2021 ANNAPOLIS ROTARACT FOUNDATION
"SERVICE ABOVE SELF" SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Annapolis Rotaract Foundation is happy to announce the 2021Annapolis Rotaract Foundation "Service Above Self" Scholarship Application. The Scholarship will be awarded to (2) high school seniors in Anne Arundel County who embody Rotary's motto: "Service Above Self."

In 1989, Rotary's Council on Legislation established "Service Above Self" as the principal motto of Rotary. This motto, a change from "One Profits Most Who Serves Best," best conveys Rotary's philosophy that volunteer service should be unselfish. When the Annapolis Rotaract Club was established in 2008, our founding members built our organization with the primary focus of connecting young professionals who were dedicated to serving the people in need in our local community. Today, the Annapolis Rotaract Club continues to embody this motto by regularly supporting local nonprofits through hands-on volunteering, fundraising, raising awareness, and more.

The 1st Place recipient will receive a $1,000 scholarship and the 2nd Place recipient will receive a $500 scholarship, both for the 2021-2022 academic school year at an accredited community college, college, or university.

Applicant Qualifications:

- Be a graduating senior in the 2020-2021 Academic Year
- Be a resident of Anne Arundel County and attend a local high school
- Plan to attend an accredited community college, college or university in 2021
- Have demonstrated involvement in school activities
- Have demonstrated significant involvement in community service activities
- Completed the Annapolis Rotaract Scholarship Application, emailed no later than April 12, 2021.

To be considered, please complete Sections I through VI of the application below and email to scholarship@annapolisrotaract.org no later than April 12, 2021 at 11:59pm. All sections of the application must be completed and submitted together and on time to be considered.

PART I: APPLICANT INFORMATION

Applicants Name: _____
First Middle Last

Residents Address: _____
City State Zip Code

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

High School Attending: _____

High School Address: _____
City State Zip Code

College/universities you have applied to or intend to apply to before the applicable deadlines (Please indicate if you have been accepted to any institution(s)):

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Intended Major: _____

If applicable, Intended Collegiate Activities: _____

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Secondary Contact

Please provide secondary contact to be included in notification, maybe a parent, teacher, guidance counselor, or mentor.

Name: _____ Relation to Applicant: _____

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

Residency Eligibility

Please provide the name and address of your parents/guardian to confirm residence eligibility

Parent Guardian: _____
First Middle Last

Parent/Guardian Address: _____
City State Zip Code

Phone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

PART II: COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES:

Submit a list of your community service involvement, including through school and community volunteer opportunities (i.e., local non-profits, churches, local sports, etc.), in a separate document. Please indicate any awards or honors you have received in relevance to your community service involvement.

PART III: EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES:

Submit a list of your academic achievements and extracurricular activities during the past four years. This includes honors and advanced placement classes student government, sports, clubs, and other school-sponsored projects. Additionally, please include paid employment activities.

PART IV: PERSONAL STATEMENT

Submit an essay with the length no less than 500 words and no longer than 750 words highlighting what the Rotary's motto "Service Above Self" means to you. Submissions should include how you embody the motto and a clear, descriptive example(s) of a time when you

impacted your local community through service.

PART V: OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

Please identify any other relevant items of interest we should know when reviewing your scholarship application.

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PART VI: CERTIFICATION

I certify that the information presented in this application is true and that I reside in Anne Arundel County, Maryland.

Signature: _____ Date: ____/_____/_____

Please submit completed applications to scholarship@annapolisrotaract.org no later than April 12, 2021 at 11:59pm. All completed applications will receive a confirmation email of receipt within twenty-four (24) hours of submission.

Scholarship Recipients will be announced through email and social media no later than May 13, 2021.