

JAMES L. LACY SCHOLARSHIP

Below are the guidelines for the James L. Lacy Scholarship:

During the conference, an impromptu handwritten essay of 200 words or less will be written.

- a. Grammar, spelling, word composition, neatness, legibility and text flow will be taken into account.**
- b. Essay topic will be associated with Rotary/Interact and/or current events. Examples are:
 - i. How has the September 11th event affected individuals in service clubs?**
 - ii. Please discuss the four-way test and how will it impact your life.**
 - iii. Discuss the impact that James L. Lacy has had on Rotary as he held the position of Rotary International President and other key leadership roles in this world-wide service organization.****
- c. Scholarship will be for students who stay in Rotary District 6780 to attend college or vocational training. An in-district educational/training facility is any school that is directly located within the district lines or any educational/training facility that is located in a county that directly touches District 6780 county lines.**
- d. School must be an accredited institution, either public or private, that provides educational or vocational training.**
- e. Applicant must
 - i. have a "B" average, 3.0 on 4.0 scale or equivalent.**
 - ii. be a dues paying Interactor for 2 years (current year is one year).**
 - iii. be registered and attending the current conference.**
 - iv. be a senior in his/her year of high school graduation.****
- f. Sponsor must make the recommendation for the student to participate.**
- g. The scholarship will be for up to two years in the amount of \$1,000 per year.**
- h. The \$1,000 will be paid directly to the educational institution.**
- i. The number of essayists will be unlimited as long as the other qualifications are met. The actual nominations and numb Sponsor(s). There will not be a cap on specific numbers of individuals writing essay as long as other qualifications are met.**
- j. A number 2 pencil or an erasable pen must be used to write the essay.**
- k. One sheet of paper will be provided to each participant. The participant must place his/her phone number, including area code, at the top of the page for identification (not his/her name).**

Sponsors must submit a complete list of seniors who will be writing the essay at conference check-in. The list should include students' name, club and telephone number, including area code, for identification purposes.