Greetings to my fellow District 7300 Rotarians,

I knew my year as Governor would go fast and sure enough the first month has flown by in a flash. I must say I am having a wonderful time travelling the District doing my official visits and getting to know so many of you.

August is Membership and Extension Month. What better Rotarians than Membership Chair, Karl Ohrman of the Rotary Club of Pittsburgh, and Extension Chair, Kathy Crawford of the McCandless Rotary Club, to head up these two important committees. Both have some great plans and ideas for the coming year. So don’t hesitate to call on either of them for assistance.

As I am making my visits I am extremely encouraged by all of the enthusiasm for membership that I have encountered. Every club has mentioned their desire to not only increase their number of members, but to make their club a larger, and more vibrant presence in the community. Jim Jobe and Roger Kennelly of the Monroeville Rotary Club have some big plans for increasing their membership. They are shooting for 100 members! Assistant District Governor, Linda Fisher of the Rotary Club of Pittsburgh, tells me that her club, under the leadership of Andy Dlin, has plans for four membership events. Hopefully, Damian Schorr of the Three Rivers Rotary Club will partner his club with the Rotary Club of Pittsburgh in these efforts. Bethel Park Rotary Club, under the leadership of President Rachel Thieroff, is planning a membership mixer at the South Park Club House on September 16, 2011. I plan to be there! President Tom Baker of the Pittsburgh East Rotary Club also has some innovative ideas for growing the size of his club.

On the extension side, “Hooray!” for the Pittsburgh South Side Rotary Club which will hold their Charter Night on August 23, 2011 under the leadership of Charter President, Heather Dieckmann. Kathy Crawford of the McCandless Rotary Club, along with Sandy Grimes, and Sandra Rebholz of Green Tree Rotary Club have worked diligently with this great group over the past several years to make this club a reality. What a wonderful way to start off the new Rotary year, with a new Rotary Club. Congratulations and thank you to all for your hard work, especially to the charter members. We are proud to officially have you on board as our 51st Rotary club.

Please be sure to check out the information in the newsletter regarding the District 7300 Golf Outing on Friday, August 12, 2011, the "Women in Rotary" Business Mixer on Friday, August 19, 2011, our fantastic plans for the Rotary International Convention in Bangkok, Thailand, May 6-12 2012, and of course, our Rotary District 7300 Conference in Seven Springs, June 21-24, 2012.

Yours In Rotary Service,

Sue Kelly
Rotary District 7300 - District Governor
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Rotary is so much more than …

… an organization to do good.
… a place to go to lunch once a week.
… a collection of friends.
… a sounding board for solving community problems.
… an action group to solve those problems.
… a fundraising organization.
… a social network to meet new people.
… an international force for good in the world.
… 33,000+ clubs around the world.

Rotary is all of the above and so much more. Share Rotary with others. Introduce a new member this month!

Yours In Service,
Karl Ohrman

Rotary District 7300 • Membership Chair
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Nominations for 2014-2015 Rotary District 7300 Governor are due by November 26, 2011. To be eligible for the position of Rotary District Governor, a Rotarian must …

… be a member in good standing of a functioning club in Rotary District 7300.
… have served as President of a club for a full term, or President of a charter club from the date of the charter to June 30, for a period of at least six months.
… demonstrate knowledge of and the ability to fulfill the duties outlined in the Rotary International Bylaws, section 15.090.
… have completed seven years of membership at the time of taking office as Rotary District Governor.
… complete the Governor Nominee Data Form located on the Rotary District 7300 website at www.rotarydistrict7300.org.

For more information, please refer to the Rotary International Bylaws, section 15.070 at www.rotary.org.

Please submit all applications to Past District Governor, Rick Martin, at 1456 8th Avenue, New Brighton PA 15066-2226.

On Saturday, December 10, 2011, the committee (Jim Hahn, Linda Fischer, Tom Baker, and Robert Weiss) will meet with all nominees at The Club at Shadow Lakes, Aliquippa, PA.

All applications in good standing will be reviewed. Personal interviews will be held by the committee. The committee will make its recommendation post-interviews.

