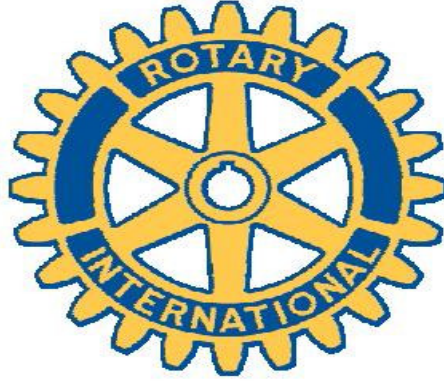


BETTENDORF ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP



\$1,000.00

The Rotary Club of Bettendorf was chartered in 1957. With nearly 100 local members, we join more than 1.2 million Rotarians around the world – some 32,000 clubs – in support of the simple notion of “Service Above Self”. Rotarians believe that they can make a difference – around the block, and around the world. The Bettendorf Rotary also believes in students – our next generation of leaders. Our commitment to education has been demonstrated in the creation of the Bettendorf Rotary Foundation. This foundation is funded solely by members of our club and has the singular purpose of providing ongoing scholarship opportunities for local students. Although all Bettendorf Rotarians contribute to our Foundation, some have made significant gifts to assure the perpetuity of our commitment to scholarships. Major donor Rotarians to our Foundation include: Charles J. Mooney, William J. Stradt, and Rich & Dee James.

This scholarship is sponsored by Bettendorf Rotary to provide assistance for tuition for a senior that will be graduating from Pleasant Valley High School. The scholarship recipient will be determined by a committee composed of the PVHS Principal or Associate Principal and the Guidance Department. The scholarship is for tuition only and will be paid directly to the institution the recipient attends. The scholarship will be granted for one year and is non-renewable. The scholarship committee retains the right to not award the scholarship if there are no eligible recipients in a given year. Applications will be available in the Pleasant Valley High School Guidance Office. The scholarship will be presented to the recipient at the Senior Awards Program held prior to commencement.

Selection Criteria:

- Must be a graduating Senior from PVHS who has demonstrated leadership, academic success and a spirit of willing service to others.
- Must include two letters of recommendations – one from a PVHS staff member (teacher or counselor) and one from someone in the community.
- Plan to attend a post-secondary institution upon graduation.
- A GPA satisfactory for college admission.
- Students who receive the Bettendorf Rotary Scholarship are required to attend at least one Bettendorf Rotary meeting during the award year.

Make application and return to the Guidance Office by April 8, 2009.

Please be aware that some scholarship search committees check social networking profiles as a reference.

BETTENDORF ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

PLEASE COMPLETE THIS FORM AND RETURN TO THE GUIDANCE OFFICE BY APRIL 8, 2009.

NAME _____ DATE _____

ADDRESS _____ TELEPHONE _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP CODE _____

COLLEGE OR VOCATIONAL SCHOOL THAT YOU PLAN TO ATTEND:

OTHER SCHOLARSHIPS OR AWARDS RECEIVED: _____

EXTRA-CURRICULAR & COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

Activity	Grade Level of Participation				Positions Held or Honors
	9	10	11	12	

WORK EXPERIENCE

(Please list jobs including summer employment you have had in the past 2-3 years.)

Nature of Work	Employer	Dates of Employment	Hours/Week

I give my permission for my high school guidance counselor to release my academic information.

DATE _____ STUDENT SIGNATURE _____

GRADE POINT AVERAGE _____

ACT: Eng. ____ Math ____ Rdg. ____ Sci.Rea. ____ Comp. ____ SAT: Verbal ____ Math ____

Counselor's Signature _____ Date _____

Principal's Signature _____ Date _____

PERSONAL STATEMENT

IN YOUR OWN HANDWRITING, TELL WHY THE ROTARY MOTTO OF "SERVICE ABOVE SELF" IS IMPORTANT.

EXPLAIN WHY YOU DESERVE THIS SCHOLARSHIP.

(INCLUDE ANY FACTORS NOT MENTIONED ON THIS APPLICATION THAT YOU WOULD LIKE CONSIDERED BY THE SELECTION COMMITTEE.)

**BETTENDORF ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP
RECOMMENDATION BY PVHS TEACHER OR COUNSELOR.**

NAME OF PERSON MAKING RECOMMENDATION _____
(Please type or print)

TITLE OF PERSON MAKING RECOMMENDATION _____

SIGNATURE _____ **DATE** _____

BETTENDORF ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP
RECOMMENDATION BY COMMUNITY MEMBER.

NAME OF PERSON MAKING RECOMMENDATION _____
(Please type or print)

SIGNATURE _____ DATE _____