**Longview Early Edition Rotary Club**

**2024 Scholarship Award Program**

The Longview Early Edition Rotary Club will award scholarships to five local area students for the 2024-25 school - year. Awards are limited to one year and will be paid directly in one payment to the college or university following first semester grading period.

* Two Scholarships to R. A. Long, Mark Morris or Discovery graduating senior(s) will be awarded for use at the institution of their choice. To be eligible, applicants must have attended one of the three high schools for at least one year.
* One scholarship (Rotary Past President Emery B. Piper Memorial Award) will be awarded to a Castle Rock, Kalama, Toutle High School or Three Rivers Christian School graduating senior for use at the institution of their choice.
* One Scholarship (the Carl Devin Memorial award) will be awarded to a local area student who will attend or is currently attending Lower Columbia College.

Applicants will be judged on the **submitted essay regarding the financial need and overall importance of the scholarship funds (20%), academic record (20%), extracurricular activities (20%), community service (20%), and the overall quality, content, and completeness of scholarship application (20%).**

You must attach a **brief essay** on “the importance of this scholarship”, **two letters of recommendation** that include how long the writer has known the applicant, their relationship to the applicant, and why they are recommending the applicant. **Transcripts** of your high school or LCC grades **must** also be included as part of your submission. Please include the transcript of your most recent quarter/semester, if possible, and in a format that indicates your grade for each class.

Final selection of applicants for scholarship winners will be made by the Longview Early Edition Rotary Scholarship Committee. Alternates will be selected in the event a scholarship winner does not utilize his or her scholarship. In the event there is no qualified applicant for a scholarship in one of the categories, the Committee may make an additional award to an applicant in one of the other categories.

**Application forms** are available from local high school principals or guidance counselors and from the LCC Financial Aid Office. To be eligible for consideration, all applications must be received by the Longview Early Edition Rotary Scholarship Committee by **5:00 p.m., Monday, April 19, 2024.**

Mail your completed application to: **Longview Early Edition Rotary Scholarship Committee, P.O. Box 2064, Longview, WA 98632 or email to**

**james.seeks@yahoo.com**

**LONGVIEW EARLY EDITION ROTARY CLUB 2024 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION**

**Please check appropriate box**:

 R. A. Long Senior

 Mark Morris Senior

 Discovery HS Senior

 Castle Rock/Kalama/Toutle/Three Rivers High School Senior

 LCC Student

Name: Birthdate:

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Parent name(s):

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Single - parent family? 🞎 Yes 🞎 No

Number of Children in Family: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ Number now in college: \_\_\_\_\_\_

Parent 1 Occupation: Parent 2 Occupation:

List extracurricular school activities you have engaged in and describe your involvement. These might include Student government, athletics, school organizations, multicultural activities, the arts, and other school connected activities. Please include details including years of activity, offices held, honors received and other information regarding your activities. *(Use of a separate page is recommended.)*

**Group or Sport Activities/Services Provided Role, Award or Recognition**

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List community service/volunteer activities you have engaged in and describe your involvement in detail. Identity activity, frequency of service (one time, monthly, etc.). These are activities not association with your school. *(Use of a separate page is recommended.)*

**Org./Population Served Activities/Services Provided Frequency**

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List past and current employment:

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| Employer | Type of Work | Start Date | End Date | Hours Per week |
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List any other scholarships or grants you have received to date: *(Use a separate page if necessary)*

Identify the program, college or university where you will obtain your academic or vocational training: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 Accepted for enrollment: 🞎 Yes 🞎 No

Discuss your planned field of study and explain why you chose this field: *(use a separate page if necessary)*

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*Include your essay, 2 letters of recommendation and your transcript of grades with this application.*

*You may request a word version of this application by writing to* *james.seeks@yahoo.com* *or through your school. Request a copy well in advance of the April 19 deadline.*

*Please make sure the application is legible. Handwritten applications are discouraged unless exceptional penmanship is presented.*

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