

NOMINATION PACKAGE



THE CLIFF DOCHTERMAN AWARD

A Scouting Service Award for Rotarians and Rotaractors

**Administered by:
THE INTERNATIONAL FELLOWSHIP OF SCOUTING ROTARIANS
(IFSR)**

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Award Information and Requirements

The Cliff Dochterman Award is an honor available to recognize an individual Rotarian or Rotaractor who acts as a role model and renders distinguished and dedicated service to Scouting through active service, leadership or other exemplary contributions to the Scout Association of his or her home country; or, internationally, to any WOSM or WAGGGS recognized Scouting Association.

The Cliff Dochterman Award is named in honor of distinguished Rotarian, former RI President and dedicated Scouter Cliff Dochterman of Moraga, California, USA. A brief biographical sketch of Dr. Dochterman appears on the back page of this nomination package.

A nominee for the Dochterman Award must be a Rotarian in good standing, nominated by a local Rotary Club, by the Governor of a Rotary District or by the International Chair of the IFSR. The nominee need not be a registered member of any scout association to receive the award. No more than one individual may be nominated by a local club per year (JULY 1-JUNE 30), except that where a Rotary Club continuously exceeds 50 members in any one year, one additional Rotarian or Rotaractor may be nominated by the club in that year (JULY 1-JUNE 30). If the club nominates a Rotaractor, membership in that individual's Rotaract Club may be used to determine eligibility for a second nomination. Rotary District Governors may nominate one Rotarian each year (JULY 1-JUNE 30), in addition to nominations from the local clubs in his/her district. The IFSR International Chair may nominate up to three Rotarians per year (JULY 1 –JUNE 30) to receive the award.

In keeping with the objectives and principles of both Rotary and Scouting to encourage character development, leadership, citizenship and personal growth for youth, this award is presented to a qualified Rotarian who has displayed distinguished service and outstanding dedication to the program of Scouting through:

- 1) Contributions to the character development, leadership, citizenship and personal growth of members of the scouting association through programs, training or organization;
- 2) Assisting Rotary clubs in forming scouting units;
- 3) Exemplifying the 4-Way Test;
- 4) Recruiting and training volunteer scouting leaders; and
- 5) Strengthening the relationship between Rotary and Scouting.

Work accomplishment, dedication & relationships, rather than a specific number of years in Scouting or Rotary, are the major criteria for this award. The official nomination form (available from the IFSR Website, or from the IFSR Executive Secretary) must be used and endorsed by: the Local or National Council (or District, depending on the country's organization) of the Scout Association, indicating that the nominee's service to scouting is genuine and fairly represented by the application; **and** by the President of the candidate's Rotary Club, or the Governor of his or her Rotary District, or the International Chair of the IFSR.

The IFSR Executive Secretary will receive nominations, certify the nominating process and obtain endorsement of the award on behalf of the IFSR. The Secretary will maintain an inventory of awards and certificates and will send the award to the nominating person/organization upon the receipt of payment for the award device. The completed application and funds to cover the cost of the award shall be sent the IFSR International Secretary for review and issuance of the award, which consists of a certificate and a bronze medal hanging from a blue and yellow neck ribbon. Please see the accompanying "Nomination Procedures" for details of this process.

Scouting Associations may permit the wearing of the Dochterman Award devices in recognition of this award as part of the official uniform of the Association. This award is approved for the Boy Scouts of America Community Organization Award Knot.

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Nomination and Award Procedures

Nominations for the Cliff Dochterman Award may be made by:

1. A local Rotary Club: A Rotary club may nominate only one Rotarian or Rotaractor for the Cliff Dochterman Award each year (JULY 1-JUNE 30). However, any club whose membership exceeds fifty Rotarians continuously during the year (JULY 1-JUNE 30) may nominate one additional Rotarian or Rotaractor for that year. If a club nominates a Rotaractor, membership in that individual's Rotaract club may be added to the Rotary club membership for the purposes of determining eligibility for a second award.
2. A Rotary District Governor: In addition to any nominations made by clubs in a Rotary District, the District Governor is accorded one nomination each year (JULY 1-JUNE 30) to a deserving Rotarian not otherwise nominated for the award by a local club.
3. The Chairman of the International Fellowship of Scouting Rotarians: The IFSR Chair may nominate a maximum of three Rotarians each year (JULY 1-JUNE 30) to receive the Dochterman Award.

Nominations will be made on the official nomination form, provided by the IFSR on its website at www.ifsr-net.org, or by mail, upon request, to the IFSR Executive Secretary at:

International Fellowship of Scouting Rotarians (IFSR)
P.O. Box 19982, San Diego CA 92159-0982 USA

Mail completed nomination to the IFSR Executive Secretary at the above postal address accompanied by:

- A **check in the amount of US\$50.00** payable to International Fellowship of Scouting Rotarians (IFSR)

OR

- Credit card (MasterCard or VISA only) filling in all information below and submitting with nomination form. The amount charged for a **credit card transaction will be US\$52.50 per nomination**. (US\$50.00 plus a 5% handling fee)

TOTAL CREDIT CARD: US\$ 52.50

If you would prefer payment by credit card, fill in all information below.

