



**Rotary Club
of Alice
Springs**

Henley on Todd

Bangtail Muster

Melbourne Cup Sweep

**John Hawkins Memorial
Scholarship**

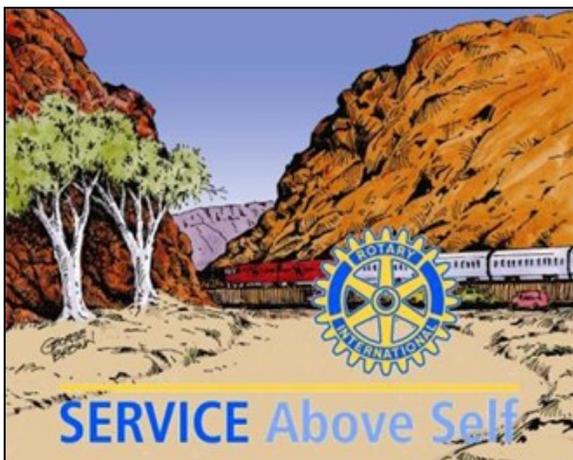
**Bill van Dijk Education
Encouragement Award**

The Rotary Club of Alice Springs has been working for the community of Alice Springs for 50 years.

Rotary is a worldwide network of inspired individuals who translate their passions into relevant social causes to change lives in communities.

If you would like to know more about the Alice Springs Rotary Club please email

secretary@alicespringsrotary.org

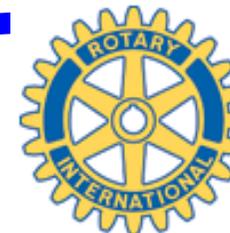


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**John Hawkins
Memorial
Scholarship**

**\$18,000
tertiary
scholarship**



Selection Criteria and Applications

In your cover letter clearly state how you meet the selection criteria which are listed on the website www.alicespringsrotary.org

You must include the following:

- Cover letter addressing the selection criteria (max 3 pages)
- Resume or CV (max 3 pages)
- A signed reference by the School Principal on official school letterhead
- Copies of your Year 11 & 12 school reports.

You may also wish to include:

- Copies of Awards or Certificates that show your service to the community (local and/or overseas)
- Signed references from community groups or organisations you are involved with.

Eligibility

Central Australian residents who will have completed Year 12 and will be studying a Bachelor degree at an approved tertiary institution in 2013 are eligible to apply for this scholarship.

This scholarship can not be deferred so only apply this year if you will start your studies in 2013.

If you accept the John Hawkins Memorial Scholarship, you agree to not accept other scholarships.

Scholarship Value

This Scholarship is worth \$18,000 and is payable in equal installments at the beginning of each semester over three years.

The first payment will be made on proof of acceptance at an approved tertiary institution. Subsequent payments will be made on submission of a short semester report, copy of results and proof of enrolment for the next semester.

Failure to gain admission or make satisfactory progress will result in discontinuation of the Scholarship.

Dr John Hawkins

Dr John Hawkins grew up in Tasmania where he trained as a Doctor. In 1961 he

came to Alice Springs and for many years he was the only surgeon in Alice Springs and on-call 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. In spite of this workload he made time to become involved in many community organisations, including the Rotary Club of Alice Springs.

Dr Hawkins was an enthusiastic film maker with many of his films shown on Australian television. He was also the President of the Alice Springs Film Society. He organised film festivals in Alice Springs, and was approached by the BBC to work with them.

He died of a heart attack while canoeing in Katherine Gorge in 1979 at the age of 51. Dr Hawkins was described as a man who gave life to the community. He is remembered by this scholarship and the John Hawkins Lecture Theatre at the Alice Springs Hospital.

Closing Date

Applications must be received before **5pm Friday 30th November 2012.**

Late applications will not be considered for the Scholarship.

**The Chairperson
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