

## **Marshfield Sunrise Rotary Service Above Self Scholarship**

### Purpose of the Scholarship

This scholarship is to be awarded to a student who demonstrates Rotary International's objective of service above self. The recipient must display honesty, dependability, empathy and integrity through volunteer activities that help others in our community. Volunteer activity must be unpaid.

The award will be granted to a senior who completes an application and demonstrates the behaviors that support the Rotary 4-Way Test:

1. Is it the TRUTH?
2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
3. Will it build GOOD WILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

### Award

\$500.00 – Scholarship funds will be made payable in the student's name to the institution of their choice upon presenting proof of enrollment.

### Eligibility

- Senior at a Marshfield or surrounding area high school.
- Student is planning to continue their education after high school at a 2 or 4-year college or university or a technical or trade school.
- Must have GPA minimum of 2.75.
- Application is due to Jennifer Fredrick (see contact information below) by April 1, 2017.

### Application Requirements

Complete the following:

- Application – document academic effort by maintaining a minimum GPA of 2.75. GPA must be verified by a school counselor.
- Essay – address the question in 150 words or less: What impact has your volunteer time and activities had on your life?
- Volunteer Hours Matrix – document volunteer activity for the past 2 years including description of volunteer activity, number of hours, and activity contact information.
- Academic Letter of Recommendation – ask a teacher or academic advisor to compose a letter of recommendation regarding your overall character and academic performance. The letter must be returned with your application.
- Volunteer Recommendation – request the attached recommendation be completed by a leader for one of your volunteer organizations. The comments should address the type of activities you volunteered for, the quality of your volunteer effort, and your attitude toward the activity/individuals helped. Please return the form with your application.

### Contact Information

Return forms to: Jennifer Fredrick  
Marshfield High School  
1401 East Becker Road  
Marshfield, WI 54449  
715-387-8464 ext. 4376  
fredrickj@marshfield.k12.wi.us

**Application**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution planning to attend: \_\_\_\_\_

Planned area of study: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade point average: \_\_\_\_\_

THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

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School Counselor Signature



**Volunteer Recommendation**

As part of the application process for the Marshfield Sunrise Rotary Service Above Self Scholarship, you are being asked to provide the following information for (name of applicant)

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Volunteer Organization Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mission of Volunteer Organization: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_

Activities in which applicant volunteered: \_\_\_\_\_

How long has the applicant been volunteering for your organization? \_\_\_\_\_

How often did applicant volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

Did the applicant receive pay or other compensation for participating in activities for your organization? \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

Please rate the applicant in the following areas:

	Excellent	Very Good	Good	Fair
Did the individual demonstrate honesty and integrity?				
Was the applicant dependable?				
Was the individual friendly and cooperative?				
Did the individual show respect and empathy for others including team members and participants?				
Did the applicant show enthusiasm and complete tasks as needed with little assistance?				
Did the applicant add value to your organization?				

Comments Regarding the applicant: *The comments should address the quality of the volunteers' efforts and attitude toward the activity and/or individuals helped.*

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Volunteer Contact Signature

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Date