript (re-applying students’ GPA must be 3.0 or greater).
4. Essay (500 words) outlining your goals, dreams, and aspirations; reasons why you merit a scholarship and how it will benefit you and society at large. Re-applying students’ essay should be on the topic of “Service Above Self”.
5. A list of extracurricular, civic activities or awards received.
6. Employment experience with dates (if any).
7. Expand on the field of study.
8. Possible brief in-person interview with the Scholarship Subcommittee for new applicants. See application for details.
9. Scholarship awardee must agree to attend (in person or virtually) meetings and events as outlined in the application details.

**Timeline:**
Applications are due May 31, 2022 and scholarships awarded by August 10, 2022.

**Contact Information:**
Submit your completed application or questions to leisenman@beachfleischman.com
Please notate “2022-2023 Rotary Club of Tucson Scholarship” in the subject line.

*Re-entering student is an applicant who previously entered/completed academic year(s) at the University of Arizona or Pima Community college or student who was employed prior to entering higher education institution.

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