

# Rotary Club of Corning

"Service Above Self"

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## Continuing Education Rotary Scholarship Application 2011

*The Rotary Club of Corning is offering scholarships to high school seniors graduating in June 2011 in the greater Corning area and who are entering continuing education school programs of two or more years by the fall of 2011. The scholarships are also available to second-year students at Corning Community College who are continuing their education at a four-year institution.*

*The primary criteria for selection are the student's demonstrated commitment to community service during his/her high school or college years, together with acceptance into a continuing education program of the student's choice.*

*Please complete this application and mail it to the address above **by March 31, 2011**. You may also mail applications by March 31, 2011 directly to the Rotary Club Scholarship Committee chairperson: Nancy Latour, 1 Academic Drive, Corning, NY 14830. All applications will be reviewed and selections made entirely at the discretion of the Scholarship Committee of the Rotary Club of Corning. Application finalists may be interviewed by the Committee. Scholarship awards will be announced by early June 2011.*

**Please type your application responses. Questions may be directed to your high school or BOCES Guidance Office or to Nancy Latour at 962-9260 or e-mail [latour@corning-cc.edu](mailto:latour@corning-cc.edu).**

### Applicant:

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ Middle \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ School you attend now \_\_\_\_\_

School(s) where you have applied (indicate if accepted for 2010): \_\_\_\_\_

Applicant's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

I attest to the validity of all information I have provided or will provide on this application (please initial) \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please respond to the following five items on attached sheets (no more than four sheets, please).**

**1. Applicant's Community Service Activities:**

Describe significant community-service activities in which you have participated in the last four years which have benefited others.

Activity/Year	What did you do?	Who benefited and how?
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**2. Service Above Self:**

Rotary International was founded in 1905 to bring together people of different businesses and professions for fellowship and service to their communities. "Service Above Self" is the Rotary's motto.

Please write a brief description of what you perceive "Service Above Self" to mean and how you have practiced this in your activities.

**3. The Value of Community Service:**

From your point of view, what kinds of community service activities should a service club such as Rotary and its members accomplish and how would/do these activities benefit the community?

**4. Applicant's Goals and Aspirations:**

Please state how your education, personal development, and career plans will sustain and enhance your continued involvement with community service.

**5. Rotary Scholarship:**

Please describe some aspects of your background and explain what this scholarship would mean for you.

**Please attach two signed letters of recommendation from advisors/supervisors from the organizations you listed in your response to question number one. (Please do not include letters from family members.)**