

# ADVANTAGES OF MEMBERSHIP

There are numerous reasons to become a Rochester Rotarian. Whatever your interest, we can accommodate from networking to community service and friendship.

**As a member, you'll benefit from:**

**The best speakers.**

Our weekly Tuesday luncheons draw the top experts in their fields, from the community, the state and across the country. Each week, Rotarians enrich their professional and personal knowledge and gain exclusive insight into the most significant issues and topics of the day.



**Business networking.**

Many Rotarians prefer to do business with fellow Rotarians. It can be a terrific opportunity to grow your business. Our meetings enable members to meet other business leaders, and we routinely give members the opportunity to promote their business before the membership.



**Many service opportunities.**

Much of our work is done at the committee level where members are directly engaged in club efforts to help children. Service-focused opportunities include the Sunshine Campus and School #8. Event-focused service opportunities include an annual golf tournament, the RPO Gala, the Sunshine Kids Gala and more.



**Global reach.**

Rochester Rotary is part of the world's first service organization. Rotary International comprises more than 33,000 clubs with more than 1.2 million members in more than 200 countries.



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# WHERE THE LEADERS ARE

For more than 100 years, the Rochester Rotary Club has been the service organization of choice for leaders of the community. Since its inception, Rochester Rotary has boasted a “who’s who” of the Flower City – leaders from every sector of the community: business and industry, education, human service, government, and more.

That is still true today. Our members’ volunteer spirit, generosity and commitment to community service remain vibrant. Through Rotary, Rochester’s leaders strive to achieve our mission of enriching the lives of Rochester’s youth, people with disabilities and our world neighbors.

Many service organizations do great things in Greater Rochester, but if you are a business or community leader looking to make a real difference...

**Rochester Rotary is where the leaders are.**



# SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Today, more than 350 professional men and women actively participate in projects, activities and club committees that serve young people and people of all ages with disabilities. Every activity we undertake carries out the Rotary motto of “Service Above Self.”

Two hallmarks of our community service are the Rochester Rotary Sunshine Campus and our partnership with Roberto Clemente School #8.

Rochester Rotary Sunshine Camp is a free, residential summer camp meeting the needs of children with physical disabilities and their families. The 157-acre Sunshine Campus in Rush, New York, is the “community’s camp,” as 5,700 people from more than 75 not-for-profit organizations use the facility every year.

Roberto Clemente School #8 is our adopted school in the City of Rochester. Rochester Rotarians are at the school just about every day, tutoring students, reading to them, providing library books or winter clothing, offering field trips to area businesses and mentoring. Rotary also provides scholarship opportunities for School #8 students.

# MEMBERSHIP CRITERIA

We always are looking for individuals who will help continue to grow our club. Rotary is an inclusive club, but there are some qualifications for membership.

## CANDIDATES MUST:

- Be a committed leader in the community
- Be a CEO or senior manager and/or a significant decision-maker within an organization, or a highly regarded member of your profession
- Meet the financial responsibilities of Rotary
- Participate in Rotary’s activities in the community

# ARE YOU READY FOR ROTARY?

If you are a leader of today and tomorrow, Rotary is ready for you.

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