



Rotary District 6490 Avenue of Service Submission Form

Applications are due by midnight Friday, May 9, 2025. All awards will be presented at the District Installation Saturday, June 14, 2025, in Rantoul, IL.

ROTARY DISTRICT 6490 CRITERIA FOR ROTARY YEAR 2024-25

AVENUE OF SERVICE AWARD SUBMISSION RULES:

- One (1) photo or group photo of the club must accompany each Avenue of Service nomination form.
- The project(s) must be a new project or an enhanced project.
- The project(s) must not have received an award before.
- Check the Avenue of Service you are applying for on each submission. The committee reserves the right to designate an award in a different Avenue of Service if warranted.
- Be concise when describing your project.
- Follow all rules on applications.
- All applications should be filled out, scanned and emailed to District Awards Committee Chair Dana Schaumburg at dschaumburg@hotmail.com. You may include additional information and photos as attachments.
- If you do not receive confirmation of the application within 48 hours, please contact Dana Schaumburg at the email above or at 217-260-9099. The application will not be considered as received until receipt is verified.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS FOR INDIVIDUAL RECOGNITION:

CLUB SERVICE AWARD: This award focuses on making clubs strong. A thriving club is anchored by strong relationships and an active membership development plan. Clubs foster communication among club members and with the community through social media or other media coverage of club activities.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE AWARD: This award calls on every Rotarian to work with integrity and contribute their expertise to the problems and needs of society. Club members mentor young people for success in vocational pursuits, organize a vocational service discussion or group workshop to inspire others to take action and teach other club members more about their vocation by giving a talk.

COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD: This award encourages every Rotarian to find ways to improve the quality of life for people in their communities and to serve the public’s interest. Clubs lead the planning and implementation of a sustainable local service project, secure partnerships with a corporate, governmental or nongovernmental entity to work on a project together and volunteer in community service projects.

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE AWARD: This award exemplifies our global reach in promoting peace and understanding. We support this service avenue by sponsoring or volunteering on international projects, seeking partners abroad and more.

YOUTH SERVICE AWARD: This award recognizes the importance of empowering youth and young professionals through leadership development programs. Clubs lead the planning and implementation of a service project that supports the development of young people in the community, participate in a youth exchange event, sponsor an Interact Club or foster a connection between club members and members of a local Interact Club.

Note: Please use one (1) form for each nomination.

Date: _____

Nomination (Please check one.):

Club Service ____ **Community Service** ____ **International Service** ____

Vocational Service ____ **Youth Service** ____

Name of Club Being Nominated: _____

Number of Members: _____

Phone: _____ **Cell:** _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Number of Members that participated: _____

Number of People that benefited: _____

