

## Service Above Self Award | Application Form

**BACKGROUND:** Rotary International is a service organization that joins leaders, exchanges ideas, and takes action. The motto of this international organization is Service Above Self. Rotary is made up of people around the world working together to end polio, clean the environment, improve our communities, and accomplish many extraordinary things every single day. The Service Above Self Award is in the amount of \$2,500.00 and is given to a graduating senior at Grosse Ile High School. The recipient is an individual that represents the ideal of Service Above Self – doing good in the world for the benefit of others.

**ELIGIBILITY:** The qualified candidate must be a graduating senior of Grosse Ile High School in the current academic calendar year. They must be able to provide demonstration of their volunteer contribution of time and energy toward the unselfish acts of helping others. Examples can be one-on-one of a personal nature such as mentoring a youth, providing tutoring or as part of a group activity such as a blood drive, collection drive for a food pantry, work with a church group, etc. Service Above Self is the basis of this award.

**PROCEDURE:** Complete the following Application Information on this page. Then on a separate page provide your examples of eligibility in a typed document. Tell us about your activities in which your service reflects the idea of Service Above Self. In each example describe the scope of the activity. Include your part in the activity as the leader or as an active participant. Show how you have demonstrated that the idea to serve others is an important concept, has great benefits, and is an integral part of your life. How have you put Service Above Self into these activities?

**Please Note:** Anyone on staff at the Grosse Ile High School or any community organization may nominate someone using this form. The finalists may be interviewed by the Rotary Club of Grosse Ile – Service Above Self Award Committee prior to a final decision being made. After being selected, the Service Above Self Award Recipient, and their parents, will be invited to the Rotary Club of Grosse Ile Meeting on Thursday evening, June 1, 2017, to make a presentation on their behalf and then be recognized by the Club for their Service Above Self.

## **Application Information (please print):**

Name of Nominee	
Age	
<b>Graduation Date</b>	
Home Address	
Phone & Email Address	
Career or Vocational Goals	

\*\*\*Use this Application Form as the Cover Sheet to Attach to the Typed Document as Listed in the Procedure Section and Return to the Grosse Ile High School Counseling Office by Friday April 28, 2017\*\*\*

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