The Rotary Club of Clarion

Rotary C.U.P. Scholarship

Requirements



The Rotary Club of Clarion is proud to announce availability of their endowed scholarship in the amount(s) of \$1000.00. This award(s) is available to Clarion County residents who have been accepted to Clarion University of Pennsylvania, have graduated from a high school within the Rotary district 7290, and plans to attend Clarion University in the upcoming fall semester.

The purpose of the scholarship(s) is to assist deserving students from the Clarion area. The award will represent a confidence in the student's pursuit to obtain a higher education at Clarion University and encourage progress in his/her personal growth with an emphasis on academic achievement.

The scholarship will be in the form of tuition/fees credit for attendance at Clarion University of Pennsylvania.

Listed below are the requirements needed to be met in order to be considered eligible for this scholarship.

Eligibility requirements:

- A. Resident requirements- the applicant must:
 - 1. Be a resident of Clarion County on the date of filing the application and also at the time of high school graduation.
 - 2. Be a graduate of Clarion Area, Clarion Limestone, Keystone, North Clarion, Redbank, or Union High School (the 6 schools in Rotary District 7280)
- B. Academic Requirements the applicant must:
 - 1. Be a high school senior.
 - 2. Be in the top **twenty five** percent of the graduating class.
 - 3. Have maintained a quality point average of 3.0 or higher, on a 4.0 basis, for grades nine, ten, eleven, and twelve.
 - 4. Must have a combined critical reading and mathematics components score of **1,050** or higher on the SAT (scholastic Aptitude Test) or a composite score of **22** or higher on the American College Testing (ACT) exam.
 - 5. Provide a letter of recommendation or endorsement from a teacher or administrator at their high school.
- C. Provide evidence of active service to the school and community through participation in both;
 - 1. Extracurricular school activities and/or organizations, and
 - 2. Civic/community activities and/or organizations.
- D. Clarion University Admission requirements, the applicant must:
 - 1. Complete the admission application for Clarion University.
 - 2. Receive admission to Clarion University.
 - 3. Plan to attend Clarion University.

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Application



The Clarion Rotary Club is a service organization. Emphasis in selection is based on academic achievement with demonstration of active service to the school and community through participation in extracurricular and civic activities and/or organizations. Persons who have been accepted by Clarion University and are interested in applying for the Rotary Club of Clarion – *Rotary CUP Scholarship* must complete the application form below. The completed form must be submitted, along with the essay, letters of recommendation and the transcript, *postmarked no later than March 31st*, 2025 to:

Mail in: Burns and Burns ATTN: Alexis Burns PO Box 786 Clarion, PA 16214 Walk in: Burns and Burns ATTN: Alexis Burns 859 Main St Clarion, PA 16214

Name			
Last	First	Middle	
Address			
Street or Rural Route	e and Box Number		
City	State	Zip	
Phone			
Municipality of Residence (Borough or Township)	High Sc	High School	
If you must answer NO to any questions one through	five, do not submit the applic	cation for consideration	
1. Were you, or will you be, a graduate from either Cl Clarion Limestone, Keystone, North Clarion, Unio		Yes No	
2. Are you a resident of Clarion County on the date of	f filing this application?	Yes No	
3. Are you or will you be a resident of Clarion County	ý		

at the time of your high school graduation?	Yes	No
4. Are you in the top twenty five percent of your graduating class?		No
5. Is your quality point average (QPA) for grades nine, ten, eleven, and twelve 3.0 or higher?	Yes	No
6. Do you have a combined Math and Critical Reading components score, on the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) of 1,050 or higher? (The American College Testing Evaluation (ACT) may be used if the composite score is 22 or higher.)?	Yes	No
7. You have been accepted by Clarion University and will be a freshman attending CUP?		No
List below your services in school extracurricular and civic activities and participated in and describe your accomplishments during your participation		ns you
School Activity /organization Accomplish	nments	
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List below list your community activity and /or organizations you particip accomplishments during your participation.	eated in and des	cribe your
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8. Essay Assignment: In an essay attached to this application, please an <i>How will a Clarion University degree help your achieve your fut</i> *Please limit the essay to no more than 1 page, double spaced, 12	ture career goa	
8. Include with this application one letter of recommendation from a mem	ber of the high	school faculty.
9. Include with this application a copy of high school transcripts.		
10. Include with this application a copy of your admission letter from Cla	rion University	of Pennsylvania.
11. Include an activity documentation forms for each school and commun	ity activity liste	ed.

Activity Documentation Certification Form

I,	Certify that
I, (Activity Director/officer)	Certify that(Applicant)
Participated in(Activity, Club, Organization	<u></u>
Please be aware that this student has been par	rticipating in the activity for (Year (s) involved)
	(Teal (s) involved)
and has served with active participation as a _	(Member, officer, special committee, activity)
	(Member, officer, special committee, activity)
Comments:	
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Signature of Activity Director	Date
This form must be completed and signed by to you list.	he activity director for each school and community activity
This may be photocopied as needed.	

Please have the appropriate personnel sign and date below:

I authorize the release of my scholarship application and related information to third parties for purposes of scholarship consideration. If I am selected for a scholarship, I authorize release of my biographical information for use in publicity related to the scholarship program.

Date	Applicant's Signature
Date	Parent's/Guardian's Signature
Date	Parent's/Guardian's Signature
Date	Guidance Counselor's Signature