

## About Our Club

The Rotary Club of La Crosse East was chartered December 4, 1971. It is one of 62 clubs in District 6250 covering Southwestern Wisconsin and Southeastern Minnesota.

Rotary East, as the club is commonly known, is comprised of more than 35 men and women who are successful in their chosen occupations and concerned about the welfare of their community and the world.

## Club Programs and Projects

- High School Scholarship Program
- Rotary Lights Holiday Display
- Polio Plus Eradication Campaign
- Nicaraguan Aid Project
- Global Partners "Helping Babies Breathe"
- Mobile Meals
- Rotaract
- Financial Support of Local Organizations and Community
- Chad Erickson Memorial Park

## Membership Proposal Form

I propose...

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Residence Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

For (check one)  active  past service

If a former Rotarian, list club(s) and dates:

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\_\_\_\_\_

Proposed Classification \_\_\_\_\_

Name of firm and executive position  
(former firm and executive position, if retired)

Activities \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Date

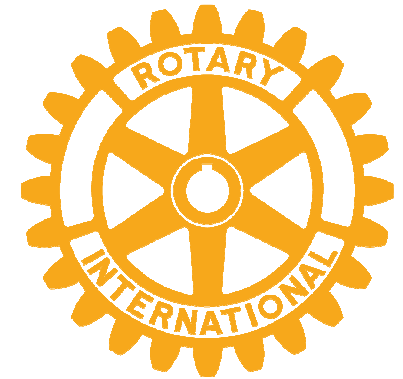
Proposer's Signature

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# Rotary Club of La Crosse East



## The Four-Way Test

- Is it the TRUTH?
- Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIP
- Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

**Meetings each MONDAY  
at NOON**



## Rotary Membership, Benefits & Responsibilities

### Rotary International

Rotary International is a worldwide organization of business and professional leaders that provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations, and helps build goodwill and peace throughout the world.

Rotary was founded in Chicago in 1905 and is the world's first and largest service club organization. Today there are 1.2 million Rotarians in more than 31,000 Rotary clubs in 166 countries.

Rotary's motto, "*Service Above Self*" reflects the organization's most basic tenet; that self fulfillment is best found in serving others.



### Membership

Membership is by invitation.

A prospective member first experiences Rotary as a guest of a current member. The member may then submit a proposal for membership on behalf of their guest. The proposal is reviewed for approval to the club. A formal invitation to membership may then be extended.

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### Benefits of Membership

- Opportunities for greater self-fulfillment through service to others
- Chance to develop your talents and capabilities in roles of leadership and support
- A broader circle of friends and acquaintances
- Increased knowledge of professional and businesses other than your own
- Greater understanding of what's going on in your community and the world
- A warm welcome in more than 166 countries around the world where Rotary and Rotarians make a difference

**Important:** The primary goals of Rotary are fellowship and service to others, **not** the promotion of one's personal or business interests!

### Member Responsibilities

- Attend at least 60% of weekly club meetings (or take advantage of the many opportunities to "make-up" absences at other clubs.)
- Lend your time and talents to club programs and activities.
- Support club efforts by participating in annual Rotary fundraising.
- Spread the word about Rotary and Rotary East.
- Share Rotary fellowship with others.
- Respond promptly to quarterly billings for meals/dues.

### Cost of Membership

**Note:** The figures listed reflect membership cost for the Rotary Club of La Crosse East as of 2016-17 and are subject to change.

Annual dues, RI donation and meals: \$739.00

In addition, each member is expected to contribute their time in support of other club initiatives or contribute monetarily.

Members are charged \$11 for meals at official club meetings, regardless of attendance. A standard \$11 credit is given for make-ups at all venues when you attend another club and you pay for the meal there.

Many opportunities for fellowship are available throughout the year at optional Rotary events, including the annual 4-Way Test Dinner. Rotarians who choose to attend such events are responsible for any associated costs.

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