

DISTRICT 5790 INSTITUTE FOR LEADERSHIP



Dear Fellow Rotarians,

Our District has embarked on an exciting new program – we look to you and your club to play a key role. The reviews of the first two classes were great –

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Todd Tubbs, Rotary Club of Cleburne

We call this program “Rotary International District 5790 Institute for Leadership”, or simply I f L – designed to develop the skills that help individuals become great leaders in Rotary and our communities; it now is an official Rotary International emphasis. Some people are describing it as a RYLA program for Rotarians,

The program is a highly interactive two day session about the dynamic process of leading. This is not material that can be learned through texts or by attending PETS nor does it duplicate any training previously offered in our district.

The next program will be held at the DFW Marriott (near Texas Motors Speedway), for leaders at *all* levels from *all* Rotary Clubs in District 5790.

Saturday, October 17	9:30 am - evening
Sunday, October 18	8:30 am – 5:00 pm

We accept only 24 participants, so enroll now! The tuition fee per student is \$299.00 which includes everything: books, materials, food, hotel, etc. There will be two students per room, but we can make provisions for single occupancy for an additional fee of \$50.00 per person. Even if a student lives locally, he/she needs to stay in the hotel as part of the learning experience. The logistics of the course are detailed in the enclosed Registration Form.

Each Rotary Club will be given the opportunity to send members, please encourage registration as soon as possible using the enclosed Rotary District 5790 I f L Application. We suggest that the club pay for the tuition. Should you have any additional questions, please contact any of the I f L Committee Members.

Yours in Rotary Service,

Chuck

A program to help develop the personal leadership skills of Rotary club members, enhance their professional lives and nurture future Rotary leaders

Committee members

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What They Said About the Institute for Leadership

I really enjoyed the class. Like most everything Rotary, the class was very well done.

As a president elect, I have been very nervous about becoming president. I never really had a "desire" to be president. The class gave me insights into myself and club members who are willing and able to participate in the success of my club.

We all have different strengths and weaknesses. I am blessed to be in a very strong and active club, and will not find it difficult to surround myself with members who are eager to help.

I have already caught myself being more aware of how I deal with other people as a result of this class

Thank you all for all the hard work and preparation that went into this class. I have new confidence because of what I learned.

Danny Steffer
Phillips Electric, Inc.
Rotary Club of Arlington Sunrise

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I think the one thing I took away from the IFL was, being in charge doesn't necessarily mean you are a leader. A leader needs a clear vision, consensus, and effective communication. I've become more aware of what is needed to lead, and how to be more effective with delegation and empowerment.

Don Proctor
Rotary Club of Arlington

Many thanks to you and the IFL facilitators. The meeting with the other PE's and presidents was very helpful. We all have the same problem of recruitment and retention. The training has given me new tools that I can apply in my presidency to overcome this common woe. I appreciate you and the others giving up your weekend to bring Rotary to the forefront of our thinking. I am greatly honored to be in first graduation class of Rotary International Institute for Leadership.

Richard Boone
Rotary Club of Arlington West

What I found was that the information presented was also very useful to me in my own career pursuits. The camaraderie I experienced with the other participants inspired me to think bigger about the role I can play in meeting the challenges faced by the nonprofit I lead, by my Club, and by the community in which I live. Thanks to all the facilitators who led the Institute and thanks to you for encouraging me to attend.

Steve Dutton
President and Chief Executive Officer
The Villages at Samaritan House
Rotary Club of Fort Worth

The IFL or as I call it "RYLA for Rotarian's" assisted my ability to "listen" better to others in a group to assist in achieving common goals. Sometimes a leader will lead a group and sometimes a leader will follow the leadership of others. Side note...my wife actually has been speaking to me all these years (21) and now that I am listening properly I can actually comprehend what she is saying...amazing.

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Thank you very much for the IFL is was a truly rewarding experience.

Brian Cotter, RLA, ASLA
Cotter Associates, LLC
Rotary Club of Great South West Arlington

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APPLICATION – October 17,18 2009 Institute

Name _____

Mailing
Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip _____

Contact Numbers:

Home _____

Work _____

Cell _____

Email address _____

Rotary Club of: _____

The cost for the two day I f L workshop including meals and double occupancy lodging is \$299.00. Single Occupancy is available – add \$50.00

**Location:
Dallas Fort Worth Marriott Hotel and Resort (across from Texas Motors Speedway)**

You must register by September 15, 2009

(we will handle all reservations)

Mail registration to:

**Rotary District 5790 I f L
P.O. Box 150623
Arlington, Texas 76015**

Make check payable to:

Rotary District 5790 I f L.

Institute Schedule:

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Dress: “country club casual”

Please contact Richard Sherman, Registrar for registration help or any committee member for questions.

Registration is limited to 24, based on order of registration with payment

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