



## Old Saybrook Rotary Scholarship Application

This year Old Saybrook Rotary will award scholarships to students in each of the following towns: Old Saybrook, Old Lyme, Westbrook. Awards will be paid directly to the college or trade school in which the student enrolls upon submission of a transcript showing achievement of at least a 2.30 GPA after the first semester.

### Scholarships are based on the student's ability to meet the following criteria:

- Must be a high school senior eligible to graduate
- Academic ability
- Leadership abilities in the school and the community
- Participation in extracurricular activities
- Resourcefulness by working summers, weekends or during vacations to help meet anticipated expenses.
- Need for financial assistance
- Intent to pursue their education in an institution of high learning, including trade schools.
- Although not required, participation in Rotary Activities such as Interact Club, RYLA, World Affairs Conference, Student of the month would be considered a plus.

**Application Procedure: All application materials should be scanned in as ONE document and emailed to [oldsaybrookrotaryscholarship@gmail.com](mailto:oldsaybrookrotaryscholarship@gmail.com) by April 6, 2023. Only completed applications submitted on time will be considered.**

ALL MATERIALS WILL BE REVIEWED USING A BLIND PROCESS UP UNTIL INTERVIEWS. PLEASE **DO NOT** PUT YOUR NAME ON ANY OF THE DOCUMENTS **EXCEPT** THE APPLICATION PAGE.

- Complete and submit this application form
- Resume/ **Highlighting** (1) co-curricular activities; (2) leadership positions; (3) service activities; (4) work experiences, including number of days, and (5) academic honors, over the past four years. This can be arranged in the form of a chart if you choose
- Submit a 200-300 word max essay that lists your interests, ambitions, concerns and specific plans for the future. **Do not put your name on the essay.**
- Submit only 2 letters of recommendation **Be sure to redact your name.**
- Submit the Scholarship Financial Information with copies of schools' anticipated expenses
- Submit a Copy of the SAR (Student Aid report) from the FAFSA.
- Copy of Quarter 2 report card

Once all the applications have been reviewed. Some applicants will be invited for interviews by the OS Rotary Scholarship committee in late April/early May to determine the scholarship winners for each school.

The winners will be announced at their school's Senior awards night.

Should you have any questions or concerns please contact Amber Scherber, the Rotary school liaison at 860-395-3175 ext 4118

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STUDENT ID# \_\_\_\_\_

## **OS ROTARY SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

1. Full Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nick Name: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Complete Address: \_\_\_\_\_

3. Your Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Parent Email: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Telephone Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Your Cell: \_\_\_\_\_

5. Parent/Guardians #1 \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardians #1 Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

6. Parent/Guardians #2 \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardians #2 Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

7. Who is responsible to pay educational expenses? \_\_\_\_\_

8. Number of sibling's dependent upon your parent/guardians? \_\_\_\_\_

9. Siblings attending college or private schools? \_\_\_\_\_

List names and institutions: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

10. What institution do you plan to attend? \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted? \_\_\_\_\_ Intended major subject? \_\_\_\_\_

11. List other scholarships for which you have applied: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

12. Please add any other information you feel the committee should know: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

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# **SCHOLARSHIP FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

1. List your estimated college expenses for the year:

Tuition and Fees: \_\_\_\_\_

Transportation: \_\_\_\_\_

Room and Board: \_\_\_\_\_

Clothing: \_\_\_\_\_

Books and Supplies: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Expenses: \_\_\_\_\_

Fees and Insurance: \_\_\_\_\_

TOTAL: \_\_\_\_\_

2. State your estimated plan for meeting expenses:

**To be supplied by parent(s):**

From income: \_\_\_\_\_

From savings: \_\_\_\_\_

From other funds: \_\_\_\_\_

**To be supplied by applicant:**

From savings: \_\_\_\_\_

From summer work: \_\_\_\_\_

From work at school/college: \_\_\_\_\_

**To be supplied by from other resources:**

From loans: \_\_\_\_\_ From scholarships (granted): \_\_\_\_\_

From scholarships (hopeful): \_\_\_\_\_ From other sources (relatives?): \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please attach a photo copy of the anticipated expenses listed in the catalogue of the school/college you plan to attend.\*\***

*The above statements are true to the best of my knowledge.*

Applicant's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_