

The Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation Scholarship Program

The Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation (hereafter referred to as HRYF) was chartered as a non-profit charitable corporation in 1976. One of its objectives is to undertake a program of educating the youth of Hawaii by providing scholarships to further their education.

HRYF administers two college scholarship aid programs (The Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation and the Harry & Jeannette Weinberg Scholarship) to qualified and deserving graduating Hawaii high school students who are applying as full-time students to a four-year accredited college or university. The awards are based on academic achievement, scholastic merit and financial need.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

1. A graduating Hawaii high school senior (class of 2009) applying as a full-time student to an accredited four-year college or university in the United States to earn a baccalaureate degree. (Full-time shall be defined as a minimum of 12 credit hours per semester.)
2. Must be a U.S. Citizen and legal resident of Hawaii.
3. Ineligible are Rotarians or their spouses, children, grandchildren, stepchildren, brothers or sisters.

The HRYF and Weinberg scholarship programs are administered without regard to race, creed, color, age, religion, sex, national origin or physical disability.

SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION PROCEDURE:

1. Scholarship forms are available through your school college counselor, our website at www.hryf-d5000.org or by calling the HRYF office at 735-1073 (weekday mornings).
2. **Contact the Rotary Club in your area to request sponsorship and mailing address. (See listing on back page AND club listings at www.rotaryd5000.org.)**
3. Complete the application form.
4. Submit two (2) Recommendations for Scholarship forms (make a copy): one (1) from your present faculty member and one (1) from a member of your community (not another student).
5. Enclose a certified copy of your high school transcript.
6. Submit Student Aid Report (SAR). If SAR not available, a photo copy of all pages of the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) form that was sent to the mainland for processing.
7. Complete your personal statement indicating area of studies you expect to pursue and tell us what it would mean to you and to Hawaii if you were to receive this scholarship.
8. **Send all completed forms with your picture attached to your sponsoring Rotary Club by January 31, 2009.**

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

January 31, 2009. Applications will not be accepted after this date. No exceptions.

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION:

1. Academic achievement, scholastic merit and financial need.
2. Personal involvement in campus, community activities and employment experience.
3. Harry & Jeannette Weinberg Foundation Scholarship based on financial need.

THE HAWAII ROTARY YOUTH FOUNDATION
2009 - 2010 Scholarship Application Form

Academic Standing:
GPA: _____ SAT/ACT _____

Area Ranking _____
EFC _____

The completed application must be received by your sponsoring Rotary Club no later than January 31, 2009. Applications that have not been approved by a District 5000 (Hawaii) Rotary Club will not be accepted. No exceptions will be made.

Applicant's Name _____ Last 4 digits of Soc. Sec. _____
Last First M.I.

Please attach a recent graduation type photo. DO NOT use a copy of a photograph.

Date of Birth: _____ Cell _____
Mo. Day Yr. Phone _____

Mailing Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address: _____

Graduation Date: _____ Award Ceremony: _____

Name of College/University you plan to attend: (note if accepted)

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Sponsored by Rotary Club of: _____

I hereby authorize the Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation Scholarship Committee to release information relative to this application for publicity purposes.

I further understand and agree, should I be granted this scholarship, I will attend such Rotary functions as may be deemed necessary by the president of the Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation pursuant to granting this scholarship.

Signature _____

Date _____

Amount of Scholarship: Scholarship amounts range from \$2,000 to \$5,000 and may be used for any educational expenses such as tuition, fees, books, supplies and related educational equipment. It is anticipated that awards will be up to \$5,000 for students attending mainland universities or colleges; up to \$2,000 for students attending a college or university of Hawaii. These scholarships are non-transferable, one-time grants that need not be repaid. Enrollment must be in the fall of the calendar year the scholarship is awarded. Students entering any one of the U.S. Service Academies or receiving a Full Scholarship Award are ineligible.

Transcript Required: Attach a certified copy of your high school transcript with your application.

Letters of Recommendation: Submit two (2) Recommendations for Scholarship on form provided. One (1) from your present faculty member and one (1) from a member of your community (not another student).

Personal Statement:

Please indicate the area of studies you expect to pursue and tell us what it would mean to you and to Hawaii, if you were to receive this scholarship.

Please summarize your academic achievements while in high school:

Outline your campus, community activities and services, as well as outside employment during your high school career.

(if more space is needed, attach another sheet)



Hawaii Rotary Youth Foundation RECOMMENDATION FOR SCHOLARSHIP

Directions: The applicant must submit recommendations from two (2) individuals: one (1) from a present faculty member and one (1) from a member of the community you have known for over 2 years (not a student). Please return this completed form to applicant to send in with scholarship application.

Name of Applicant _____ Proposed Study Field _____

Reference requested from _____ Title _____

Address/Institution _____

1. How well, how long, and in what capacity have you known the applicant?

2. How firm is the applicant's commitment to his/her proposed field of study?

3. In comparison with other students whom you have known at comparable age, how would you rate the applicant in the following areas? If you are unable to evaluate an area, please leave it blank.

	Excellent	Very Good	Average	Below Average
Leadership	_____	_____	_____	_____
Initiative	_____	_____	_____	_____
Seriousness of purpose	_____	_____	_____	_____
Enthusiasm	_____	_____	_____	_____
Adaptability	_____	_____	_____	_____
Maturity	_____	_____	_____	_____
Emotional stability	_____	_____	_____	_____
Public speaking	_____	_____	_____	_____

4. Please cite some specific examples of how in your association with the applicant, he or she has demonstrated the above qualities.

Signed _____ Title/Position _____ Date _____

2009-2010 HRYF SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION ROTARY CLUB CONTACT LIST

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