



District 5340

Torrey Pines (La Jolla) Rotary Club

Club Service

Vocational Service

Community Service

Fun & Fellowship

International Service

What is a Rotary Club?

The original Rotary Club was organized in Chicago, Illinois by Paul P. Harris, a lawyer. The first meeting was February 23, 1905.

The name "Rotary" was chosen since the Club rotated to each member's place of business.

The Rotary idea of friendship, fellowship, and service to others has spread to six continents.

There are over 1.2 million rotarians in the world, in 166 countries.

The Torrey Pines (La Jolla) Rotary Club was chartered June 30, 1964, we meet each Wednesday at The La Jolla Radisson Hotel from 12:00 noon until 1:30.

What is a Rotarian?

They are people who look beyond themselves to their community, nation and world. They seek the truth; they let fairness govern their relationships; they endeavor to build goodwill and better friendships; they strive to benefit all in every inter-personal relationship. In short, *Service Above Self*.

Becoming a Member

Membership is by invitation. Members are chosen to represent their respective businesses or professions. The "Classification Principle" insures our membership includes a qualified representative of each worthy business and profession in our community. In this way, our club becomes a cross-section of the community.

The Rotarian and "Service"

The emphasis of Rotary is upon creating within the individual the IDEAL OF SERVICE. They are encouraged and supported in their personal activities in civic, youth services, and public service organizations. It is from their club that most members draw the volunteers for worthy service activities.

About Our Club - Giving

The Torrey Pines (La Jolla) Rotary Club has always ranked in the top clubs in the district in per-capita giving to the Rotary Foundation. We ranked first in the district twice, with a higher giving of \$374 per member in a Rotary year.

The club undertakes a wide variety of service activities in vocation, community and international promotion of goodwill and understanding.

Some of our Projects include:

- ⊗ Portraits of Hope
- ⊗ University City High School
- ⊗ Interact Club
- ⊗ Rotary Youth Leadership Programs
- ⊗ Vocational Understanding
- ⊗ North Clairemont Library Projects
- ⊗ Torrey Pines State Reserve Projects
- ⊗ UCSD International Cafe Support
- ⊗ International Scholarship Programs
- ⊗ Community & District Programs
- ⊗ International Projects
- ⊗ Sister Club Interaction
- ⊗ Rotary Fellowship
- ⊗ Centennial Project - St. Vincent De Paul
- ⊗ Wheelchairs for Malawi

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