Woodridge Rotary Club

2019 Service Above Self Scholarship

Eligibility Criteria and Instructions

The Woodridge Rotary Club is pleased to offer two **$2,000** Service Above Self scholarships.

Eligibility

- You are a graduating senior.
- You are a Village of Woodridge resident.
- You will attend an accredited community college, trade/tech school, or four-year college or university during the 2019-2020 school year.
- You have at least a C average grade point average.
- You have participated in community service activities and done so over several years' time. The Rotary Club is looking for students who have made a difference within their community by enriching the lives of others, especially those-in-need; therefore, applicants demonstrating participation in community service activities and volunteer work will carry more weight. While school and church activities are important, volunteerism throughout the community will score higher points in many cases. An exception to this would be a church mission trip to do physical labor for others.

Instructions

- The application is available from your school guidance counselor. Applications can be completed, scanned and returned by email, or they may be mailed. Applications are also available at www.woodridgerotary.org
- The application may be typewritten or printed. If you choose to print, please do so legibly so that the Rotary Scholarship Committee can give you full credit for all that you submit. Use extra sheets as necessary and list your name on each.
- Be sure to explain the volunteer activities in which you have been involved. Do not assume that the Scholarship Committee will know the entity that you name. Explain exactly what role you played in the activity. Don't forget to attach your Letter of Recommendation.

Deadline

Applications should be returned to Kaleshia "Kay" Page at pagekg2001@yahoo.com or be printed and returned by mail or in person to Woodridge Public Library, 3 Plaza Drive, Woodridge IL 60517 **by 5pm on Friday, April 12, 2019.** Please mark the envelope as "Rotary Scholarship". Unfortunately, no exceptions to the deadline can be made.

Contact Information

Email questions to Kaleshia "Kay" Page at pagekg2001@yahoo.com.

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Student's Name:_____ Telephone:_____

Email: _____

Home Address:_____

High School:_____ Graduation Date:_____

Parent or Guardian Name(s):

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What will be your College/Tech Major?

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When do you plan to attend? _____

Names of schools to which you have applied:

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Names of schools at which you have been accepted:

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Other Grants and Scholarships for which you have applied:

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Other Grants and Scholarships you have received:

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Student's Name: _____ **Page 2**

Please list each community service/volunteer activity in which you have been involved and the duration of time spent in each in hours, weeks or months. Please include approximate dates. Include a letter of recommendation supporting your involvement and accomplishments for those entities with which you have spent a significant amount of time. **Use additional sheets as necessary.** Write your name on each sheet.

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Describe your most rewarding/important volunteer work. You may include more than one activity here if you wish. **Use additional sheets as necessary**. Write your name on each sheet.

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Please attach your Letter of Recommendation.

By signing you are stating that you are achieving at least a C average.

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Signature Date

Thank you for your interest in the Woodridge Rotary Club **Service Above Self Scholarship**. The Rotary Club appreciates the time and effort you have spent doing community service and providing service to others.

Send completed application by email to Kaleshia "Kay" Page at pagekg2001@yahoo.com, or submit a hard copy by mail or in person to Woodridge Public Library, 3 Plaza Drive, Woodridge IL 60517. Please mark the envelope "Rotary Scholarship". All applications must be received by **Friday, April 12, 2019**. We regret that no exceptions can be made to the deadline.