

Application for Membership

Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale

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Date: (M)____/(D)____/(Y)_____ Proposer's Name: _____

Proposed Member Name: _____

Proposed Classification: (Profession/Vocation) _____

Occupation/Title: _____

Company Name: _____

Business Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Email Address: _____

Residential Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Cell Phone Carrier*: _____ **please include your carrier if you wish to receive club text messages*

Date of Birth: (M)____/(D)____/(Y)_____ Spouse/Partner Name: _____

If rejoining or former Rotarian, list most recent club information:

Previous Club name: _____

Rotary International ID #: _____ Years: _____

Paul Harris Fellow (circle one): YES NO

If an RI Program Participant or Foundation Alumnus/a, List program(s) and date(s):

Activities that would enhance consideration as a Rotarian:

Please complete the first two pages of this packet, including the checklist, signature, and endorsements from 2 directors and your proposer, prior to submitting this application to the Board of Directors for review and approval of membership.

For office use only: ___ Regular member ___ New Generation member ___ Transfer member ___ Rule of 85

5 Avenues of Service

Rotary's commitment to Service Above Self is channeled through the Avenues of Service, which form the Foundation of club activity. Please indicate your interests by checking at least TWO activities you would like participate in:

CLUB SERVICE: MEMBERSHIP

- Member Orientation & Development Member Retention Meeting Greeter

CLUB SERVICE: COMMUNICATIONS & PUBLIC RELATIONS

- Club Public & Media Relations Weekly Meeting e-Announcements Club Website/Facebook

CLUB SERVICE: FUNDRAISING ACTIVITIES

- Sponsorship Committee Pirate Fest Raffle
 Golf Classic Other Fundraising Events

CLUB SERVICE: ADMINISTRATION

- Grants Committee Social & Sporting Activities Song (opening song at luncheon)
 News & Financial Updates Front Desk Registration Non-sectarian opening prayer
 Speakers Committee Club By-laws, Policy & Procedures

CLUB SERVICE: DISTRICT 6990 ACTIVITIES

- District Relations Grants-District

COMMUNITY SERVICE: PROJECTS

- Thanksgiving Baskets Turkeys Take Flight Salvation Army Bell ringing
 Challenge Air Holiday Toy Drive Have a Heart Campaign
 Literacy Power of One Hour

COMMUNITY SERVICE: SCHOLARSHIPS

- Scholarship Committee Scholar Connect Committee

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE: ROTARY INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION / INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

- RI Foundation Education Paul Harris Fellows Annual Fund/Perm Fund Giving
 Group Study Exchange Water Projects

YOUTH SERVICE: YOUTH PROGRAMS

- Roteract Interact Youth Exchange
 Hosting Youth Exchange

X _____
 SIGNATURE OF PROPOSER PRINT NAME DATE

X _____
 SIGNATURE OF CLUB OFFICER PRINT NAME DATE

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I hereby certify that I am qualified for active membership by my current or former status as a business, professional, or community leader, or as a Rotary Foundation alumnus/a. I understand that if accepted for membership it will be my duty to exemplify the Object of Rotary in all my daily contacts and activities and to abide by the constitutional documents of Rotary International and the Club. I accept the Expectations of Membership, including the Commitment of Time and Talent and Commitment of Dollars. I hereby give permission to the club to publish my name and proposed classification to its membership.

X _____
 SIGNATURE OF PROPOSED MEMBER PRINT NAME DATE

Expectations of Membership

All members accept the **Four Way Test** as the cornerstone of all action, keeping these four brief questions in mind in all decisions we make: 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?

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

Commitment of Time and Talent

REQUIRED: Service Above Self

1. Complete the Red Badge Scorecard by attending at least one New Member Orientation meeting and part 1 of Rotary Leadership Training Institute and at least 5 of the 8 optional assignments on the scorecard. The program can be completed in as little as 6 months, but averages as much as 8-12 months.
2. Maintain a minimum attendance record of 50% at regular lunch meetings. This requirement may be met in the following ways:
 - Attend a regularly scheduled Rotary meeting anywhere in the world
 - Attend a club committee meeting
 - Volunteer at a Rotary activity or event
 - Attend an official Rotary social event
 - Perform a fund raising activity for the Club and/or the 1090 Foundation
 - Attend other official District, Zone or International Rotary Activity

RECOMMENDED:

1. Participate in at least one community service project annually
2. Serve on at least one non-fundraising community service committee
3. Buy or sell at least five raffle tickets annually
4. Participate in a fundraising event or activity as a volunteer or sponsor, register for the event or encourage others to do so
5. Participate in the annual Installation Dinner & Silent Auction
6. Participate in at least one Rotary Club social event annually
7. Introduce at least one new prospective member to the club annually

Commitment of Dollars

REQUIRED:

1. Initiation fee of \$100 and Deposit of \$280 (total \$380) upon joining
2. Quarterly dues of \$280 payable at the beginning of each quarter. Dues include the cost of regular lunch meetings (subject to adjustments at the discretion of the Board of Directors).

EXPECTED:

1. Quarterly donation of \$25 (\$100 per annum) to the Rotary Foundation as a Sustaining Member. When the accrued contributions reach \$1,000, the Sustaining Member becomes a Paul Harris Fellow. All Sustaining Member contributions are donated to the Rotary International Foundation, Inc. a 501 (c)3 corporation.

EXPECTED RANGE OF ANNUAL SPENDING:

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| 1. Annual Raffle Tickets | \$ 0 - \$ 500 |
| 2. Registration for Fundraising Activities | \$ 20 - \$175 |
| 3. Social Events | \$ 0 - \$150 |
| 4. Successful bids at silent auction | \$ 50 - \$1,000 ++ |

As an active member in the Rotary Club of Fort Lauderdale expect to maintain an annual budget of \$1,500 to \$2,000.