

GOOD TO KNOW

Club assembly — A meeting to discuss the club's programs and activities. Open to all club members.

District conference — An annual motivational meeting that showcases club and district activities. Open to all Rotarians in that district and their families.

Interact — Service and social clubs for youth ages 12 to 18 that are sponsored by Rotary clubs.

PolioPlus — The Rotary Foundation program focused on global polio eradication efforts.

ProjectLINK — A database at www.rotary.org that lists Rotary service projects needing volunteer or financial assistance. Also highlights model projects from around the world.

Rotaract — Service and social clubs for young adults ages 18 to 30 that are sponsored by Rotary clubs.

Rotarian Action Groups — International groups of individuals who share a passion for a humanitarian issue or service activity. An example is the Water and Sanitation Rotarian Action Group.

Rotary Community Corps (RCC) — Groups of non-Rotarians who work on service projects for their communities. Organized and sponsored by Rotary clubs.

Rotary Fellowships — International groups of individuals who share a vocational or recreational interest. An example is the International Skiing Fellowship of Rotarians.

Rotary Foundation, The — The philanthropic arm of Rotary International. Helps Rotarians advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through humanitarian projects and educational programs.

Rotary Foundation Board of Trustees — The 15 Rotarians who manage the business of The Rotary Foundation, led by the trustee chair. Appointed by the RI president, with agreement from the RI Board, to four-year terms.

Rotary International (RI) — The international association composed of 34,000 Rotary clubs in nearly every country of the world. Headquartered in Evanston, Illinois, USA, with international offices on four continents.

RI Board of Directors — The 19 Rotarians who set policy for Rotary International. Elected to two-year terms.

RI Convention — An annual celebration of Rotary and Rotarian accomplishments. Held in a different location around the world each year. Open to all Rotarians and their families.

RI president — The Rotarian who presides over the RI Board. Elected to a one-year term.

Rotary Peace Centers — Programs at eight universities around the world that offer advanced degrees and professional certificates in peace and conflict resolution.

Rotary Peace Fellow — A recipient of a Rotary Foundation scholarship for study at one of the Rotary Peace Centers.

Rotary's US\$200 Million Challenge — The fundraising effort to match challenge grants from the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation in support of polio eradication.

Rotary Youth Exchange — A cultural exchange program for youth ages 15 to 19. Exchanges can last from one week to one year.

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) — Leadership training and recognition activities conducted by Rotary clubs or districts for youth and young adults ages 14 to 30.

Rotary Endowment - A 501(c)(3) charitable corporation managed locally by Morgan Hill Rotarians to support Rotary service projects and charitable grants.



Rotary Youth Leadership Academy (Also a "RYLA")- A one week long summer leadership training program for selected high school students sponsored annually by District 5170.

Our motto, **SERVICE ABOVE SELF**, embodies our humanitarian spirit. Rotary's Avenues of Service guide our activities:

- Through **Club Service**, we have fun, build lasting friendships, and make sure that our club runs well.
- Through **Vocational Service**, we volunteer our professional skills to serve others and promote integrity in everything we do.
- Through **Community Service**, we address local needs and work with our community to bring lasting improvements.
- Through **International Service**, we meet humanitarian needs around the globe and promote world understanding and peace.
- Through **New Generations Service**, we work with young people to help them become the next generation of leaders, visionaries, and peacemakers.

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST, created by a Rotarian, underscores our commitment to integrity:

Of the things we think, say or do

- 1) Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2) Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
- 3) Will it build **GOODWILL** and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS**?
- 4) Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



As a Rotarian, you are **WELCOME** to attend any Rotary club meeting, anywhere in the world. Use the Club Locator tool at www.rotary.org or the free mobile Rotary Club Locator app to find clubs, meeting times, and locations.

I've become much more internationally focused and understand that there's so much more I can do as part of a bigger whole than I could ever do on my own.

— Toni McAndrew, Rotary Club of Mid-Valley (Dickson City), Pennsylvania, USA