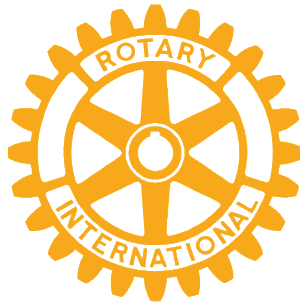


Rotary

District 6060



PEOPLE OF ACTION

March Newsletter

Theme of the month – *Water and Sanitation*

Notes from the Governor

If I have visited your club over the last few months you have heard me talk about Change and Growing Rotary. Personal change that is required of each of us to support the greater change that our Rotary Club can achieve.

And Growing Rotary is more than simply adding members. It is growing 'as Rotarians' from within. To strengthen our members and our clubs to be better informed, brighter, and more attractive to those around us. A growing, knowledgeable and vibrant club will have the best chance of attracting new members.

Check out more news from our RI leaders in the March *Rotarian* – RIP Mark article, RIPE Holger article

Changing for the future, words from our RI President-elect

“---Knaack also urged members to embrace change so Rotary can expand and thrive. Rather than setting a specific target for increasing the number of members, Knaack said he’s asking clubs and districts to think about how to grow in a sustainable and organic way. He wants clubs to focus on keeping current members engaged and adding new members who are the right fit for their club.”

Rotary Youth Leadership Awards/Academy

Registration for this summer **RYLA** sessions is now open. Registration deadline is April 30,2020.

Session 1: Sunday, June 28 to Wednesday, July 1

Session 2: Sunday, July 12 to Wednesday, July 15

Visit missourirylya.com

RI Strategic Plan

Increase Our Impact
People of Action are effective problem-solvers.

Expand Our Reach
People of Action activate and inspire one another
Enhance Participant Engagement
People of Action strive to understand the needs of others
Increase Our Ability to Adapt
People of Action are inventive, entrepreneurial, and resilient

Learn more about how you can use the RI 'Action Plan' to make your club more vibrant.

<https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/about-rotary/strategic-plan>

District Multi Year Plans

Last April our District held a multi-year planning session. Throughout this year our District leaders have been reviewing our progress and focusing on continued development.

- Train Assistant Governors on Roles and Responsibilities
- Designate budget to promote Rotary in the District
- Hold a District 'Day of Service'
- Hold Regional Meetings, District Assemblies
- Develop an RLI/Young Professionals Leadership Academy
- Provide guidance on Club Expansion/Satellite Clubs

This is our focus on the next three years. Ambitious, yes. Let's work together to not only make our clubs vibrant, but to make our District vibrant.

Plus - Club strategic planning

There is a great resource on Rotary.org – My Rotary to assist clubs with Strategic Planning. Visit the website at

<https://my.rotary.org/en/manage/club-district-administration> for the details and the 'Strategic Planning Guide' document.

District 'The Rotary Foundation' news

WHAT IS THE PAUL HARRIS SOCIETY?

The Paul Harris Society recognizes donors from around the world who notify The Rotary Foundation of their intention to **contribute \$1,000 or more every year** to the Annual Fund, PolioPlus Fund, or approved global grants.

Make your personal commitment to contribute today. Completing the form on the Paul Harris Society's webpage at rotary.org/paulharrissociety (look for the JOIN button to open the form)

Notes from Sue Cobb, District Foundation Chair -

1. Thank you to the many clubs and individual Rotarians who contributed to meet the needs in Australia. Clubs and individuals donated \$4603 and the District Foundation fund contributed \$3000. Our \$7603 donation will be used by District 9570 Rotarians to provide their local farmers with water and food for livestock suffering from the recent drought and devastating wild fires. Thank you for stepping up to help fellow Rotarians in Australia.
2. CAP grant applications are due by June 15. It's helpful to submit your application early in case any revisions need to be made. The applications and requirements are on the District website: <https://rotary6060.org/cap-grants/>. Email completed applications to rotary6060capgrants@gmail.com. Remember that a club is eligible to apply for a CAP grant only if the 2020-21 club president has completed CAP Grant Training. The final opportunity for this training is Saturday, March 28 following PETS training in Jefferson City. RSVP to Sue Cobb by text or email: 636-284-4686, scobb@mail.win.org.

