

Rotary Club of Stockton – The Susan Drake Interact Scholarship Award

This award was established by the Stockton Rotary Club in 2010. It is named for Past District Governor and Past Club President Susan Drake in recognition of her outstanding work with and support of Interact on the club and the district level. The recipients will be members from Interact Clubs sponsored by and supported by the Rotary Club of Stockton and will be those who best exemplify the traits established by Rotary International. These traits include:

- High ethical standards
- Previous dedicated service to his/her Interact Club and high school
- Unselfish service to the Stockton community through community service and/or other organizations (church, synagogue, temple, service clubs, hospitals, etc.)

The process for consideration is the completion and electronic submission of the Susan Drake Interact online scholarship application. This application includes the following: writing of an essay (maximum 500 words) “How Interact has Impacted my Life” that explains the applicant’s involvement in club activities and how those activities have changed the direction of the applicant’s life. The application also requires the student to upload his/her high school transcript to the electronic application.

The completed electronic application including the essay and the high school transcript must be submitted electronically no later than March 31st each year.

The award is presented annually to a graduating high school senior upon selection by a special committee appointed by the Rotary Club of Stockton. The award presentation may be made at one of the weekly meetings of the Rotary Club of Stockton or by letter and email.

The award is made without regard to financial need. It does require that the recipient have a 3.0 grade point average (GPA) or better on a 4.0 scale at the time of application, verifiable by his/her current transcript.

The award will be paid in the first semester upon verification of enrollment in any accredited two or four-year college or university within the United States. The recipient must include his/her Student Identification Number with the verification of enrollment. The recipient must be a full-time student (12 credit hours/units minimum).

The award will be paid directly to the institution in the name of the recipient and can only be used for tuition, institutional fees, or books. Under no circumstances may the money go directly to the student. The Stockton Rotary Club will request sufficient documentation from the educational institution to ensure that the funds have been appropriately used.

Please direct any questions to:

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