

## **Rotary Protects the Environment**



"Iris"- a watercolor painting by Kwansook Schafermeyer

Rotary is a global organization that brings together business and professional leaders in order to provide humanitarian service and to advance goodwill and peace around the world. Protecting the environment is Rotary's newest focus area. Pease join us in making our world a better place to live with these simple tips.



**R Reduce**, **reuse**, and **recycle**. The easiest way to protect the environment is to reduce the amount of energy you use and waste you produce, reuse items whenever possible, and recycle whenever you can.

**O** Order environmentally friendly products, find opportunities to support renewable power sources, **Observe** and reduce your impacts on the environment, and **Open your mind** to new ideas and approaches to environmental protection

Take shorter showers, Turn off lights and electronics when not in use, Travel sustainably, Tell friends and family what you are doing to help protect the environment, and plant Trees to combat climate change.

A Appreciate and protect the natural world, support sustainable Agriculture, and Advocate for environmental protection by supporting organizations and initiatives that protect natural habitats, reduce pollution, and promote sustainable practices.

**R** Reduce your water usage by turning off the tap while brushing your teeth and **Repair** rather than replace items whenever possible.

**Y** You can make a difference by implementing these simple tips. Together, we can change the world.