CREDIT CARD #

☐ VISA

☐ MC

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EXP DATE

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NAME ON CARD _____

CREDIT CARD BILLING STREET ADDRESS _____ COUNTRY/ POSTAL CODE _____

SIGNATURE _____

Billing appears as "R & S Meeting Management"

Upon receipt and approval of the completed nomination and necessary funds, a certificate will be printed with the name of the recipient as listed on nomination form. The certificate will be mailed along with the award – a bronze medal suspended on a blue and yellow neck ribbon – to the nominating person/organization at the address provided on the nomination form.

Please note the nomination form requires the endorsement of the home Rotary club of the nominee; and of the scout association, council or district benefiting from the service of the nominee. These endorsements must be obtained by the nominating party prior to submitting the nomination to IFSR for approval. IFSR will confirm the endorsements by mail or phone and approve the award. Please allow a minimum of four - six weeks for approval and shipment.

Questions may be directed to the IFSR Executive Secretary at (619) 461-6338 or to the IFSR address shown above. The Secretary will report annually to the IFSR and BSA, or to any Scout Association requesting such a report, on awards issued, recipients and the date awarded.



Clifford L. Dochterman **President, Rotary International, 1992-93**



Cliff Dochterman served as the President of Rotary International during 1992-93. His professional career in higher education administration included 20 years at the University of California in Berkeley and 20 years at the University of the Pacific.

Dr. Dochterman is the recipient of the George Washington Honor Medal of The Freedoms Foundation of Valley Forge for his contributions to the American way of life.

Cliff earned the Eagle Scout award in 1939 in the Central Ohio Council just before he reached his 14th birthday. He was President of the 49er Council (now the Greater Yosemite Council) from about 1975 to 1980. His son is also an Eagle Scout. Cliff was Camp Chief for the Western Region at the 1981 National Scout Jamboree at Fort A.P. Hill in Virginia and Assistant Chief at the 1977 Jamboree at Moraine State Park in Pennsylvania. He served on the Executive Board and several committees of the Western Region, BSA.

He has been awarded three of the highest honors of the Boy Scouts of America, the Silver Beaver, Silver Antelope (1981) and Distinguished Eagle (1991) awards. Cliff was presented the Silver Wheel award of the International Fellowship of Scouting Rotarians in 2003.

Cliff also served as president of the Stockton Chamber of Commerce, and chairman of the San Joaquin County Parks and Recreation Commission.

For 45 years, Cliff Dochterman has been a leader in Rotary International. He has served on virtually every committee of Rotary, including Chairman of the original 3-H Committee, the New Horizons Committee, the Dreams of the Future committee, and the Strategic Planning Committee. He most recently served as the Chairman of Rotary's Centennial Operations Committee, which planned the observances of RI's 100th Anniversary events culminating in 2005.

As the world President of Rotary International, he was honored and decorated by the heads of state of many nations for his personal contributions to goodwill and understanding in the world. Rotary International has presented him with its Distinguished Service Award and the Polio Plus Pioneers Award for his humanitarian work throughout the world and his early leadership in creating the Polio Plus program. He is author of the booklet, "The ABCs of Rotary."

From 1993 to 1999 he was a Trustee of The Rotary Foundation, and served as Chairman of The Rotary Foundation during 1997-98. He was chairman of Rotary 2001 Council on Legislation. As world president of Rotary, he created the theme, "Real Happiness Is Helping Others".

It is with great pride and appreciation that the IFSR awards this recognition to exemplary Rotarians and Scouters in the name of Dr. Clifford L. Dochterman.

Cliff Dochterman Award Nomination Form

The Rotarian named below is hereby nominated to receive the Cliff Dochterman Award. The name as listed is how the name will appear on the award certificate.

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First Name

M.I.

Last Name

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Address

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City

State

Country / Postal Code

The above-named Rotarian is nominated by:

****Note: The award will be shipped to the nominator unless otherwise directed****

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Name of Nominating Person/Organization

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Mailing Address

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City

State/Province

Country/Postal Code

Email address:

Telephone:

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Nominator (please print in English)

Nominator Signature

Date

Nominating Person / Organization must obtain the following endorsements:

1. Rotary Service Endorsement:

I/We certify that _____,
named as the award nominee above, is a Rotarian in good standing and a member of the
_____ Rotary Club, District # _____.

Name of Club President or District Governor (please print in English)

Position/Title

Signature of Club President or District Governor

Date

Business Phone Number

2. Scouting Service Endorsement:

As the Association Executive responsible for the Scouting organization benefiting from the service and contribution of the named Rotarian, I certify that

_____, the above-named nominee
has rendered distinguished service to scouting as noted in this application, and I hereby endorse this application and nomination.

Name of Scout Executive / Designee (please print in English)

Organization / Council Name

Signature of Scout Executive / Designee

Date

Business Phone Number

Summary of the Rotary Service of the Nominated Rotarian:

(Include here a list and/or narrative including dates/length of Rotary service/membership; offices held; and awards and honors received. Please attach additional sheets.)

Summary of the Scouting Service of the Nominated Rotarian:

(Include here a list and/or narrative including Scouting service/membership; positions held; awards and honors received; and a description of the special service performed which the award recognizes. Please attach additional sheets.)

Accomplishments in strengthening relationships:

(This is the critical area for eligibility determination. Write a brief statement as to why this Nominee should be considered for the Cliff Dochterman Award. Please attach additional sheets.)

IFSR USE ONLY: Review and Endorsement

Award # _____

_____ IFSR Date Received

For the International Chair, IFSR

_____ IFSR Date Approved

_____ IFSR Date Shipped