Rotary Club of Corning

"Service Above Self"

Continuing Education Rotary Scholarship Application 2024

President: Dale Wexell

The Rotary Club of Corning is offering scholarships up to \$2,000 to high school seniors graduating in June 2024 in the greater Corning area and who are entering continuing education school programs of two or more years by the fall of 2024. The scholarships are also available to second-year students at Corning Community College who are continuing their education at a four-year institution. Rotary Club Scholarships, however, are not open to Rotary members and their families.

The primary criteria for selection is the student's demonstrated commitment to community service during their high school or college years, together with acceptance into a continuing education program of the student's choice.

Please complete this application and e-mail it to the Rotary Club Scholarship Committee chairperson: Yumiko Akiba at yumiko.akiba.hope@gmail.com. All applications will be reviewed and selections made entirely at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee of the Rotary Club. Scholarship awards will be announced by May 2024. APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY March 31, 2024 at 11:59PM.

Please type your application responses. Questions may be directed to your Guidance Office or to Yumiko Akiba at yumiko.akiba.hope@gmail.com

Applicant:		
Last Name	First	Middle
Street Address		
City, State		Zip
Phone E-r	mail	
School you attend now		
School(s) where you have ap	plied (indicate if accepted fo	or 2024)
Applicant's Signature		Date
I attest to the validity of all inform (please initial)	-	ovide on this application

Please respond to the following five items on attached sheets (no more than four sheets, please).

1. Applicant's Community Service Activities:

Describe significant community-service activities in which you have participated in the last four years which have benefited others.

Activity/Year

What did you do?

Who benefited and how?

2. Service Above Self:

Rotary International was founded in 1905 to bring together people of different businesses and professions for fellowship and service to their communities. "Service Above Self" is the Rotary's motto.

Please write a brief description of what you perceive "Service Above Self" to mean and how you have practiced this in your activities.

3. The Value of Community Service:

From your point of view, what kinds of community service activities should a service club such as Rotary and its members accomplish and how would/do these activities benefit the community?

4. Applicant's Goals and Aspirations:

Please state how your education, personal development, and career plans will sustain and enhance your continued involvement with community service.

5. Rotary Scholarship:

Please describe some aspects of your background and explain what this scholarship would mean for you.

Please attach two <u>signed</u> letters of recommendation from advisors/supervisors from the organizations you listed in your response to question number one. (Please do not include letters from family members.)