Yours In Service,
Rick Martin

Rotary District 7300 • Past District Governor
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“By serving well, without hiding our Rotary light under the proverbial bushel, we find ourselves closer to our own goal: a stronger, more vibrant Rotary for generations to come.”

Kalyan Banerjee
2011-12 Rotary International President

For additional information regarding Kalyan Banerjee, please visit: www.kalyanbanerjee.com
On Tuesday, July 5, 2011, the Upper-St. Clair-Bethel Park Rotary Club welcomed new member, Brad Harrison, District Director for the Office of Congressman Tim Murphy (PA-18) in Mt. Lebanon, PA. Pictured (left to right): Brad Harrison and Brian Schill, 2011-2012 Club President.

Brad Harrison is a former naval submarine officer and has served in a variety of national defense and public policy capacities in government and the private sector since 1998. Brad served as the Military Legislative Assistant to Congressman Robert J. Wittman (VA-01) handling the Congressman’s House Armed Services Committee portfolio and as a liaison to the veterans community and military bases in Virginia’s 1st Congressional District, to include Marine Corps Base Quantico, Dahlgren Naval Weapons Station, Fort A.P. Hill, Yorktown Naval Weapons Station, Coast Guard Training Center Yorktown, Fort Eustis, Langley Air Force Base, and the Newport News Shipyard. Prior to joining Congressman Wittman’s staff, Brad was an active duty submarine officer for over six years in assignments at sea and ashore. He spent almost two years in Arlington, Virginia as the SSGN Division Head at Strategic Systems Programs (SSP) where he coordinated an Operational Test Launch of four Tomahawk missiles against land-based targets on Eglin Air Force Base for training onboard the USS Florida (SSGN-728). Prior to his time at SSP, Harrison served on board the USS Oklahoma City (SSN-723) for 36 months in a variety of capacities. During his time onboard, the nuclear-powered warship traveled over 90,000 miles from her home port of Norfolk, VA to the Western Pacific Ocean in support of national security objectives. Highlights included traveling underneath the ice of the North Pole and serving as an Officer of the Deck during a 14-hour Panama Canal transit. Additionally, while serving as the Oklahoma City’s Damage Control Assistant, his proudest moment came when his division established the highest re-enlistment and retention rate on the Norfolk waterfront. He is currently the District Director for the Office of Congressman Tim Murphy (PA-18) in Mt. Lebanon, Pennsylvania where he focuses on serving over 600,000 citizens of Southwestern Pennsylvania on behalf of Congressman Murphy.

Harrison holds a B.S. in Political Science from the United States Naval Academy and an M.S. in Engineering Management from the Catholic University of America. He volunteers as chairman of the U.S. Naval Academy Class of 2002 Fundraising Committee. Harrison is a lifetime member of the U.S. Naval Institute, where he sits on the “Editorial Board for Proceedings” magazine, and belongs to the Military Officers Association of America, the National Defense Industrial Association, the American Society of Naval Engineers, the Veterans of Foreign Wars, the American Legion, the Pittsburgh Chapter of the Navy League of the United States, and the U.S. Naval Academy Alumni Association. Since 2005 Harrison has been married to the delightful Gretchen Benford Harrison of Ohara Township. Brad and Gretchen are the proud parents of Henry James Harrison and reside in Upper St. Clair.

The Rotary Foundation and over 1.2 million Rotarians like you around the world are working hard to change this picture. Your donations to The Rotary Foundation make a significant difference in the lives of millions - one life at a time. Whether it’s a $100.00 donation or a $1,000,000.00 donation, every dollar makes a difference and changes lives for the better.

We tend to take education for granted because it’s so readily available in this country. But to many in other countries education is one of the greatest gifts of all. Teaching someone to read and write can change the cycle of ignorance and poverty, not only for that individual, but for generations. It all starts with your contribution. Let’s not take literacy and education for granted. Let’s not take for granted that someone else’s contribution to The Rotary Foundation will be all that’s needed. Every dollar makes a difference and changes a life for the better forever.

