



Rotary

Club of  
Swarthmore PA

Dear Student:

On behalf of Swarthmore Rotary and the Swarthmore Women's Club, we invite you to apply for a college scholarship. There will be two \$3,000 scholarships awarded to Strath Haven High School seniors. Rotary is an international organization with the mission of providing service to others. Rotary is not affiliated with any other organization, such as religious, political, or business groups. Swarthmore Women's Club is a disbanded women's social club that is using the balance of its assets as a scholarship fund.

Please submit your application by April 1. The scholarship check will be made out to you after you provide proof of enrollment at a college or technical school.

Please complete the attached application form. In addition, please submit an essay on the following topic:

Rotary's primary goal is service to the community, whether local or global. Please describe how you have served the community while in high school and how you hope to serve the community in the future.

Limit the essay to no more than one page using standard text and margin size.

Please provide a copy of your transcripts (unofficial copy sufficient) and your Activity Roster. Note that grades are not a significant factor in the award of the scholarship.

If you have any questions, please contact Richard Shimko, [shimko99@verizon.net](mailto:shimko99@verizon.net), 610-544-8981.

Email your application forms to [shimko99@verizon.net](mailto:shimko99@verizon.net).

Note to members of Swarthmore Rotary: children of members of Swarthmore Rotary are not eligible to apply for this scholarship.

**SWARTHMORE ROTARY AND WOMEN'S CLUB SCHOLARSHIP  
APPLICANT  
PERSONAL INFORMATION**

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT(S) or GUARDIAN(S) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

I AM LIVING WITH \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT(S) or GUARDIAN(S) OCCUPATIONS \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**SISTERS AND/OR BROTHERS**

Number of Sisters \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Brothers \_\_\_\_\_ Ages \_\_\_\_\_

If you have already committed to attend a specific college/university, please provide the name of the institution \_\_\_\_\_

If not, where do you hope to attend college/university? (list up to 3)

First Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Second Choice \_\_\_\_\_

Third Choice \_\_\_\_\_

GUIDANCE COUNSELOR \_\_\_\_\_ TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

## ACCEPTING RESPONSIBILITY

Please read carefully and acknowledge your understanding of the statements of this agreement.

I certify that all the information submitted is correct to the best of my knowledge.

I agree that general information about me may be released by the Swarthmore Rotary Club for the purpose of media publicity.

I acknowledge that the submission of this application is and was my sole responsibility.

I authorize the school or its employees to release any necessary information for this application.

I understand that the information submitted is confidential, and thus will be used only by the Swarthmore Rotary and Women's Club Scholarship Award Committee, and that it cannot be returned.

APPLICANT'S SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

**PARENT(S) or GUARDIAN(S)**

Please read carefully and acknowledge your understanding of the statements of this agreement.

I (We) have given permission to our son/daughter to collect all the necessary information for this award application to be submitted to The Swarthmore Rotary Club.

I (We) have reviewed all the information of this application and acknowledge it to be correct.

I (We) authorize the school or its employees to release any information necessary for this application.

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

SIGNATURE \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

RELATIONSHIP TO APPLICANT \_\_\_\_\_