

John and Lou Yoxen Academic Barry A. Smith Memorial and Adrienne Cox Scholarship 2026 Application Form

The Las Vegas Southwest Rotary Club will award one or more \$12,000 Academic Scholarship(s) to a graduating senior for the academic year 2025-2026 who intends to attend a public college or university in Nevada, i.e., UNLV, UNR, Nevada State College, College of Southern Nevada or other public college in Nevada. The \$1,500 scholarship (per semester) will be awarded on a per-semester basis and is renewable for up to 7 semesters of college as long as the applicant maintains a 3.0 GPA (on a 4.0 GPA maximum) and completes a minimum of 12 semester hours per semester. The scholarship will be paid directly to the school you are attending for your account.

Required eligibility requirements:

- 1. Graduating from a high school in Clark County, Nevada accredited by the Northwest Accreditation Commission
- 2. A minimum cumulative 3.25 GPA.
- 3. Family income no higher than \$100,000 and demonstrate a family or student financial need.

Desired eligibility requirements:

- 1. A minimum composite ACT score of 22 or a SAT score of 1100, if you did not take either the ACT or SAT please attach a statement elaborating what circumstances restricted or prevented you from taking those exams
- 2. Demonstrate leadership in school and/or community.
- 3. Must be a legal resident of the United States

To apply please send the completed scholarship packet postmarked by April 1, 2026:

- 1. Application form
- 2. A recent photo
- 3. Financial need statement, including the 1st page of IRS form 1040
- 4. Seven semester official transcript, including recent national test scores
- 5. Two letters of recommendation from other than a relative
- 6. A minimum 750 word essay on the topic "Why Las Vegas Southwest Rotary should award me this scholarship"

Incomplete and late applications will not be considered; please review your application carefully before your submission to:

Las Vegas Southwest Rotary Club c/o Troy Lochhead First American Title Company 8311 West Sunset Road Suite 100 Las Vegas, Nevada 89113



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STUDENT INFORMATION

Name of applicant	Last	First	M.I.
Social Security Numbe	r	Date of birth_	
Address			
	City	State	ZIP Code
High School of Enrolln	nent		
Parent or Guardian _		Relationshi	p
Address (if different from applicant)			
	City	State	ZIP Code
Home phone Email address where y	ou can be read	ell phone ched	
Are you a U.S. Citizen_ List your Alien registra	if no, ar ation number	e you an eligible no	n-citizen
Please list all post high	school institu	tions that you have	applied to:
Please list all scholarsh and/or received:	ips and/or gra	ants that you have a	pplied for
Signature of App	olicant	Date	



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Student Profile

Community Service – list the volunteer work you have completed during high school. Indicate the service organization and what you did.
Leadership in high school – list all positions you have held including the year. You can describe what you did in those leadership roles.
Awards and Honors – list all that you have received in high school and indicate what your grade level was when the award/honor was received.



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	Financial I	Need Statement	
Parent or guardia	n of applicant:		
	Last	First	M.I
Occupation		Employer	
Parent or guardia	n of applicant (other parent or guardian	if working
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Please add any information you this scholarship.	feel will strengthen your candidacy fo
Parent or guardian signature	Date



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	For S	School Of	ficial Use Only	
Rank in Cla	iss	Number in Class		<u> </u>
GPA cumul	ative	GPA weig	ghted	<u> </u>
SAT Scores	Critical Readin	- g	Math	Writing
ACT Score				
Signa	nture of School	l Official a	and Title	

Please attach the Official seven-semester transcript here.