

Yadkin Valley Rotary "Service Above Self" Scholarship 2020 Application

Applicant Information (Please PRINT all information)

Name _____

Date of Birth: ____/____/____ ☐ Male ☐ Female

Address _____

Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Email _____ (Please PRINT Email address)

Parent or Guardian Name(s): _____

High School: _____ Graduation Date: ____/____/____

Interact Member? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Name of Guidance Counselor _____

Attachment Check List: Please include the following with your application.

- ☐ Official copy of high school transcript
- ☐ Recommendation from **two** college counselor, teacher(s), and/or mentors (see attached form)
- ☐ Personal Essay
- ☐ Short Answer Question
- ☐ Copies of acceptance letters to college, university or training program*
- ☐ Copies of other Awards and Recognitions

Applications must be postmarked by **March 27, 2020** and be mailed to:

Yadkin Valley Rotary
Box 212
Elkin, NC 28621

Applications received after that date cannot be considered.

*application may be submitted *without an acceptance letter* but funds will not be awarded until it is submitted

Work, Volunteer, or Internship Experiences

Describe any work, volunteer, or intern experiences during the past two years.

Employer / Contact	Your Position / Job / Duties	Hours Per Week	Rate of Pay Hr/Wk/Mo	Length of Employment

School Activities, Awards and Honors

List the five major school activities in which you have participated during the past four years including any offices you have held. (For example: school clubs, student government, yearbook, sports, cheer, band, choir, volunteer work, etc).

* F – freshmen, S - sophomore, J – junior, S - senior

School Activity, Awards, Honors	Year of Participation	Offices / Awards / Honors
	F S J S	
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Personal Essay:

How do your own Community Service efforts relate to what Rotary does? See below.

- Describe at least three of the major community service activities in which you have participated during the past four years.
- Choose activities that have had the greatest impact on you and your community.
- Be specific about your reasons for participating in these activities and indicate your level and length of participation in each activity.

Some information about Rotary to help you address this question:

1. Rotarians believe that they can make a difference - locally and around the world.
2. Rotarians believe in:
 - a. Developing leadership skills and personal integrity
 - b. Demonstrating helpfulness and respect for others
 - c. Understanding the value of individual responsibility and hard work
 - d. Advancing understanding and goodwill
3. Rotary was founded based on the principles of **The Four-Way Test**.

This test asks each of us to consider the following questions:

Of the things we think, say or do:
Is it the TRUTH?
Is it FAIR to all concerned?
Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

Your essay should include your name at the top and:

- be no more than two pages
- double-spaced
- font size 12, Times New Roman

Short Answer:

Describe a significant accomplishment or challenge that you have experienced and its impact on you.

Your answer should include your name at the top and:

- be no more than one page
- double-spaced,
- font size 12, Times New Roman

Certification

I hereby certify that the information provided on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

For Student:

Signature

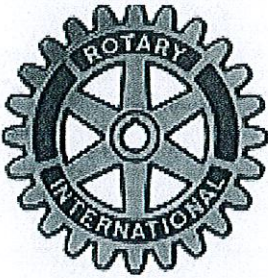
Date

For Parent or Guardian:

Print your name

Signature

Date



Yadkin Valley Rotary Service Above Self Scholarship Recommendation Form

Student Name: _____

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Strongest consideration will be given to students who have demonstrated through their school and community activities a dedication to the Rotary ideal of "Service above Self".

Please rate the student in each of the following categories:

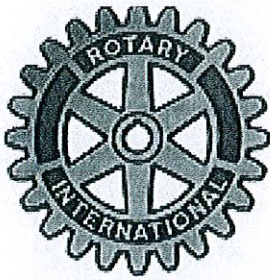
Motivation	Low	1	2	3	4	5	High
Citizenship	Low	1	2	3	4	5	High
Initiative	Needs prompting	1	2	3	4	5	Does more than assigned
Concern for others	Little	1	2	3	4	5	Very concerned
Leadership	Follower	1	2	3	4	5	Exceptional leader
Responsibility	Needs guidance	1	2	3	4	5	Independent
Service to others	Does what's required	1	2	3	4	5	Seeks opportunities to serve

Additional Remarks:

In what capacity are/were you associated with the scholarship applicant?

Printed Name: _____ Position: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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