Napoleon Bonaparte said, “A leader is a dealer in hope.” Let’s all be leaders!

www.rotary.org/FOUNDATION

Yours In Service,
Dennis Crawford

2011-2012
Rotary District 7300
Foundation Chair
Dennis Crawford
McCandless Rotary Club

“Back To School: The Rotary Foundation”

Shortly after you have received this newsletter the kids will all be back in school. On the first day most of the kids in our district will be clad in brand new cloths, many of them designer names. They’ll be carrying their backpacks full of new pens, pencils, notebooks, cell phones, Kindles, iPads, or some other sophisticated electronic device that will provide them with books, data, and easy access to the internet for quick information on just about anything. They’ll attend schools with qualified teachers. Schools with well lit, clean classrooms and desks for each student. They’ll have access to computers (in many schools one per student) and thus the internet. Their schools will have gymnasiums, chemistry and biology labs, stocked libraries, and after school activities ranging from athletics to debate. Other than the excitement of seeing old friends again, meeting new friends as well as new teachers, the first day will be something to students and parents that is expected to happen - the start of a new school year.

For millions of kids around the world the thought of an education is still only a dream. Those who are lucky enough to attend a formal school may not have enough text books, pencils, writing paper, chalk boards or chalk. They may not have desks. They may have to walk miles to get to and from their school every day they’re lucky enough to have a school. Most children in third world countries are not!

The Rotary Foundation
This poem was written by Beaver Falls Rotarian, Eugene F. Jannuzi, and published in the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette on Saturday, July 9, 2011. Gene, age 95, is a retired CEO of the former Moltrup Steel in Beaver Falls and former reporter for the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette. Gene regularly attends his weekly Rotary meetings.

“I’ll look for you again tomorrow.
If I don’t find you as I sleep
All I have found is a vacant sorrow.
In the days of our years now cut off, flown.
In all the good times together we shared,
In the empty seat of the car you drove,
In the words of the songs we used to sing,
The far mower moan,
In the soft sighing wind,
The far mower moan,
In the songs we used to sing,
Or in the laughs and shouts of children at play.
I searched in the bird-call obbligato,
In the light-dappled afternoon street,
In the soft sighing wind,
The far mower moan.
In the words of the songs we used to sing,
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If I don’t find you as I sleep
I’ll look for you again tomorrow.

2011-2012
Rotary District 7300
Newsletter Editor • Webmaster
Lenore M. Wetzel
Forest Hills Rotary Club

“Searching”

I looked for you all day today,
Just as I looked for you all yesterday,
Just as I have in times long past.
But your image stunts and tricks and hides
In a cruel stabbing trompe l’oeuil.
Where will I find you? When?
I looked in vain in the morning sun.
You were not in the restless leaves of the trees
That danced and glistened and wondered with me,
Or in the laughs and shouts of children at play.
I searched in the bird-call obbligato,
In the light-dappled afternoon street,
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WINGS OVER PITTSBURGH

Rotary District 7300 and “Wings Over Pittsburgh”
September 10 - 11, 2011

Rotary District 7300 will have a display at this year’s “Wings Over Pittsburgh” Air Show and Open House.

We are in current need of Rotarians to volunteer to represent Rotary District 7300.

Be sure to wear your Rotary shirt and pin!

Friday, September 9, 2011 9:00AM - 3:00PM (Setup ONLY)
Saturday, September 10, 2011 9:00AM - 5:00PM
Sunday, September 11, 2011 9:00AM - 5:00PM

If interested, please contact Roxanne Buckels at imperial1@vzw.blackberry.net or at (412) 287-9273, no later than Friday, September 2, 2011.

For additional event information, please visit www.wingsoverpittsburgh.com

3 ... 2 ... 1 ... GO!

Why the motocross helmet you ask? As you many of you may realize, we are fast approaching the end of a beautiful Summer and the beginning of what I hope to be a gorgeous Fall. The busiest time of the Rotary year is now upon us! The “changing of the guard” has come and gone, club event planning has been underway for a couple of months, and the execution phase of said plans is about to begin. So load the proverbial “bus”, grab your gear, and hang on tight! We’re in for an exciting ride and I can’t wait to get rolling!

August is “Membership and Extension” month. Encourage your club’s officers and fellow members to “pull the cord” and stop the “bus” along the way to pick up new passengers. Now (and always) is the time to invite prospective members to attend a Rotary event. Show them, in person, what Rotary is all about.

