



Rotary Club of Tukwila

The Rotary Motto -- *SERVICE ABOVE SELF*

Community Service Mission Statement

Rotary Club of Tukwila's mission is to help those in our local and world communities with the basic necessities of life: food, shelter, clothing, health care and education.

Fund Raising Events

Rotary Club of Tukwila organizes a number of fund raising events throughout the year. The money raised from these events is used to support many projects and programs in our local and international communities. Some of these include:

- Financial aid and professional support to the Tukwila Food Pantry, a local food bank serving needy families and individuals
- Delivering a dictionary to each third grader in three Tukwila elementary schools
- Serving Thanksgiving Dinner to senior citizens
- Supporting Interact, a service club for teenagers in local high schools
- Giving financial support to Rotary's international projects for clean drinking water and eradicating polio worldwide.
- Providing scholarships to young people seeking a higher education or financial assistance for those wanting to expand their knowledge through leadership and educational conferences.

Community Service Committee

Rotary Club of Tukwila is committed to making our community an excellent place in which to live and work. In addition to the many local service projects we conduct, our club also makes cash donations to nonprofit organizations which share our goal of community improvement. Each year, the Club's Board allocates a fixed amount of funds to be distributed by the Community Service Committee. With so many deserving organizations and individuals contacting the Rotary Club of Tukwila for financial assistance, the Community Service Committee has developed the following criteria to help determine who will get our support:

- We will focus on young people, children in need, and our education system.

- We will support organizations in Tukwila and surrounding communities.
- We will look for a tangible end result (e.g. building something, attending a conference, assisting a youth program, etc.).
- We will ask for response back either with a visit to our club or a letter with pictures to show how the money was used.

Procedure to Request Funds/Donations

If you feel your request is aligned with the Community Service Mission of our club, you may submit an application letter and include the following information:

- Organization Name
- Contact Information
- Organization's mission and recent activities
- Type of project for which funding is requested
- Number of people served or impacted by request
- Location of project
- Project beginning and end dates
- Total cost of project
- Amount of request to Rotary Club of Tukwila, typically a few hundred dollars up to \$1000.
- Sources and amounts of other funding raised for this project

Also include in your application letter a description of how your request meets the Community Service Mission of the Rotary Club of Tukwila.

Send your request to our Rotary Club address below or email request to:

communityservice@tukwilarotary.org

Requests will be processed after review by the Community Service Committee and acceptance by the members of the Rotary Club of Tukwila. We will do our best to grant funds for accepted projects within 60 days of request.

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