

Cashmere Rotary Club Scholarships

Student Applications

The Cashmere Rotary Club will award four scholarships for higher education to students of Cashmere High School.

Three Academic Scholarships will be in the amount of \$4500 each. Applicants for these scholarships must pursue a four-year college or university degree commencing in the autumn following graduation. For one of these three scholarships, the "Challenge" Academic Scholarship, consideration may be given to a student who has demonstrated the ability to overcome challenges in his/her life and continued to excel while in high school.

One Vocational/Technical Scholarship will be in the amount of \$2500. Applicants for this scholarship must pursue vocational/technical training, such as (but not limited to) auto mechanics, industrial electronics, computer technology, plumbing, cosmetics, etc., commencing upon graduation from high school.

The Academic Scholarships, including the "Challenge" option, will be awarded based on the demonstrated scholastic achievement and an assessment of the prospects for future success toward furthering your education. Additionally, the "Challenge" Academic Scholarship will consider the demonstrated ability of applicants to overcome personal challenges in his/her life. The criteria for the Voc./Tech. Scholarship will take into account the student's demonstrated interests, future plans, and desire to establish a career in the trades or other fields not requiring a four-year degree.

Each scholarship awarded will be paid directly to the institution or school in which the recipient is enrolled.

The Rotary motto is "SERVICE ABOVE SELF." Consideration will be given based on this concept reflected in his/her life as documented in the school records of community service beyond the minimum required for graduation.

Congratulations to you on completing your high school education. We wish you good fortune and continued success in life. Go Bulldogs!

Applications for all scholarships must be submitted to your school counselor no later than **April 14, 2020**.

CASHMERE ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PART 1

1. Name (print): _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____

2. Grade Point Average: _____

3. Attach a copy of your four-year high school transcript (s) and SAT scores (if applicable) with counselor verification.

4. I am applying for the following Rotary Scholarship: (select one)

_____ Rotary Academic Scholarship (attach application Part 2A)

_____ Rotary "Challenge" Academic Scholarship (attach application Part 2A)

_____ Rotary Vocational/Technical Scholarship (attach application Part 2 V/T)

5. Which college, university, or Voc./Tech. school or program do you plan to attend, and have you been accepted?

6. Include no more than three (3) letters of recommendation. In addition to faculty and school administration, consider asking current or former employers, non-profit organizers or supervisors, neighbors, etc.

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PART 2A

(For Academic and "Challenge" applications only)

Provide your answers on separate sheets of paper. Reference answers by using question #

7. Describe the fields of study that interest you. Explain why you want to pursue them and how they relate to future goals, both professional and personal.
8. Briefly list your high school activities (e.g., sports, music, drama, clubs, etc.).
9. Describe in detail services you have performed in school, community, church, family, or other settings. Provide the length of time you spent volunteering on these outside activities.
10. Have you been employed while in high school? Where did you work, what kind of work did you do, and how long were you employed by each job listed. How many hours a week did you usually work? Include both summer jobs and part time jobs.
11. Please share with us any additional information that you think might be useful in the selection process.
12. FOR "CHALLENGE" APPLICANTS ONLY: Describe a personal challenge or obstacle that you have had to overcome to achieve success in your education. Has this challenge limited your participation in school and community activities? What strategies did you use of become successful?

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PART 2 V/T

(For Vocational/Technical applicants only)

Provide your answers on separate sheets of paper. Reference answers by using question #

7. Describe your plans and goals for the future, both professional and personal.
8. What field of training do you intend to pursue? Explain why you want to establish a career in this field and what steps you have already taken to prepare to become successful in this area.
9. Briefly list your high school activities (e.g. sports, music, drama, clubs, etc.).
10. Describe in detail what services you have performed in school, community, church, family, or other settings. Include length of time spent on these outside activities.
11. Have you been employed part time or in the summer? Where did you work and what kind of work did you perform? How long were you employed in each job, and how many hours a week did you normally work?
12. Please share with us any additional information that you think might be useful in the selection process.