

Brandon Rotary Club Charity Fund Annual Scholarship

Deadline Friday, May 10, 2024

To All Greater Brandon Area High School Students:

The Rotary Club of Brandon has established the Brandon Rotary Club Charity Fund Annual Scholarship Fund for the benefit of students that live in or attend a high school in the Brandon Area. There will be multiple scholarships available.

Eligibility Requirements

- Candidate's parents or guardian must be a resident of the Brandon area as defined by the geographic area identified by the area bounded by the Fish Hawk subdivision to the south, Interstates 4 to the north, Turkey Creek Road to the East, and US Highway 301 to the West.
- Candidate must be a current graduating high school senior
- Candidate must have cumulative unweighted GPA of 3.0 or higher, proof provided with application
- Provide a documented listing of service hours verified by high school administrator
- Candidate must be accepted to a 2 or 4-year accredited college or university, proof provided with application

Selection Criteria

Rotary is built on SERVICE. Therefore, the selection process is heavily weighted towards the student's service in school and the community. The following is a breakdown of the consideration and weight given on a point system:

1. Service in School
 2. Service in Community
 3. Statement by Student
 4. Recommendation by Community Service Organization
 5. GPA weighted and unweighted added together
 0-5 Points
 0-3 Points
 0-5 Points

A committee of 5 individuals will review each application and make all final selections. The committee may include a high school counselor/teacher, President or Vice President of Brandon Rotary Club, Chairman of the Brandon Rotary Club Charity Fund and one additional Rotarian that is a member of the Brandon Rotary Charity Fund Board of Directors.

Include the Following

Completed Application
Verified Community Service Time Sheet
Official Transcript and Discipline Record
Proof of Acceptance from a 2 or 4 year accredited college
Letter of Recommendation from Community Service Organization

The application must be returned to a Brandon Rotary Club meeting or by email to brccf.scholarship@gmail.com by Friday, May 10, 2024. Incomplete applications WILL NOT BE CONSIDERED. Submitted documents are property of The Brandon Rotary Club Charity Fund. Scholarship dollars will be paid directly to the FINANCIAL AID DEPARTMENT at the recipient's college or university.



Brandon Rotary Club Charity Fund Annual Scholarship Application

Student Name		
High School		
Parent or Guardian Name		
Mailing Address		
City Zip		
Student's Email	Cell Phone	
Parent or Guardian Email	Cell Phone	
Parent or Guardian Work Phone		
Cumulative Weighted GPA	Cumulative UNWEIGHTED GPA	
Total Service Hours Verified		
College or University		
Please list school related extracurricula	ar community service activities and leadership	positions held:
Please list OUTSIDE school related extr	racurricular community service activities and l	eadership positions held:
Student Signature		Date/
Parent Signature		Date//



STUDENT STATEMENT

We are interested in additional information which will help us evaluate your application. Please write a brick statement describing your future plans, interests, philosophy, obstacles you have overcome, influences, or describe how one of your service activities may have changed your life: (300 words max)		



Community Service Experiences

Use Separate Page for Each Activity

Student Name	
Activity	
Dates of Involvement Total Hours	
Why did you choose to become involved in this activity?	
How did you show leadership in this activity and what would you keep or c you volunteer in this activity?	
What awards or recognitions did you receive from your involvement?	