

THE MISSOULA ROTARY FOUNDATION SCHOLARSHIP ENDOWMENT HONORING R. H. “TY” ROBINSON.

March 15, 2019

1. Description

R. H. Ty Robinson, a long time member of the Missoula Rotary Club and Principal in the law firm of Garlington, Lohn and Robinson spent a good part of his life mentoring young people and providing a living example of Rotary International credo “Service Above Self” Upon his passing at the age of 102, the Missoula Rotary Foundation (The Foundation) established an endowed scholarship honoring his memory.

2. The Annual Scholarship

The H. R. Ty Robinson Scholarship is an endowed scholarship centered in and administered by The Foundation and representing all Missoula area Rotary Clubs. The Foundation shall utilize the income from the Robinson Endowment and its other resources to provide, annually, a minimum \$1,000.00 scholarship to an Incoming freshman or first year law student at the University of Montana or Missoula College who graduated from a Missoula area high school.

3. Application and Award Process

Each year the Foundation shall solicit applications from students at all Missoula Area High Schools and qualifying prospective incoming first year students at the University of Montana Law School who meet the following criteria:

- a) Provide a transcript from a Missoula Area High School, reflecting their graduation from that institution or an endorsement from a school official indicating that they are a candidate in the up-coming graduating class.
- b) Complete an essay or letter of approximately 1000 words in length addressing the following:
 - i. Why they believe they could benefit from this scholarship.
 - ii. What they intend to do after completion of their college education, including areas of public service and possible occupations
 - iii. Why they think that they represent the Rotary ideal of “Service Above Self”, including a listing of their public service accomplishments and goals,
 - iv. Why they believe that serving the public good is an important.
 - v. Any other accomplishments or personal attributes they want The Foundation board to consider in reviewing their application.

The H. R. Ty Robinson is not a need based scholarship and will be awarded based on merit in the sole discretion of The Foundation Board of Directors. All information in any transcripts, essays and other material submitted by applicants in the application process may be considered by The Foundation Board in reaching their award determination.

4. Application Schedule

Applications will be solicited in the spring of each year and the scholarship will be awarded in May or June with the recipient, if possible, attending a Missoula Area Rotary meeting to receive the award before the end of summer of the applicable year.

5. Additional Information and inquiries

Information about the H. R. Ty Robinson Scholarship is available from any Missoula Area Rotary Club, The Foundation (P.O Box 7113, Missoula, MT 59806). Missoula Area High School Counselors and the Admissions Officer at the University of Montana School of Law may also have additional information. Please make any request for information directed to the foundation in writing that includes necessary contact information.

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