

2006 Sullivan Rotary Club Scholarships



The Sullivan Rotary Club offers several scholarships each year to eligible students from the Sullivan and Bourbon School Districts. Graduating students that reside in Sullivan or Bourbon that attend other schools may also apply by downloading the application from the Rotary website at www.sullivanmo.com/rotary

Rotary is an organization of business and professional leaders united worldwide, who provide humanitarian service, encourage high ethical standards in all vocations, and help build goodwill and peace in the world.

The scholarship awards are available based on the fundraising efforts of the Sullivan Club which are made possible through the generosity of local businesses and organizations in the Sullivan and surrounding communities. **In May 2006 seven (7) scholarships will be awarded as follows:**

- Three each of a \$750 award for one year.
- Two each of a \$750 award renewable for a second year.
- One \$750 award renewable for four years.
- The **Elmer Cowan Sullivan Rotary Memorial Scholarship** award- a \$300 award (renewable for a second year) given to a student attending East Central College who has achieved exceptional attendance in grades 9-12.

Scholarships are given as cash awards. Award recipients must show proof of enrollment in a college/university or technical school for the upcoming academic year. In addition, recipients of renewable scholarships must contact the Sullivan Rotary Club for renewal including the proof of enrollment for the upcoming academic year.

Proof of enrollment for both first time recipients and recipients with renewable scholarships must send documentation to **Sullivan Rotary Treasurer, Bob Anderson, 2600 Hwy H, Sullivan, Missouri 63080** or by dropping off the information at **Wally's Hardware located in the Dickey Bub Plaza, Sullivan, Missouri.**

Criteria

A selection committee will review the student's *Sullivan Rotary Club Scholarship Application* and select the award recipients based on the following criteria:

1. GPA
2. Financial Need
3. School and/or community activities/participation
4. An essay demonstrating the student's plans for future education and career aspirations.

Application Process

Students may obtain a *Sullivan Rotary Club Scholarship Application* online at www.sullivanmo.com/rotary or through the school district's counseling office.

The scholarship application is due to the district's counseling office by Friday, **April 14, 2006.**

2005-06 Club Officers: President: Jayne Mastin, President Elect: Tom Kennedy, Secretary: Brock Bouse, Treasurer: Bob Anderson, Sergeant of Arms: Zenas Blevins



SULLIVAN ROTARY CLUB SCHOLARSHIP/GRANT APPLICATION

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name of Student: _____ SS# _____

Home Address: _____

Name of Parents or Guardians: _____

EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION

School: (If other than Sullivan or Bourbon include phone number and address)

Number of times absent this academic year: _____

*This is required for the Elmer Cowan Scholarship

Name if College or University you plan to attend _____

Have you been accepted? _____

Are you eligible to participating in the A+ Program? _____

OTHER PERSONAL INFORMATION

Brothers or Sisters Names	Age	Live at Home		School Attending
		Yes	No	
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
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Gross Family Income: _____ Under \$25,000 _____ \$45,000 to \$55,000

 _____ \$25,000 to \$55,000 _____ Over \$55,000

 _____ \$35,000 to \$45,000

STUDENT ACTIVITY AND SERVICE INFORMATION

STUDENT NAME: _____

HIGH SCHOOL: _____ SS# _____

Honors And Awards	Explanation	9	10	11	12
<i>Ex. Award of Journalism Achievement</i>	<i>Won at local journalism contest</i>				x

ESSAY PORTION

*Note! Please prepare your essay response as an attachment to this application.
Remember, brevity is a virtue.*

Your essay should include the following:

- 1. What is your intending academic major?**
 - 2. What is your educational goal?**
 - 3. Why do you want to attend college?**
 - 4. What so you intend to do after you complete your educational goal?**
 - 5. Do you feel that attaining your educational goal will you make you a better person and a more useful member of society? If so, please explain how.**
 - 6. How would you apply the Rotarian Four-Way test in your chosen field or career?
See description of the Rotarian Four-Way Test below.**
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The Rotarian Four-Way Test

From the earliest days of the organization, Rotarians were concerned with promoting high ethical standards in their professional lives. One of the world's most widely printed and quoted statements of business ethics is The Four-Way Test, which was created in 1932 by Rotarian Herbert J. Taylor (who later served as RI president) when he was asked to take charge of a company that was facing bankruptcy.

This 24-word test for employees to follow in their business and professional lives became the guide for sales, production, advertising, and all relations with dealers and customers, and the survival of the company is credited to this simple philosophy. Adopted by Rotary in 1943, The Four-Way Test has been translated into more than a hundred languages and published in thousands of ways. It asks the following four questions:

"Of the things we think, say or do:

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