When I accepted the role of Rotary District 7300 Governor’s Newsletter Editor in 2010, I had no idea what kind of ride I’d be in for. I’ve received a constant stream of correspondence (Phone, E-mail, “snail mail”, and text messages) from Rotarians all over Rotary District 7300, other local Rotary districts, and beyond. Many of you who have sent information to me I know, and many of you I feel as though I know, even though we’ve never physically met. Receiving and reading information about your club events, news, and members is absolutely fascinating to me! Please keep it coming! I want to know EVERYTHING that is happening in our district and I want to share that knowledge with others!

The Rotary District 7300 Governor’s Newsletter will continue to be published between the 1st and the 5th of each month. The submission deadline for club articles and events will continue to be the 25th of each month.

If your club is having an event, let me know about it. I’ll help your club spread the word! If your club has had an event and would like to have it highlighted in the newsletter, please send your club’s article and photographs to me as soon as possible after the event has taken place. Be sure to include the “who, what, where, when and why” in your article as well as the names of the people in your photographs in order from left to right!

The 25th of each month deadline date is VERY important! In order for me to publish “…from the Heart” by the 5th of each month, I need time to sort, edit, and proof.

Please visit www.rotarydistrict7300.org. Explore! Learn! Enjoy! Encourage club members and others to visit the site. Utilize the district website as a tool to promote your club, to gain the interest of prospective club members, or to find your way to a Rotary meeting location!

Yours In Service,
Lenore M. Wetzel

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Club Highlight

Moon Township Rotary Club
Annual Corn Roast

Although the weatherman predicted rain, the sun came out beautifully for the Moon Township Rotary Club’s Annual Corn Roast on Tuesday, August 9, 2011. Delicious cobs of corn, hamburgers, and hot dogs were plentiful. There was a wide selection of coffee, tea, water, soda, and lots of beer.

Members from several Rotary clubs in the area attended the outing ... Green Tree, Pittsburgh, Ambridge, Aliquippa, Quaker Valley, and Carnegie-Collier, just to name a few. The Moon Township Rotary Club’s Annual Corn Roast is always a very successful fundraiser and a great time.

Pictured (left to right): Andy Hladio (Ambridge Rotary Club), Past District Governor, Rick Martin, John Herington, District Governor, Sue Kelly, District Secretary, Sandra Rebholz, Past District Governor, Don Arnheim, Wayne Hyjek (Quaker Valley Rotary Club), Harriet Sickles, and District Governor Nominee, Walt Sickles.

FREE Webinar: Member Retention

An upcoming webinar will focus on the importance of “closing the back door” so that all members – both new and longstanding Rotarians – remain involved and active in the club.

All club leaders are invited to participate in “Closing the Back Door,” a free webinar on member retention – one of the greatest challenges to our clubs. During this webinar, you will discuss challenges that clubs are experiencing with keeping members and learn about resources, solutions, and best practices available to clubs to combat these challenges.

The webinar, to be offered in two English-only sessions, is scheduled for the following times (click on dates to register):

- Tuesday, 6 September, 1600-1700 (Central Daylight Time)
- Tuesday, 13 September, 1100-1200 (Central Daylight Time)

Rotary Coordinators, Dean Rohrs and Judi Beard-Strubing will facilitate each session. Join other Rotarians in this webinar and share your experiences.

“Water For Urukundo, Rwanda”

On a medium-sized mountain called Cyakabiri (translation - Middle) in the center of Rwanda sets Binunga Village. Binunga Village covers many sectors and has about 3,000 residents ... without water and electricity. The Urukundo Home for Children, "Urukundo Village", which was started in 2006 by a former resident of Western Pennsylvania, Arlene Brown, is in the center of Binunga Village. The Urukundo Home for Children has 44 children, from 1 to 19 years old. The school has 390 students. Our goal is to provide for these children and make a difference in the community through education. It’s a little over an hour from the capital of Kigali.

During the dry season, neither the community nor the school has a water supply. They need it for drinking, cooking, cleaning, watering livestock, and gardening, which they don’t have now.

