

(New Member)

**VALPARAISO ROTARY CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION**  
**PLEASE PRINT -- COMPLETE WHERE POSSIBLE**

Full name of proposed member: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of spouse/partner: \_\_\_\_\_ Classification: \_\_\_\_\_

(To be completed by Club Secretary)

Birthdate: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Hobbies: \_\_\_\_\_

**Business Affiliation:**

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

How long: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

**Residence:** \_\_\_\_\_

How long: \_\_\_\_\_

City/Zip: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Educational Background: \_\_\_\_\_

Degrees: \_\_\_\_\_

Civic Organizations: \_\_\_\_\_

Rotary History: Previous Club \_\_\_\_\_ Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Classification: \_\_\_\_\_ Induction date: \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Proposed by: \_\_\_\_\_  
(printed name)

Co-Sponsors: \_\_\_\_\_ Co-Sponsors: \_\_\_\_\_  
(printed name) (printed name)

Please list any past military experience or affiliations: \_\_\_\_\_

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Proposed Member \_\_\_\_\_  
(printed)

**Object of Rotary**

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and in particular, to encourage and foster:

**FIRST.** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

**SECOND.** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian’s occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

**THIRD.** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian’s personal, business, and community life;

**FOURTH.** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship and business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

Rotary Motto: ***“He Profits Most Who Serves Best”*** and ***“Service Above Self”***.

**The 4-Way Test**

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?

**Financial Requirements**

1. A one-time Admission Fee - \$100.00
2. Dues - \$200.00 per year
3. Weekly fines - \$5.00
4. Rotary International Foundation – The Every Rotarian Every Year Campaign (EREY) strongly suggests an annual contribution of at least \$100 to the Rotary International Foundation. Contributions can be more than \$10 or less, depending on ability to contribute, but \$100 is recommended. A Paul Harris Fellow (named after Rotary’s founder) is any member who historically has given \$1000 to the Rotary Foundation.
5. Valparaiso Rotary Memorial Foundation - Auction

**Attendance Requirements**

Regular attendance is essential to a strong and active Rotary Club. 100% is the goal but 60% is mandatory.

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The above has been discussed with proposed member on this date \_\_\_\_\_.

Signed: Proposed Member \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature)

Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature)

Co-Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature)

Co-Sponsor \_\_\_\_\_  
(signature)