



# OCONEE COUNTY ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM



## Scholarship Award of \$1,000 Each

These **TWO** scholarships are given to recognize students who demonstrate service within their community. Graduating seniors from **all Oconee County schools** are eligible to apply. **Academic achievement, test scores, financial need and gender are not considered.**  
**Please do not provide any information pertaining to those items.**

**Circle your high school:** OCHS\* NOHS\* Athens Academy\* Westminster\* Prince Ave

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
(last) (first) (middle)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
(Street or PO Box) (City)

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Rotarians, throughout the world, believe in **service above self** and commit to a variety of community service projects. For this application, we want to hear from you about your personal thoughts or experiences towards commitment to service.

Answer **ONE** of the two questions below. The choices are meant to encourage you to elaborate on your personal experiences, community involvement or future aspirations to make an impact.

Please type your **one page** response in 12 point font, single spaced.

**Attach** this application cover sheet to the front of your response and identify (highlight, circle, star your choice) which question you have chosen to respond to.

**DO NOT** put your name or school name in the essay response.

Personal demographic information should only be included on this cover sheet.

- Describe a time in which you demonstrated "service above self" including the impact on yourself or others.
- Why is volunteerism important? Give examples of local, national or international impacts and your beliefs regarding volunteerism.

**Application deadline is 12:00noon on Friday, April 24, 2020.**

Winners are asked to attend the Rotary Club meeting on Tuesday, **May 5<sup>th</sup>** at 7:00am to receive their checks.

Applications should be **submitted electronically** to [deedeegaines@gmail.com](mailto:deedeegaines@gmail.com).  
*Two students* from the collection of county wide applicants will each be awarded a \$1000.00 scholarship. Awards will be presented at our meeting on May 5th.