The village is about a quarter mile from the school on different levels of the mountain. The school and the Urukundo Home for Children has 220 volt electricity from a utility company, but water is a problem. The community has no safe drinking water and no electricity. There is a spring at the base of the mountain that feeds very clean water to a reservoir there. The only method of bringing water to the school and village is manually.

We, the Forest Hills Rotary Club, and perhaps others, are determined to get the water from the base reservoir to the school and village both of which will soon have reservoirs.

There are two items we are going to need. We will need three pumps at the base reservoir (the one fed by the spring) to get the water to the top reservoir and gravity feed it to both the school and community. That would be 760 meters in length and 98 meters in height. We also need solar panels to power the pumps. The pipe is 63 millimeters in diameter (about 2.5 inches). They already have the pipe.

Both are a gradual rise, so the water does not have to go straight up, as would be the case in a well. There are Grundfos pumps that can lift water to 98 meters. A local NGO construction company of very good reputation can install three pumps and an array of 21 solar panels for about $44,000.00 US.

At the bottom reservoir, the pump and panels are not secure, so we need to fence in the site and have a guard. The village is only about a half mile away so the villagers, who depend on the water, can come down in a very short time and help the guard to protect their source of water.

We have almost completed the funding; we are awaiting a matching grant from the Rotary Foundation. The contractor can then start the job and have it completed within 30 days. Hopefully, this will be by October 1, 2011.

When the Forest Hills Rotary Club, in partnership with the Rotary Club of Kigali-Virunga pull this off, then we will have helped an orphanage and a village over 2,500 people get water; where they otherwise must rely on women and children carrying very small amounts of water up the mountain. The women can be making better use of their time ... at work or in their homes and in gardens made possible by abundant water. The children can use the time in school to learn.

For additional information, please visit www.hopemadereal.org.

Yours In Service,
Tom Nunnally

Rotary District 7300 • Water
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Rotary Women’s Networking Happy Hour

Please join your fellow Rotarians for a fun evening of networking. Bring along a guest that may enjoy and benefit from it too!

Where: The Club at Nevillewood
When: Friday, August 19, 2011
Time: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Cost: $20 per person all inclusive*

* heavy hor d’oeuvres and cash bar

Please RSVP to Mary Ann Paff at mpaff@fidelitybank-pa.com by 8/16/2011.
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Two tickets to every game unless otherwise noted. Tickets and events subject to change. A limited number of tickets are available. You must be 18 years of age or older and must qualify under Pennsylvania law to purchase a raffle ticket and participate in this raffle. Any cancelled or postponed games (including, without limitation, any games affected by a dispute between the NFL and its players, including a lock-out, or otherwise) will not be included in the prize.
World Affairs Institute for Student Leaders
Friday, November 18, 2011
Annual student conference on a major international issue or region

This long-running collaboration between the World Affairs Council of Pittsburgh and Rotary International enables and encourages students to think critically about global issues.

What is the objective of the Institute?
The Institute will engage high school student leaders in a discussion of key issues in international affairs so that they can understand and think critically about their world.

Who can attend the Institute?
High school students are selected by local Rotary Clubs (Districts 7280, 7340, and 7330) in cooperation with schools. Each Rotary Club determines the number of scholarships available.

How many Student Delegates will attend?
Approximately 350 high school juniors and seniors.

How is the conference structured?
Through panel presentations and small breakout groups, experts will discuss key issues with Student Delegates. Each student will receive a comprehensive background paper prior to the Institute.

Who pays for the scholarships?
Each Rotary Club pays for the number of scholarships it is sponsoring. The fee of $75 for each delegate will cover the cost of registration, educational materials, all conference sessions, lunch, and refreshments.

Questions? Contact the World Affairs Council:
If you are interested in attending this program, please contact the World Affairs Council at 412-281-7970 or welcome@worldpittsburgh.org.

Download the 2010 WAI Background Paper by clicking here.

WAI Speaker in the News
European and American interests have been diverging since the end of the Cold War, and that is likely to continue, says David Francis, recent WAI speaker.