District Foundation Chair Available for Club Presentations

Sue Cobb is available to make a presentation to your club about the work of our Rotary Foundation. Learn how Rotarians are changing the world through the Rotary Foundation. Contact Sue at 636-284-4686 or scobb@mail.win.org.

Rotary's tomorrow depends on what we do today. You can be an important part of the Foundation's next century of serving humanity by including a gift to Rotary's Endowment in your estate plan. Visit rotary.org/legacy for more information.

Training

View the updated [course catalog](#) for a complete list of courses in the Learning Center. When we increase our Rotary knowledge we increase our ability to **GROW** Rotary.

Attention all club members. Wish your club President-elect, President-nominee, and Secretary well as they prepare to attend Show Me Rotary Leadership Institute (PETS) in Jefferson City on March 27 and 28.

'When we say out loud that we don't know, it increases the likelihood that someone who does know will help.'

Recognition/Awards

Recognizing Rotarians and community leaders for accomplishments is a great way to support the ideals of Rotary. Check out the website reference below for awards your club might consider.

<https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/awards#recognizenonrotarians>

Membership notes

Visit RI Learning Center for tips on membership growth at <https://my.rotary.org/en/learning-reference/learn-topic/membership>

Check this out – <http://www.rotaryleader-en.org/rotaryleader-en/en?pg=6#pg6>

Rotary Leadership Institute

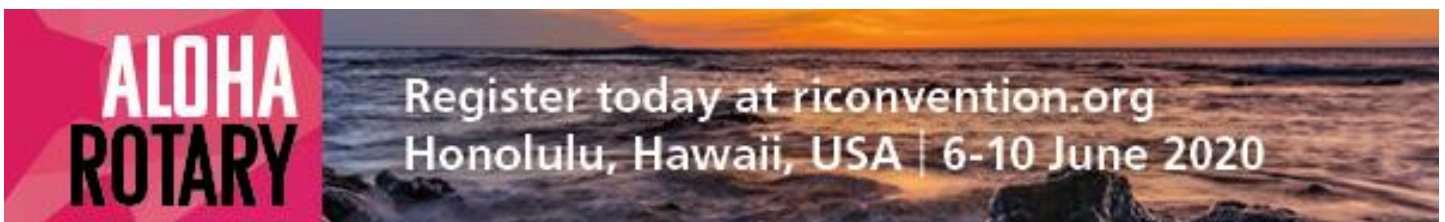
Our next RLI will be held on Saturday, April 18, at East Central College, Union. Visit hoa-rli.org to register.

The world of Rotary is much bigger than just your club and district, and there are numerous Rotary resources designed to give Rotarians access to tools, services, expertise and ideas that will help them deliver needed services and support to their communities. One of those resources is the Rotary Leadership Institute (RLI).

Rotary International Convention

The clock is ticking! **Don't wait any longer** to complete your plans to attend this years International Convention in Hawaii.

<http://www.riconvention.org/en/honolulu>



Club Highlights

Washington

March 25 – Radio Auction – NOW on-line visit <https://www.washingtonrotary.com/project/radio-auction/>

High Ridge

March 14 St Patrick's Day Dance, Knights of Columbus Hall, House Springs, doors open at 6, flyer attached

Webster Groves

April 13 Trivia night

Poplar Bluff

April Spaghetti Day – contact club for more information

St Charles

March 28, 2020 -Trivia Night 'Through the Decades', Hope Lutheran Church. Visit stcharlesrotary.org for more information.

Crestwood-Sunset Hills

Golf anyone? – evening league now forming. Contact club for information

[Thank you for all of the club submissions.](#)

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