

Student Peace Awards of Frederick County, MD

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Dear {Sponsor},

The Student Peace Awards of Frederick County honors high school seniors who have made a positive contribution to their school or to the larger community by promoting conflict resolution, compassion, and respect for all people. One recipient is named by each participating school, for outstanding leadership in activities aimed at building community and deepening mutual understanding.

Launched in 2014-2015 with the participation of four high schools in southern Frederick County, the program was enthusiastically endorsed and expanded to serve 13 of the 15 public and private high schools in Frederick County. When the pandemic began, it was laid down by Friends Meeting School and will now be hosted by the Rotary Club of New Market. It will begin again with the high schools in the New Market area with the vision to expand in future years to include high schools throughout the county.

Each recipient of a Student Peace Award will receive \$250, plus a \$100 contribution to a charity of their choice. Awards will be presented at a public awards ceremony and peace conference in spring. They will also be recognized at their school's end-of-year recognition ceremony.

We are seeking community sponsors to support this program, reaching out to churches, civic groups, businesses, and non-profit organizations. Sponsors are asked to commit at least \$100, with the hope that they will continue this sponsorship on a yearly basis. Those able to contribute \$500 or more per year will be recognized as Sustaining Sponsors. Checks should be made out to The Rotary Club of New Market (with Student Peace Awards in the memo line) and submitted, if possible, by January 5, 2024 to the below address...

The Rotary Club of New Market
PO Box: 646
New Market, MD 21774

Sponsors will be recognized and honored at an awards ceremony in spring where they will have an opportunity to interact with the student nominees.

I am serving as sponsorship coordinator for the Student Peace Awards Planning Committee. If you have questions, please contact me directly or the committee at Peace@StudentPeaceAwards.org. We are grateful for your past support of this program, and warmly welcome your support.

Sincerely,

Annette Breiling
Sponsorship Coordinator
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