Click here to read an article by David Francis in the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

This Institute is a fantastic way to inform today's youth on big issues facing us from all around the world...

- Student Delegate

What Participants are Saying About the World Affairs Institute...

Thank you for making this opportunity available to students like me. Through programs like these, my fellow students and I are able to become more well-rounded individuals ready to face a changing world.

- Student Delegate

Ambridge High School

I would just like to say, after attending many of these events, that these institutes have been exceptional. I applaud your efforts and hope that this program continues for years to come.

- Oak City HS Teacher
THE 2012 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION
DISTRICT 7300 TRIP APRIL, 28 - MAY 10, 2012

Trip Includes:
Flight from Pittsburgh to JFK
Flight from JFK to Hong Kong on Cathay Pacific
2 Nights at the Inter-Continental Grand Standford
Flight from Hong Kong to Chiang Rai
2 nights at the Dusit Island Resort, Chiang Rai
2 nights at the Dusit Princess Resort, Chiang Mai
Flight from Chiang Mai to Bangkok
1 Breakfast in Hong Kong, All meals in Thailand
½ day tour in Hong Kong, tours in both Chiang Rai and Chiang Mai
All transfers including roundtrip transfers in Bangkok
Flight from Bangkok to JFK *(may require an overnight stay in NYC)*
Flight from JFK to Pittsburgh
* hotel in JFK not included in price.

$3,885 Total per person based on double occupancy.
Single supplement is $700. Trip Insurance is not included but highly recommended. Group Insurance will be quoted for 10 or more.

Rate is based on 22-35 people traveling, if less, trip will have to be re-priced.
$500 deposit is due now. Final payment is due 2/01/2012. Trip is non-refundable. All hotel and airline space is currently on request, not confirmed.
DEPOSIT BY CHECK ONLY. FINAL CAN BE WITH A CREDIT CARD

We are booked at the Courtyard Marriott in Bangkok for the convention. 5/5-5/10/12 This rate is approximately $127 per night (breakfast and all taxes) & NOT included in the above rate. This is paid to Rotary Int'l by check only.
We are holding 30 rooms. This has to be paid in full by 11/01/11

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Mailing address ____________________________________________________
Roommate______________________________
Seating Preference aisle__ window___ Frequent Flyer # _________________
Special Needs______________________________________________________
Please Note This trip requires a lot of walking and we will be in mountainous areas. Please discuss with your doctor any vaccination requirements and health issues. At this time no visas are required for travel to Hong Kong or Thailand. Passport MUST be valid 6 months beyond travel dates.
Any questions please call Joanne at J & L TRAVEL or jltravel@aol.com

J &L TRAVEL 418 Chestnut St Carnegie, PA 15106  412-276-6711
**Governor-Nominee Data Form**

**District governor candidate:** Please complete and sign this form, have your club secretary sign it, and submit it to the district nominating committee.

Governor year of service 2014-15  District 7300  Zone 29

Family name  
First name  
Middle initial  

Call name as it should appear on your badge  

☐ Male  ☐ Female  
☐ Single  ☐ Spouse/Partner  ☐ Widowed  ☐ Divorced

Member, Rotary Club of  
*(official name of club, including country)*

RI membership ID number  
Year you first joined Rotary  

Current (or former, if retired) classification  

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**Per RI Bylaws 15.070.3, a qualified Rotarian must have served a full term as club president, or as charter president from the date of charter to 30 June (six-month minimum), at the time of nomination.**

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**Fax (include country/city or area codes)**

Residence  
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**E-mail address** (RI's preferred mode of contact for correspondence and publication in *Official Directory* and *International Assembly Participants book*)  

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**Preferred mailing address**  
*If this address is a post office box, please provide an alternate address for courier delivery.*  

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Governor-nominee Data Form

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Line 3

Line 4

Country

Language Preferences

Language(s) you wish to use for communicating with RI (listed in order of fluency):

Read

Speak

For each of the following, please choose one only:

