



Rotary Club of Colonial Park Foundation

Hoachlander Family Scholarship Application 2021

Name

The name of this award shall be the Rotary Club of Colonial Park Foundation ("Foundation") Hoachlander Family Scholarship ("award").

Purpose and who is eligible

The award shall provide financial assistance to a high school senior student who has been accepted into a college program. This scholarship is only for students at Central Dauphin High School entering any degree program at an accredited post-secondary educational institution. The source of funds for this scholarship is from the Rotary Club of Colonial Park Foundation. The Foundation will receive this donation annually from the donor and will then be responsible for distribution and follow-up to a qualified candidate.

Amount

This is a one-year scholarship if all criteria are met. The amount of the award for an academic year can be up to \$1,000 including tuition, room and board, fees, books and/or program expenses. Income that is not awarded shall accrue and be available for future distribution(s) at the discretion of the Foundation. There can be only one award offered each year; the total amount shall not be more than the amount received annually by the Foundation from the donor.

Terms of Award

The student may be a recipient of another scholarship. The award may not be given for an additional academic year.

The student must show proof to the Foundation that he or she has been accepted to an accredited post-secondary educational institution with a minimum of six (6) credits for each semester before the scholarship shall be awarded.

The scholarship recipient must send a transcript of their high school grades to the Foundation to show a 3.0 GPA or better to receive award funds for the first semester. The recipient shall submit the invoice from the college to the Foundation for direct payment to the college they are attending. Funds will be issued to the college for one thousand (\$1,000) at the beginning of the first semester for the full amount of the scholarship, (or less if the semester costs are less). The total award may not be more than one thousand (\$1,000) for one year. Any cost to the individual student over the scholarship award will be the responsibility of the student.

If there is no activity in this scholarship award for one (1) year from date student is notified they have been awarded the scholarship, the scholarship will terminate, and no funds will be released from that date forward.

Scholarships shall not be awarded to any member or immediate family member or relative of the Rotary Club of Colonial Park or the Rotary Club of Colonial Park Foundation.

Criteria

The applications submitted will be reviewed and decision of award will be based in order on: community service, school service and academic achievement.

Application Process

Students shall apply via typed PDF. Applications are available through each school's guidance office or on-line to download at www.colonialparkrotary.org. Applications cannot be submitted through the web site. Applications must be submitted as a PDF. Each application form shall be completed by the student and shall also include the following:

- (1) An official current transcript of the student's grades (2) a letter of recommendation from the student's guidance counselor: (3) a letter of recommendation from two individuals in the community, not related to the applicant, and not in the education field, who have known the student for a minimum of four (4) years; (4) describe in 400 words or less what major you will be taking, why you would like to study in this program, what do you plan to do with your degree and how are you going to make a difference in your community after graduation; (5) the completed application form. The student might be asked to meet with the scholarship committee for a personal interview and will be informed of the meeting time and location. The student must be accepted to an accredited college before the scholarship will be awarded. Failure to submit any of the above documents will result in elimination of the application.

Full Name _____

Home Address _____

Home Phone _____ Mobile Phone _____

Email Address _____

High School _____

School and Community activities – use additional paper if necessary

1. List your community and school service activities and years

2. List your extra-curricular activities and years

3. List any honors or awards you have received for schoolwork, athletics, community projects, church, etc.

Use additional paper as necessary

List colleges in order of preference to which you have applied. Indicate if you have been accepted.

1. _____ Accepted Yes _____ No _____
2. _____ Accepted Yes _____ No _____
3. _____ Accepted Yes _____ No _____

What will be your major in college _____ ?

Application Dates

Application along with all documentation for the "award" will be due no later than **April 2, 2021**. Information about this scholarship can be found on the Rotary Club of Colonial Park website (www.colonialparkrotary.org).

Selection Committee

The committee shall consist of a maximum of three (2) individuals from the Rotary Club of Colonial Park Foundation board and one (1) other member.

Requirements

The student who receives this award is also required to attend the presentation of the award at the May 19, 2021 meeting of the Rotary Club of Colonial Park.

Submission of Application

Please forward your 2021 application in **typed *hard copy only* in a PDF file before 5:00 pm, April 2, 2021** to: colonialparkrotaryfoundation@gmail.com **Subject: Hoachlander Family Scholarship. Applications received after 5:00 pm, April 2, 2021 will not be considered.**

Checklist of items to be submitted with application

- An official current transcript of the student's grades
- A letter of recommendation from the student's guidance counselor
- A letter of recommendation from two individuals in the community, not related to the applicant nor an educator, who have known the student for a minimum of five (5) years
- Describe in 400 words or less what major you will be taking, why you would like to study in this program, what do you plan to do with your degree and how are you going to make a difference in your community after graduation
- The completed application forms

Failure to submit any of the above documents will result in elimination of the application