



# **The David T. “Sandy” Squires Scholarship**

**2026**

Rotary’s motto is “Service Above Self” and no one exemplified the motto better than Sandy Squires. It is in his memory and honor that we award this \$1,000 scholarship.

- Rotary is an ideal in action
- Rotary is thoughtfulness and helpfulness
- Rotary is the fellowship of men and women who accept service as the basis for success and happiness

This application is also available for download at:  
<http://csgrotary.org/college-scholarships/>



# David T. “Sandy” Squires Scholarship 2026

## Information for Applicants

### Eligibility:

- Must be a graduating senior from Bishop Ludden-Grimes High School, West Genesee High School, Westhill High School or Solvay High School
- Must be continuing education at an institution of higher learning
- Must have a history of active community service

### Selection Criteria:

- Community service
- Academic achievement
- Extracurricular activities
- Essay on community service experience

### Application Must Be Accompanied by:

- Copy of school transcript
- Letter of recommendation from a high school staff member
- A personal reference from someone outside your family
- Essay on community service experience

**Completed applications should be submitted to your guidance office or to a Camillus-Solvay-Geddes Rotary member by April 1, 2026.**

**Applications may be mailed (postmarked by March 25, 2026):**

Camillus-Solvay-Geddes Rotary Club  
PO Box 432, Camillus, NY 13031

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High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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Home phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent(s) name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please make a short statement of your education objectives, including the institution you plan to attend and your intended course of study (if known):

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2. Please explain what school activity has benefitted you the most and why:

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3. Please describe your civic or community service activities:

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Name: \_\_\_\_\_

4. Please describe any employment experience: \_\_\_\_\_  
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5. Please describe any other interests or activities: \_\_\_\_\_  
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6. This application must be accompanied by an essay on the following topic:

*Rotary International's motto is "Service Above Self". Please tell us what this motto means to you, and your community could benefit from Rotarian service. What type of service project would you propose our club undertake?*

**Additional paper may be used, if necessary, when completing questions one through five.**

Signature of Applicant: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Parent: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Dear High School staff member:

The student submitting this form is competing for a scholarship. The information and comments forwarded by you will be most helpful in the selection process. Please comment regarding the candidate's scholarship abilities, school involvement and community citizenship.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Position: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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Name of applicant: \_\_\_\_\_

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

The student submitting this form is competing for a scholarship. Please comment on the applicant's citizenship in the community, responsibility in the home and any other personal characteristics you consider pertinent. Your information will be most helpful and will be kept in the strictest confidence.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

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