International Assembly sessions

☐ English  ☐ French  ☐ Japanese  ☐ Korean  ☐ Portuguese  ☐ Spanish

Rotary publications produced in 6 languages

☐ English  ☐ French  ☐ Japanese  ☐ Korean  ☐ Portuguese  ☐ Spanish

Rotary publications produced in 9 languages

☐ English  ☐ French  ☐ German  ☐ Italian  ☐ Japanese  ☐ Korean

☐ Portuguese  ☐ Spanish  ☐ Swedish

Rotary publications produced in 14 languages

☐ Arabic  ☐ Chinese  ☐ English  ☐ Finnish  ☐ French  ☐ German  ☐ Hindi

☐ Italian  ☐ Japanese  ☐ Korean  ☐ Portuguese  ☐ Spanish  ☐ Swedish  ☐ Thai
Governor-nominee Data Form

Spouse/Partner Information (if applicable)

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Language fluency for International Assembly discussions (choose one):

☐ Chinese    ☐ English    ☐ French    ☐ German    ☐ Hindi    ☐ Italian
☐ Japanese    ☐ Korean    ☐ Portuguese    ☐ Spanish    ☐ Swedish

Language preference for RI mailings (choose one):

☐ English    ☐ French    ☐ Japanese    ☐ Korean    ☐ Portuguese    ☐ Spanish

For Rotarian spouses only:

Spouse/Partner ID number ______

Member, Rotary Club of __________________

(official name of club, including country)

Photos

If you are selected as governor-nominee, RI will need a head-and-shoulders photograph of you and of your spouse/partner (individually, not as a couple) for the International Assembly Participants book. Digital photos in high-resolution .jpg format are preferred. E-mail your photo, along with your full name, district number, and the Rotary year in which you will serve, to dgn.photo@rotary.org. Photos are due by 30 June.

If you choose to submit a hard-copy photograph, it must measure at least 4 x 5 in./10 x 12.5 cm. The photo with your full name, district number, and the Rotary year in which you will serve clearly printed on the back must be submitted with this form.

Please indicate how your photos are being submitted:

☐ Digital photos e-mailed to dgn.photo@rotary.org

☐ Hard-copy photos attached (do not staple photo to this form)
Governor-nominee Data Form

All signatures on this page must be handwritten (electronic signatures are not acceptable).

CANDIDATE’S STATEMENT

I hereby state that I understand clearly the qualifications, duties, and responsibilities of the office of district governor as set forth in the RI Bylaws and that I am fully qualified for said office and willing and able, physically and otherwise, to assume and fulfill the duties and responsibilities of that office and to perform them faithfully. Further, I have read and agreed to abide by the district governor code of ethics, as detailed in the Rotary Code of Policies. I agree in advance to accept the decision of the RI Board concerning my election to office without recourse to any non-Rotary agency or other dispute resolution system and further accept that any court costs and attorney’s fees incurred by RI in enforcing this agreement shall be reimbursed by me in their entirety. I understand that if selected, I must attend, for their full duration, the governors-elect training seminar in my zone and the International Assembly to be held the Rotary year before taking office. I have read this form in its entirety and certify that all the information provided on this form is true and correct.

Date __________________________ Signature __________________________

CLUB’S STATEMENT OF CANDIDATE’S QUALIFICATIONS

The candidate herein mentioned is a member in good standing of the Rotary Club of ______. The club further attests that this member has been duly suggested for the office of district governor under RI Bylaws 13.020.4 and meets the qualifications as specified in RI Bylaws 15.070 and that the club membership information on this form is accurate.

Date __________________________ Club Secretary’s Name __________________________ Club Secretary’s Signature __________________________

CERTIFICATE OF DISTRICT NOMINATING COMMITTEE

The undersigned members of the District _____ Nominating Committee hereby certify that the candidate whose name appears on this form, to the best of the committee’s knowledge, has not violated any of the rules on campaigning, electioneering, or canvassing as stipulated in RI Bylaws 10.060. (If the committee has more than five members, please attach a separate list.)

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CERTIFICATE OF NOMINATION

The Rotarian named on this form is a member in good standing of the Rotary club listed and was duly nominated for district governor in accordance with the provisions of the RI Bylaws.

Date __________________________ District Governor’s Name __________________________ District Governor’s Signature __________________________

District governor: Please mail, fax, or e-mail this form to your CDS representative by 30 June.